



# LINCOLN MIDDLE SCHOOL

700 West Lincoln Street, Mount Prospect, IL 60056

“The Friday Email”

May 14, 2010



## Good Luck at Sectionals! Lincoln Lions Track and Field Team



### FROM THE OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

#### Parent/Teacher Satisfaction Surveys – A Change from Past Practice

In recent years the District developed and administered a satisfaction survey to parents and teachers. For a number of reasons, there wasn't a very large return rate of the surveys. When only a small number of surveys are returned, it is difficult to generalize any findings and target appropriate areas for improvement. We will no longer be administering that particular survey. However, collecting satisfaction survey data is very important to help guide and measure improvement for the District. To improve the process of collecting this information, the Board of Education approved the following Administrative recommendation to the District's 2010-2015 Revised Strategic Plan: "Conduct satisfaction surveys beginning February 2011 and report findings to determine student, staff, and parent perceptions of our schools and the District – every other year on the odd-numbered years." The Administration will work with a survey company to develop the questions and oversee administering the survey to ensure comprehensive, confidential data collection with comparables that can guide our ongoing performance improvement efforts.

Elaine Aumiller, Ed.D., Superintendent of Schools

### Lincoln Calendar Reminders:

- 5/17 All 8<sup>th</sup> Graders must return library books to the LRC
- 5/18 Band Trip to Vandercook, Chicago
- All 7<sup>th</sup> Graders must return library books to the LRC
- 5/19 Mile Run in PE
- All 6<sup>th</sup> Graders must return library books to the LRC
- 5/21 Track team heads to State
- 5/24 Orchestra Spring Concert 7pm
- 5/25 Early Dismissal

### **Today's Attachments:**

- **REVISED 2010-2011 District Calendar**
- **Transportation Update from the District Office**
- **PTA's Lion's Roar**
- **MPPD Summer Fun Flyer**

## **Mount Prospect School District 57**

### **2010 – 2011 School Calendar**

Staff Institute Days	August 23-24, 2010	Student Non-attendance Days
First Day of Classes	August 25, 2010	Half Day for Students (a.m.)
Labor Day	September 6, 2010	All Buildings Closed
Non-attendance Day	September 9, 2010	All Buildings Closed
School Improvement Planning Day	October 5, 2010	Half Day for Students (a.m.)
Columbus Day	October 11, 2010	All Buildings Closed
School Improvement Planning Day	October 20, 2010	Half Day for Students (a.m.)
School Improvement Planning Day	November 2, 2010	Half Day for Students (a.m.)
Parent Teacher Conferences	November 22-23, 2010	Student Non-attendance Days
Non-attendance Day	November 24, 2010	All Buildings Closed
Thanksgiving Day	November 25, 2010	All Buildings Closed
Day After Thanksgiving	November 26, 2010	All Buildings Closed
Winter Break	December 17, 2010	Begins at close of classes
Classes Resume after Break	January 3, 2011	Classes Resume
Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday	January 17, 2011	All Buildings Closed
Staff Institute Day	January 24, 2011	Student Non-attendance Day
School Improvement Planning Day	February 18, 2011	Student Non-attendance Day
Presidents' Day	February 21, 2011	All Buildings Closed
Spring Break	March 18, 2011	Begins at close of classes
Classes Resume after Break	March 28, 2011	Classes Resume
School Improvement Planning Day	April 21, 2011	Half Day for Students (a.m.)
Non-attendance Day	April 22, 2011	All Buildings Closed
School Improvement Planning Day	May 27, 2011	Half Day for Students (a.m.)
Memorial Day	May 30, 2011	All Buildings Closed
Last Day of Classes	June 10, 2011	Last Day for Students



## *Mount Prospect School District 57 Transportation Update of May 12, 2010*

As previously notified, the district has been fortunate to add three new drivers to assist our return to normal schedules.

Please welcome:

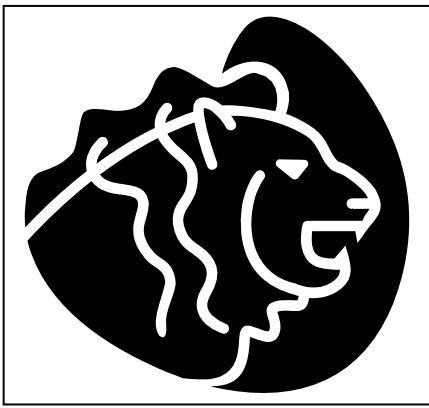
**Latoya Green** – Your child should feel free to call her “Ms. Latoya” and she joins us with seven years of bus experience.

