LITCHVILLE-MARION ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

VIBRANT, HIGH ACHIEVING AND HERE TO STAY!

IN THIS ISSUE

NEEDED – Mrs. Pfaff is requesting the LARGE, round oatmeal cereal containers. (42 oz size). Drop off in the school office.

Annual Spring Immunizations for 6th graders – Feb 9th after lunch. The final day for updating is in April. Letters have been sent home with students.

Loboe Youth to Perform! – We have six students from our school who will be playing games during Loboe Home Varsity games halftime. The students are Addison Smith, Henry Lettenmaier, Lexie Lange, Wyatt Pfaff, Georgia Lettenmaier and Brayden Karlgaard.

SCHEDULE:
Gr 1 & 2 – Jan 28th during Oakes game
Gr 1 & 2 – Feb 8 during Maple Valley Game
Gr 3 & 4 – Feb 2 during Oakes game
Gr 3 & 4 – Feb 11 during MPB game

Ball Game Scores – I will have a list of the scores in next week’s newsletter. I ran out of time today.

A LETTER FROM THE OFFICE OF MR. LARSON IS BEING SENT HOME WITH EACH STUDENT TODAY. PLEASE ASK TO SEE IT. Thank you.

News for you! By Liz Fick, Newsletter Editor

Cyberbullying
Mary Sundby from DRN came and spoke to students about the internet and also phone etiquette. Below she has a slide presentation to 4th graders.

Basketball Scores
Boys basketball – Barnes Co. Tourney – LLM placed 4th losing to Maple Valley, 46-43. Drew Thielges was named to the All-Tourney Team
Jan 19 - LLM 66 vs Midkota 28

Girls basketball
Jan 18 – LLM 67 vs Milnor/N.Sargent 40
Jan 19 – LLM 59 vs Midkota 30

Wrestling – WATCH the Tri-Meet on January 21st is to be televised on BEK tonight. Channel 7 or 95 I think are the BEK stations. Teams are LLM, EEK (Edgeley-Ellendale-Kulm) and Lisbon.

Cub Scout – Next Cub Scout meeting is tomorrow, Jan 29th. February's meeting is the 26th. Mark it down!

DRN reminds everyone to enter their phone number to the DO NOT CALL Registry. You can go online to www.donotcall.gov or call 1-888-382-1222.

Kindergarten students each received a blue stocking cap. Below is Tavin Latt in his hat.

These young ladies are participating in the volleyball program put on by Mrs. Dakotah Lee. In back is Amberly Beyer (3), Kierra Christoferson (6), Elli Peddycord-Contreras (5), Grace Rittenman (3), Asya Kostecky (3); front: Emily Mehlhoff (4), Josie Lange (4), Izzy Miller (4), and Georgia Lettenmaier (4). The program ends the last week in February.

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Coming up this week!

Thurs, Jan 28 – JH BBB at Sargent Central 4:30
   GBB vs Oakes (H) 4:30 – three games!
   WR Tri-Meet, Napoleon 5p – BEK TV
Fri, Jan 29 – Cub Scout Meeting
   BBB at Carrington 6p
   New Salem Wrestling Tournament
Sat, Jan 30 – JH BBB Tourney, Lisbon
   BBB vs Enderlin (H) 6p
Mon, Feb 1 – JH BBB at Kulm 4:30
   GBB at Sargent Central 6:00p
Tues, Feb 2 – BOOKMOBILE!
   BBB vs Oakes (H) 6p
Wed, Feb 3 – Tech Committee Mtg, Marion 3:30
   AWANA Good Samaritans
Thurs, Feb 4 – JH BBB at BCN 4:30; BBB at BCN 6p
Fri, Feb 5 WEAR RED – Natl Women’s Healthy Heart Day!
   JH Vs Ellendale (H-Marion) 5p
   GBB at S. Border (Wishek) 6p
   WR New Salem Tourney
Sat, Feb 6 – WR @ Kindred Regional Dual TBA

Litchville-Marion Dollars for Scholars is hosting a BINGO, BASKET AND BAKED POTATO BAR FUNDRAISER

Friday, Feb 19th
LMHS, Marion
5:00 pm to 8:00 PM
Serving will start at 5 pm and bingo at 6 pm.

EASTER EGG HUNT

There will be an EASTER EGG HUNT on Saturday, March 19th. The Litchville Cub Scout Pack 518 is hosting!

Donations are appreciated and any organizations, businesses, or individuals that would like to have an activity booth (such as crafts, egg dying, face painting, a game, etc., are WELCOME!

Items needed from YOU:

- Small candy/prizes for inside of eggs
- Plastic eggs
- Easter baskets for winners

Contact Amy Shape to help or donate. Call her at 762-4268 or 840-7269.
Who are YOU?

Jesse Peddycord-Contreras is a second grader at LMES. He lives with his parents, Jesus and Kathrin, in Litchville. He has three sisters, Elli, Pia and Lila.

Jesse, or JJ, wants to be a fireman when he grows up. Something he doesn’t understand about grownups are the hard words they say. If he had to give all his toys away and keep just one, he would choose his NERF gun.

The best day of the week to Jesse is Saturday, so you can play games.

Five words Jesse chose to describe himself is smart, good, very nice, funny and strong.

Terri Velure is our second grade teacher at LMES. She is married to Todd and lives northeast of Litchville. She has two daughters, Tiffani and Tierra.

After graduating from Marion High School, Mrs. Velure worked in the business world for a few years and found it wasn’t what she wanted so she went back to college to pursue and receive her Bachelor’s Degree in Elementary Education from VCSU.

Terri worked during high school at Grand Rapids Park and on her parent’s farm (Don and Eileen Sailer). She also worked during college in the Financial Aid Office.

Mrs. Velure has been teaching for 26 years. She started out at Sargent Central in Forman, ND, then taught for the Litchville School District one year until Litchville and Marion merged. She has been here ever since!
If she could do anything differently she said it would have been to pursue her education degree sooner.

A funny memory she has is when she wasn't looking where she was going and tripped. She fell into her classroom's garbage can! Her second graders didn't laugh; they were more concerned that she was okay.

Mrs. Velure said no one has given her direct advice on caring, but she shares, “I have really learned through the years that caring and understanding are really important! I have found that if a person truly cares about the students that he/she will have a more positive understanding that each child has a certain charm of their own. If you show you are, I feel students will work more positively with you.”

Next second grader, is Lexie Lange! Lexie is the daughter of Rick and Teva Lange of Ypsilanti. She has an older sister, Josie.

Lexie wants to grow up to be a veterinarian. Something she doesn’t understand about grownups is “that they go to sleep.” If she had to give one toy away and keep one, she would keep her stuffed dog, Early. The best day of the week for Lexie is, “Friday; it is close to the weekend.”

Five words that Lexie says describes here is: happy, hyper, creative, excited and organized.

Jake Lausche is in second grade at LMES. He and his parents, Dale and Angela, and his little brother, Hudson, live south of Kathryn.

Jake wants to grow up to be a farmer and a hunter.

Something he doesn’t understand about grownups is for their bedtime to be the same as his.

If Jake had to give all his toys away and keep just one, he would choose his John Deere Pay loader.

The best day of the week according to Jake is Friday. “Because the next day is the weekend.