



Lighthouse Elementary

Principal's Message

Thank you for the warm welcome to Lighthouse Elementary! It was nice to meet many of you at our Open House. Since then, the school days have been in full swing, and I am proud of the students for settling in and following the school and classroom expectations. I look forward to seeing and participating in my first Laker Leap! I have heard wonderful things about it.

Mrs. Strickland

School Meals

Reminder: Breakfast and lunch meals are FREE for all students. Although meals are free this school year, it is important for families to still fill out the Free/Reduced Meal Application! You can find the application at

<https://anchorbay.familyportal.cloud/>

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Important Dates:

**LAKER LEAP
WALKATHON -
FUNDRAISER -
September 27th**



**COUNT DAY -
OCTOBER
2ND, 2024 !**



**PICTURE DAY
October 3rd**

**Hearing
Screening (K,
2nd, 4th grades**



October 7, 8, 9

**Picture Retake
Day:**



November 4th

Library News

Dear Lighthouse Families!

Welcome to Lighthouse Elementary library. Our library has many wonderful books and resources for your child to discover.

Please read and discuss the expectations below with your child.

- Your child is allowed to check out one book a week, 5th grade students may check out two per week.
- Books must be checked out and returned by their next specified library date.
- If a book is not returned, no additional books may be checked out.
- Lost or damaged books must be paid for so we can order a replacement.
- Keep books in a safe place away from pets, babies, food and drinks.
- Never write or draw in a book.
- When you are not reading your library book, keep it in your backpack or the classroom.

I look forward to getting to know the students and am excited to be a part of your child's school year.

Happy reading,

Becky Cyman
Lighthouse Library Para



Positivity Project (P2)

Students will be presented with lessons centered around the following character strengths this month:

The week of 9/16- **Curiosity**

The week of 9/23- **Teamwork**

The week of 9/30- **Open-mindedness**



Dismissal Changes

Dismissal time is a busy time!

We are asking your help in communicating dismissal changes for your child(ren). If there are changes in how your child is going home, we ask that you communicate the new plan with the child's teacher and/or main office before **2:30 PM**. This will help to ensure there is no miscommunication and everyone gets home safely.

Count Day- October 2nd

This year Count Day falls on Wednesday, October 2nd. It is very important that students attend school the full day on Count Day.

We receive 90% of our State funding from the number of students in attendance on October 2nd.

Sign-in/Sign-out

We have updated the process for signing students in or out of school. This process reflects the policies and procedures set by the Anchor Bay School District. When signing your child(ren) in or out of school, you will find an updated QR Code to scan using your mobile device, at Door 1. When you scan the QR Code, you will see an online form to complete. This form updates after each entry and is monitored by the main office staff.

After scanning the QR Code and completing the form, push the video call button to speak to a staff member. Staff members will assist you as soon as possible.



Volunteer Information

There are many times throughout the school year that teachers will need support/assistance during special activities, such as field trips, etc. Parents who are willing and able to volunteer during these activities must complete the District volunteer form and a give a copy of their ID, in order to have a background check. All information is processed through the central office in the Anchor Bay School District. Without the volunteer form and a cleared background check, parents will not be able to volunteer during activities.



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PLAY GOLF

at Lighthouse Elementary

DATES: 9/17/2024 - 10/22/2024

DAY:
Tuesdays on school field

TIME:
4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

COST:
\$149.00/for 6 weeks
Grades K-5

For more information contact:
Dave Robinson at
drobinson@golftga.com or 248-252-0208.

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