

# LINCOLN NEWS

Lincoln Elementary School, Zeeland Public Schools

9/23/16

## Biking for Students in Grades 3-5

Students in grades 3-5 will be participating in a biking unit. This unit will begin on September 26 and end on October 14.

Students may bring their own bikes and helmets. Bikes will need to be kept in the bike rack, so make sure that you also provide a lock for the bike!



## Paper Gator

What Is It? The Paper Gator is a fundraiser in which Lincoln will be paid to collect paper products. All proceeds will go to Lincoln's Green Team. This team consists of 5th grade students who participate in a variety of environmental projects for Lincoln School!

Where does the paper go? The paper will be picked up every other week and taken to BPV Environmental in Byron Center, Michigan to be processed. The paper will be shredded and processed into hydro seeding mulch, lawn establishment products, lawn repair products, cat litter, dog litter, or small animal bedding.

What can go in the bin? Newsprint, catalogs, magazines, junk mail, phone books, office paper, school paper.

What can't go in the bin? Plastic, metal, trash, glass, cardboard.

We will receive \$37 for every full bin they pick up! Please help us fill our bin at least once every two weeks!



## PLEASE PLAN AHEAD!

Playing Middle School Percussion  
Requires Piano Experience!

The vast majority of ZPS sixth graders take a music class. Students can elect to take choir, band or orchestra in sixth grade. We are SO fortunate to have outstanding secondary music programs in Zeeland! Elementary music is the first step in becoming an important member of these musical ensembles! If your student is planning to play percussion in middle school band, they must have 1-2 years of piano experience to pass the proficiency test. Please contact Mrs. Steenwyk if you have any questions.



## Lincoln Moms In Prayer

Join with other moms as we support Lincoln School, the staff and most importantly your child(ren) through prayer.

Please email Karri Bannach at [kbannach@gmail.com](mailto:kbannach@gmail.com) for further information or questions.

Younger siblings are welcome!

They meet on  
Wednesday mornings at 8:40a.m.  
at 1st Reformed Church 148 E Central.

This is the church right across from school,  
so drop the kids off and join us!  
(Use the Central Street Entrance)



Tuesday, September 27  
(Rain Date-September 29)

All Lincoln students will be participating in the Fitness Frenzy day at the stadium. Due to the busy schedule of the day we did not open lunch time to parents to join us this year. We will reserve the parent/child lunch for our annual Field Day in the spring. The only parents in attendance will be the classroom reps and our Family and Friends Board. The parent reps will be helping supervise and shuttle classes from station to station as well as coordinate the lunch times for students. If your child did not order a school lunch (an order form was sent home last week), they should bring their own disposable cold lunch with their name clearly printed on it. The parent reps will bring classroom lunches to the stadium in coolers.

Because we will be leaving promptly in the morning, please make sure your children are not tardy as they will miss out on a fun day! We have no way to get them to the stadium if they miss the bus! Also, students will not be released from the stadium, so please make an effort not to schedule appointments for this day. The Kindergarten classes will be coming back to school after lunch. We will be back to school by 3:20 for the shuttle bus students.

The last collection date will be Monday, Sept 26. Please remember to turn in your envelopes if you have not already done so! Our goal is to try to raise at least \$40 in pledges per student!

These funds will be used for our field trips, student magazines, character education program, assemblies, young authors writing project, playground equipment, and other special learning projects.

Thank you for your support in this healthy fundraiser!

## Lincoln's Mission Statement

*Promoting learning as a lifelong process by challenging students in a positive, secure, and success-orientated environment based upon mutual respect among children, parents, and school personnel*

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

For the full calendar, please visit our website at [www.zps.org](http://www.zps.org)  
Lincoln's calendar of events is online!

Sept 26	5:30p.m - 6:30p.m.	5th Grade Curriculum Night
Sept. 27 (rain date Sept 29)		Fitness Frenzy
Sept 29	5:30p.m.- 6:30p.m. 6:30p.m.- 7:30p.m.	3rd Grade Curriculum Night 2nd Grade Curriculum Night
Oct 3	5:30p.m. - 6:30p.m	Kids Hope Starts this week 1st grade Curriculum Night - Hop & Webster
Oct 4		Picture Day!
Oct 7	Dismissal at Noon!	1/2 Day of School - Staff Professional Development Day.
Oct 14		Popcorn Friday
Oct 18	5:30p.m - 6:30p.m.	Mrs. Zuwerink Curriculum Night
Oct 20	6:00p.m.- 7:00p.m.	Kdg Curriculum Night
Oct 26	6:00p.m. - 7:30p.m	Kids Hope Supper/Pumpkin Painting
Nov 4		Popcorn Friday
Nov 7	4:00p.m.- 7:00p.m.	Parent/Teacher Conferences
Nov 9	2:00p.m - 5:00p.m.	1/2 Day of School - Dismissal at Noon! Parent/Teacher Conferences
Nov 10	2:00p.m.- 5:00p.m.	Picture Re-take Day 1/2 day of School - Dismissal at Noon! Parent/Teacher Conferences
Nov 11		No School
Nov 16	3:30p.m.- 6:30p.m.	Book Fair
Nov 17 & 18	All Day	Book Fair
Nov 23- 25		Thanksgiving Break
Dec 2		Popcorn Friday
Dec 9	Dismissal at Noon!	1/2 Day of School - Staff Professional Development
Dec 23 – Jan 2		Holiday Break

## Next Week's Menu September 26 - 30



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| Mon.   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Breaded Chicken Patty on a Bun</li> <li>B. Cheese Pizza</li> <li>C. Soybutter &amp; Jelly Sandwich<br/>String Cheese &amp; Goldfish Crackers</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Rice Krispie Treat<br/>Steamed Broccoli &amp;<br/>Mandarin Oranges</p>                 |
| Tues.  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Chicken Nuggets</li> <li>B. Cheddar Cheese Omelet W/<br/>Cinnamon Toast Crunch<br/>Cereal</li> <li>C. Yogurt, String Cheese &amp;<br/>Granola</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Potato Smiles &amp;<br/>Dice Peaches</p>  |
| Wed.   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Pepperoni Pizza</li> <li>B. Meatball &amp; Brown Gravy w/<br/>Twisted Breadstick</li> <li>C. Soybutter &amp; Jelly Sandwich<br/>String Cheese &amp; Goldfish<br/>Crackers</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Whipped Potatoes &amp;<br/>kiwi</p>                       |
| Thurs. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Nachos Supreme (Meat,<br/>Chips, Lettuce &amp; Tomato</li> <li>B. Turkey &amp; Cheese on a Bun</li> <li>C. Yogurt, String Cheese, &amp;<br/>Tortilla Chips</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Homemade Bean Salad &amp;<br/>Fresh Apple</p>                            |
| Fri.   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Scrambled Eggs &amp;<br/>Cinnamon Roll</li> <li>B. Cheesy Mozzarella Pull<br/>Apart &amp; Marinara</li> <li>C. Soybutter &amp; Jelly Sandwich<br/>String Cheese &amp; Goldfish<br/>Crackers</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Carrot Sticks &amp;<br/>Diced Pears</p> |

REMINDER: WHEN YOU BRING IN LUNCH MONEY, PLEASE REMEMBER TO FILL OUT THE FULL STUDENT'S NAME, THE AMOUNT ENCLOSED, AND THE TEACHER'S NAME ON THE ENVELOPE!

[For student opportunities and events in the area click here.](#)