# LINCOLN NEWS

**Lincoln Elementary School, Zeeland Public Schools** 

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We need your help to keep our students and families safe! Please **DO NOT** park in the right, drop off lane when bringing your child(ren) to school. This disrupts the flow of traffic! If you will be getting out of your car or delayed for any reason, please park in a parking spot and walk your child across to the sidewalk when they are ready. Thank you!



December 18-22

\*Details were sent home with student this week!



ALL SCHOOL SING—ALONG
December 21 @ 10:30am

\*This is a special tradition for students and staff. Please plan appointments around this event if possible. The office will be closed during this time.



### **SEASON OF GIVING**

Lincoln Elementary is sponsoring two activities this Holiday season to help people within our Lincoln Family and beyond!





# Toys For Tots December 1-20

We are still collecting NEW/ UNWRAPPED toys for area children! Please bring them to the donation box in the office. We would love to fill the boxes so please consider giving to this great cause!



### Penny Wars— November 30-December 15

This is a friendly competition between classrooms. Each classroom will have a collection can sitting outside of their room. Money is to be placed in cans before 9:00am. Students bring in loose change or dollars and deposit bills and pennies in their own classroom's can and deposit nickels, dimes and quarters in other classroom cans. Silver coins count against classroom totals and pennies and dollar bills count for the positive. Classrooms will tally their totals on December 15. These funds go directly to Lincoln families with specific identified needs during the Christmas holiday.

#### Lincoln's Mission Statement

Promoting learning as a lifelong process by challenging students in a positive, secure, and success-orientated environment based upon mutual respect among children, parents, and school personnel.

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#### **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

For the full calendar, please visit our website at www.zps.org
Lincoln's calendar of events is online!

#### **IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE 2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR**

Dec 15	Popcorn Friday
Dec 25-Jan 5	Holiday Break
Jan 12	3rd Grade Field Trip—See Teacher for Details
Jan 15	NO SCHOOL
Jan 19	Popcorn Friday
Jan 26	1/2 Day of School
Feb 12-13	NO SCHOOL—Winter Break
Feb 16	Popcorn Friday
Feb 23	1/2 Day of School
Feb 29	1/2 Day—Parent Teacher Conferences
Mar 1	1/2 Day—Parent Teacher Conferences
Mar 11	4th Grade Field Trip—See Teacher for Details
Mar 15	Popcorn Friday
Mar 22	1/2 Day of School
Mar 28	5th Grade Field Trip—See Teacher for Details
Mar 29-Apr 5	Spring Break

# Girls on the Run (GOTR) 2024 Spring Season



The GOTR program is designed to inspire 3rd-5th grade girls of all abilities to recognize and embrace their inner strength and make meaningful connections with others. Registration opened December 1! Fliers went home last week with registration information.

## Total Trek Quest (TTQ) 2024 Spring Season



TTQ is a program for 3rd-5th grade boys and begins the week of March 11. Practices incorporate strength and stretching exercises while training for a 5K run that will take place on May 18. Registration is open! Fliers went home last week with registration information.



#### Week of 12/11—12/15

Mon.

- A. Shredded BBQ Pork Sandwich
- B. Cereal Fun Lunch w/ Yogurt, String Cheese & Cheez–Its

Baked Beans, Power Peas, Broccoli Salad, Dried Apricots, Apple

Tues.

- A. Popcorn Chicken w/ Pretzel Stick
- B. Cereal Fun Lunch w/ Yogurt, String Cheese & Cheez–Its

Mashed Potatoes, Sweet Corn and Pepper Salad, Celery, Carrots and Cherry Tomatoes, Winter Fruit Salad, Banana

Wed.

- A. Penne w/ Meat Sauce
- B. Cereal Fun Lunch w/ Yogurt, String Cheese & Cheez–Its

Roasted Broccoli, Romaine Lettuce, Grape Tomatoes, Grapes, Northwest Apple Salad

Thurs.

- A. Pancake & Sausage Links
- B. Cereal Fun Lunch w/ Yogurt, String Cheese & Cheez–Its

Sweet Potato Fries, Cauliflower, Cucumber Slices, Minty Fruit Salad, Pears

Fri.

 A. Pepperoni Pizza
 B. Cereal Fun Lunch w/ Yogurt, String Cheese & Cheez–Its

> Roasted Green Beans, Carrots, Spinach and Cranberry Salad, Juice Cup, Pineapple



#### **BITTERSWEET SKI CLUB**

Bittersweet Ski Club Cards are here and ready to be purchased! As soon as you turn in your completed form and payment to the office, we will be able to get you your discount cards! Remember these cards are available to everyone, so tell your friends and grab a form from the office!

All forms and payment are due by December 15!