

THE LEOPARD LOCAL

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MONTHLY RECAP

Many exciting things took place at LFE during the busy month of October! We had a HUGE turnout at Trunk or Treat this year thanks to our amazing LFE families, and a big thank you to all the volunteers that did a trunk, there were some really great ones this year! Mrs. Cochran's Mad Scientist trunk was the winner with Ms. Raymond's Sandlot theme coming in 2nd.

The fall party on the 24th was a camping theme and the kids had so much fun with the games, the obstacle course, crafts and snacks.

And how can we forget about the Fun Run! That was such a great day and the students worked hard for those laps and had a blast doing it. Each class had a team flag and they got to run through a tunnel to fun music, something we hope they will remember for a long time. A big thank you to Zarda for providing lunch for teachers and staff that day!

We had a lot of submissions for Pumpkins on Parade and enjoyed looking at everyone's hard work, they were so creative! 1st place when to Ryker Evans for "The Giving Tree", 2nd place went to Alyssa and Joe Lalumia for "Super Mario" and 3rd place went to Alaina and Isabella Rinne for "Captain Underpants." Congrats to our winners, you all did a fantastic job!

UPDATES

-Congratulations to the highest bidders in the auction for front row seats AND front row parking to the Kindergarten performance happening this Thursday night. The winners were Ashley Horrell, Shelly Spiegel, Rose Sahrawat, Nicole Smith, Nichole Hays and Janelle Yonker. Be sure to look for future silent auctions, we will be having them for all performance nights. If you have a child participating in that grade's performance you will be notified about the auction.

-Box Tops are still being collected so please keep sending them in! So far, we have collected 6,229 Box Tops! Our yearly goal is 15,000 so keep them coming! Leaders: Garten - 538, Long - 455 and Miceli - 408. Priya Trautman was last month's winner for turning in the most Box Tops!

KEY DATES

-Kindergarten performance is Thursday the 8th at 7:00pm. Be sure to stop by the bake sale and grab some goodies!

-Fun and Fit Night at Bump City on Saturday, November 10th 6:30-8:30pm

-Book Fair is the 12th through the 16th

-Academic Night/Chris Cakes Thursday the 15th

-PTA Reflections submissions are due by November 16th

-Thanksgiving break is Wednesday the 21st through Friday the 23rd

-PTA Meeting on December 6th at 7:00pm in the library (childcare is provided)

-Holiday Shop December 6th and 7th

(See Page 2 of the newsletter for additional details regarding these events)

If you have not had a chance to check out the new addition to the exterior of Lucy Franklin, you should come by and take a peek, it looks amazing! Thank you to Student Council and all of the volunteers who made this possible!



Additional Information on Upcoming Events:

-Fun and Fit Night at Bump City is Saturday November 10th in the Bump City Building at Gage Center. It is from 6:30-8:30pm and the cost is \$10.00 per person. This is open to toddlers through 5th grade, parent participation is required for children 5 and under. You can print out a release waiver in advance at www.gagecenter.com

-Book Fair takes place Monday the 12th through Friday the 16th.

-Chris Cakes/Academic Night is Thursday 15th. Join us for academic night and a pancake dinner. Cost is \$5.00 per kid and \$6.00 per adult. Pancakes will be served from 5:30 to 7:00 and academic night is from 6:00 to 7:30.

-Reflections-This is an art program which encourages students to explore their talents and express themselves within a given theme. This year the theme is Heroes Around Me. Deadline for submission is November 16th. Information for this has already come home and you can also visit our website for all of the details. The showcase for the submissions will take place on December 5th.

PTA is always open to new ideas, suggestions and feedback. If you are not sure who to contact, email any one of us and we will get you to the right person, we are always here to help!

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This information as well as upcoming events and how to volunteer is also on our website lucyfranklinpta.com. And don't forget to like our Facebook page Lucy Franklin Elementary PTA!