

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

December 2018

LABRAE INTERMEDIATE

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A Message from the Principal

It's hard to believe that December is already here. It seems like yesterday that we were making sure that the students were wearing the appropriate length shorts! Suddenly it seems, our concern has changed to making sure the students are dressed appropriately for colder temperatures. *Please be sure your child comes to school with hats, gloves and warm jackets, as they will need them both at the bus stop and at recess daily. If your child wears snow boots to school please send shoes for them to change into when they arrive at school.*

This year we will have a Santa's Secret Shop here at L.I.S. sponsored by our Boosters. It will take place December 3rd-7th. More information will follow.

Please be sure to read the 2nd page concerning the attendance law.

On behalf of the LaBrae Intermediate Staff, we would like to wish you a very Happy, Healthy and Safe Holiday Season!!!



Holiday Celebration

On Wednesday, December 21st, our students will be treated to a special progressive holiday party in their classrooms consisting of crafts, music & games.

Giving Tree

A Christmas Giving Tree will be placed in our front hallway. We are asking students to bring in new Pajamas (PJ's)/new toys to place under our giving tree. All donated items will go to needy students in our district. Thank you in advance for your generosity from our Student Council and everyone here at L.I.S.



Challenge 24 Tournament:

The annual Trumbull County Challenge 24 Tournament was held on November 14, 2018 at Warren G. Harding School.

Congratulations to *ALL* students who participated in the county Challenge 24 Tournament.

The 4th Grade Team Members were: Natalie Bellomo, Elle Dietelbach, Leah DeArmitt & Angel Scruggs. Alternate was Riley Rowe

The 5th Grade Team Members were: Jacob Simpson, Brett Marsh, Makayla Scruggs & Austin Rowe. Alternate was Abigail Balzer.

Congratulations to the following students who made it to the third round: Jacob Simpson, Makayla Scruggs and Austin Rowe.

Austin Rowe also made it to the final round and placed 4th in the county.

Thank you for representing LaBrae so well!

Congratulations to our Club 24 Team and Advisors: Mrs. DeArmitt and Mrs. Sabo

Ms. Mila Jean Harkabus

Principal

And

Mrs. Darla Arnold

STATE ATTENDANCE LAW

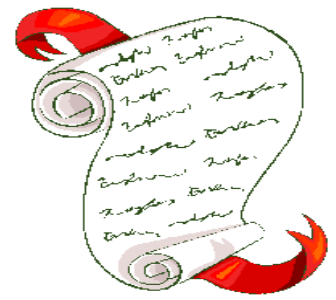
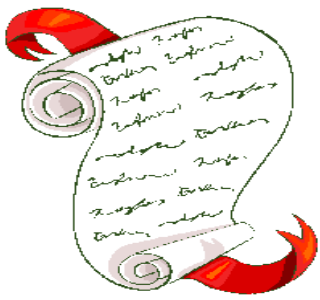
Punctual and regular attendance at school is extremely important. Parents should keep in mind that there is a direct relationship between attendance and progress in school. Below is information concerning the new attendance law. Please take a moment to review it if you have not yet done so. More information can be found in the LIS handbook under **ATTENDANCE**- Habitual Truancy - Notice of excessive absences

Parent/Guardians, by Ohio law, are responsible for insuring that their children are in regular attendance at school. House Bill 410 passed in December of 2016 and the Ohio Revised Code Section 3321.191(C)(1) moves from defining truancy in terms of days missed to hours missed and defines **excessive absences** as a child of compulsory school age who is absent **with or without a legitimate** excuse from the public school the child is supposed to attend for **thirty-eight or more hours in one school month (6 or more school days)**, or **sixty-five or more hours in one school year (10 or more days)**. Ohio law and Board policy require a letter of information be sent to parents of children whose absences need attention.

