Notes from the Principal:
It was great to see those who were able to attend our recent Storyteller/Flashlight Reading Night and our Bingo Night. We love having our families here in the building!!

Upcoming Events:
- **PALS Night** on Thursday, November 15th from 5:30-7:30
- **School Dance** Friday, November 16th from 5:30
- **PTO** on Thursday, December 6th meets in the library from 5:30-6:30. We would love to have any new family members attend.
- Annual **Holiday Music Performance** at Thompson Valley High School on Monday, December 17th. This is an event we look forward to all year and a great opportunity to see our talented students in all grades as they perform for us.
- PTO will host their annual **Holiday Shoppe** December 12-14.
- **Popcorn and Pickles/Pajama Day** on December 21st.

Happy Thanksgiving to all of our families! We are grateful for each and every one of you.

Michelle Malvey
Lincoln Elementary Winter Holiday Program featuring all the students at Edmondson grades Kindergarten through 5th grade. The program is scheduled for Monday, December 17th, 2018 at 7PM.

The concert will be held at Thompson Valley High School's Roberta Price Auditorium. (1669 Eagle Drive, Loveland, CO) All students are asked to wear their finest attire for the evening. Plan ahead now for a terrific evening of song and merriment! All family and friends are welcome to attend free of charge. See you there!

Giving Tree

This year for the Holiday season, Lincoln will once again do a Giving Tree. Our Tree will be up in the lobby beginning in December. We will have tags on the tree with “Want” and “Need” items for our Lincoln families in need. If you would like to sponsor a child please feel free to grab a tag off of the tree and check it out with Carrie in the Health Office or Karena in the front office. We are asking that gifts be returned to the Health Office in a gift bag. If you are a family in need, we would love to help. Please watch for a flyer to come home in your student’s folder, it will include information needed to give your child a tag on the tree. All information collected is confidential.
Notes from the Health Office
Heads Up!

With the change in the weather, the hats came back out, and now is a good time for parents to be on the alert for head lice. Head lice are a common childhood affliction. All places where children get together are places where head lice can be transferred. Head lice are not dangerous and they do not transmit disease. Clean hair and home are no guarantee that head lice will not find your child. Periodically check your child’s hair for nits (eggs), which can usually be seen long before lice can be located. Nits are small, tear drop shaped, white to tan particles found in the hair that look a lot like dandruff, except that dandruff is loose and can be brushed from the hair, whereas nits are attached to the hair shaft and cannot be removed easily. Lice are very small (flea sized) and do not like light, so they can be hard to find. If your child is experiencing itching of the scalp or you see something in the hair and are not sure what it is, feel free to stop by the health office and allow us to check with you. Thanks!
Picture Make Up Day

We will again be having a make-up day here at our Skillman Photography Studio on November 30th and December 1st.

This can be for student and staff who missed the picture days, for those who want to buy a pack, and those who wanted a retake and missed the makeup day.

You can call Skillman Photography and we will be happy to email a copy of the flyer. We will be getting the images from the makeup day to the yearbooks. For students who are new, this is a great chance for them to have a picture taken for the yearbook, no purchase necessary.

Packages will be picked up here at our studio. They are fast tracked and usually get back in 7 working days. Please call with questions. 970-484-3403
The holidays are nearing! It is a time for family and celebration, however we also know there are families who struggle to afford basic necessities. There are several resources available right here through Lincoln. If you or someone you know could use some assistance this holiday season, please contact the front office at 970-613-6200. They will work with you to find the best resource available.

Thanksgiving:

Salvation Army : Thanksgiving Turkeys

THANKSGIVING TURKEY VOUCHERS—SALVATION ARMY LOVELAND Provides frozen turkey vouchers to families and individuals residing in Loveland and Berthoud on a first come first serve basis. Vouchers are distributed Thursday, November 1st, 2018 - Monday, November 19th, 2018, 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. 80525 (970) 699-8380 840 N Lincoln Ave Suite 101 Loveland, CO 80537

Associated Veterans of Loveland and the American Legion:

The Associated Veterans of Loveland and the American legion will be offering a free Thanksgiving Dinner. The meal is designed for veterans, their families and anyone who is in need, alone, or home-bound. It will take place Thursday, November 22nd from 11:00 am to 3:00 pm at the Vets Club building at 305 North Cleveland Ave. Loveland. Meals can also be delivered to those unable to leave their homes. The contact number for coordinating that is 970-663-2374.

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Holiday Assistance

**Thanksgiving:**

**KidsPak:**

There are a limited number of Thanksgiving meal certificates that have been assigned to your school through KidsPak. Please speak to the KidsPak coordinator in your building to ensure that the families who most need it are able to receive those certificates.

**Christmas:**

**Salvation Army: Angel Tree - Christmas gifts for children**

- **How:** Visit The Salvation Army of Loveland, register, receive your gifts the same day.
- **When:** December 3 – 24, Monday – Friday, 11am – 5pm.
- **Where:** The Salvation Army, located 840 N. Lincoln Ave. in Loveland

Requirements: Residence in Loveland / Berthoud, Proof that family has children age 0 – 17.

