

The Leopard's Tale

Lime Kiln Middle School
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September 24, 2015

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IMPORTANT DATES:

October 2nd Schools closed for students

Intramural Information

Poetry Club	starts September 28 th
That Fit Girl	FIRST & THIRD THURSDAY, starts October 1 st
Flag Football	starts September 29 th
Cultural Club	Monday, starting September 28 th , then 2 nd Monday of the month
Math Club	starts September 29 th , 7:30 am - 8:15 am

Students of the Week

Emma Kennedy
Kaylee Bennett
Howard Wong
Owen Bennetz
Elizabeth Dudzinski
Ritik Saini
Wenxi Ye
Nick Onufrak
Gerado PerezLopez
Esha Bhatti
Erin Phillips

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Message from Administration

We want to thank the PTA for organizing the Sixth grade Ice Breaker yesterday. Everyone had a great time and enjoyed the activities and making new friends. A great way to end the week!

The date for Interim report cards has been changed. They will be coming home Wednesday, October 7.

Again, please remember our policy regarding riding someone else's bus. This is for emergencies only, and we need letters from each family brought to us first thing in the morning.

Enjoy the weekend—look out for the “super moon” and lunar eclipse.

G/T Information:

Interested parents and community members are invited to attend...**The Howard County Gifted and Talented (G/T) Education Program Parent Academy**, Thursday, October 22, 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm.

Gifted and Talented Education Program Overview:

7:00 - 8:00 G/T Education Program — Auditorium. G/T Program staff members and students present a comprehensive overview of the G/T Program offerings at the elementary, middle, and high school levels.

8:05 - 8:30 Question and Answer Sessions:

Elementary G/T Program Offerings: Auditorium

Middle G/T Program Offerings: Classroom F124

High School G/T and AP Courses: Classroom F125

Learn about the advanced-level offerings that are available through the G/T Education Program and how your child can become involved! Howard High School, 8700 Old Annapolis Road, Ellicott City.

For more information, please email to hcpssgtac@gmail.com or Alyson_tommins@hcpss.org or call 410-313-6800.

9th Annual ADHD Awareness Evening

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The Howard County Public Schools (HCPSS) will be holding its **9th Annual ADHD Awareness Evening** on October 8, 2015 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. in the Centennial High School auditorium. Our guest speaker will be Dr. George McCloskey a professor in the Psychology Department at the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine. Dr. McCloskey's presentation "*Executive Functions and the Gap between Knowing and Doing*" will provide participants with information regarding executive functions and strategies to improve them. This event is free to the public and there is no registration required. For more information, please contact Sally Dorman at 410-313-1252 or e-mail sally_dorman@hcpss.org.

Coffee and Conversation with the Board of Education

The Board of Education of Howard County regularly holds Coffee and Conversation sessions at schools throughout the county. These meetings provide citizens with an opportunity to share a cup of coffee and chat informally with Board members. The meetings are held in various regions of the county; however, interested persons from throughout the county are invited to attend any or all of the meetings. The next meeting is:

Saturday, October 24, 2015, 9:30 - 11:00 am
Deep Run ES Cafeteria
6925 Old Waterloo Road, Elkridge

LimeFest is the New October Fest!

LimeFest 2015: Food. Friends. Fun! - Saturday, October 24th, 7:30-10:30 pm at the Columbia Gym, Clarksville, MD. Activities include: Laser Tag, Giant Hamster Balls, DJ, Dancing, Student Bands from *Tree House School of Rock*, Magic Demonstration, Games, Prizes, Boutique vendors, Ice Cream Sundae Bar, Crafts, Swimming (from 8:45-10:15pm – bring your swimsuit and a towel), Pizza and Chick Fil-A sandwiches (for purchase) and more (Exercise equipment will *NOT* be available). Rumor has it that this event was extremely fun in the past and promises to be an event you do not want to miss.

Tickets are: \$4.00 per person (\$5.00 at the door). Tickets will go on sale starting October 13th during all lunch periods. All students must be accompanied by an adult. Any questions please contact Sherri Tatum at statum1@verizon.net.

SEEKING VOLUNTEERS for **LimeFest 2015:** The Lime Kiln PTA is seeking volunteers to help make Lime Fest 2015 a success. We need volunteers to help

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with set-up, clean-up, ticket sales, serving food and games. The link to sign up will come out soon.

SEEKING BOUTIQUE VENDORS for LimeFest 2015: The Lime Kiln PTA is seeking vendors for a Boutique that will be part of the Lime Fest 2015 Event on October 24th. Parents and other PTA supporters will sell items such as crafts, jewelry, clothing and artwork. Service providers may also participate, if they have on-the-spot services that can be delivered during the event. Cost is \$25/vendor. For more information, email Susan Ehrlich at Susan.Ehrlich@Grace.com.

RHS PTSA Community-wide Yard Sale!

Got stuff to sell? Planning on moving or just doing a fall clean-up? Been meaning to have a yard sale yourself? If you've answered YES, then we have your perfect opportunity. Reservoir PTSA is sponsoring a Community Yard Sale **Saturday, September 26**, in the Reservoir Parking Lot from 8 am to 1 pm. Space (3 parking spaces, one for your car two for your wares) to sell costs \$25. If you would like to rent a space go to:

http://reservoirptsa.wikispaces.com/file/view/PTSA_Yard_Sale_Gazette_advertise.pdf/556734061/PTSA_Yard_Sale_Gazette_advertise.pdf

Return the form and your check for \$25 to Reservoir PTSA via the Reservoir Front Office. Not into selling? Stop by and see what great finds are available from those who are selling. Food and beverages will be available for purchase!

Questions contact Christine Bulbul at cbulbul@verizon.net

Basketball:

Lime Kiln Leopards Middle School Basketball varsity and junior varsity teams will compete in the HCYP Middle School League this year. They will play 1-2 games and conduct 2 practices per week per team.

- Tryouts will be held on:
 - Monday, September 28th from 7-8:30 at Reservoir High School
 - Wednesday, September 30th from 7-8:30 at Reservoir High School

For information, please contact Dave at davidbehr@msn.com
Please note: This team, while solely comprised of LKMS students, is not sponsored or overseen by Lime Kiln Middle School or HCPSS. We are an

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independent Travel team, supported with gym time by WHC and under their insurance umbrella and sponsorship, playing in the HCYP Middle School travel league.

Who is HC DrugFree?

Upcoming Event - National Drug Take Back Day - September 26

HC DrugFree is partnering with the Howard County Police Department for National Drug Take Back Day on **Saturday, September 26 from 10 AM to 2 PM**. Clean out your medicine cabinets and bring your unwanted or expired prescription and over-the-counter medications to HC DrugFree's office in the Wilde Lake Village Center (this is the **only** location that will also be collecting needles, syringes and EpiPens for proper disposal). For a list of permanent medication collection boxes, please visit www.hcdrugfree.org and click on "Dispose of Meds" or call 443-325-0040.

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