

# Leon Springs - May and June Newsletter 2018

## From the Principal

LSE Families and Friends, As we enter the last month of the school year, I want to thank you for a great and beautiful experience this year. I can't thank everyone enough for your endless hours of support— both at home and at school. A special thank you to our incredible PTA, as they always do an amazing job of supporting our students!! I am so lucky to work side by side with a passionate and devoted staff. We have an amazing staff that puts in countless hours of work-- all for our students! Truly, everything we do for LSE is based on doing what is best for kids, and we take a lot of pride in that. As I always say, at the end of the day, it will always be about the people—our students, our staff, our parents, and our community! Join us on May 22nd for a fun and engaging way to celebrate the year we have had! You will also have an opportunity learn ways to enhance your students' summer learning! Let's finish strong, LSE!!

Sincerely,

Gracie M Espinoza

## Important Dates

The 5th Grade Promotion Ceremony will be Thursday, June 7 at 10am

2nd Grade Field Trip to Doseum— Wednesday, May 2

5th Grade Field Trip to Sea World— Thursday, May 3

Priceless People Lock In—Friday, May 4

Election Day— Saturday, May 5

Teacher Appreciation Week—May 7-11

Child Nutrition Employee Appreciation Week—May 7-11

Mom's Breakfast— Monday, May 7

PTA Meeting/Kinder & 5th Perform— Tuesday, May 8

National School Nurse Day—Wednesday, May 9

Deadline for Birthday Book Club—Friday, May 11

STAAR Pup Rally— 3rd/4th/5th—Friday, May 11

STAAR TEST— CAMPUS CLOSED May 14-16

Library Closed— Thursday, May 17

Last Day to get 100 AR points/Master Reader Card— Thursday, May 17

David's Law Anti CyberBullying Presentation at May ES— Monday, May 21

Talent Show — Tuesday, May 22

Year End Celebration—Tuesday, May 22

AR Store #4—Friday, June 1

GT Scholarly Showcase—Friday, June 1

## Celebrate with us

Visit your child's classroom and celebrate the learning they have achieved this year, enjoy a hot dog dinner provided by Watch Dogs & learn engaging ways to enhance summer learning! This will be Tuesday, May 22, 5:30 til 7:00 pm.

## PTA News

PTA meeting will take place on May 8. Dinner will take place at 5:30pm. The first grade performance to take place after.

LSE PTA's pilot grant program was a success. We were able to award over \$3,100 in grant money to our amazing teachers! Congratulations to the Spring 2018 LSE PTA Grant recipients:

Wendy Brake--Virtual Voyages & Virtual Reality

Blanca Castro--4th Grade Technology

Sami Gillette--Write On!

Courtney Klemcke--Rooted in Reading

Connie Landry--Snap Circuits

Sarah Morrow--Early Morning Engagement

Kali Offreda--Monday Morning Mandalas

## LOST and FOUND

Our Lost and Found is overflowing. Please take a moment to check for any items your students may have lost this school year. We also have a drawer of smaller lost items (ie. jewelry, glasses) in the office. Items not claimed by the end of the year will be donated. Thank you!

## Breakfast with Mom

Breakfast with Mom will take place on Monday, May 7 starting at 7:00 am.

Lines can get long, so some families opt to bring their own breakfast.

## Early Act Meeting

Final Early Act meeting will take place on Wednesday, May 23, 2018. It will be from 3:00 until 3:30 pm.

## LSE Library News

Read A-Thon Success

A great BIG thank you to all our Read-A-Thon Sponsors! Our students read, read, and read while raising money for our LSE library program. Our Longhorns read over 100,000 minutes in 14 days! Amazing!

## Important Library Dates

Tuesday 5/8

Extended Library Hours! Open 2:45-5:30 pm

Wednesday 5/9

Last Day to redeem Read-A-Thon online prizes

Friday 5/11

Future Longhorn Storytime at 8:00 am

Friday 5/11

Deadline to Join Birthday Book Club

Thursday 5/17

Last Day to get 100 Points for Master Reader Card

Friday 5/18

Birthday Book Club Party (during the school day)

Wednesday 5/23

Last Day to Checkout Books!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Thursday 5/24

ALL STUDENT & PARENT BOOKS DUE

Thursday 5/31

Last Day to take AR quizzes and earn AR star.

Friday 6/1

Last AR STORE! Monday 6/4 Library Crew EOY Party

## Make Some Waves

LSE's Summer Learning Kickoff! It's "SHORE" to be a Fun Night!!

Tuesday, May 22, 2018 \*\*This is a COME and GO affair\*-- Join us for what fits your schedule\*

5:30-6:00 "SWIM" by your child's classroom so they can showcase how they've been filling their bucket all year! Classrooms will open at 5:30 and close at 6:00.

6:00 Spread out your beach towel or lawn chair on the blacktop and enjoy a hotdog/chip dinner sponsored by our fabulous WATCH Dogs.

6:00-7:00 Time to "DIVE" in ... Visit grade level stations for ENGAGING and ESSENTIAL games and activities perfect for summer learning

## Leon Springs Talent Show

Leon Springs Talent Day 2018 will take place Tuesday, May 22nd during your child's Specials time.

Acts must be 2 minutes or less. For acts that use music (even as background), lyrics must be submitted to Miss Rojas for language and content approval. Students may do one solo act and be part of one group act., such as dancing, playing an instrument, gymnastics, cheer, singing, martial arts, jump rope tricks, etc. Parent/Guardian permission is required to perform. The deadline to register is Tuesday, May 8th, so start practicing! Fill out the Permission Form Online. You can also contact Miss Rojas with any questions at [Emanielli.Rojas-Caez@nisd.net](mailto:Emanielli.Rojas-Caez@nisd.net)

## Joust!

A Mighty Medieval Musical

The Longhorn Choir will be presenting their End of Year Musical, Joust! on Monday, June 4th at 6 p.m. and on Tuesday, June 5th at 8:30 a.m. in the LSE Cafeteria. Join us as we share a new take on the Legend of King Arthur and the Knights of the Round Table. It will be a Mighty Medieval Musical Time!