Families can receive gifts only if they have not signed up with other agencies. Call 970-699-8380 with questions.

**Santa Cops:**

Loveland Police Department Santa Cops provide toys during the holiday season to children in need who reside in Larimer County. Each year police officers deliver gifts to participants. Applications to participate in the program must be turned in to the Loveland Police Department during the following dates and times: Santa Cops provide toys during the holiday season to children in need who reside in Larimer County. Each year police officers deliver gifts to participants. Applications to participate in the program can be turned in at: 810 E. 10th St. Loveland, CO 80537 - 970-632-1444 (Santa Cops Hotline) - Thursday, November 15th, 2018, 4 p.m. - 8 p.m. - Saturday, November 17th, 2018, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Important documentation:

- Parent/guardian photo ID
- Proof of residency*
- Proof of guardianship of each child aged 16 and under**
Holiday Assistance

Christmas:

Santa Cops:
As far as proof of residency if any of these families do not have a permanent residence or are considered unaccompanied youth, make sure you tell them to state that they were sent from the school district, volunteers taking the applications verify with a Santa Cops board member and they will have no issues signing up.

**As far as proof of guardianship of each child, they just need SOMETHING to tell them that an adult has custody of the child. This can be medical cards, school records, social security cards, birth certificates, etc.

In the case of unaccompanied youth if you are able to provide a letter from the school, they will accept that as the “guardianship” portion of it.

Adopt- A –Family- Timberline Church

Adopt-A-Family is a holiday program that provides gifts for families in need, as well as a grocery gift card for a Christmas meal. Gifts are delivered throughout December, depending on the Adopting family. Low income families who reside in Fort Collins, Loveland, or Windsor. To register: Walk in to the church office to pick up a numbered ticket. Tickets available until November 22nd. After that date all clients must be referred by a social service agency. They will then be matched with an Adopting family and will be contacted by that family. Call 970-482-4387 with questions. Rev Date 10/23/2018 BRIGHT CHRISTMAS - CROSSROADS MINISTRY OF ESTES PARK Provides holiday gifts, toys, and food assistance to low-income families with children in Estes Park. Registration begins on Wednesday, October 31st, 2018, and ends on Saturday, November 17th, 2018. Distribution will be Wednesday, December 12th, from

House of Neighborly Services

HOLIDAY FOOD BASKET - HOUSE OF NEIGHBORLY SERVICE LOVELAND Provides a holiday food basket with unprepared items for low income families and seniors residing in the Thompson R2J School District. Clients can register in person to receive a food basket beginning Monday, October 8th, 2018 through Thursday, December 20th, 2018. At 1511 East 11th Street, Loveland. 970-667-4939
Parent Boot Camp
Parenting in a Digital World

Wednesday, December 12th
6-7 pm
Garfield Elementary (Library)
720 Colorado Avenue, Loveland

For parents and guardians of elementary students

Come learn about resources and solutions to guide your digitally-connected youth in better decision-making, and walk away with strategies to encourage the use of digital and social media in a positive way.

Presented by School Resource Officer, Bobbie Jo Pastecki, BobbieJo.Pastecki@cityofloveland.org
DEAR FAMILY,

By now, you should have received your child’s personalized order form and stickers. I hope you are as excited about your child’s artwork as much as they are!

It’s not too late to order your child’s keepsake art. The order deadline of November 16th is quickly approaching. Act now to receive *free shipping, which is only available during the fundraiser sale.

Three Easy Ways to Order:

1. Online: [www.Square1Art.com/Shop](http://www.Square1Art.com/Shop)
2. Phone: 888-332-3294
3. Paper Order Form on the back of your child’s custom catalog

Remember, your child’s access code is located on their catalog.

*All orders ship to the school.

Together, we can help support the school, build your child’s self-esteem and create lasting keepsakes from your child’s artistic achievements.

Thank You,
Jonathan Talan

[Square 1 Art](http://square1art.com/shop 888.332.3294)
Querida Familia,

A estas alturas, usted de haber recibido el catalogo personalizado de su hijo/a y las etiquetas adhesivas gratis. ¡Espero esten muy emocionados!

Todavía hay tiempo para pedir el arte de su hijo/a en un recuerdo! La fecha límite se aproxima rápidamente, 16 de noviembre. Actúe ahora recibir *envío gratis que solo esta disponible durante el evento escolar de recaudacion de fondos.

Tres maneras faciles de ordenar:

1. En Linea: www.Square1Art.com/Shop
2. Telefono: 888-332-3294
3. Formulario de pedido en la parte posterior del catalogo personalizado.

Recuerde, el código de acceso de su hijo se encuentra en su catalogo.

*Todas las ordenes son enviadas a la escuela.

Juntos, podemos ayudar a mantener a la escuela, desarrollar la autoestima de su hijo/a y al mismo tiempo crear recuerdos duraderos de los logros artisticos de sus hijos.

Gracias,
Jonathan Talan

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