

The Lawrence Ledger

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Principal's Message

WANTAGE TOWNSHIP TREE LIGHTING & PTO BOOK FAIR



Thank you for making this year's event a huge success!



*Thursday, December 9th is
picture retake day.*



Family Membership sign-up is open! We are so excited for the school year to begin and your \$5 per family membership fee goes a long way to help us provide programs, materials, and events at our schools. 🍎

Families can sign up here:

https://forms.zohopublic.com/sussexwantagepto/form/SussexWantagePTOMembershipSignUpPAID/formperma/SfOKSGp9fi06_oL5M-AzXJ9MQd_g-kwKxOwj1lc0iYc

*All info is on our website
<https://www.swpto.org/>*



Just a reminder that as the weather gets colder, please ensure students dress appropriately for the colder temperatures. Please consider layers if they get too hot in the building. We go outside for recess as much as possible.



Sussex-Wantage Regional School District is currently participating in a program that allows any students who wish to receive lunch and/or breakfast can do so at no cost to parents/guardians.

At CEL, all your child needs to do is tell their teacher in the morning when they want breakfast or lunch. At this time, at CEL students are eating lunch in the classroom and we have a limited menu due to COVID which consists of mostly grab and go style sandwiches. As we continue to move forward we hope to reintegrate students into the cafeteria.
<https://swregional.nutrislice.com/>



12/3- Tree Lighting/ Book Fair @ 7pm
 12/4- SWPTO Book Fair (8:00-1 pm)
 12/7- SWPTO virtual meeting @ 7 PM
 12/16- BOE meeting at SMS @ 7 PM
 12/23- Early Dismissal
 No Aftercare Program
 12/24- 1/3- Winter Break



Please be advised that for the foreseeable future, we are not permitting class treats (food items) to be brought in for things like birthday parties. In the alternative students may bring in non food items for birthday celebrations. We are very sorry, but this is a proactive measure in response to COVID-19. At this time, we are also not able to facilitate outside social gatherings such as parties. We understand that this is less than ideal and we apologize for any inconvenience that this may cause

NORWESCAP

The NORWESCAP Food Bank is working with CEL to once again offer the Backpack Program! This FREE program allows your child to bring home a "backpack" of food each Friday throughout the school year. The program will get underway soon, so please reach out to Mrs. Yakupcin or Mrs. Ferraro if you are interested!

Project Self-Sufficiency is offering FREE complete Thanksgiving dinners to local families in need! Hundreds of delicious holiday dinners are distributed each year by PSS. If your family is in need this holiday season, please CALL Project Self Sufficiency at 973-940-3500 or 844-807-3500. This Christmas season, Project Self-Sufficiency is again sponsoring the "Season of Hope." This program was put into place to help struggling families provide toys and memories to their children. There is NO COST and families MUST register in advance to receive toys! To register, call 973-940-3500.



We are excited to announce that we offer an online payment system called PaySchools Central. PaySchools Central provides all parents in our district with an easy way to manage lunch and breakfast accounts. This can all be done in the convenience of your own home through an easy-to-use online portal:

www.payschoolscentral.com

You will need to register at the link above. Additional information can be found on our school website under the food service tab within the department section or in the parent portal.

If you need help along the way, please contact PaySchools

pcs_help@payschool.com or
 1-877-393-6628

CAUTION

Drop Off & Pick Up

Please exercise caution when dropping off your children and do not pass other vehicles. If you perceive that you may need "extra" time for drop off, please park your vehicle in the parking lot and walk your child to the front door. For pick up, parents and guardians should park and walk to the doors nearest the playground.

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