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#### **Lincoln News**

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# Important Dates for 25/26 School Calendar

ZPS is pleased to share some important dates for the 2025-2026 school calendar. The full calendar should be available sometime following Spring Break. Notable dates include:

- ◆ 1st Day of School—August 27
- Labor Day—August 29 & September 1
- ◆ Thanksgiving Break—November 26—28
- ◆ Holiday Break—December 22 to January 2
- ♦ Winter Break—February 9—10
- ◆ Spring Break—April 3—10
- ♦ Memorial Day—May 25
- ♦ Last Day of School—June 5

## Important Reminder

Please update your information with the office if you have moved or changed contact information since the beginning of the school year. We use this information to relay important details about your student and school activities. Don't miss out.

#### **ZBus Schedule**

ZPS is offering the mobile library (ZBus) again this summer. Please call Lincoln's office if you need a schedule.

## News from the Library

The Literati Buy One Get One Free Book Fair is coming to Lincoln May 19 – 22. Please contact the office if you would be willing to volunteer to help run the book fair. Also, we're wrapping up our last couple of weeks checking out library books. The last week for checking out library books will be May 12–16. All library books are due back to the library by May 30th. Our students are Racing to the Finish to see if they can have all library books returned. The classes that have all library books returned/paid for will receive a flashlight reading party in the library! Look high and low for those library books and see that they're returned before Friday the 30th so your child's class can participate in the flashlight reading party! Thanks for partnering with us to keep our library resources available for all students.

# Lincoln Family Carnival

Carnival is tonight (Friday, May 16). Festivities start at 5:30pm. Games and inflatables run from 6:00pm-7:30pm. There will be Raffles, Theme Baskets, Food Trucks, etc. Wrist bands: \$12 each or \$35 per family; Theme Basket/Raffle Tickets: \$1. Wristbands, raffle tickets, and concessions will be cash only purchase at the carnival. Food trucks will take cash or card to purchase items.

## Memorial Day Parade

The parade kicks off at 9am on Monday, May 26 and winds through the streets of

downtown Zeeland. This is not a drop-off event: all children must be accompanied by an adult chaperone if they would like to participate in the parade. Please plan to meet at the corner of Centennial and Main Streets by 8:45am, as this is where ZPS will be staged for the start of the parade. Please join us as we pay tribute to our heroes and our country.

Note: 1st and 2nd grade students will walk only, while 3rd-5th grade students have the option to rollerblade or scooter. Join us as we throw on some patriotic gear and support our community! We hope to see you there.

### Inflatable Slip and Slide Party

Lincoln's PTO is hosting an all school Inflatable Slip and Slide Party on Friday, May 30 as a reward for the Student participation and help with our Fitness Frenzy Fundraiser this year. Every class earned the ability to participate in this fun event! Things to know: Classes will be going at different times throughout the day; the Slip and Slide will be at Lincoln this year; Kids will need to bring a change of clothes or swimsuit (one piece for girls) and a towel. This is not an open event, but parents are welcome to check in at the office and watch. You must have a visible white sticker to be on the playground.

#### **Total Trek Quest Celebration Run**

The 5K Celebration Run for TTQ will be Saturday, May 17 at Newago High School. See coaches for details.