

# LAKELAND SCHOOL

## SPECIAL EDITION

### FIRST WEEK BACK.

It's been a great first week of 2023 here at Lakeland School. Students participated in morning meetings where they shared what they did over break, reviewed the core word of the day, and talked about Mindfulness, our school's focus for the month of January.

This week, we also had a our student of the month assembly where the following students were honored by their teachers for being Respectful, Responsible, and Safe: Bianka S, Daniel M., Aspen T., Connor S., and Xander A. Ari was also honored by her teachers for being a bucket filler in the month of December in their Department.

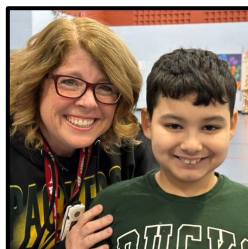
Don't forget that next week on Friday, January 13, 2023, we will have family Fun Night from 6:00 to 7:30pm in the Lakeland School Gym. This week we will be playing board games! Come and join the fun.

### CLASSROOM SPOTLIGHT.

Students in Mr. Kitzmiller's LYou classroom are working on a project for a primary school.

Each year, students cut and paint fence posts so that primary school students can decorate it to look like a snowman.

These students work on team work, communication, taking turns, and organizing their project.



# UPCOMING EVENTS.

## JANUARY.

- 13 Family Fun Night @ Lakeland School, 6:00- 8:00pm
- 16 Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- 25 No School, In Service Day

## FEBRUARY.

- 3 Student of the Month Assembly @ 9am
- 10 Family Fun Night @ 6-8pm
- 14 Valentine's Day
- 22 Early Dismissal, 1pm

## MARCH.

- 3 Student of the Month Assembly @ 9am
- 6 End of 2nd Trimester
- 12 Daylight Savings Time Starts
- 17 St. Patrick's Day
- 22 Early Dismissal, 1pm
- 27-31 No School, Spring Break

## APRIL.

- 3 School Resumes
- 6 Student of the Month Assembly @ 9am
- 7 No School, Holiday
- 19 Early Dismissal
- 21 Spring Concert
- 27 Family Engagement Night, 4-8pm
- 28 No School

## MAY.

- 1-5 Teacher Appreciation Week
- 5 Student of the Month Assembly @ 9am
- 14 Mother's Day
- 24 Early Dismissal, 1pm
- 29 No School, Memorial Day

## JUNE.

- 2 Student of the Month Assembly @ 9am
- 2 Family Fun Night Picnic
- 5 Graduation @ Lakeland School, 7-8pm
- 7 Last day of School, End of 3rd Trimester
- 18 Father's Day
- 24 Lakeland School Golf Outing @ Delbrook Golf Course, 11:15am- 5:15pm

## JULY.

- 4 Independence Day
- 10- 28 Summer School

"Just like the butterfly, I too, will awaken in my own time".



-D. Chaskin



**SCHOOL  
CALENDAR**



**SCHOOL  
WEBSITE**



**JANUARY  
LUNCH MENU**

**Our School's  
January Focus is:  
MINDFULNESS.**

# RESOURCES.

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## **THE ON-AIR ADVOCATE.**

Check out this awesome podcast that provides education, advocacy, and support for those with children and adults with special needs.

[The On-Air Advocate.](#)

## **SUPPORTED DECISION MAKING.**

Watch this video that provides support related to [Supported Decision Making Overview.](#) an alternative to guardianship.

## **VIP SERVICES.**

VIP Day Services works to increase health, safety, and well-being out of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities living in our community. They work to expose people to interests as interests lead to engagement and engagement leads to a full life. More information can be found on their [website.](#)

## **REMINDERS.**

- Students should not arrive to school earlier than 8:20 a.m. as supervision begins at this time.
- If your child needs to be absent from school, please notify us by calling the school office at (262) 741-4118 before 9:15 a.m.
- If your child is going to be absent from school due to an appointment or illness, bring in a doctor's note to have the absence excused.
- Lakeland will continue to use Skylert automated calls to share important information with all families. Please call the main office if you need to update your phone number or email address.

## **IMAGINATION LIBRARY.**

Did you know that you can get free books for your child? Dolly Parton's Imagination Library is a book gifting program that mails free, high-quality books to children from birth to age five. All you need to do is sign up. Check out the website [HERE.](#)

## **BOWLING.**

If your child is interested in bowling, head over to Delavan Lanes starting on January 24th from 4:00 to 6:00. For 10 weeks your child can join others in the special needs bowling league.

It's \$10 per night.

If you have any questions, please call 262-374-1838

