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The Newsletter for Lake Orienta Elementary

"Success for Every Student"

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From the Principal

Dear Penguin families,

I hope that you are all ready for some cooler weather as we enter October. It is hard to believe that there are only 3 months left in 2015. You should have received your child's first progress report on Tuesday, September 29 documenting their progress for the first 6 weeks of school. If you did not see a copy, you are encouraged to contact your child's teacher. Teachers are also in the process of scheduling conferences with parents of each student to discuss their progress and how you can support your child in school. We are focused on building strong connections and relationships between home and school this year. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have questions or concerns about your child's progress at Lake Orienta.

Parent of Kindergarten, 1st and 2nd grade students are encouraged to sign up and attend our Title I Make and Take on Thursday, October 22. We are going to offer our activities, followed by pizza in our dining services room, i.e. cafeteria. We encourage all parents to attend with their children so that they can participate in an activity and make something that you can take home to extend classroom learning into your homes. The teachers work hard to prepare the activities and we would love a great turnout to support our wonderful teachers.

Thanks for your continued support!

D. Weaver

There's an "AP" for that!

News from the Assistant Principal- Mary Walters-Clark

Happy Fall! There is a skip in the step of our students since the weather has turned to cool, at least in the mornings.

Please be on the lookout for the results of the Florida State Assessments that Seminole County Public Schools participated in last spring. Also, there will be changes made to the new assessment schedule as the year progresses.

Students have been learning and practicing skills in the I-Ready Lab with their teachers. This program provides our teachers with the data needed to see if students are making one year's growth in one year's time. This is the goal for every student in SCPS!

You can assist in becoming involved in your child's learning. Become a DIVIDEND! by signing up on the SCPS Website: www.scps.k12.fl.us.

FSA NEWS

Parents, we have received some initial school-wide data from the spring administration of the new Florida Standards Assessment. We anticipate individual student score reports on or after October 21, 2015. We will provide information about these scores and their distribution as soon as we receive it. Thanks for your understanding and patience.

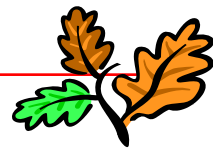
SAVE THE DATE!!!!

American Education Week November 15-21, 2015

Teach-In Tuesday, November 17th, 2015

We would like to thank all parents for their support and Welcome Parents to participate in the 2015 Teach-In here at Lake Orienta!!

Remember to first sign-up as a Dividend
More Information to Follow!!



Lake Orienta Family Programs
Where Parents Make Things Possible!

Club News!!!

We are pleased to once again offer the opportunity for students to participate in these LKO After School Activities!



CROSS COUNTRY

All Students must have parent permission and Proof of Medical Insurance to participate.

Ms. Amy Wildes, 4th grade teacher,
Coordinator

Amy_Wildes@scps.k12.fl.us

Practices will be held After School on:

**Thursday Afternoons from
3:15 until 3:45**



Beginning on October 15th, 2015!!!

Early Act-

For 4th and 5th Grade Students

All 4th and 5th Grade Students must have parent permission to participate.

Ms. Desiree Feaster, 4th /5th grade teacher,
Coordinator

Desiree_Feaster@scps.k12.fl.us

Meetings will be held After School:

**Twice a month on Monday Afternoons
from 3:15 until 4pm**

Beginning on October 12th, 2015!!!

Upcoming Family
Involvement Events:



October 8th- Family Skate Night!!

Semoran Skateway 6:15pm- 8:15pm

\$6 per Skater and \$5 per PTA Member



**October 6th - Cookie Dough Money Due to
Teachers & PTA Meeting at 5:30pm**

October 19th - No School for Students

**October 22nd- Title I Make and Take Night
Grades K, 1 & 2**

**October 23rd - *Fabulous Friday!* KG & 5th
(Bring a Store bought Breakfast Item)**

October 29th & 30th-Book Fair Preview Days

October 30th- Hat Day!!! All Grades!!!



November Preview:

*Book Fair Coming November 2nd-6th!!

November 5th- Monsters Family Book Fair Night!
& Cookie Dough Pick-up

November 25th- 27th - *Thanksgiving Break!!!*

PTA Membership:

PTA is a great opportunity for you to support school programs. Most people think that when



you join PTA you have to volunteer. NOT TRUE! Your membership helps to support school activities like Reading Initiatives, Family Nights and School Assemblies.

Membership only costs \$8. Benefits:
>Special Member Drawings at Events > Events and Programs that enrich our school > Member Discounts on selected items > Being Involved in your child's education experience
Membership forms available in the front office! For more information please contact: KTigwell@yahoo.com

Field Trip
Chaperones

Please remember to register to be a Dividend First!!

Visit:

<http://www.scps.k12.fl.us/dividends/Home.aspx>



Car Rider &
Early Pick-up
Reminders:

Parents please be reminded that if you need to pick your child up early for appointments, you need to:

- 1) Send notice to your child's teacher
- 2) Be in the office to pick-up by 1:30pm on Wednesday and 2:30pm on all other Days.

Please have your I.D Ready :)

For information or assistance with Family Programs contact Mrs. Leonard
Jonita_Leonard@scps.k12.fl.us