

LOHR ELEMENTARY

October Happenings

- October 4: Kindergarten Field Trip
- October 8: PTO meeting 6:30 in Lohr Library
- October 9: 3rd Grade Fall Reading OAA
- October 10: Fundraiser Delivery and Distribution
- October 14: 1st -3rd Grade Play at PHS
- October 25: Delayed Start
- October 25: Fall Harvest Parties in Classrooms 2:40
- November 1: Lifetouch Picture Retakes

COSI on Wheels

How do you know how old a tree is? What adaptations does a fox go through in the different seasons? How are seeds and pollen spread? What would I see if I were a bug or mole? These were all questions that students were able to answer after a day with COSI.

On Wednesday, September 25th, thirty volunteers joined the Lohr students in a fun-filled day of science exploration through the Center of Science and Industry (COSI). The children began the day with an all school assembly to discuss the topic of ecology. They learned about different habitats and animal adaptations within ecosystems. Later in the day, each grade

level was given the time for hands on exploration in ten ecology-based stations.

A HUGE thank you goes out to all the volunteers that helped with the science stations and the PTO for their monetary and physical support of the COSI program.



Read a Good Book this Fall!



Office Reminders

When your child is absent, it is very important to call the school to explain the reason your child will not be in attendance. Please feel free to leave a message on the attendance line for Mrs. Noggle. When your child returns, board policy requires a note be sent for documentation purposes.

If a change in afternoon transportation is necessary, please send a note to your child's teacher explaining the change. This

will help to ensure accuracy with afternoon dismissal. If a bus pass is requested the following information must also be submitted: Name of student, date, bus number, the location (address) of the drop off point, name of student(s) your child will be riding with. We request this system **not** be used for sleep-overs and other social activities after school.



PTO Update

It has been a very busy start to the school year for PTO. Many volunteers for have been at the building assisting the students and staff.

Popcorn and Spirit shop Fridays have begun. These events will alternate weeks in order to provide students the opportunity to purchase Perry Spirit wear /items or Popcorn. All popcorn sales has been designated to offset student field trip cost. Please see the schedule for dates of these PTO sponsored activities.

PTO has also purchased a new basketball hoop for the playground. With the installation of new blacktop, students will be able to shoot hoops any day.

A BIG thank you goes to the parents that volunteered at the COSI event. With the abundance of volunteers, students were able to enjoy science exploration.

Popcorn Fridays:

October 4, 18 and November 1

Spirit Ship Fridays:

October 11 and 25

Crayola Marker Collection

Lohr School has teamed up with Crayola Markers in a recycling program. Crayola will accept any dried up markers in order to turn them into clean energy. A plastic tub, located in the school lobby labeled Crayola markers, has been designated for collection. Please feel free to send in markers from home that are dried out in

order to support a greener district, All markers will be shipped at the expense to Crayola. This is one more way that Lohr School will be GREEN.

Thank you for your support,
Mrs. Jones, Cafeteria Manager



Counselors Corner

All Kindergarten students will watch the DVD "A Kid's Guide to Self Protection". They will learn the three rules for protecting themselves from strangers: 1. Say no. 2. Run away. 3. Tell a grown up.

All first graders will watch the video, "Be Safe" In this video, two raccoons teach students how to protect

themselves from strangers and how to recognize the tricks strangers use. Soon, the fourth grade students will start monthly Teen Talk meetings. The high school Teen Institute students come to the elementary schools to discuss drug and alcohol awareness.

More information will be sent home with the students.

