



Newsletter May 2013

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents/Guardians:

With Spring often comes the dreaded spring fever epidemic. I will be encouraging students to finish strong and make this last marking period the best of them all. Please encourage the same at home. We often notice that with the start of Spring, sports and other activities that school starts to take a back seat. However, we are not finished yet! We must continue to let them know that we are still working together on their behalf in a home—school partnership to ensure that they stay "on track" with their education. In addition to the 4th grading period curriculum, we have many things planned for the last few weeks of school. Following the LaBrae Code of Conduct is a **MUST** in order to take advantage of all that is coming up. Students unable to follow the LaBrae Code of Conduct may not be able to participate in some or all of the planned activities. Encourage your students and let them know that their choices really do make a difference!

I hope you are able to take advantage of the improving weather and spend some time outside with your family. It is so encouraging to have the sun shining again! And, as always, if you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Milajean Harkabus

THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!!!

We would like to thank all of the LaBrae Elementary Booster Parents for their continual support throughout the school year. Your time and dedication to raising money for our extra programs and educational materials as well as time volunteered to support our staff and students are greatly appreciated!

LOST AND FOUND ITEMS LOOKING FOR THEIR HOME!!

After a long winter, we have many items including shirts, gloves, hats and coats that students have lost or misplaced. We have placed all items on a table in front of the main office. Please encourage your child or you may stop in to see if any missing items are on this table. We will keep the table up until the end of the day on Thursday, May 30th with any unclaimed items donated to a local agency after this time period.

Ms. Milajean Harkabus Principal And Mrs. Darla Arnold Secretary



STUDENT MEDICATIONS;

Any medications in the clinic must be picked up **BY AN ADULT** no later than Noon on Friday, May 31st. Epi Pens and Inhalers will be sent home with the student. All unclaimed or expired medications will be thrown out.

Parents, Clinic forms for the 2013-2014 school year regarding medical conditions and medications will go home in the final report card for students in grades 3 - 12. Please complete and return these forms by the first day of school. There will be a collection box for clinic forms and medications in the main office of each building. You may drop off forms and medications starting August 12, 2013 prior to the first day of school for students. Students entering kindergarten who did not have an up to date shot record at the time of registration should also return their shot records to the collection box in the Bascom Office. Students entering 7th grade need to have documentation of having received their Td or Tdap booster shot. Having these forms in place when school starts is essential in helping us keep your children safe at school. Thank you for your cooperation!

Mrs. Harper School Nurse

Upcoming Events:

April 30, 2013—5th Grade Science OAA Testing

May 1, 2013—4th Grade OH WOW Field Trip

May 8, 2013—Talent Show Tryouts & 5th Grade Recruiting for Band Students

May 9, 2013—Talent Show Tryouts

May 10, 2013—Talent Show Tryouts & Spring Pictures or Money Due Back

May 15, 2013—Elementary Booster Meeting at Bascom 6:00 PM

May 16, 2013—4th Grade Recorder Concert & Arts Showcase 6:00-7:30 PM

May 17, 2013—Market Day Forms Due Back

May 20, 2013—3rd Grade Field Trip to Wagon Trails

May 23, 2013—Market Day Pickup at Bascom 4-5 PM

May 24, 2013—Talent Show Dress Rehearsal 9-11 AM

May 27, 2013—Memorial Day (NO SCHOOL)

May 28, 2013—Talent Show in PM

May 29, 2013—Awards in AM & Staff –vs– Students Basketball Game PM —-Report Cards Go Home

May 30, 2013—EARLY RELEASE AT 1:00 PM & Last Day For Students



August 26, 2013—FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR 2013-2014 SCHOOL YEAR!