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September 6, 2017

LOOKING AHEAD

September 18 - Parent Teacher Conferences - No School

September 29 - Picture Day

October 6 - El Camino de Forest Glen

October 9 - 13 - Fall Break - No School

Principal's Corner

I cannot believe that midterm for quarter one is here already. Our year is off to a GREAT start, and we so appreciate all of the help and support you offer your children and the Forest Glen staff. If you ever have questions or concerns, please contact your child's teacher... We are a team and must work together to ensure each child's success.

Parents/Guests wanting to join their students for lunch, need to call the office at 964-4900 between 8:30 and 9:30am to make reservations. Space is limited for guests due to our large enrollment. Parents/Guests can eat lunch with their own student at one of the designated tables in the cafeteria or in the courtyard, weather permitting. For safety and security reasons, classmates cannot join you and your student. Due to Federal Health Guidelines, restaurant meals (i.e. McDonald's, Subway, Panera, etc.) should not be brought in. We appreciate your cooperation.

Please join us on September 7 for Chocolate Con Churros with the Principal. This is an important event for parents to learn about the vision of the school and direction we are headed as we collaborate together this year. Child Care for students will be provided if needed. The meeting will take place in the school cafeteria from 6:30 – 8:00pm. I hope to see you all there.

Please mark your calendars now for Parent-Teacher Conferences, which are Monday, September 18.

(Principal's Corner cont'd)

El Camino de Forest Glen will take place on October 6 this year. It is one way you can support our teachers and school to better serve your student. We appreciate your donation very much.

Forest Glen is a FABULOUS school, and I am so honored to be able to serve as your principal. Thank you for entrusting us to educate your child. I invite you to work with us hand in hand as a team to provide the best educational experience for your child. I'm confident that by working together everything is possible and there is no limit to what we can achieve.

Jerome Omar Lahlou

From the Desk of your AP:

Parents and Families,
During the month of September, we will be focusing on the Lifeskill of Responsibility. We will be talking about how it looks, feels and sounds to be responsible. Please encourage this skill at home with household chores and homework.

Also, we are excited to once again participate in "National Dot Day" on September 15th. This is a day to celebrate creativity, courage, confidence, and collaboration. It is based on the story of Peter H. Reynolds' book The Dot. Please look around your house and see what your child might be able to wear that has some dots on it. Of course you'll see Sra. Garcia all dressed up for this special day. We thank her for the beautiful artwork that is around the school to promote Dot Day.

Jane Ann Giles



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Notes from the Nurse

September is Immunization Compliance Month in the clinic!

Students in Kindergarten & all other grades are required to have the following vaccinations in order to be admitted into Forest Glen Elementary School:

- 5 Dtap (Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis)
- 4 IPV/OPV (Polio)
- 3 Hepatitis B
- 2 MMR (Measles, Mumps, Rubella)
- 2 Varicella (Chicken Pox)

2 Hepatitis A vaccinations

6th grade students are required to also have the Tdap (Tetanus) and MCV (Meningococcal) vaccinations.

New students to the district and/or school must turn in a copy of his/her vaccination records to the clinic. Parents choosing to not vaccinate their children must request a religious or medical exemption form. Students who are not appropriately vaccinated will be excluded from school beginning Friday, October 6th. If you have any questions about vaccinations, please call me or email me!

Nurse Ciara

Café Comments

Please remember to check your child's lunch account and pay off any balance you may owe.

All temporary free/reduced student accounts will expire on September 14th at 12:01 a.m. If you have not already done so, please fill out a new free/reduced application online at paypams.com. This must be filled out every school year. If you are unsure, fill out another application and call your cafeteria or the Food Service office at the numbers below. Any balance acquired while waiting to be accepted is the full responsibility of the student's parent/guardian to pay. Please submit your application ASAP! Anyone can fill out an application to see if they qualify! Please call either number for more information or questions/concerns.

Thanks so much!

Taylor Hamilton

Forest Glen Café Manager 317-964-4978.

Food Service office 317-423-8283

Book Fees

The Curriculum Resources and Material Fees statements will be mailed home the second week of September. Please send your payment, in the envelope provided, to the office before October 6th. You may contact our Treasurer, Taty Alatorre (964-4900), with any questions.

District News

An Evening With Dr. Smith

The first of our Parent Engagement Series, An Evening With Dr. Smith, will be Thursday, September 14 at 6:30 pm in the Lawrence North School Little Theater, 7802 Hague Road. Come meet Dr. Smith, Superintendent of Schools, and learn where we are and where we are going as the district of destination.

Indy Do Day

On Friday, September 29, the Lawrence Township School Foundation is coordinating a service day around our schools. Volunteers will be doing various grounds keeping projects to help maintain the curb appeal of our schools. To sign up to help, visit the Foundation website at <https://msdltf.org/> or call the Foundation office at 317-423-8300.

Bridge Fund "The Bob" Golf Outing

his annual golf outing in memory of Dr. McCune will be held on **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2017** at Pebble Brook Golf Course, 3110 Westfield Road, Noblesville. Proceeds of this outing benefit LT students. To register, visit the Foundation website at <https://msdltf.org/> or call the Foundation office at 317-423-8300.

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