

Hawks Report
La Center Middle School
June, 2016

2016-2017 Executive Council:

7th Grade:

Lauren Fox
Makena Campbell
Adam Denney

8th Grade:

Emily Holyk
Dominick D'Emilio
Cailyn Broten

We had some amazing speeches and some great kids ready to help lead our school. We are really excited for these to be the top of that list! The incoming 6th grade class will vote on their representatives early next fall.

Color Wars & Field Day:

Our last full day of school (Wednesday June 15th) will be a colorful one! Students will dress in the color assigned to their homeroom super team to earn spirit points for the overall spirit competition. Here's what we'll have:

Calabrese, Hollopeter, Holmes Ecklund – Yellow
Brightbill, Cripe, Slinkard - Red
Schneider, Austad, Johnston - Green
Whelchel, Totten, Shucka - Purple
Westerberg, Kipp, Broten - Pink
Grotte, Brothers, Lindsey, Pritchett – Orange

Not only will we have a color-filled assembly in the morning, but we will have a rainbow of wet kids in the afternoon field day. During this time the students rotate in small groups to various fun stations of competitions and skills, and a couple of the stations do include water. The kids absolutely love this tradition and are so well behaved and have SO much fun. Our leadership students coordinate the stations and give up their own opportunity to participate in order to

lead each group through the rules and outcomes of each station. Surprise, some of our teachers end up getting wet too!

Attendance Competition:

Throughout the month of May we held an attendance competition for our whole student body. Students were tracked by homeroom, and earned points for every day that they were present without any tardies to their classes. At the end of May, our homeroom grade level winners were Mrs. Lindsey (6), Mrs. Kipp (7) and Mrs. Broten (8). The students in these homerooms received an ice cream sandwich and had an extra play time in the gym to celebrate their success. The total attendance this year over last year is as follows:

5/2016- 1,070 total absences and tardies

5/2015- 1,181 total absences and tardies

A positive difference of 111 less absences and tardies this year compared to last year. I think we'll do this competition again next year.

Awards Assembly June 16th:

Following tradition, we held our end of the year awards assembly in the morning Thursday, June 16th. The following plaque awards were presented to the following students:

Principal Award- Bobby Jimenez, Katie Leslie

Faculty Award- Sean Fox, Jaclyn Abernathy

8th Grade Student of the Year- Sam Kitchel, Alison Brown

7th Grade Student of the Year- Dominick D'Emilio, Ellie Ossenkop

6th Grade Student of the Year- Jacob Kokotek, Makena Campbell

Duane Hamlin Band- Sam Kitchel

Duane Hamlin Choir- Ashlynn Macho, Rebecca Skufka

Jumpstart School Supply Drive: Our homeroom teams competed to bring in the most supplies for this FCRC program, in preparation for the August backpack deliveries. The winning homerooms will receive an ice cream float party. The 6th grade winner is Mrs. Brightbill's class, the 7th grade winner is Mr. Totten's class and the 8th grade winner is Mrs. Broten's class. Great job everyone.

Pacer Pro Qualifiers: We've had so many 6th graders qualify this year that their run off had to be separate from the 7th and 8th graders. These qualifiers will run off for a grade level champion on Friday, June 10th. The kids run from one side of the gym to the other, in time with the music and bell for a mark of "1", and continue until they can do no more.

6th Grade- (Qualifying number is 70 for boys and 60 for girls)

Aiden Denley
Alex Macho
Andrew Kysar
Austin Mattson
Brendon Newbury
Bryten Schmitz
Chad Greer
Chet Muonio
Coby Amoruso – Boys Champion at 112!
Cole Entanmen
Dillon Barboza
Drew Johnson
Jacob Peterson
Jaren Tikka
Jarom Rader
Jordan Nixon
Kaeden Buhrmester
Kaiden Fau
Kaleb Hardin
Levi Muonio
Logan MArtin
Miles Bacon
Nathan Baher
Nickolas Ehrich
Quinn Schlect
Ryan Muonio
Alison Muonio
Bethany Deam
Bridget Bull
Crystal Martin
Deonna Grove
Edelyn Turner
Emma Seter
Jeanna Schmeusser
Keira Crocker
Kylee Stephens
Lauren Fox
Lizzy LeBouef
Lucy Poehlein
Mazy Kendall
Mya Ecklund
Myla Lobbestael
Natalie Schlect
Rowan Biancaniello – Girls Champion at 95!
Rylie Arnsparger
Shyana Johnson

7th Grade- (Qualifying mark is 85 for boys and 70 for girls)

Blake Casey
Blake Massie
Coby Namanny
Darren Martin
Irving Alvarez
Jack Saban
Jeremy Humphrey
Karston Abernathy
Kynoa Manibusan
Lance Halme
Marty Hiivala
Michael Goode – Boys Champion at 125!
Riley Fender
Sebastian Wells
Spencer Holm
Tom Lambert
Alexis Devine
Ashlyn Winston
Bryanna Unga – Girls Champion at 87!
Sierra Frasier

8th Grade- (Qualifying mark is 100 for boys and 80 for girls)

Aaron Sundahl
Alex Muonio
Beau Castleberry
Cedric Hubler
Colin Newberry
Garrett Shapovalov – Boys Champion at 131!
Hunter Ball
Hunter Mallicoat
Ian Crocker
Joe Bork
Lewis Wozniak
Nick Budke
Noah Denley
Parker Ball
Ryan Schlect
Tobey Deemer
Trevor Gunderson
Jaclyn Abernathy – Girls Champion at 100!
Janell McDaniels
Lindsey Barsness
Lydia Heidegger