

Lakeview Elementary School Newsletter

May 2009

Judy Chance, *Principal*

Lakeview Elementary School
The Eagle's Nest
Soaring to Success



Lakeview Elementary School Mission Statement

The mission of Lakeview Elementary School is to inspire all students to be passionate, continuous learners and to prepare them with the skills to achieve their goals and flourish as responsible, caring citizens in a global community.

Mark your Calendar

- ◆ 5-20 Last Day of School
Minimum Day-dismissal
12:35
- ◆ Have a great summer.
See you in August.

Principally Speaking

We have had a fast-paced month with many terrific events.

Our first ever Golf Tournament a huge success, Thank you to Shelby and Jason Willits and Bill Reed, who were instrumental, along with their committee, in bringing this event to Lakeview.

On Saturday, May 2nd, braving the rain and unpredictable weather conditions, many of us enjoyed the "Lakeview Clean-up Day". The crew was led by Mrs. Adams who organized over 30 adults and children made up of volunteers from Intel, several of our current Lakeview families and a few of our future Lakeview families. The success of the day was measured in the several thousand pounds of weeds pulled and the wonderful greenhouse that was assembled. Thank you to all of the participants. We had a huge turnout for Open House. The students' hard work show-cased beautifully. I always enjoy the students' excitement when they are sharing their work with parents and family members. Additionally, the Arts Attack projects were displayed so creatively in the multi-purpose room. Thank you to Mrs. Chase and Mrs. Durkett and to the entire parent volunteer group who continue to make this program possible.

Mrs. McCarver and Mrs. Harr organized a reception to thank the Barona Band of Mission Indians for the \$5000 grant which was used to purchase over 200 books for the

school, a wonderful opportunity for us to move closer to our goal of 25 books per student in the library.

We are continuing with our "SOS", "Save Our Schools" campaign, in an effort to raise one million dollars and offset the deficits in funding from the state. With the defeat of the propositions May 19th, less money will trickle down to our schools. The million dollars is our hope of restoring a ratio of 20 students to 1 teacher in our primary classrooms. Thank you to those of you who have come together to hear the information shared at our meetings and the meetings held at the district level and thank you to those of you who have been able to contribute to the fundraising.

As this school year comes to a close, I want to thank all of you for your continued support of our programs at Lakeview and for helping us to create a family-centered, student-oriented enriched learning environment for the children

Have a wonderful summer!

Sincerely,
Judy Chance

Golf Classic Update

Congratulations to all our raffle prize winners! If you have not looked at the list to see if you've won, please log on to the school's website and click on the golf tournament page to view the list of winners. A full list of raffle and auction item winners is also posted on the PTO case just outside the office.

Additionally, we would like to commend our class contest winners. Mrs. Stephens classroom sold 210 tickets to win the grades K-1 division, Mrs. Dermer's class sold 187 tickets to win the grades 2-3 division and Mrs. Goodman-Simmons' class sold 76 tickets to win the grades 4-5 division. Congratulations!

The golf committee would like to thank all those that participated in our first Lakeview Golf Classic. We are especially grateful to the following sponsors for their generous contributions:

Title Sponsor



Silver Sponsors



Gomann Family



Thank You to the Lakeview Clean-Up Work Crew:

- Pocholo Pasicolan -
- Vargas family (Andy, Michael, Dawn)
- Ernest Jennison -
- Jim Gordon -
- Vicki and Kurt Nelson -
- Vamshi Kadiyala -
- Martin family (Aaron, Carlene and kids)
- Jennifer Adams and family (Scott, Jordyn, Hailey)
- Madhu Ponnada -
- Ankita Agarwal -
- Durga Pan -
- Rovegno family (Julie, Joe, Cole, Kyle) -
- Dave Sierra and family -
- Yan Hou -
- Jian Bao and Claire -
- Adamson family (Gene, Krsten, Zachary) -
- Carmen Reed -
- Brousseau family (Ann, Ray, Raeghan, Matt, Nick) -
- Karen and Noah Morris -
- Brandon family - (Bill, Sally, Nicolas, Ben)

A Note from Mrs. Brancoli, Student Council, Advisor:

Thank you to everyone for your support of our pennies for patients campaign. Lakeview raised a total of \$941.56. We were \$441.76 over our goal of \$500.00. I also wanted to let you know that we collected 23,826 pennies. The money will go to support research for a cure for Leukemia and Lymphoma. I am so proud of our students and am grateful that they have such open hearts! Great work everyone.

