



Newsletter May 2018

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

Title I Survey:

We are asking for Parents/Guardians to please complete the Title I Schoolwide Survey for Grades K-8. The survey can be found on the LaBrae School Website at: http://labrae.school from April 30-May 11, 2018 click on District & scroll down to Title I.

Thank You!!

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!

Student Council Events:

The student council will have a Penny Drive for the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society called "BE THE CHANGE" during the week of May 7th—11th:

Monday—Pajama Penny Day

Tuesday—Neon Nickels Day

Wednesday—Dazzling Dimes Day

Thursday—Crazy Quarters Day

Friday—Team Up for Leukemia

The student council will also be having Spirit Week during the week of May 14th-18th:

Monday—Super Hero Day Tuesday—Hat Day Wednesday—Western Day Thursday—Hawaiian Day Friday—LaBrae Day

Ms. Milajean Harkabus Principal And Mrs. Darla Arnold

Secretary

Mark your calendars for May 16th 4th Grade Recorder Concerts:

We hope you will make plans to attend the LIS 4th Grade Students will present their (2) Recorder Concerts at 10:30 am. & 1:30 pm. in the Auditorium. Art work will be displayed through May 18th. Park in the front of the building & enter through the Intermediate Office to get a visitor pass before going to the Auditorium for the 4th Grade Recorder Concert.

4th Grade Swimming Classes:

The 4th grade students who qualify will be attending swimming classes from May 18th—May 25th this year at the Trumbull Family Fitness (formerly the YMCA). They will leave at 9:30 am and will return at 12:30 pm.

STUDENT MEDICATIONS;

Any medications in the clinic must be picked up **BY AN ADULT** no later than Noon on Friday, June 1st. 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 2018-2019 school year regarding medical conditions and medications will be mailed home 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 20, 2018 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, Tdap booster shot and Meningitis Vaccine. Any student entering 12th Grade also needs a Meningitis Vaccine. 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

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 31st with any unclaimed items donated to a local agency after this time period.

Invention Convention

In March, Mrs. Morgan's gifted class students in grades 3-5, were involved in the Invention Convention School Level Competition. Congratulations to the top three scoring students who will be invited to participate in the state level competition this July, at the Ohio State Fair:

1st Place: 5th Grade: Sam Watkins: "Delta Suit"

2nd Place: 4th Grade: Austin Rowe: "Catchers Hydration"
3rd Place: 5th Grade: Charlotte Guesman: "Dance Socs"
4th Place: 3rd Grade: Nate Huscroft: "Sugar Shield"
5th Place: 3rd Grade: Christian Kerber: "Trash Buster"

Thank you to our judges, including Mr. Calderone and two employees of the Trumbull County ESC: Mr. Harris and Mrs. Dominio, who helped to make this event possible. Also, thank you to Ms. Harkabus for her assistance.

Upcoming Events:

May 3, 2018—4th & 5th Grade Math Part #1 Testing 9:00-Noon

May 4, 2018—4th & 5th Grade Math Part #2 Testing 9:00-Noon

May 7, 2018—Assembly The "Energized Guy" at 2:30 pm.

May 7-11, 2018—Penny Drive for Leukemia & Lymphoma Society "Be The Change"

May 14, 2018—3rd Grade Field Trip to Wagon Trails 9:30—12:30

May 14-18, 2018—Spirit Week

May 8, 2018—5th Grade Talent Show Tryouts

May 9, 2018—4th Grade Talent Show Tryouts

May 10, 2018—3rd Grade Talent Show Tryouts

May 16, 2018—4th Grade Recorder Concerts 10:30 am & 1:30 pm. in the Auditorium LIS Arts Fair

May 18-25, 2018—4th Grade Swim Class at Trumbull Family Fitness 9:30-12:30 (6 Days in a Row)

May 23, 2018—Minute To Win It in the PM.

May 24, 2018—Talent Show Dress Rehearsal at 1:00 to 3:00 PM. (Bring props, music, etc.)

May 25, 2018—Parents Day for 4th Grade Swimming 9:30-12:30 at Trumbull Family Fitness 5th Grade—VS—Staff Basketball Game in the PM.

May 29, 2018—LIS Awards at 1:30 pm.

May 30, 2018—Kickball/Field Day Activities in AM Talent Show at 1:30pm

May 31, 2018—Movie in AM

EARLY RELEASE AT 1:00 PM & Last Day For Students

HAVE A SAFE SUMMER AND WE WILL SEE YOU IN THE FALL!

<u>1st Day of School for 2018/2019 School Year:</u> Students will start school on <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>August 28 2018</u>.

<u>Open House—Meet the Teacher Fall 2018</u> Will be Monday August 27th from 5:30-5:60 pm.



May 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3 4th & 5th Grade Math Ohio Testing Part #1	4 4th & 5th Grade Math Ohio Testing Part #2	5
6	7 Leukemia & Lymphoma Penny Drive Pajama Penny Day Assembly the "Energized Guy" at 2:30	& Leukemia & Lymphoma Penny Drive Neon Nickels Day 5th Grade Talent Show Tryouts	9 Leukemia & Lymphoma Penny Drive Dazzling Dimes Day 4th Grade Talent Show Tryouts	10 Leukemia & Lymphoma Penny Drive <u>Crazy</u> <u>Quarters Day</u> 3rd Grade Talent Show Tryouts	11 Leukemia & Lymphoma Penny Drive Team Up for Leukemia	12
4th & 5th Grade Switch Specials Times for Swimming 5/18/18	14 Spirit Week Super Hero Day 3rd Gr. F/T to Wagon Trails 9:30- 12:30	15 Spirit Week <u>Hat Day</u>	16 Spirit Week Western Day 4th Gr. Recorder Concerts 10:30 & 1:30	17 Spirit Week Hawaiian Day	18 Spirit Week LaBrae Day 4th Gr. Swimming 9:30-12:30	19
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27	28 NO SCHOOL Memorial Day	29 LIS Awards 1:30	30 Kickball/ Field Day Activities in AM Talent Show 1:30	31 Early Release 1:00 Last Day for Students	June 1 Last Day for Teachers	