

August 2016

August Report to the Board of Education
Lincoln Elementary School
Debra Zueck, principal

Be a Part of the Pride

(to date)

Enrollment:

Grade 3	96	(new to district)	4
Grade 4	101	(new to district)	9
Grade 5	91	(new to district)	4
Total	288		(served outside of district 5)

I am looking forward to another GREAT year at Lincoln Elementary School. The teachers have been working hard in preparing their classrooms to create an environment where Lincoln Learner's will feel respected-safe and ready to learn!

Thanks: A HUGE thanks goes out to Don and Aaron- for an OUTSTANDING job of getting our school ready for the school year.

Thanks: Thanks to Lana for her assistance in preparing for registration and the beginning of a new school year. It is the dedication and commitment that is so greatly appreciated.

Registration: Registration was held on Thursday, August 4th and went well. Thanks to Lana-Barb Thompson -Lu Robertson-Nancy Miller-Amanda Lehn- Janie Schmitz and Jody Hocq for all their assistance in making the day successful! We enrolled new students and those returning seemed eager to begin a new school year. Special thanks goes out to Tim Eddy and the high school crew who assisted in setting up-preparing meals and being very accommodating during this time.

New Staff: Lincoln 'Welcomes' Adam Metzger (Sp. Ed) and Grace Stinebring (Sp. Ed.) who replaced Janice Holzworth and Stephanie Stephens. Adam and Grace will be doing Tandem teaching this year which is a new concept but will be a welcome change to students and staff.

Welcome Back Night: Parents and students are encouraged to attend a 'Welcome Back to School' evening on Monday, August 22 from 5:30-7 p.m. We are looking forward to meeting new students and parents as well as welcoming back all of our students and parents in preparation for the excitement of a new school year!

(PBIS): Lincoln Learners Erupt with....Responsibility-Caring-Courage-Honesty-Citizenship-Respect-Kindness-Trustworthiness and Fairness. The Volcano theme will continue to be the main focus for our kick off 'boot camp' which will be held on Tuesday, August 23rd. Thanks to the PBIS Committee and staff for the preparation and sessions which sets the tone for student behavior during the school year.

Remind 101: This year, Remind 101 will branch out as a PBIS communication tool for parents. The tool will send information on character trait of the month-PBIS celebrations and events-and monthly data. In the past, the tool has been used by classroom teachers to send assignments-event reminders and any information that needs to be sent by the classroom teacher.

Farewell: Don Zuber will be leaving Lincoln School as head custodian to accept the position as yard maintenance/mowing. Don has done an outstanding job at Lincoln and will be missed by students and staff. We wish him the best!