### November 2016

## VIKING NEWS

Lorna Byrne Middle School

Scott Polen Principal

Sarah McNamara Dean of Students

#### **Dates to Remember:**

11/8—SMILE Meeting 11/9—Boys Bball @ Home 11/10—CLERICAL DAY

11/11—VETERAN'S DAY

11/14—Boys Bball @ RR

11/16—Picture Retakes

11/16—Boys Bball @ Home

11/17—CONFERENCES

11/18—CONFERENCES

11/21—No Classes

11/22—No Classes

11/23-No Classes

11/24—Thanksgiving

11/25—No Classes

11/28—Boys Bball @ Home

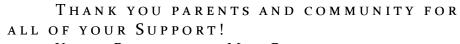
11/29—SMILE Meeting

11/30—Boys Bball @ Home

VIKING FAMILY,

OH MY GOSH, WE HAVE HAD SUCH A WONDERFUL FIRST QUARTER HERE AT LBMS. I AM SO HAPPY TO REPORT THAT THINGS ARE GOING QUITE WELL AND THE SYSTEMS IN PLACE ARE HELPING TEACHERS AND STUDENTS ALIKE.

FIRST OF ALL OUR 5TH GRADE STUDENTS ARE ABLE TO EXPERIENCE PE ON A DAILY BASIS, AND WILL SOON HAVE A MUSIC ASPECT IN THEIR DAILY ROUTINE AS WELL. SIXTH GRADERS ARE LEARNING KEYBOARDING SKILLS AND LEARNING HOW TO MAXIMIZE TECHNOLOGY INTO THE CLASSROOM. FINALLY, ALL STUDENTS ARE ABLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE "ENRICHMENT WHEEL" FOR THE LAST THIRTY MINUTES OF EACH DAY. EACH STUDENT WILL HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO PRACTICE MATH FACTS, READING SKILLS, COMPUTER SKILLS, ARCHITECTURAL DESIGN, CREATIVE HANDS ON ART PROJECTS, AND BRAIN TEASING PUZZLES AND GAMES. THESE CLASSES CHANGE EVERY THREE WEEKS SO EACH WILL EXPERIENCE EVERY CLASS.



YOUR PRINCIPAL, MR. POLEN



- OFFICE HOURS: 7:30 3:45
- ◆ MORNING HOMEWORK HELP: 7:50-8:30
- AFTER SCHOOL TUTORING: TUES & THURS

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**Every Wednesday** after school, students may ride the C10 bus to the Josephine Community **Library for FREE Crafts, activities** and snacks. If vour student would like to participate, please fill out the attached permission form and return to Ms. Snook in the **Lorna Byrne Middle School** Library. **Students** attending have the option to be picked up by a parent/guardian at LORNA BYRNE @ 5:20 or ride the **Activity Bus** home. Students may **NOT** be picked up at the library.

Questions? Call Ms. Snook 541-592-2163 X 3010

# STUDENT OF THE MONTH OCTOBER 2017

5TH GRADE:

ALEXIS LEA & HANNABAL BOHMKER

6TH GRADE:

MARGARET MAIONEY & ASHTON SANDERS

7TH GRADE:

RAYLYNN CARR & AUSTIN BOSCH

8TH GRADE:

SIERRA FERRY & EDONOVIN IVERSON

#### PARENTVUE & STUDENTVUE

ParentVUE and StudentVUE are websites that offer secure, private access to school and student information, including assignments, grades, attendance, school calendar and teacher contact details. In ParentVUE, you can see the information for all of your students.

To create an account, navigate to: www.threerivers.k12.or.us/parentportal

Please call the school first for your activation key.

#### **SYNERVOICE**

Synervoice is used to send out important messages about school closures and school events. When you get an automated call from LBMS using this program, it is important to say "Hello" as this triggers the message to start. If you have voicemail, it will leave a message. Please listen to the message in its entirety, then call the school for any unanswered questions.

If you have an email registered with the school, we will often send emails as well. Synervoice is also used for attendance calls. If your student has been marked absent in any class, the system will call you to make you aware of this absence. Please listen to the message in it's entirety before calling the school. Viking News Page 3

#### FROM THE OFFICE STAFF

Please remember that the cut-off time for changing after school plans is 1:30 p.m.
While we realize that this is sometimes unavoidable, whenever possible please talk over plans with your student before school and provide them with a bus note if needed.



Please help our school library buy more books for our students by sending in your Box Tops for Education.

Each Quarter there will be a competition between grade levels to see who can bring in the most Box Tops!

The winners will get an ELECTRONIC LUNCH in the libray!

#### LORNA BYRNE LIBRARY POLICY

EACH LORNA BYRNE STUDENT IS ALLOWED TO HAVE <u>3 BOOKS</u> CHECKED OUT FOR <u>3 WEEKS</u>. IF THE BOOKS ARE RETURNED ON TIME OR RENEWED BEFORE THE DUE DATE, NO FINES ACCRUE. IF THE BOOKS ARE NOT RETURNED OR RENEWED BEFORE THE DUE DATE THEN A .05¢ FINE IS CHARGED FOR EACH BOOK, EACH DAY UNTIL IT IS RETURNED OR RENEWED. IN THE CASE THAT BOOKS ARE LOST OR DAMAGED BEYOND REPAIR, THE STUDENT WILL BE REQUIRED TO PAY THE REPLACEMENT PRICE. WHEN FINES REACH AN EXCESSIVE AMOUNT AND/OR THERE IS A HISTORY OF LOST/DAMAGED BOOKS, STUDENTS MAY LOSE THEIR LIBRARY PRIVELEDGES.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS,

**PLEASE CONTACT:** 

JOANN SNOOK LIBRARY MANAGER 592-2163 EXT. 3010



**The Oregon Battle** of the Books. OBOB, is a statewide voluntary reading motivation and comprehension program sponsored by the Oregon Association of School Libraries in conjunction with a Library Services and **Technology Act** grant. Students in 3rd-12th grade, regardless of ability, are exposed to quality literature representing a variety of literary styles and viewpoints. The mission is to encourage and recognize students who enjoy reading, to broaden reading interests, to increase reading comprehension, promote academic excellence, and to promote cooperative learning and teamwork among students.

