



Hello Greyhound Families!

Note From The Principal

What a fun week we had celebrating Halloween! Our students loved showing off their creativity, and it was wonderful to see so many families join us for the parade. Thank you for helping make the day so special for our kids!

As we move into November, we'll shift gears from costumes and candy to curiosity and learning. We've got just a few short weeks until winter break, and our goal is to make each one count with strong routines, focused learning, and lots of encouragement along the way.

Thank you for your continued support and for partnering with us to make this a great start to the season!

Family Tip for Supporting Learning: At dinner or bedtime, have each family member share one thing they're thankful for — big or small.

Upcoming Events & Important Dates:

- Fire Prevention Week - November 3-7
- Fire Drill - November 6
- Band Booster Meeting - November 4-6:30
- Veterans Day Breakfast- November 7 7:30-8:00am
- PTO Meeting - November 10 - 6:00 LES library
- No School- Veterans Day- November 11
- McKendree Basketball Field Trip - November 14 @11:00-2:00 (depending on game end time) K-8th grades
- Midterm- November 14
- SOTM - November 19 - 1:00

Character Trait of The Month:

Courage: To meet a challenge without giving into fear. Courage is the ability to do something difficult even when there's risk. It gives students the confidence to be themselves, risk their own social status to stand up for others, and share their work even in the face of criticism.

Book suggestions: *Henry's Freedom Box*, *Max the Brave*, *The Paper Bag Princess*, *I Am (Not) Scared*



Stay in The Know!

- **Shoe Tying Challenge:** Our first annual shoe tying challenge at LES will begin this week. Our Occupational Therapist, Ms. Katie, is challenging all K-5 students to learn how to tie their shoes by winter break! She has provided practice boxes and resources for all classrooms. Let's help make this a success!
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