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Lodi Primary School

EC - 2nd Grade

Caring Hearts Curious Minds

News from the Principal

1307 Sauk Street Lodi, WI 53555 Principal: Sherri Endres-Lovell Supervision outside starting at 7:35 am Doors open at 7:45 am School Hours: 7:55-2:55

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Now that we have moved directly from summer to winter I am reminded that it is time for me to focus on what I am grateful for. When I do, I don't have to look any further than this past month at Lodi Primary School to appreciate being a part of such a wonderful school and community.

Another successful PTO chocolate sale has wrapped up and the PTO earned a nice amount to donate to the schools. Thank you to all that contributed in some way! The Lodi area firefighters donated a full day of their time to teach fire safety to all Primary and Elementary students. We are lucky to have high school students, parents, and retired volunteers that contribute their time and talents in the classrooms daily. Teachers and specialists planned hikes to the Ice Age trail for all kindergarten through fifth grade students. Kindergarten teachers provided their classes with the unique experience of learning about nature and teamwork out at the School Forest. October concluded with a successful 4K Fall Fest and the 2nd annual PTO Fall Fest Dance where approximately \$1,300 was earned for Heritage Park. I don't know of any other school that has such dedicated staff members and experiences so much support from their community. This was especially demonstrated at the Halloween Parade this week as well as the other functions we had occurring at the Primary School this month.

We strive to teach our students that they are part of this school and the greater Lodi community. Our students are already learning about community service. They spent time making projects and writing stories to be displayed at the Lodi Women's Club Library event held at the Waddle Inn. First and Second grade students have partnered up with kindergarten and 4K students to mentor them for the school year. Second grade students took their Halloween parade out to the local nursing homes to sing them songs, show them their costumes and spread some Halloween spirit. The Primary School students will be bringing in food items to stock the shelves at Reach Out Lodi in time for the holidays. Mrs. Chambers is organizing the Scholastic Book Fair that will be open during parent teacher conferences to provide the opportunity for families to purchase books and also supply several free books for each classroom.

I am grateful for all of this support for our students. We are all very lucky to be part of this great community that cares for more than just themselves. What are you lucky to have or to be part of? Let that person or group know with a "Thank You."

Sherri Endres-Lovell Lodi Primary School Principal



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UPCOMING EVENTS:

- 7—K-2nd Parent/Teacher Conferences 3:30-6:30 pm 4K Parent/Teacher Conferences 3:30-7:30 pm
 7—Book Fair 8:00 am -7:30 pm
- 11-Veterans Day Program 10:00 am @ Middle School
- 12—K-2nd Parent/Teacher Conferences 3:30-6:30 pm 4K Parent/Teacher Conferences 3:30-7:30 pm
- 12—Book Fair 8:00 am 7:30 pm
- 14—K-2nd Parent/Teacher Conferences 3:30-6:30 pm 4K Parent/Teacher Conferences 3:30-7:30 pm
- 14—Book Fair 8:00 am 7:30 pm
- 27-29-No School

No school November 27th through 29th. Happy Thanksgiving!

Lodi Primary School Music News

It seems like the school year has just begun and we are already preparing for the upcoming Winter Concert.

The Winter Concert will be held on Friday, December 20th. This is an afternoon concert held at the Lodi High School Performing Arts Center. The inclement weather makeup date is scheduled for Monday January 6th. The program times will approximately be:

> 2nd Grade: 12:20 Kindergarten: 1:10 1st Grade: 2:00

Dress for the concert is "nice". I would also like to caution, it is very warm up on the stage under the lights, so please try to avoid thick sweaters, under armour, and sweat-shirts.

Please email me if you have not yet connected to the Class Dojo. My email is: <u>weberle@lodischoolswi.org</u> Through your email I will be able to send you a link to connect.

Lexine Weber





Dear Parents and Guardians,

As the weather is getting colder it is time to be talking to the kids about how to dress to be outside. We recognize each child is an individual and needs different attire to stay comfortable at various temperatures. Before heading outside teachers tell the students what the weather is like and may advise them about what might be the best choice of clothing. We then will be allowing students to choose what they would like to wear outside. Children will be told that once they are outside they have to stay outside so they should put on the clothes that they think they will need. We do not have extra warm weather clothing supplies at school so be sure that you send the warm



weather attire and extra dry clothing that your student may need. Much of our playground is not plowed during the winter so when there is snow on the ground many students like to have boots and snow pants. Our goal is to increase the children's independence and to hold them accountable for making their own decisions about what is comfortable for them. Children

will be kept inside when the temperature or windchill are below zero.

With winter upon us please remember to check your child's extra clothing at school.



<u>Thanksgiving</u>



The year has turned its Circle, the seasons come and go. The harvest all is gathered in and Chilly north winds blow.

Orchards have shared their treasures, the fields, their yellow grain, So open wide the doorway ---Thanksgiving comes again! -Old Rhyme

With the holidays quickly approaching, we are all aware that we have so much to be thankful for. Of course, our greatest gift has been working with your children each day! In the spirit of giving, LPS is gearing up for our 7th annual community service project! We would like to let our Lodi Pride shine by helping others and giving back to our community. This holiday season, we are going to "Stuff the Turkey" again with food and personal essential items to stock the shelves at Reach Out Lodi! Monetary donations are also accepted.

Instead of purchasing gifts for your child's teacher for the holidays, please consider donating to STUFF THE TURKEY to help others who are in need. If, however, your child still has his/her heart set on giving a gift, please keep in mind that a homemade card or picture story would mean the world to us too! Thank you for your kind consideration during the holiday season!

If you are in the position to help out, please start sending in items (list provided on backside). We'll be collecting items through November 15th. Items may be sent to school with your child or dropped off at the Primary School during regular school hours. Let's show our Lodi Pride!

Thank You ~ Happy Thanksgiving!



Donation list for "Stuff the Turkey"

Food Items:

Soup (any kind, Progresso are popular, also creamed soups) Green beans Baked beans Spaghetti/pasta sauce Pizza sauce Chili beans Canned meats (chicken, tuna fish, spam, beef, and pork) Bread/muffin mix Cooking oil Sugar Flour Jam Ketchup Mustard Crackers Apples Fresh fruit/vegetables Eggs Lunch meat

Personal essentials:

Household cleaners Paper towels Shampoo & Conditioner Deodorant Body wash Kleenex Tin foil Saran wrap Bleach Gallon & sandwich bags Garbage bags size 13 & 30

Baby products

Diapers size 4 & 6 Laundry detergent Chap Stick Cough drops Body lotion The **Scholastic Book Fair** is Coming to Lodi Primary School!

Dates/Times

Thursday, November 7th 8:00 a.m. – 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, November 12th 8:00 a.m. – 7:30 p.m. Thursday, November 14th 8:00 a.m. – 7:30 p.m.

If you would like to volunteer to help at the Book Fair, please go to <u>www.signupgenius.com</u> and "Search for a Sign Up" using the email, <u>chambsu@lodischoolswi.org</u>

See below for information on the new eWallet feature.

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4K VISITS TREINAN FARMS







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NOTEWORTHY

Veteran's Day Observance November 11th Lodi Middle School 10:00 am

> No School November 27-29

Winter Break December 23– January 1 School Resumes on January 2nd