

Legacy Point Elementary Beacon

Learn, Live, Love, Laugh & Leave A Legacy

Legacy Point Elementary

OCTOBER 2023



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Principal

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Leader In Me

Habit #2

by Jillian (4th grade leader)

This month is October, so that means a new habit! We have to reset from Habit One to Habit Two. Everyone at Legacy Point from kindergarten through fifth grade practices the Habits. So, Legacy Point, let's make October a great month and let's make Habit 2 something that we can use to be great leaders. And...remember to learn, live, love, laugh and leave your legacy.

Habit #2
BEGIN WITH THE END IN MIND

Have a Plan

- I plan ahead and set goals for myself.
- I am prepared at all times.
- I think about how the choices I make now will affect my future
- I think about the positive or negative consequences of my actions before I act.

Fun Run


by Boston (4th grade leader)

For the fun run we ran our hearts out! Every lap we ran we raised money. With every dollar we raised it will help with new playground equipment. We also got rewards for registering for the fun run and running. I doubt we can top our amazing participation in next year's fun run!


(we raised over \$50,000 - thank you!!!)





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Spirit Week

by Lottie (3rd grade leader)

Spirit Week was September 18-21 at LPE. It was fun! Monday was 80's Day. 80's Day is when students wear neon colors. Tuesday was USA Day; you wear red, white and blue colors. Wednesday was Finding Nemo Day where you dress up as a character from the movie. Thursday was Legacy Point spirit wear. Students wear stuff that says LPE or Legacy Point. We did not have school on Friday, so that's it!



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PARADE

Thanks to everyone who turned out to watch Ponderosa's Homecoming Parade! Legacy Point created an amazing float with the help of so many adults and kids. We rocked it!



Assembly

by Hugh and Robert (4th grade leaders)

The assembly was fun. It's fun every month. It's really exciting to see who gets the leadership sign and which classroom gets Legacy the Bear. It was really funny to see the video about being proactive with the soda. The person in my class who got the leadership sign was Juliana. And the class who got the bear was Mrs. Heap's class. Congratulations to Juliana Classes and Mrs. Heap's class! Yaaaaaaay!



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Meet our Principal - Mrs. Waufle!

interviewed by Emma (2nd grade leader)

1. How long have you been teaching?

30 years

2. How long have you been at Legacy Point?

20 years - the whole time!

3. What is your favorite part of teaching?

Getting to see what's happening in all of the classrooms

4. Do you have any kids? Pets?

Mrs. Waufle has 2 kids - Kaity is 24 and she is in school to be an occupational therapist. JT goes to Colorado State University. And...a puppy named Olive!

5. What is the funniest thing a student has said?

She's heard a lot of funny things over the years but there is not really one thing that stands out.

6. What do you do when a student is crying or mad?

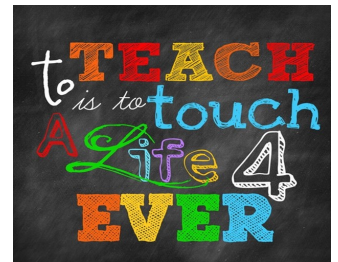
She gives them a hug and asks them what she can do to help.

7. What is your greatest strength as a teacher?

The years she's been teaching and understanding what teachers need.

8. What do you like to do outside of school?

Mrs. Waufle likes to spend time with her family.



Valid only at Applebee's in Colorado on 10/31/23. Dine-in only. Must order off of the Kids menu. Two free kids meals per adult entrée, must mention this offer. Kids 12 and under.

From Essentials:

This month in STEM we are working on Storyblocks. This is an online video editor where students can create their own movies. We are also discussing copyright and how it impacts what we can use in Storyblocks. If your student would like to use Storyblocks at home they can by clicking "sign in with google". The link for Storyblocks can be found at [my links page](#) on the essentials team website.

Nick Nassimbene

STEM Teacher, Legacy Point Elementary

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LPE is partnering with Original Works art-based fundraising. Through the program, students create artwork that you then can have reproduced onto a variety of keepsake products. The products range from magnets to mugs and start at just \$6.00. Complete details on the program will be sent home soon. We are excited to use the proceeds from the program to purchase art supplies for the art studio so students may further their art explorations. Students have been working diligently to create fun and lovely works of art to share with you!!

Amy Long

Visual Art Teacher, Legacy Point Elementary

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Hello!

We are having a great time down in the gym. All students have been working on paddle and racket skills. We are exploring the sports of tennis, pickleball and soon badminton! Students are having a great time and not only demonstrating control with their rackets but also safely. Kindergarten students are working on spatial awareness and locomotor movements.

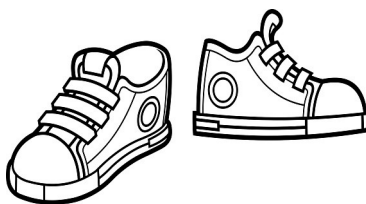
Please remember that this year I am asking for all students to wear tennis shoes on PE weeks. Please no crocs, sandals or boots. This is for their safety and to protect our new gym floor.

Please reach out to me if you have any questions or concerns.

Thanks!

Mrs. Merritt

LPE PE



From our Specialists:

Cece Garza

Hi! My name is Cece Garza. This is my 20th year teaching in the ELD program for DCSD. I have been at LPE for the past 8 years, and truly love the students, staff and community! I have my masters in TESOL (Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages) and love working with our students and families.

From our Mental Health Team:

Instructional Goals: Recenter yourself, bring yourself back to being grounded.

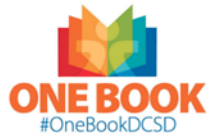
Estimated Time: 5 - 15 minutes

Directions: Click on the link below and choose 1 of the 5 mindful breaks to do.

Instructions/Resources: 5 Mindful Breaks

<https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/13oIq2OtuN7wxjZ-2QVVUHp2iMETqcVfVcWcQbF3F6es/edit?usp=sharing>

*Thank you,
Mental Health Team
Emily Montgomery, Social Worker
Sarah Sanniola, Counselor
Jessica Schmitz, Psychologist*



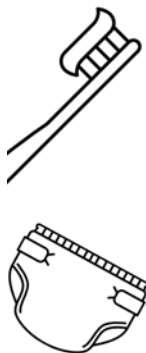
**DCSD Districtwide
Community Toiletry Drive**

Caring for others is a major theme in our One Book One District selection, *Becoming a Good Creature* by Sy Montgomery. DCSD is sponsoring a toiletry drive and all donations will benefit SECOR CARES, a local nonprofit.



WE NEED:

- Feminine Hygiene Products
- Diapers
- Baby Wipes
- Hand, Body, & Bar Soap
- Toothpaste & Toothbrushes
- Shampoo & Conditioner
- Facial Tissues
- Toilet Paper
- Deodorant
- Hand/Body lotion
- Chapstick



Students - please bring donations to your school library

COLLECTION DATES: October 1 - November 16

The elementary, middle, and high school that collects the most toiletries will be awarded \$500 in books for their library!

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