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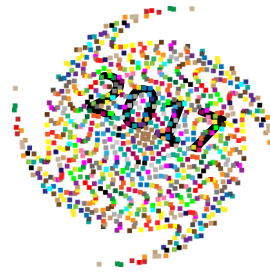
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 1030 Fourth Street
 P.O. Box 919

Lomira, WI 53048

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 422 Milwaukee Street
 P.O. Box 157

JANUARY

FEBRUARY



Dear Families,

Happy New Year to you all! I hope all families had an enjoyable holiday break. It is so nice to have time to reflect, relax and have fun together during the holidays.

The staff has also had time to refresh and prepare for instruction in 2017. Our school goal is to increase our reading scores this school year. The students will be able to show their growth in reading achievement in the coming months. All students K-5 will be given a reading benchmark assessment to evaluate their reading ability. This information helps teachers to set reading goals for your child so they can continue to learn and grow no matter what level they are at. In addition, grades 1-5 will be taking the NWEA computerized test. This test will give teachers even more information on your child and will help to determine the next steps that need to be taken in their learning. All kindergarteners will be doing another assessment called the PALS. This assessment is given orally to students in the younger grades to determine their next steps in their learning. The teachers will analyze ALL of this data and report it to you at the upcoming February conference time.


The end of the second trimester is March 3. Therefore, the next report card will be sent home on March 10. You will receive an update on your child's progress in February at conferences and again in March with the report card. The trimester grading at the elementary level has allowed teachers the opportunity to provide meaningful assessment time frames so they can meet the needs of your child efficiently and effectively.

Little Lions Extended Care Program is now available for families on non-school days. If you are interested in care on half days or full days off, please contact myself or Tami Vodak for details. There is no registration fee to make it flexible for families.

As always, if you ever have any concerns or questions, please let me know.

Stay warm and take care,

Sandy Schaefer

 SCHOOL CALENDAR Upcoming Events	
JANUARY 3	CLASSES RESUME
JANUARY 6	PBIS ASSEMBLIES 8:15 LES 12:30 TLC
JANUARY 13	EARLY DISMISSAL 12:30
JANUARY 16	LES PTC MEETING 6:00
JANUARY 20	PBIS ASSEMBLIES 8:15 LES 12:30 TLC 4K REPORT CARDS GO HOME
JANUARY 28	LES/TLC PTC FREE SWIM EVENT AT TAG 5:00-7:00
FEBRUARY 3	PBIS ASSEMBLIES 8:15 LES 12:30 TLC
FEBRUARY 13	NO SCHOOL 1:00-7:00 CONFERENCES
FEBRUARY 14	NO SCHOOL 4:00-6:30 CONFERENCES
FEBRUARY 17	FANG ASSEMBLY PBIS ASSEMBLIES 9:00 LES 10:00 TLC
FEBRUARY 20	LES PTC MEETING 6:00
FEBRUARY 23	4K/5K REGISTRATION FOR 2017-2018 (NEW 5K STUDENTS)
MARCH 2	DR. SEUSS DAY
MARCH 3	12:30 DISMISSAL
MARCH 10	5K-5 REPORT CARDS GO HOME
MARCH 17	12:30 DISMISSAL
APRIL 10-14	SPRING BREAK

TLC PARENT INFORMATION

The 7:55 a.m. drop off and 3:00 p.m. pick up buses will be parked at the south doors (gym/cafeteria area) of our building. **ONLY** bus students are to be using the south doors. Parents **MUST** use the north doors by the school office. **There is NO PARKING along the curb it's only for parents dropping off or picking up students on the north end.** Thank you for cooperating to ensure the safety of our students.

COLD WEATHER INFORMATION

Children should come to school prepared for the changing weather. Outdoor recess is held unless the temperature or wind chill is below zero.

*Please remind your children to not share their hats and coats for sanitary reasons.

2017-2018 OPEN ENROLLMENT

Beginning at midnight on Monday, February 6, through, and ending at 4:00 p.m. on Friday, April 28th. Parents must submit applications online or directly to the nonresident school district. For more information contact Cari at 269-4396 ext. 107. Online applications are available <https://apps4.dpi.wi.gov/Opal2012>. It is recommended that you submit your application as early as possible during the application period. Late applications will **NOT** be accepted for any reason. If you miss the deadline, you are still able to apply through the Alternative Open Enrollment Application Process which begins July 1, 2017. Brochures are available with Cari at the administrative office or Tami at the TLC office.

LET'S FIGHT THE FLU TOGETHER!

Your decision to get the flu shot or not goes well beyond you. It also affects the many lives you touch... Influenza is a contagious disease of the respiratory tract (nose, throat, and lungs) that can lead to serious complications, including pneumonia and the worsening of other chronic health conditions. Flu symptoms may include fever, headache, extreme tiredness, dry cough, sore throat, runny or stuffy nose, and muscle aches. The best way to protect your family from new influenza strains is to get vaccinated each year.

The top five most virus-contaminated areas in the home are:

- Telephones (have you cleaned your cell phone lately)
- Appliances such as the refrigerator and microwave
- Faucets
- Light switch and door handles
- TV remotes

Follow good health guidelines: eat right, exercise, and get plenty of rest to help boost your immunity to fight the effects of colds and flu. Wash hands frequently, do the elbow cough, and disinfect hot spots at school, work, and home. Treat the symptoms if you must, but avoid giving aspirin to children because it may cause a rare but serious illness called Reye syndrome

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School District of Lomira **4 and 5 YEAR OLD KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION**

February 23, 2017

Theresa Learning Community ~ Media
Center

12:30 - 5:30 p.m.

For registration papers and information
please call

Tami Vodak at 920-488-2181 ext. 500.

Your child must be 5 years old for
5-Kindergarten
and 4 years old for 4-Kindergarten by
September 1, 2017

****Children currently enrolled in our
4K program do not need to register
for kindergarten.**



Little Lions Daycare is available for all district families please call Sandy Schaefer or Tami Vodak. 269-4396 EXT. 106 or 500.