In addition, any student with **unexcused** absences that reach 30 or more consecutive hours (5 or more school days), 42 hours in one month (7 or more school days), or 72 hours in one school year (12 or more days) is considered habitually truant. If this happens, parents and students are referred to the LaBrae Intermediate Absence Intervention Team (AIT Team) and an absence intervention plan will be implemented as per requirements of House Bill 410. If absences do not improve under the plan, the district will file a complaint in the juvenile court. ***As per LaBrae's Attendance policy, any student who acquires 18 unexcused absences in one year could be subject to retention.***

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) should notify the LaBrae Intermediate office at 330-898-4569 and give necessary information by 8:30AM the morning of the first day of absence. A written note from the parent/guardian must be received within 24 hours of return from the absence and any doctor's office excuses must be submitted within five days of return.

Please make a concerted effort to ensure your child is present and on time for school. If you have any questions, or if I can be of assistance, please contact me at 330-898-4569 or @ milajean.harkabus@labrae.school.



Breakfast with Santa:

Saturday, December 8, 2018 from 9:00-11:00 am. in the Complex Cafeteria.

Upcoming Events:

November 26th-December 7th, 2018—Giving Tree our Student Council is
Collecting New Pajamas (PJ's)/New Toys

December 3 - 7, 2018—Santa's Secret Shop in the Atrium

December 3 & 4, 2018—3rd Grade Dental Sealants

December 5 & 12, 2018—Unity Shirt Day

December 8, 2018—Breakfast with Santa from 9:00-11:00 am. in the
Complex Cafeteria

December 10, 2018—iReady **3rd Grade** Mid-Year Diagnostic Testing

December 17, 2018—iReady **4th & 5th Grade** Mid-Year Diagnostic Testing

December 18, 2018—Santa Hat Day

December 19, 2018—Ugly Sweater Day

December 20, 2018—**Tilt** for Students who earned from Fundraiser **10:00-1:15 pm.**

December 21, 2018—P.J. Day
Progressive Party Last Day of the Year for Students

December 24, 2018—January 4, 2019—Christmas Break (**NO SCHOOL**)



Return to School on Monday, January 7, 2019

Have a safe and happy holiday from the Staff at LaBrae Intermediate School!!

1st Nine Weeks Honor Roll 2018/2019 School Year – LaBrae Intermediate:

