The Leopard's Tale

Lime Kiln Middle School 11650 Scaggsville Road Fulton, MD 20759 September 23, 2016

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PLEASE SEND IN A BOX OF TISSUES WITH YOUR STUDENT. FLU SEASON IS UPON US AND WE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE TISSUES IN ALL OF THE CLASSROOMS. PLEASE HAVE YOUR STUDENT BRING THE TISSUES TO THE FRONT OFFICE AND WE WILL DISTRIBUTE TO ALL OF THE CLASSROOMS. THANK YOU.

IMPORTANT DATES:

- September 27 GOTTA EAT NIGHT, Ledo's in Fulton
- October 3 Schools and Offices Closed
- October 7 LIME FLICKS, 6:30 9:00 pm
- October 12 Schools and Offices Closed
- October 16 HCPSS Community 5K & Fun Run
- October 18 GOTTA EAT NIGHT Chick Fila
- October 26 Picture Make Up Day
- October 31 Professional Learning Day, schools closed for students

INTRAMURALS*

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*All Intramural forms are located on the rack in the front foyer. Participation numbers are limited.

FROM ADMINISTRATION...Happy Autumn! It is hard to believe that we have completed four weeks of school already. Before we know it, it will be mid-quarter and time to send home interim progress reports. (Those reports will go home on October 6, however you can check your students' academic progress in the meantime by accessing teachers' Canvas sites.)

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR STUDENT HAS TISSUES WITH HIM/HER. Send in a box for the class! Congratulations to one of our 6th grade science teachers, Michelle Clark, who has received a Maryland Association of Science Teachers *Excellence in Teaching* Award! We are so proud of her. LKMS is full of outstanding teachers and staff!

A reminder that if you are giving your student permission to walk home (or walk to the nearby shopping centers) rather than take the bus, please send in a note to the office to that effect. For students' safety, we expect all bus riders to get on the bus unless we have written permission from a parent to the contrary. Thank you in advance for helping us keep students safe!

Have a wonderful weekend!

Lucy D. Lublin, Principal

Lost and Found...Lost and found items are housed in the cafeteria on the rack in the back of the cafeteria. Please make sure your student's name is on his/her lunch box.

GT Parent Representative Needed 2016-2017...Lime Kiln is looking for a *G*/T Parent Representative to serve on the *G*/T Parent Advisory Committee (GTAC). The GTAC committee works with the HCPSS *G*/T office, school administrators, *G*/T resource teachers, and other school personnel to receive updates, ask questions, and provide feedback related to *G*/T programs.

Why are G/T Parent Representatives needed?...Advocates are needed who are committed to ensuring that school policies and programs benefit all students, including advanced-level learners. As parents, we can enhance the education of our children by being informed and providing feedback related to G/T programs.

What is the primary role of the Parent Representative?...The primary role of the Parent Representative is to be a liaison between the GTAC and the school community.

If you are interested, please contact **Tracy Spillman** at tracy_spillman@hcpss.org and more information will be provided.

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR STUDENT HAS TISSUES WITH HIM/HER. Send in a box for the class! **PTA INFORMATION**....Lime Flicks is proud to present: a surprise movie on October 7, 2016 6:30-9:00 pm, LKMS Cafeteria. You **must** be a Lime Kiln Middle School Student to attend this event.Pizza, Popcorn, Movie, Candy & Drinks will be sold. (\$1.00-\$4.00)

Volunteer Opportunities...We are in need of parent volunteers to sell tickets during lunch October 4th -7th. Tickets will **not** be sold at the door. We also need parent volunteers to take tickets at the door and work concessions the night of the event October 7, 2016. Please contact: Rebecca Reed at rlynnreed@yahoo.com or call 443-878-4763

COAT DRIVE...LKMS PTA is sponsoring a COAT DRIVE. Please send in your gently used coats, jackets, scarves, hats and gloves. There is a collection box located in the front foyer.