

Lodi Primary Post

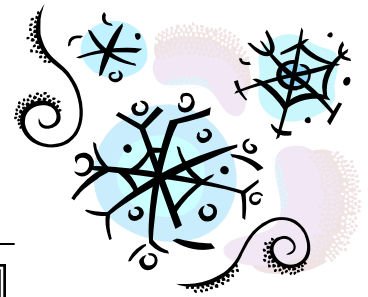
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February 2010



KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION & SCREENING



It is that time of year again!
Time to register your child
for Kindergarten for the 2011
-2012 school year. It will be
held on:

March 17, 2011 from 12PM till 8PM
AND
March 18, 2011 from 8AM till 4PM

If your child will be 5 years old on or before
August 1, 2011, they will be eligible to register
for the 2011-2012 school year. Children who will
be 6 years old before December 1, 2011, must
register for the 2011-2012 school year.

Please bring the following items with you for
registration:

- ⇒ Certificate of Live Birth ~ Must be the document from the Health Department, not the hospital birth certificate
- ⇒ Immunization records
- ⇒ Custody or guardianship papers, if applicable
- ⇒ Proof of residency (example: utility bill, rental agreement, phone or cell bills NO longer accepted)

During the registration process, your child will be individually screened in a number of developmental areas by school personnel. The screening will take approximately 45—60 minutes, so make sure they have a snack and are well rested!!

Please call LODI PRIMARY at 330-721-3841 **AFTER** February 20th, 2011 to schedule an appointment for your child.

Registering your child for Kindergarten in March is extremely important in helping Cloverleaf plan for the upcoming school year and the need(s) of the children who will be attending.

If you know of anyone who has a kindergarten age student who might not have access to this information, please share it with them!

Red Cross Blood Drive

The Lodi Primary CEPTO group will again be sponsoring a Red Cross Blood Drive in our building!
The event will be held on:

TUESDAY, March 2, 2011 from 2:30PM till 7:30PM in the school Auditorium

The students will be participating in a kick-off assembly on Feb. 9th and will bring home printed information for you shortly after that assembly.



You may wait for the papers, or you can access our drive schedule by going to <http://www.redcrossblood.org> and click on "enter a sponsor code" and it is: LodiPrimary (one word) or 44254

If you have questions about your eligibility to donate prior to the drive, you may call the Donor Suitability Department @ 1-866-426-0922.

GIVE KIDS A SMILE

We will once again be providing the opportunity for our students to be seen by a dentist from the Medina County Dental Society!

They will be in our building on:

FRIDAY, March 25, 2011

The forms for permission will be sent home shortly. If you are interested in having your child participate in this FREE screening, please complete the forms and return them to your child's classroom teacher by **MARCH 18, 2011.**



Important Dates

Feb. 11 or 14 ~ Valentines Day parties / Check with classroom teacher for date & time

Feb. 21 ~ President's Day—**NO SCHOOL**

Feb. 22—25 ~ CEPTO Spring Book Fair—Lodi Auditorium

Feb. 23 ~ "Peter and the Wolf" Ballet Performance for students

Feb. 26 ~ CEPTO Carnival @ Cloverleaf HS 12PM—4PM

Mar. 1 ~ End of 2nd Trimester

Mar. 2 ~ Waiver Day **NO SCHOOL FOR students**

Mar. 17 & 18 ~ Kindergarten Registration & Screening

Mar. 25 ~ "Give Kids a Smile" Dental Program

Mar. 28 ~ Class Pictures and Individual Spring pictures

April 4—8 ~ Spring Break

We're on the web!
www.cloverleaflocal.org



Always remember, you can check out pictures from our building at any time! They are located on the **LODI PRIMARY** page on the district website.

Music Corner with Ms. Heinrich

First Grade Concert
 Thursday, May 5, 2011, 6:30 pm
 Cloverleaf High School Gym



Second Grade Grandparents Day
 Wednesday, June 1, 2011, 2:15 pm
 Lodi Primary Front Lawn



2nd Grade Christmas Program

Counselor's Corner with Mrs.

STOP



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Bully Prevention

The students at Lodi Primary are learning about a new approach we are taking on Bully Prevention in our schools. The **Stop Walk Talk** approach is being adopted by all our Elementary Schools (PreK-6th) this school year. The Stop Walk Talk approach teaches students how to be a problem solver when handling situations with other students.

If someone is doing something that is not respectful, responsible, or safe, a student is to use the "Stop Signal". If the person *continues* the behavior, *after* they have used the "Stop Signal", they are to "Walk Away". Finally, if the person *continues* the behavior *after* they have used the "Stop Signal", and *after* they have "Walked Away", they are to "Talk to an Adult".

The Stop Walk Talk approach also teaches students how to respond appropriately when someone shows them the "Stop Signal". They are taught to... 1. Stop what they were doing 2. Take a deep breath 3. Do something else.

Posters are hung throughout the school to help remind students of the Stop Walk Talk approach. Staff has also been trained on the approach and what to do if a situation is reported to them. Our goal is to eliminate bullying in our schools. This approach gives students that may be "targets" of bullying appropriate steps to take before it becomes a serious problem, and it gives students that may be "aggressors" steps to take to change their behaviors.

If you have any questions or would like additional information, feel free to contact me (330) 721-3910 or lstafins@cls.k12.oh.us

Warmly, Lara Stafinski
 Elementary School Counselor

CEPTO HAPPENINGS

☺ Spring Book Fair will be held the week of Feb. 22—25

☺ CEPTO Carnival will be held on Saturday, Feb. 26, 2011 from 12NOON till 4:00PM @ Cloverleaf High School. PTO is looking for volunteers for the Carnival!!! If you are interested in helping out, please contact Patty Rusnak via email @ Patty.Rusnak@cloverleaflocal.org. The shifts available are from 11:45AM—2:00PM and 2:00PM—4:15PM.

☺ TOP SELLERS for the Winter Fundraiser were:
 Top Seller—Liberty Ridenour—Won a \$150 VISA card
 1st place—Kentyn Clark—Won a trip to Kalahari
 2nd place—Sarah Durham—Won an IPOD

☺ You have collected enough Box Tops for Education to total \$1,364.70 for PTO Programs. THANKS!!!

OFFICE INFO:

REMEMBER.....

- ☺ If you change any of your phone numbers, please let the office know ASAP.
- ☺ If you move, it is very important for you to notify the office also, there is a form that will need to be completed if you move.
- ☺ If your child's dismissal is different that normal, please write a note to the office indicating the change and if someone else is picking them up please note that as well. We do ask that you understand if we ask that person for their ID if we are not familiar with them—our goal is SAFETY for your child.
- ☺ If there is a change in custody, we MUST have a copy of the most CURRENT court papers