



# Lanesville Elementary Newsletter

September 30, 2022

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<b>Dates to Remember:</b> 10/3 Fall Break Begins 10/17 School Resumes 10/18 School Board Meeting 5:30 pm 10/19 Reach for the Stars Due Date 10/19 50th Day of School 10/25 Picture Retakes	<b>ATTENDANCE 812-952-3000 EXT 100</b> 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.
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## Soaring Eagles - Week of September 26th - 30

This week's Soaring Eagles are Willa Hutson, Griffin Schneider, Thomas Bube, Shawn Horrel Ramirez, and Tristen Horrel Ramirez. Congratulations, everyone!

### Student of the Month

Starting in September, teachers will be nominating one person from their class (each month) for Student of the Month! Families will be notified by teachers and certificates will be sent home to celebrate this honor. On the last Friday of the month, they will be invited to the office to have donuts with Mrs. Steele and Mr. Smitley to celebrate. September Students of the Month are Adelaide Hoehn, Colten Cotten, Ayla Hickerson, Lawson Stewart, Shelby Horrell Ramirez, Caroline McAfee, Reagan Bube, Russell Lind, Bentley Ferris, Maddox Becht, Kinzie Elliot, Avery Ripperdan, Annaliese Doster, Gabe Romeo, Mason Spencer, Dayton Hodges, and Dalton Allen. Congratulations!

### Intersession/Fall Break

Fall break will be October 3rd through October 14th. Intersession will be the first week of fall break, October 3rd through the 7th.

### 50th Day of School - 50's Day

October 19th will be the 50th day of school. We like to celebrate by having a day with the theme of the 1950s. Students are encouraged to dress up in outfits that we might have seen during that decade. Teachers will be setting up some displays with items from that time period, as well. This is a great way to celebrate the 50th day of school and present all students at Lanesville with a history lesson!

### 5th & 6th Boys Basketball

Basketball tryouts for 5th & 6th grade boys will be October 17th - 20th. Those trying out need to have a physical on file. Physical forms are available in the high school or on our website at

<http://www.lanesville.k12.in.us/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Physical-Form.pdf>.

### Reach for the Stars

We are in full swing with Reach For the Stars. Encourage your student to read the next few weeks and note their reading time on their reading log or a piece of notepaper. We have an online pledge form this year, if you wish to ask family members not close to contribute to the Reach For The Stars fundraiser. Pledges can be made in cash, checks payable to Lanesville Elementary School or online here: [tinyurl.com/RFTSonline-LES22](http://tinyurl.com/RFTSonline-LES22)

Both the reading and pledge money are due back at school by Wednesday, Oct. 19. Those students who return pledge money will select their free Usborne Books at school Oct 24, 25, & 26 in the library. Students will receive 80% of their pledge money back in free Usborne Books. We are honoring the class with the most pledge money & reading minutes per student with a popcorn movie party. Those students who bring in \$100 in pledge money AND a reading log with at least 300 reading minutes will be invited to an ice cream party hosted by Culver's here at school on Monday, Nov. 21 at 1:30pm This is a wonderful reading program which also supports Lanesville Elementary. Thank you in advance for your support. If you have any questions on this program please contact Ms. Beckort.

## **Mrs. Steele's Counselor's Corner**

Happy Friday LES Families!

I cannot believe that the first 9 weeks are already over! I have enjoyed getting to know all of your kiddos! They have worked hard and learned many new skills.

K & First: This week, Kindergarten and First Grade both began learning about feelings, using the "Little Spot" curriculum. We learned the feelings song and introduced "Scribble Spot" who is tangled with all of his emotions and needed help separating them out. Many of the kids could relate to feeling "tangled with emotions," which was a great discussion. As we move through this unit, we will explore each emotion individually!

Second: Our second graders dove into problem solving and differentiated between small problems (that they can solve on their own) and big problems (that need help from a grown up). After they were able to correctly identify the small problems, we practiced solving them using "I-messages." I messages always sound like "I feel \_\_ when \_\_\_\_\_. Can you please \_\_\_?" See if your kiddo can practice their I-messages with you!

Also, this week, we celebrated College Go Week! Each morning, students had an opportunity to answer college trivia questions for prizes! Congratulations to the following classes for winning: Mr. Barnicke, Ms. Peterson, Mr. Melhiser, and Ms. Uessler! To end out the week, students won "college swag" during Fun Family Friday!

Have a safe & wonderful break!