Winning classes:

Mrs. Hoffman's/Mrs. Keever's class for donating 3186 pennies

Mrs. Stevenson's class for raising the most money, \$201.19

If your student has medication(s) at school, please stop by the health office and pick up the medication by the last day of school. We CANNOT send medication home with the student. It must be picked up by an adult. California Education Code requires that a new medication form be completed by the physician and parent for each school year. Forms are available in the school office.

GATE

GATE had a very full year with their House Design project. This multi-week curriculum allowed the students to work as teams of three working on jobs such as architect, interior designer and contractor. The culminating event, their Design Expo, was very professional. The students presented the project which they had designed to an audience of parents. The students also went to "Explore It" Science Center in Davis and to the capitol for "Scientist Day." Parent presenters for the program this year include Mr. Ghamami, who grafted fruit on to our fruit trees and Mr. VanderVeer who shared house design floor plans and Mr. Tongthaworn who shared floor plans and discussed the different types of plans. Many thanks to the parent and grandparent volunteers, including Mrs. DeLaCruz, who videotaped the Design Expo and provided each student with a copy of the presentations. Mrs. Weisser has done an awesome job organizing this program and guiding the students with their work.

From the Library and Mrs. Harr

It is with great excitement to let you all know that the library has increased it's collection to 9,268 books and materials. Student ratio to books currently stands at 16:1 Thanks to all who contribute to have relevant update and interesting books and materials for the students and classrooms.

Cheers to:

Lakeview PTO
Lakeview Student Council
Lakeview SIP
Lakeview Parent Donations
Lakeview Library Birthday Club
The Walker Family
Barona Mission Tribe/Barona Education Grant
Library Parent and Student Volunteers

Once again, if you are traveling this summer, Mrs. Harr would love a postcard from a fun place you plan to visit.

Send your postcard to: Lakeview Elementary/Mrs. Harr
3371 Brittany Way
El Dorado Hills, CA 95762

Can't think of what to read this summer? Check these sites out:

Scholastic.com has a summer challenge reading program, plus lists of recommended books to read and more!

El Dorado County library (eldoradolibrary.org) online show s a calendar of events for the summer, story times, book clubs, etc...

Sacramento Library (saclibrary.org) has the Sacramento counties library listed along with and event calendar.

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Eagle Eye Winners from February:

The staff at Lakeview supports the recognition of positive choicer. Out Eagle Eye program applauds those students who have shown exemplary behavior and who uphold the character traits described in our Character Counts program. Each month, each class draws a name from their pool of Eagle Eye recipients to receive a gift certificate from an area restaurant.

Congratulations to the following students for their exemplary behavior!

Miranda R.	Jason H.
Trustin L.	Jack S
Abigail S.	Kevin C
Pavitra D.	Josiah H.
Michael H.	Jake V.
Aiden B.	Kelly O.
Devon Z.	Maggie H
Julia K.	Brianna S
Mariah M.	Kambez B.

Be Good for a Sub

This program recognizes students who do an exceptional job in the classroom during a teacher’s absence. Lakeview staff expects students to behave respectfully, supporting the guest teacher in a polite and courteous manner. The following students have earned the honor of being “good for a sub.”

Nic. H.
Brooke M.
Gabriella L.
Chloe L.
Kailey T.
Seth M.
Hayley M.
Jessica P.

Oral Interpretation:

Our Oral Interpretation Team did an A+ job at the competition last month.

Team members received either an excellent or a superior for their individual effort.

Members included:

Nicholas W.	Hailee B.
Isabella R.	Cassie C.
Mackenzie M.	Cambria C.
Gabriella L.	Ashley D.
Marisa I.	

Thank you to their coaches, Mrs. Ryan and Mrs. Simmons

Spelling Bee Teams:

Congratulations to our Spelling Bee participants who competed well in the county contest.

Teams

Ms. Barry’s Team

Jasmine S.
Courtney C.
Madison H.
Nickolas W.
Crew W.
Nico C.

Ms. Phillips’ Team

Sara A. Kelly L.
Lauren A. Emily Y.
Randeep C.
Hayley M.

Mrs. Arendt’s Team

Ethan H.
Jacob C.
Jake O.
Maizy J.
Zachary G.
Brendan K.

Before summer vacation...

Please claim any lost clothing items from the Lost and Found box beside the office. All articles left after June 1st will be donated. Always make sure to put names in the items so we can find the owners.