

Family Newsletter



This weekly publication is designed to keep you informed on upcoming events and important reminders.

Important Dates

Wednesday, February 1 & Thursday, February 2: MCAS Biology Retest
Friday, February 3: 100th Day of School & Blue/Green Spirit Day - Wear your shirt!
Friday, February 3: Early Release, 11:00 AM - Parent/Teacher Conferences
Monday, February 6: No School - Parent/Teacher Conferences
Friday, February 10: Middle School Bingo/Pizza Party 2:45-4:30 PM; High School Dance, 7:00-9:00 PM
Tuesday, February 14: All School Red Day
Thursday, February 20 - Friday, February 24 : February Vacation
Monday, February 27: No School - Professional Development Day
Friday, March 3: Blue/Green Spirit Day - Wear your shirt!
Thursday, March 16: Partners in Education (PIE) meeting, 9:00 AM virtual

Friday, March 17: Early Release, 11:00 AM - All School Green Day

Announcements & Reminders

>>> <u>Weekly Lunch Menu</u> <<<

Thinking Map Parent Training

Have your students been coming home with amazing maps? Do you want to learn more about Thinking Maps and why they work so well? If so, <u>sign up for our Parent</u> <u>Thinking Map Training</u> on Tuesday, February 7th at 6:30 pm on Zoom.

Please complete the above Google Form if you would like to attend and we will send you an email invite about a week before the event.

We are looking forward to seeing you there!

Marla, Dana and Cheryl LPS Thinking Maps Team

High School Yearbook

Sales for the 2022-23 HS Yearbook are officially open! Scan the code below or visit jostenyearbooks.com to order now!

Moments captured. Memories made. It's all in the yearbook.



Parent/Teacher Conferences next week

On **Friday, February 3 & Monday, February 6** we are hosting virtual Parent/Teacher conferences. Please check your email for important information on how to sign up for conferences. <u>You can also find the information here.</u>

See you then!

Grade Level Parent Representatives

Grade representatives for the 2022-23 school year are:

12th grade - Stacey Suckerman
11th grade - Laurel Hollinden
10th grade - still looking
9th grade - Meredith Lopez
8th grade - Christina Chatalian
7th grade - Katherine Munz
6th grade - Lauren Timmons
5th grade - Amy Domow/Christie Ward

Carpooling

Interested in carpooling? Please complete this form if your family is interested in connecting with other families in your area:

https://forms.gle/NdP6DDbYmjYjPpMZ9

For questions, please contact Dawn Hurley at dhurley@learningprep.org.

Upcoming MCAS Dates

MCAS testing will occur during the following months:

February: Biology Retests March: ELA and Math Retests, Grade 10 ELA April: Grades 4-8 ELA and Grades 4-6 Math May: Grade 7 & 8 Math, Grades 5 & 8 Science, Grade 10 Math June: Grade 9 Biology

2022-2023 School Year Calendar

The full 2022-2023

Get Involved

Thank you to all those who attended last week's

Family Directory

Is available via DIRECTORYSPOT. To School Year Calendar is available here.

Know someone who would benefit from

LPS?

If you know someone

who may be looking for

a place like LPS, please

Information Sessions -

encourage them to reach out to Korina Martin, Director of Admissions

encourage them to

attend one of our weekly, Virtual

Partners in Education (PIE) meeting. <u>You can</u> review the minutes here.

The next meeting is a Parent Advisory Group (PAG) meeting, which will be on:

Thursday, February 16 9:00-10:00 AM

To join, <u>click here</u> for the zoom link or go to:

https://us02web.zoom.us/ j/89453990390

Please <u>click here</u> for the minutes from the last PAG meeting.

School Store

Here's a great way to show your Panther Pride!

Check out <u>The School</u> <u>Store</u> today!



Parent Facebook Group

To foster connections among our current LPS families we have created a private Facebook group just for you called:

LPS Panther Parents & Families Group

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