



# LAKEVIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Mr. Tim Woodward, Principal

## Message from the Principal:

Dear Parents and Friends,

As I reflect on recent activities at Lakeview, I am grateful and appreciative for the support from the parents and dedication of our wonderful staff. I am amazed at the level of kindness and support offered by our community to make Lakeview a great place for children to learn and thrive.

Thank you for all that you do for your son or daughter and our teachers, to support their academics, activities and well-being. Have a wonderful break filled with gratitude and thanksgiving and lots of hearty eating and time with your families! Happy Thanksgiving and go, Dragons!

Tim Woodward

## Calling all future kindergarten families!

Welcome to the #WESDFamily! Registration for 2018-2019 begins on December 1! Visit <https://www.wesdschools.org/domain/55> to see what you need to bring with you when you visit the #WESD Welcome and Registration Center.



## BOYS BASKETBALL GAMES

THE TEAM HAS BEEN WORKING HARD AND PRACTICING EVEN HARDER. SUPPORT THE TEAM AS THEY TAKE ON THEIR NEXT CHALLENGER. COME CHEER ON OUR DRAGON BASKETBALL TEAM ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 21 AGAINST LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN @ LV 4:00 P.M. GO DRAGONS!



THE DRAGONS WILL BE COMPETING IN THE CHOLLA BOYS BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT IN DECEMBER. WATCH FOR DETAILS!

**Thanksgiving Break**  
**November 23 - 24, 2017**  
**No school**

## MASK Monday Assemblies

Representatives from MASK (Mothers Awareness on School-aged Kids) will be here at Lakeview for our second educational assembly on Monday, November 20. Topics shared with students deal with events and situations affecting school-aged students and their parents including ways to be better informed. MASK promotes parenting solutions for today's families. They strive to engage, educate and empower families.



## PTA Thanks You

The PTA's annual movie night was a huge success. Thank you to the 400 plus moviegoers who enjoyed watching Captain Underpants. We appreciate the students and parents that attended on November 9. It was a chilly, fun-filled evening!

Thank you to the students and families who purchased items from the cookie dough fund-raiser. A gigantic THANK YOU to the volunteers who helped sort and distribute all 422 items. Kudos!



## Cross Country Meets



The runners on the Lakeview's Cross Country team have been making great strides and leaving many in the dust at each of their recent meets.

The season is coming to a close with only a few more meets. The next is on November 21 at Sunburst Elementary School; then on November 28 at Ironwood Elementary School both are on a Tuesday at 4:15 p.m. Runners check-in at the meet. and Go, Dragon runners!

Congratulations to Coach Potter on the arrival of her new addition to her family

## Thank You Corner

Thanks to:

- 3<sup>rd</sup> grade Lake Pleasant Outdoor Center chaperones and volunteers
- Noel Lopez from GCU for information on classes and lunch



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# CHARACTER COUNTS – Caring

“A smile is the light in your window that tells others that there is a caring, sharing person inside.”

*Denis Waitley – American Motivational speaker, writer, consultant*

## **Parent Life Saving Class**

### After-school Parent Classes

Attention Parents! We are excited to announce the next parent class **“Thinking Ahead”** on Thursday, November 30 starting at 3:15 p.m. in the computer lab. After-school fourth to sixth grade students and their parents are invited to join the class to learn how to understand reading and math data. Keep informed! This class will help parents learn how to read your son or daughter’s data and how to help them at home. The instructor for this class will be Mrs. Allison Chavez.

Thank you to the parents who attended the other Family Links classes on Moby Max and Reading and Math data for kindergarten through third grade.

Parents, be a life saver! Come to this class titled **“Stop the Bleed”** presented by the Maricopa Medical Center and held in the library on **November 28 at 9:00 a.m.** This class will raise awareness of life saving strategies and provide bleeding control tools to the public. Learn how to be prepared in an emergency. Seating is limited. RSVP to Ms. Mac at 602-388-2749.

On Tuesday, November 21, come to the MASK **“Cyber Power”** class for parents at 9:00 a.m. at Lakeview.

## **HEALTH NOTE**

The weather is changing and with the change comes cold and flu season. How can you protect your child and keep him or her healthy?



**Also, what is the difference between**

**a cold and the flu?** The flu and the common cold are both respiratory illnesses but they are caused by different viruses. Because these two

types of illnesses have similar flu-like symptoms, it can be difficult to tell the difference between them based on symptoms alone. In general, the flu is worse than the common cold, and symptoms such as fever, body aches, extreme tiredness, and dry cough are more common and intense. Colds are usually milder than the flu. People with colds are more likely to have a runny or stuffy nose. Colds generally do not result in serious health problems, such as pneumonia, bacterial infections or hospitalizations. For any questions or concerns call Mrs. DeBernardis, Lakeview's health tech at 602-896-5810.

## **Kindergarten Fall Feast**

The kindergartners will be having their annual Fall Feast on November 22, at 10:30 a.m. in the kindergarten courtyard. Kindergarten parents are asked to help out with food items such as: sliced deli meats, turkey or ham, would be appreciated. If you would like to assist, please contact your son or daughter’s teacher for an assignment.



## **CALENDAR EVENTS**

### **November:**

- 11/20 MASK Assemblies @ 8:15 & 9:15
- 11/21 Boys Basketball – Lookout Mountain @ LV @ 4:00 pm
- 11/21 Cross Country Meet @ Sunburst @ 4:15 pm
- 11/23-11/24 Thanksgiving Break – No School
- 11/28 “Stop the Bleed” Class – Rm #18 @ 9:00 am
- 11/28 Cross Country Meet @ Ironwood @ 4:15 pm
- 11/30 Student of the Month Assembly @ 8:00 am
- 11/30 Family Links Class @ 3:15 – Computer Lab



## **WESD TEACHER INTERVIEWS**

The Washington Elementary School District (WESD) will host multiple Teacher Interview Fairs to hire teachers for the 2018-2019 school year. All Teacher Interview Fairs will take place from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the WESD Administrative Center, 4650 West Sweetwater Avenue, Glendale, 85304. Contracts for the 2018-2019 school year will be offered to qualified candidates. Student teachers, soon-to-be college graduates, seasoned teachers and alternative pathways are encouraged to attend!

Teacher Interview Fairs are scheduled for:

- Saturday, November 4, 2017;
- Saturday, December 16, 2017,
- Saturday, January 20, 2018,
- Saturday, February 24, 2018,
- Thursday, March 15, 2018, 4 to 7:30 p.m.; and
- Saturday, April 28, 2018.

Interviews will be conducted for those interested in teaching: kindergarten, elementary education, special education, language arts, mathematics, science, social studies, general music, art and special needs preschool. Successful candidates may be recommended for a 2018-2019 teaching contract.

Apply online prior to the interview fair at [jobs.wesdschools.org](http://jobs.wesdschools.org). Please select the posting titled, Teacher – All Positions. Human Resources will contact qualified applicants directly to preschedule an interview.

For more information, contact the WESD Recruitment Office at 602-347-2622 or e-mail [teach@wesdschools.org](mailto:teach@wesdschools.org).