3rd Grade

Claytin Adams	Nathan Rudesill	Cayman Haynie*	Megan Young*	Ze’Najah Owens
Sophia Balzer	Robert Stevens*	Addison Householder	<u>5th Grade</u>	Eric Reibold
Anastasia Bauer	Liam Stilwell	Seth Howell	Aubree Bailey	Austin Rowe*
Brooklynn Box	Aiden Strawderman	Nathaniel Huscroft	Hannah Bailey	Khloe Sanderson*
Maria Bustard*	Garrett Sullinger	Lucia Johnson	Abigail Balzer*	Makayla Scruggs
Kaydence Church*	Nevaeh Thomas	Christian Kerber*	Thomas Beck, Jr.	Ezekiel Senne
Aubree Colburn	Annalyse Wilburn	Brooklyn Kohn	Sophia Bellomo	Guy Sewell
Maximus DeSmith	Wylie Windhorst	Brandon Koski	Shelby Bragg*	Alexander Shiflett
Sienna Fields	<u>4th Grade</u>	Matthew Kujala	Deven Brewer	Jacob Simpson*
Micah Fitzpatrick	Lyla Amburgy*	Robert Levensky	Wyatt Brundage	Ryan Simunich*
Jonryan Freeman*	Madison Anthony	Tommy Long	Landon Brunstetter	Mia Sloan
Anthony Furbee	Zachary Bartholomew	Jamie Lopez, Jr.	Logan Burns	Kenneth Spicer
Gavin Gee	Ian Bauer	Riley Lutz*	Naiya Capers	Tynasha Staggers
Macey Hill	Natalie Bellomo	Hailey Mann	Ava Cruse	Nolan Stilwell
Ethan Howard*	Kylie Bennett	Jacob Mansfield	Treyton Derry	Bryce Taylor
Aubree Johnson	Caleb Bentfeld	Brianna Marks	Jordynn DeSmith*	Sabrina Taylor
Aiden Joseph	Karson Bradley	Dakota Marsh	Devon Fiedler	Morgan Thompson
Keegan Kiser	Isabella Brady	Brayden Molnar	Liam Fiest*	Michael Woods, Jr.
Cali Knoch	Maleah Cartwright	Jack Nowak	Caylee Fitzpatrick	Kenneth Yoho
Noah Lipinski	Kyndra Chabek*	Clover Padula*	Caleigh Fortune	Kendra Young*
Joan Lucas	Mackenna Clark*	LeighAnna Pierson	Haylee Freer	
Mason Lutz*	Bria Collins	Jace Pirtz	Braden Geiszler	
Ally Magoulick	Jakob Cummins	Andrew Pratt	Jessica Gentry	
Paige Marsh*	Maleak Dean*	Brenden Pumphrey	Ryan Graham	
Kassidy McAllister	Leah DeArmitt*	Madyson Rickard	Colton Hall	
Elizabeth McCabe	Elle Dietelbach*	Riley Rowe*	Gage Haslar	
Brenna McCleary*	Angel Drnek	Zowie Salsgiver	Blake Hood	
Adalyn McCullum	Alycea Eckenrod	Dominic Scocchera	Caleb Hudak	
Emerie McCullum	Joshua Frantz	Angel Scruggs	Maelynn Jaros	
Gavin Miller*	Jordyn Genova	Ayden Shafer	Madison Johnson	
Cameron Mills	Liam Given	Lucas Smith	Ava Kintz	
Italia Morelli	Baily Goss	Sarina Stephens	Ella Kuszmaul	
Connor Palmer	Lillian Guesman	Brielle Stout*	Nathan Lutz	
Diya Patel	Jaylen Gunther	Christopher Strawn-Taylor	Brett Marsh*	
Daisy Peace*	Jack Gut	Landon Taylor	Eden Middleton	
Jolie Pirtz	Bryson Hall	Emily Willis	Chase Myers	



December 2018 (Student)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	Nov. 26 School Resumes Bring New PJ's/ New Toys	Nov. 27 Bring New PJ's/ New Toys	Nov. 28 Progress Reports Go Home Bring New PJ's/ New Toys	Nov. 29 Bring New PJ's/ New Toys	Nov.30 Bring New PJ's/ New Toys	1
2	3 3rd Grade Dental Sealants,Bring New PJ's/New Toys and-Santa's Secret Shop in the Atrium	4 3rd Grade Dental Sealants,Bring New PJ's/New Toys and-Santa's Secret Shop in the Atrium	5 Unity Shirt Day Bring New PJ's/New Toys Santa's Secret Shop in the Atrium	6 Bring New PJ's/New Toys Santa's Secret Shop in the Atrium	7 Bring New PJ's/New Toys Santa's Secret Shop in the Atrium	8 Santa Breakfast 9-11 am. In the Complex Cafeteria
9	10 iReady <u>3rd Grade</u> Mid-Year Diagnostic Testing	11	12 Unity Shirt Day	13	14	15
16	17 iReady <u>4th & 5th Grade</u> Mid-Year Diagnostic Testing	18 Santa Hat Day	19 Ugly Sweater Day	20 <u>Tilt</u> for Students who earned from Fund-raiser <u>10-1:15</u>	21 P.J. Day Progressive Holiday Party	22
23	24 NO SCHOOL Christmas Break	25 NO SCHOOL Christmas Break	26 NO SCHOOL Christmas Break	27 NO SCHOOL Christmas Break	28 NO SCHOOL Christmas Break	29
30	31 NO SCHOOL Christmas Break	Jan. 1 NO SCHOOL Christmas Break	Jan. 2 NO SCHOOL Christmas Break	Jan. 3 NO SCHOOL Christmas Break	Jan. 4 NO SCHOOL Christmas Break	School Resumes on Monday, January 7, 2019