

LEOPARD LINK

April 2019



Principal's Message:

Dear Parents and Students-

It was so great to have so much support of our first Title One Family Night. The Staff and PTA were so incredible to provide a night of fun, excitement, and learning for the entire family. We hope you all enjoyed your time with us. We appreciate the continued support of the PTA, SCC, and Title One that provide so many opportunities to support our students and families. annual

This past month has been filled with many fun activities and opportunities for our students. As a school we were able to attend two plays put on by the community and Diamond Fork Junior High. Fifth Grade concluded their unit with the DARE officer, culminating in a graduation and celebration of reflection from the many great things they were taught. We are looking forward to the Track Meet season. For those who are new to the Spanish Fork Community, each grade level, 3rd-6th, will have the opportunity to meet up with surrounding schools and participate in Track and Field Events. This has been such a fun experience for students and families to participate in. Parents are invited to come cheer on students as they complete in a combination of three events. This takes place at the Spanish Fork High School, and begins as close to 9:00am as possible.

We are heading into testing season, and are so excited to show our students progress and growth. Students and staff have worked hard to help each individual succeed. With the additional Title One support received, we have seen more growth than ever, and we appreciate all the efforts that have been put forth to ensure consistency and success. As we continue forward next year as a Title One School, we are looking to expand the reach of programs and support. It so exciting to be a part of something is so beneficial for students.

Enjoy a nice Spring Break with your families. Remember that there will be no school held from April 1st-5th. School will resume on the 8th of April.

-Mrs. Thomas

PTA NEWS AND EVENTS

Thank you so much for those of you that volunteered to help set up and man each activity at the fun family Star Fest night. I just want to give a special thank you to Lashell Gibson for the great idea, and for getting it all put together. Thank you all so much for participating in the Read A Thon. The top 50 students that read the most minutes received a \$10 Classic Skating gift card.

We are looking for help for next school year. Spots we need filled are; Teacher Appreciate week coordinator, SEP dinners, Fundraising Committee, Book Fair Chair Elect (our current book fair chair will be able to train you next year, so you can do it the school year of 2020-21) Contact Tiffany Hawkins if your interested.

Upcoming Events

- °Teacher Appreciation week April 15-19
- °Parents and Pastries April 17 from 7:30-8:30am
- °Scholastic Book Fair BOGO Free April 16-19

If you would like to be added to the Larsen PTA email list you can contact Tiffany Hawkins at Tiffanymcb@hotmail.com

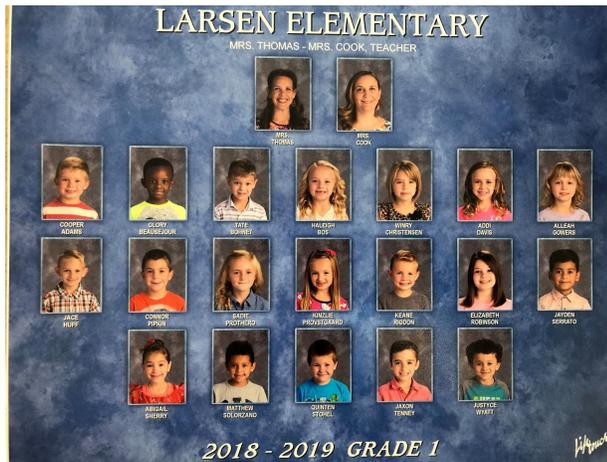
STUDENT "SPOT" LIGHTS



March Leopard Leaders



Fewest Tardies



Cleanest Classroom



Proactive at Recess



Legends of the Leap

Congratulations to March's Winners. Everyone, keep up the great work! Class goals for April are the most responsible (fewest behavior issues) class, the best hallway behavior, the most polite class..

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS MONTH

- ❖ Apr. 1-5th: No School- Spring Break
- ❖ Apr. 15th: Book Fair runs this week
Teacher Appreciation Week
- ❖ Apr. 17th: 7:30am- Parents and Pastries
- ❖ Apr. 23rd: 3rd Grade Track Meet
- ❖ Apr. 25th: 8:45am- Leopard Pride Assembly
- ❖ Apr. 30th: 4th Grade Track Meet



* Just A Reminder *



Please make sure to relink you Perks membership account at Macey's grocery store to Larsen Elementary. Last year our school received the highest amount of \$10,000 thanks to all you wonderful parents. Here is what Macey's says about the program:

"School Cents is our way of giving back and supporting our communities' education system. The School Cents program is run through Macey's Perks® program allowing us to electronically track the rewards each school earns. Your school will earn one percent* of every purchase made by its supporters."

Here is the link if you have any further questions:

<http://maceys.com/school-cents>

COUNSELOR'S CORNER

This month for Character Education, we have been working on developing communication skills, perspective, and problem-solving skills. Along with this, students were taught Habit 6(Synergize) from The Seven Habits of Highly Effective People. Students participated in various activities to understand what it means to be a team player. Here are a few links to find out more information on both topics:

<https://prezi.com/2fglcb-3etzq/the-7-habits-of-highly-effective-teens-personal-bank-account/>

<http://www.butterfieldcanyonelementary.org/files/2015/08/Habit-Help-6.pdf>

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OuJcoSHVz_E

<http://mssepp.blogspot.com/2015/02/habit-6-synergize.html>

https://www.mayomiddleschool.com/uploads/6/1/6/3/6163846/habit_6_lesson_plan.pdf

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IfQ-2RzrkCU>

<http://www.ventureteambuilding.co.uk/zoom-team-building-exercise/>

<http://slideplayer.com/slide/10364997/>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fVP9ppLLOdE>

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