**Kenneth Brown** – Your child should feel free to call him “Mr. Ken” and he joins us with seventeen years of driving experience.

**Keith Maise** - Your child should feel free to call him “Mr. Maise” and he joins us with thirteen years of transportation experience.

Ms. Green will be driving and/or assisting with Route #10/Rabbit for the remainder of the school year. Mr. Brown and Mr. Maise will be substitute drivers, filling in when necessary on routes. Currently, they both will be driving and/or assisting on Route #8/Butterfly while Beverly Viscioni is absent this week. All indications are that Ms. Viscioni will be returning on Monday, if not sooner.

Please note that for training purposes, there may be substitute drivers assisting/riding on the bus routes throughout the remainder of the school year. Thank you for your continued patience during this challenging period of time. If you have any questions or concerns please contact the transportation department at (847) 394-7360.



**THE LION'S ROAR**  
Lincoln PTA newsletter  
May 13th 2010  
issue



**Message from PTA Presidents'**

As I write my last President's Message for the PTA newsletter I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the individuals who made my two year term as your PTA Co-president a wonderful experience. Thank you to the PTA Executive Board members, committee chairs, parent volunteers, Mr. Angelaccio, staff, teachers, the front office ladies and students-your time and talents and support are truly appreciated!

Congratulations to Lincoln's 8<sup>th</sup> Grade graduates- Best wishes for success at Prospect High School or wherever life takes you! To the parents of these graduates who are leaving District 57, thank you for your years of support and service to the PTAs and schools of our district.

Please join us for our General PTA Meeting immediately before the Lincoln Concert band and Celebration Singers Concert on Wednesday, May 26 at 7:20p.m. as we elect the new PTA Board for 2010/2011.

**"Be well, do good work, and keep in touch."**

**Garrison Keillor American author, humorist and storyteller**

**Thank you,**

JP Karlov

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Lincoln PTA Co-President

## PTA MEETING

Please join us Wednesday, May 26 immediately before The Lincoln Concert Band and Celebration Singers Concert for the General LMS PTA Meeting and the election of our PTA officers for the 2010/2011 school year

## WE NEED YOU

The following PTA Committee Chair Positions are open for next year (2010/2011)

Breakfast Treats/Environment/Graduation Activities/Membership/Student Council Liaison

Please contact Chris Barr. If you have questions or are interested in one of the openings 847-506-9851 [chrisbarr.1@netzero.net](mailto:chrisbarr.1@netzero.net)

Lions Roar is the means of communication between PTA, parents and students of Lincoln Middle School. If you would like to have an article included in our PTA newsletter, contact Denise Kurinec at 847-749-0900 or [DEECE@WOWWAY.COM](mailto:DEECE@WOWWAY.COM)



# Have some **SUMMER FUN • 2010** with us

Programs of Mt. Prospect Park District

1000 W. Central Road • Mt. Prospect, IL 60056

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Here's a sampling of some of our exciting summer programs, guaranteed to keep kids happy and active for the next few months! For details please visit [www.mppd.org](http://www.mppd.org).

## **ECO-CAMPS**

Sessions begin every 2 weeks, starting June 14.

**Young Explorers** (5-6 yr)

**Young Naturalists** (6-9 yr)

**Young Ecologists** (9-11 yr)

## **ATHLETIC CAMPS**

**Inline Hockey Summer Camp** (9-14 yr)

**Youth Inline Hockey Summer Instruction** (7-14 yr)

**Flag Football Summer Camp** (Boys & Girls 6-10 yrs)

**Intro to Archery** (Boys & Girls 7-18 yrs)

**Gymnastics Camp** (7-16 yr)

## **FULL DAY CAMPS**

Two, three or five day options are available. Five different sessions are offered...choose one or more! Begins June 14.

**Li'l Prospectors Day Camp** Completed K or gr. 1

**Camp FunZone Day Camp** Completed gr. 2 or 3

**Camp Sundance Day Camp** Completed gr. 4, 5, 6 or 7

## **MINI DAY CAMPS**

Two or three day options; daily sessions from 2-5 hours each; begins June 14.

