



The Lakeview Leader

**Every student succeeds...
Whatever It Takes!**

January 2018

Upcoming Events

Report Cards Go Home	01/12
Holiday- NO SCHOOL	01/15
DRA Testing- K&2nd	01/16- 01/19
Awards Assembly 8:00 in the gym <i>(Accountability Briefing to follow in the library)</i>	01/19
Elementary UIL District Meet in Brownsboro	01/20
DRA Testing- 1st	01/22- 01/25
MAP Testing- 2nd	01/22- 01/25
Fundraiser Kickoff <i>Big Kahuna Assembly @ 8:00 AM</i>	01/23
4th Grade Writing Benchmark <i>**4th grade lunch will be at 1:00 on this day</i>	01/24
100th Day of School	01/31

Student Spotlight:

"What is one of your New Year's Resolutions?"

Leland Smith (1st): "To be an even smarter first grader."

Cooper McAllister (K): "To become better at soccer and to score a hundred million goals."

Preston Russell (2nd): "To help and take care of people."

Gage Stasko (4th): "To be more fit and healthy."

Neveah Esner (3rd): "To make a 100 on every test!"



Mid-Year Assessments

It's January, and mid-year assessments are being scheduled. We will assess student progress in reading, math and writing to ensure that students are progressing as needed. This helps us to target learning deficits and refocus efforts to meet your child's educational needs. Lakeview teachers are happy to discuss how your children are progressing, along with ways you can help them to be more successful. Please feel free to contact your child's teacher if you have questions or concerns.



Congratulations to Stefanie Carter! She was nominated as our December Employee of the Month. Also, a huge "Thank You" to Applebee's for our employee recognition awards!

Student Of The Month

- Kindergarten- Addyson Flurry
- 1st Grade- Kaprie Burson
- 2nd Grade- Vincent Robbins
- 3rd Grade- Emilia Williams
- 4th Grade- Armando Cruz

Counselor's Corner

Our character virtue for the month of January is "Fairness." During the month of January, Ms. Bowland will be talking to students about this virtue and its importance during Character Kids. Ms. Bowland begins her character lessons at 7:30 in the gym.



We will be celebrating the 100th day of school on January 31st. More details to come!



IMPORTANT REMINDERS

****No School****

Monday, January 15th is a school holiday...**NO SCHOOL!**

Awards Assembly

Friday, January 19th 08:00 AM in the gym



School Board Appreciation Month

The month of January is School Board Appreciation Month. This is a great time to focus on the important role our elected Board of Trustees plays in our community and school. Show your school board members that you appreciate their dedication and hard work. They volunteer many hours to training as well as monthly meetings.



Bad Weather/Closings/Delays

In the event of bad weather, please refer to the Mabank Website and/or local radio and television stations for updated information.

- WBAP- AM820
- KCKL- FM 95.9
- KXAS- Channel 5
- KLTV- Tyler
- WFAA- Channel 8



We are anxiously awaiting the completion of our new outdoor classroom area! Lowe's in Gun Barrel City has generously donated time, labor and the materials needed to build Lakeview Elementary an outdoor classroom! This will be a great area for teachers to take students outdoors to increase quantity, quality, and benefits of outdoor learning experiences. To Lowe's, we shout out a huge "THANK YOU" for providing this learning experience for our students! We can't wait for the completion of the project!



HEALTH MATTERS!

With so much sickness going around, we urge you to please review the healthy habits with your child that are on the back of this newsletter.



Report Cards

Student report cards will be sent home on Friday, January 12th. A link to the TEA School Report Card will be sent home with this report card. It will be posted on Lakeview's website, as well as hard copies will be available at the front desk in the office. If you have any questions about the TEA School Report Card, there will be a quick question/answer session following the Awards Assembly on Friday, January 19th, in the library.