



Lanesville Elementary Newsletter

August 19, 2022

<http://www.lanesville.k12.in.us>

Important information from the office will be sent via email through Harmony. If you have not logged on to your Harmony account to update your email or phone number information, please do so immediately. If you are having difficulty accessing your Harmony account, please contact the office.

<p>Dates to Remember:</p> <p>8/22 PTSO Meeting 6 pm - Cafeteria 8/22 Jr High Cross Country @ Silver Creek 5 pm (A) 8/22 Jr High Tennis vs E. Washington 5 pm (H) 8/24 Jr High Tennis vs S. Central 4:30 pm (H) 8/25 Jr High Cross Country @ N. Harrison 6 pm (A) 8/27 Jr High Cross Country @ St. John's 9:30 am (A) 8/31 Background Checks Due 9/5 Labor Day - No School 9/9 eLearning Day</p>	<p>ATTENDANCE 812-952-3000 EXT 100</p> <p>Please call the school office by 9:00 am if your child will be absent or late beyond 9:00 am. You can leave a voicemail with your name, the name of the student, and the reason for the absence.</p>
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Principal's Notes

Lanesville Elementary would like to thank the students and families for the great start to the school year! We are finishing up with NWEA testing this week, which students and teachers are excited about. As we move towards the end of the first month of a school, our athletics teams are starting their competitions. Please note the schedule in the Dates to Remember box.

We would like to remind everyone that family members should only be entering the building in the mornings if they need to speak with the office staff. If you have any questions, please contact the elementary office.

PTSO Meeting

There will be a PTSO meeting on Monday, August 22nd at 6:00 pm in the cafeteria. There has been a great deal of excitement about the PTSO starting up again this year. This is a great opportunity to be a part of an organization that has an incredibly positive effect on our students and staff and Lanesville. If you are interested, please plan on attending!

Background Checks

If you think you might be interested in volunteering at any point this year, you will need to have a completed background check on file. This form must be submitted by **Aug 31, 2022**. The forms can be found at <http://www.lanesville.k12.in.us/elementary/#forms>. Please read all the information carefully. Our background checks are a two-step process and we want to be sure everyone who wants to volunteer has the proper documentation on file.

Hollywood At Heritage

Hollywood At Heritage is presenting the movie Clifford The Big Red Dog on Friday, August 19th at the Heritage Grounds. This is a free event for families put on by the Heritage Committee. There will be an option to purchase food from Mama B's food truck. The movie will begin at dusk.

September 9th eLearning Day

We want to remind parents that on Friday, September 9th, Lanesville Community Schools will have an eLearning day. Students will not be in session at school, but will have assignments to complete at home. Those assignments will be posted online by their teachers. Teachers will be available at certain parts of the day to answer any questions.

Additional Educational Opportunities

Please see the attached link regarding Indiana University's Science Fest on October 22nd. This is an independent educational event sponsored and hosted by Indiana University. <https://sciencefest.indiana.edu/>

Counselor's Corner - Mrs. Steele

Hi Lanesville Families! Thank you all for your kindness and warm wishes as I have transitioned into this role at Lanesville Elementary. I have thoroughly enjoyed getting to know you and your children over the last few weeks. I look forward to our partnership together!

This week, I began guidance lessons in the classrooms. I met with kindergarten, first grade and second grade. We discussed the role of a school counselor and the many ways I can help students here at school! Ask your kids if they can tell you about the story they listened to in class!



Kindergarten: We read the book, "The Rabbit Listened" and discussed how Mrs. Steele is a lot like the rabbit in the story; listening to them and never leaving their side.

First/Second: We read the book, "Mrs. Joyce Gives The Best High Fives." This is a wonderful story that walks through every aspect of a school counselor's role and explains exactly how Mrs. Steele can help them here at school.

Next week, I will meet with third, fourth, fifth, and sixth graders to review the role of a counselor and begin talking about bullying.

Guidance lessons will take place in each classroom, every two weeks. We will work on various life/social skills throughout the year- bullying, safety, empathy, conflict resolution, college/career awareness, among many more. Please feel free to reach out to me with any questions or concerns about your child. I have already been working with several of you and look forward to helping your child be the best learner they can be!

Happy Friday! Have a fun & safe weekend!