Principal & Vice-Principal’s Message

Kindergarten Grad Ceremony
Once again this year our kindergarten students will celebrate the completion of their school year by attending a Kindergarten Grad Ceremony! This year our ceremony will take place at Carpenter High School on Wednesday, May 22nd at 1:15 p.m.

May Café
LES will be hosting our fifth annual May Café at Carpenter High School on Wednesday, May 29th at 6:30 p.m. A letter was sent home to those students who were interested in showcasing a talent. In order to prepare for their performances, students are asked to practice what they want to showcase with their parents. We will also provide extra practice time at lunch and after school as needed. Please join us for a fun-filled evening of great entertainment! You don’t want to miss out!!

Attendance Matters
When students improve their attendance rates, they improve their academic prospects and chances for graduating. Kids who are able to improve their attendance, show improvement in self-esteem and develop a more positive attitude towards school and learning.

Congratulations to our April Attendance Winners:

All students will enjoy a SUNDAE Party on Friday, May 31st during lunch time. Again, thanks to our SCC for supporting this initiative!
Celebrate Screen Free Week - April 29-May 5, 2019

On April 29 - May 5 children, families, and communities around the world will rediscover the joys of life beyond the screen. Unplug from digital entertainment and spend your free time playing, reading, daydreaming, creating, exploring, and connecting with family and friends. (except for work and school assignments)

Many parents are concerned about the amount of time their children spend with screens. And with good reason! Research shows that screen time gets in the way of activities known to be good for young children, like playing creatively and interacting with caring grownups. And kids who spend less time with screens fall asleep faster, sleep longer, eat healthier, and get more exercise.

TIPS:

- Turn your living room into a place for family interaction and play by arranging the furniture so the TV is not the focus of the room.

- Create a morning routine that doesn’t involve screens

- Make meals a time for your family to talk about the day without distraction from TV, smartphones, and other screens

- Provide easy play options, like sensory play—which gives children the chance to explore using their sight, touch, and other senses—to engage kids while you get things done around the house.

- Make memories by planning outdoor activities that the whole family can enjoy together.

- Make activity kits using supplies you already have to keep children busy during transitions (the time between one activity and the next) and other tricky times of the day.

- Take a break from your smartphone and other screens during periods of the day to give your child your uninterrupted attention.
SCC Meeting
Our next SCC meeting is Tuesday, May 7th at 7:00 p.m. at Lakeview School. Please join us if you can.

Mom’s Morning
In appreciation to all of our Moms, we are once again holding Mom’s Morning on Friday, May 10th at 8:30 a.m. Please join us in the gym for coffee and a breakfast snack. Happy Mother’s Day!!

Canadian Parents for French (CPF)
Our next CPF meeting is on Sunday, May 26th, 4:00 p.m. Please contact a member for specific meeting location.
Email: cpfmeadowlake@gmail.com
Website: sk.cpf.ca

Awards Assembly
On Friday, May 24th at 12:45 p.m. our Grade 1 students will be performing at our awards assembly.

NO School
There is no school on Monday, May 20th.

Hot lunch
This month we will be serving pizza on Friday, May 24th. Order forms will be sent home closer to the date. Remember you can order online too!

Spirit Day- Sunglasses Day
Friday, May 31st is our “Sunglasses” spirit day. Come to school with your favorite sunglasses on!

Elder Visit
Elder Judy Bear will be visiting the school from May 22nd-24th. We are looking forward to Judy sharing her knowledge and understandings with the students and staff.

Community Pitch-In Week
The City of Meadow Lake has invited all schools to pitch-in and help clean up our city during the week of May 27th– May 31st. The city will be supplying all materials needed to complete the clean up. Lakeview will be participating on May 29th and will be cleaning the area close to our school, down 3rd Avenue East, to the rink then around the block and back, as well as our own school yard.

Attendance Goal
Last month our attendance was 92%! Way to go Lakeview!! Let’s see if we can increase this to 94%!

After School Programs
Our after school program is only available from Monday to Thursday from 3:30-4:30 p.m. Students in K - Grade 2 have after school programs on Monday and Tuesday. Grade 3 & 4 have after school programs on Wednesday and Thursday.

There will be NO After School Program available during the last TWO weeks of June. Thanks for your understanding.

Grade 4 Students transitioning to Jonas Samson Middle School
Mr. Snodgrass will be here on May 21st to meet our amazing grade 4 students. Students will then tour Jonas and meet all grade 5 teachers on June 6th. A parent meeting will also be held on June 6th at 6:30 at Jonas Samson. Together we are working hard to ensure a smooth transition occurs.

Morning Supervision
Our morning playground supervision starts at 8:35 a.m. Students are welcome to come to school anytime after 8:35 a.m.
**MAY 2019**

**After School Programs: 3:30-4:30pm**
- Monday/Tuesday: Grades K-2
- Wednesday/Thursday: Grades 3-4

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