**Three Wee Camp** (3 yr)

**High 5 Camp** (5-6 yr)

**Rainbow's End Camp** (4 yr)

## **SOCCER**

**Early Bird Registration for MPPD Youth Outdoor Fall Soccer** (Boys & Girls Gr K-8)

May 1 - July 19, in person at RecPlex Only!

Official season begins in September and runs through the end of October.

## **OUTDOOR TENNIS LESSONS**

Classes are held at Lions Park Tennis Courts on Mondays and Wednesdays from June 15 through July 8. Separate classes for ages 4-5, 6-8 and 9-15. Tennis racquets will be available to use during class for ages 4-8.

## **FITNESS**

**L\*E\*A\*N Programs** (Adults) 

L.E.A.N (Lifestyle Exercise Attitude Nutrition) classes are fun, interactive and educational programs for parents with children ages 3-12. Classes provide simple tools to learn new behaviors that will empower you to raise healthy children.

**Strive for 5—June 19—Lions Memorial Park**

- **5-K Run/Walk** 8am start
- **50-Yard Dash** (3-5 yr olds) 8:45am start
- **Kiddie 1/4 Mile** (5-10 yr olds) 8:45am start

## **FREE THURSDAY CONCERTS**

**Veterans Memorial Band Shell • 6:30pm**

Begin June 17. Giveaways! • Raffles! • Contests!

Concessions available for purchase.

## **JUNIOR GOLF PROGRAM**

**Level 1 & Level 2 Youth Lessons** (7-11 yr)

Lessons offered for ages 7-9 and 10-11 in two sessions through the summer.



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## DANCE

### Talent on Parade (11-17 yr) **NEW!**

Dancers will learn an energetic, up-tempo parade routine that they will perform while marching in the Mt. Prospect Fourth of July Parade! Class will meet on three consecutive Tuesdays, June 15-29, from 5:30-6:30pm at RecPlex, with an additional rehearsal on Friday, July 2 from 5:30-6:30pm.

### Dance Camp (Completed Kindergarten-3rd Gr)

Two 3-week sessions meeting on Tuesday and Thursday mornings.

## AQUATICS

### Meadows Competitive Swim Team (5-18 yr)

Swim Team season starts June 14. Boys and girls will compete within their own age group during the 6 scheduled swim meets which take place on Wednesday evenings. Try our Swim Team FREE for 1 week to see if you like it. Available to all currently registered Swim Team members and anyone who wishes to give it a try.

### RecPlex Indoor and Meadows Outdoor American Red Cross Swim Lessons

Session 01 • Week of 6/14-6/27 (2 wks)

Session 02 • Week of 6/28-7/11 (2 wks)

Session 03 • Week of 7/12-7/25 (2 wks)

Session 04 • Week of 7/26-8/8 (2 wks)

Session 05 • Week of 6/14-8/8 (8 wks)

### Fireworks Float at Meadows Pool!

Wed • June 30 • 7-10pm

What a unique way to celebrate your Fourth of July holiday! Bring your own lawn chair or raft and enjoy this pre-July 4th fireworks display from Meadows Pool!

Come early—Space will be limited!

(FEE: Pool Pass or Daily Pool Admission)



411 S. Maple St. • (847)253-SURF

### ■ Pre-Season Hours (5/29-6/6)

Sat/Sun/Holidays • 11am-7:30pm

### ■ Regular Season Hours (6/7-8/15)

(Closed for season 8/16)

M-F • Noon-7:30pm Sat/Sun/Holidays • 11am-7:30pm



1401 W. Gregory St. • (847)632-9327

### ■ Pre-Season Hours (6/7-6/8)

6/7 & 6/8 • 3:45-8pm

### ■ Regular Season Hours (6/9-8/22)

Open Swim

Family Swim

M-F • 1-4:45pm

M-F • 12-1pm

M/W/F • 6-8pm

T/Th • 6-8pm

Sat/Sun & Holidays • 1-7pm

*Pool hours subject to change due to holidays, special events, swim meets.*

### ■ Post-Season Hours (8/23-9/6)

M-F • 3:45-8pm Sat/Sun & Holidays • 1-7pm

*Pre- and Post-Season hours are weather and staff dependent.*

### Summer All Pool Pass

Big Surf/Meadows/RecPlex Pools

Buy Early and Save! Purchase your Summer All Pool Pass on or before June 7 and save \$10 off an individual pass and \$20 off a family pass. Pass valid 5/29-9/6

R/NR Fee

Individual

\$95/105 (on or before 6/7)

Family

\$190/210 (on or before 6/7)

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