

Cristhel Martinez-Suarez: PTO Chairperson Erin Burton, Secretary Carolina DeBrigard, PTO Treasurer Joanna Garnett Raeppold, Head Class Rep Doreen Demyen, Head of Events

Class Rep Update- Joanna Raeppold , upcoming holiday gift collection will be happening soon, and you can expect more information about that in the coming weeks.

Dates to Remember - Cristhel Martinez-Suarez

- -Nov 13- ONLY 8th Grade Picture Day
- -Nov 14th- Virtual Open House at 11:00am
- -Nov 19th- Board Meeting at 6:30pm
- -Nov 20th Thanksgiving Wave Parade
- -Nov 24th- Thanksgiving Sing-A-Long 6:30pm
- -Nov 25th Half Day -Nov 26th and 27th- No School
- -Next PTO Meeting will be December 10th

Jenn Hughes- Annual Appeal starting sometime the week of November 16th all new and increased donations will be matched by Palooza sponsors, All families wil get a new LCCS magnet in the mail, Square 1 Art (Due December 1) Meadow Farms Catalog(Due Nov 18th)

Mr. Hogan Announcements

On Wednesday, November 25th school will end at 12:58 at the end of the synchronous part of the day since it's the day before Thanksgiving.

Nurse Monya LCCS nurses have a lot of extra paperwork. If we were to reopen they would need to have all the documentation of medical care for each student and of immunization records. Required to still send the documentation to the state. It's important to keep taking your child to the doctor to have eye exams, hearing exams and dental check-ups. The flu shot is very encouraged this year. Nurse Monya has free Covid testing information. You are still required to report Covid cases to the school, charged by the state with the tracking of the illness for outbreaks.

HOT TOPICS:

LCCS Board- Board Member- Marisa Gerke

Seeking one new board member (3 year term) Anyone who is planning to be in the school for the next 3 years and has a background in finance, policy etc. There are several committees that focus on various topics that board members participate in.

Zoom Q&A with board members for interested candidates at 6:30pm on Sunday, November 15th for those who would be interested. Nov 20th- Candidate statements are due and on Nov 30-Dec 4th-Voting will take place. All Board meeting Minutes and Agenda are on the LCCS Website: http://lccsnj.org/about_lccs/meet_our_board_of_trustees

Social Justice Act- Ms. Turnpaugh (3rd grade teacher) and Ms. Henderson (Kindergarten teacher) They are providing equity to students and teach and evaluate curriculum for teaching social justice. Researching and maintaining representation in the community. They are asking for parent involvement in cultural programs throughout the year. Provide more cultural celebrations like the Thanksgiving sing a long that celebrate art, music, food. What cultures do you want to see celebrated? Email Ms. Turnpaugh to talk about the program or sign up to be part of the zturnpaugh@lccsnj.org

Wellnness- Ms. Rosa, PreK teacher has a background in wellness and certified in yoga. She's sharing materials that we can use to take care of ourselves as parents and how to include your families. You can email Ms. Rosa if you want more tips.

Honor Roll- Ms. Rexer, Celebrated High Honor Roll and Honor Roll Students in the Circle Meeting all Honor Roll students will be celebrated.

Wave Parade- Next Friday, November 20th, Thanksgiving Wave Parade, all High Honor Roll students will get a donut and certificate.

Clubs- There will be clubs starting the week before Thanksgiving and after the Thanksgiving break for all grades. More information to come.