Weekly Update

“The greatest gifts you can give your children are the roots of responsibility and the wings of independence...”

It is so hard to believe that we are already in the 10th week of school! This week will mark the end of the first quarter of school. Students in grades K-5th will receive schedule requests for Parent/Teacher Conferences on Wednesday, November 18, 2015. Please complete the form and return to school with your child by Thursday, November 12th. We are looking for 100% participation from all of our families.

Last week, we celebrated our October Students of the Month. Congratulations to the following students for demonstrating Responsibility: Kaelyn Jose and Alayah Tureaud of Pre-Kindergarten; Loi Carroll and Molly Boven of Kindergarten; Eric Johnson and Josie Schwartz of 1st Grade; Mia Hseu and Avery Yusuf of 2nd Grade; Sophia Hall and Isaac Hoyt of 3rd Grade; Kori Henderson and Guthrie Kim of 4th Grade; Abigale Garr and Keenan Houlihan of 5th Grade; Gillian Mui and Anthony Potter of 6th Grade; Marek Gawlak and Nina Le of 7th Grade; and Yasmine Haynes and Oscar Vasquez of 8th Grade!

The Square 1 Art fundraiser has begun. Last week, students received order forms and information. This is a chance to own a piece of your child’s artwork while supporting the school. All funds will go towards a special budget reserve in the event of loss of funds due to CPS’ current budget crisis. Our school district, Chicago Public Schools (CPS), is facing a $480 million dollar budget shortfall that will have consequences on our staff and class size beginning as early as January if no action is taken. Please take a minute to visit cps.edu/takeaction, where you’ll find resources to help you speak up for our community.

~Principal Sims

Parent Needs Survey

Mrs. Edgin is requesting your input to better help her meet the needs of Lenart parents/guardians as the School Counselor! If you would please take a few moments to answer a few questions, it would be greatly appreciated. Please use the following link: Parent Needs Survey to complete the survey.

Upcoming Events

November 11
No Classes in observance of Veteran’s Day

November 12
End of 1st Quarter

LSC Meeting
4:00 p.m.
Lenart Library

November 13
No Classes
Staff Development Day

November 17
Square 1 Art Fundraiser
orders due

November 18
No Classes
Parent/Teacher Conferences
11:00 a.m – 6:15 p.m.
(teacher break from 3-4p.m.)

November 25
No Classes
Thanksgiving Holiday