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Leader In Me

Habit # 3

by Lottie (3rd grade Student Lighthouse Leader)



Habit #3 PUT FIRST THINGS FIRST

- I do the things that I have to do before I do the things that I want to do.
- I stay focused on what I'm doing.
I try to minimize distractions and regroup if I get distracted.
- I spend my time on the things that are important.

Fun Run Rewards

by Boston (4th grade Student Lighthouse Leader)

Reward Week for the Fun Run rocked!

For the Fun Run, we had a Reward Week. We had silly string day, which was basically silly stringing Mrs. Waufle on a scooter. We had a foam party with a big foam cannon, which sprayed foam everywhere. We had a pizza party for the top 3 earners in the entire school. In January, we'll have a school dance.

I can't wait for next year's Reward Week!



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LPE Bookfair

by Emma (2nd grade Student Lighthouse Leader)

We had our annual Book Fair during conferences October 2-6. People can buy fiction books, non-fiction, comics, picture books, chapter books, and toys like highlighters, calculators and notebooks. Classes get to go and preview and make a wish list. Teachers got to make a wish list too. Kids and families were able to buy the books for the teachers, but PTIB filled in also. Thank you!. There were toys that came with books and other books were plain. The Book Fair is always a place to find new things!



Birthday Blocks

by Hugh (4th grade Student Lighthouse Leader)

This is an article about the birthday blocks in the Legacy Point Elementary parking lot. The birthday blocks are cement blocks in the parking lot that parents can paint for a kid’s special event. Special events include the student's birthday, them losing their first tooth and other stuff like that. Birthday blocks cost 10 dollars to paint. Parents can use whatever type of paint they want to paint the birthday block. There are 3 birthday blocks so that could be enough for 6 kids but it is up to the person painting them. They are very fun to look at when driving around!



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Meet our Assistant Principal - Mrs. Turner!

by Jillian (4th grade Student Lighthouse Leader)

I interviewed Mrs. Turner, our new assistant principal. She has been teaching for about 21 years and has been an assistant principal for 1 year. She likes to help the Legend marching band in her free time. I asked her why she likes Legacy Point and she said because of the people and the students. We just have a couple more questions then we will be done! I asked her how long she has been at LPE and she said one year. Her favorite part of teaching is getting to see the students and the teachers.

Thank you, Mrs. Turner!



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As always, this breakfast was a huge success!

Thank you to everybody that came to help, and all of you who came to eat!

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From Essentials:

ART:

Students are studying form in the art studio by working three-dimensionally. They have been utilizing a wide variety of materials to create armatures for their paper mache sculptures. This is an exciting shift from the two-dimensional drawing and painting work we had been doing earlier in the year.

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This month in STEM we built towers with marshmallows, toothpicks, and spaghetti. The record so far is 19" tall. This exercise focuses on building with limited resources and teamwork. It was amazing to see some of the designs students came up with. Next rotation we move on to Mars.

Nick Nassimbene

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Self-check-in:



A simple way to do a self-check-in is to stop and ask yourself how your body is feeling. Is it tired? Is it thirsty? Hungry? Happy? Sad? etc; then you'll be able to meet any need it requires at that time and help you focus on how you are in the present. You don't need to WORRY about how you feel, just sit with these feelings, acknowledge them and then move on. The self-check-in activity is also great for developing your own self-awareness.

Thank you,

Mental Health Team

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