

LAKE VIEW PRIMARY NEWSLETTER

Letter from the Principal

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Dear Lake View Eagles,

Today we begin the exciting transition of welcoming students into the building by offering our On-site Support Services. Please refer to the letter that was shared last week for more details on location and times. You can also access this information on our website.

Beginning Tuesday, February 16th, we invite all students to return to the classroom for five full days of learning each week, with the exception of Wednesday, which follows an early release schedule of 1:30 pm. If you are electing to have your child remain in remote learning, you may do so. We ask that you communicate your preference for learning by calling our front office at (928) 608-4200.

We would also like to remind our parents that Lake View Primary has established a model in which teachers provide either live, in-person instruction or remote, on-line instruction only. We believe this model to better serve our students by allowing teachers to focus their attention on one teaching modality. Should you elect to make changes to your student's learning preference, we appreciate your understanding that there may be a switch to your child's current teacher.

We put the health and safety of our students as our top priority and will continue to implement mitigation strategies such as mask wearing, social distancing, and frequent hand washing. We have included an updated "What's New at Lake View" document in this month's newsletter as a reminder of practices and procedures that have been put in place at Lake View Primary due to current health and safety guidelines set by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) in response to COVID-19.

You and your child may be experiencing some anxiety about making the transition back into the school building. This is a natural reaction to change and uncertainty. While we don't have all of the answers and we cannot predict the future, we ask that you trust that the staff at Lake View Primary care deeply for our students and want what is best for each of them. We are here to help. Please feel free to reach out with any questions or concerns.

Nancy Warner
Principal
Lake View Primary

Dates to Remember

<i>ELL Parent Night (Virtual)</i>	2/8 5:00 - 7:00 PM
<i>NO SCHOOL (Teacher Training)</i>	2/12
<i>Presidents Day NO SCHOOL</i>	2/15
<i>Supply Distribution Day</i>	2/24
<i>LV Parent Night</i>	2/24
<i>Book Fair</i>	3/8 - 3/12

Our Kids Heart Challenge is on!

Go to

https://www2.heart.org/site/SPageNavigator/khc_resources_search.html

Enter: Lake View Elementary (look for Mrs. Zinneckers name)

Here you can sign up to join us in reaching our goal of \$3,000!

BONUS! If we raise \$3,500 Mrs. Z will get SLIMED!

\$4,000 and our Principal, Mrs. Warner and our Counselor, Mrs. Castelan will

We Need Your Updated Information!

It is critical that we have your updated contact information for proper school to home communication, now more than ever! Please contact the school (each one you have a student enrolled in) with any updates to the below information:

- Physical and/or Mailing Address
- Phone Numbers
- Emergency Contact Names & Numbers
- E-mail Address

LV Office
928-608-4200



Book Fair!

March 8th through March 12th, 2021

Our Book Fair is VIRTUAL this year!

Continue checking for more information on our virtual platforms, coming soon!

You may also email our amazing Librarian, Marcie Brockie at mbrockie@pageud.org, with any questions.

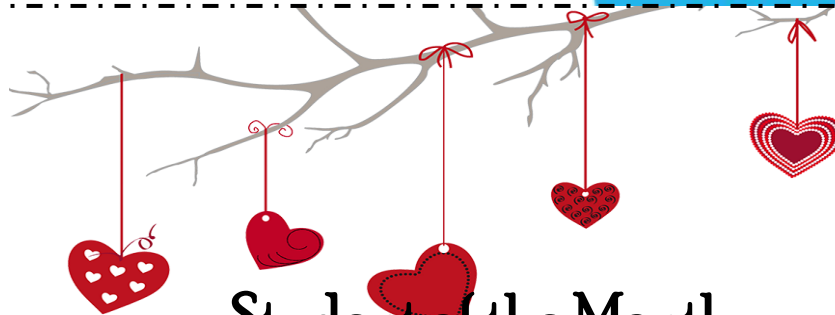
ELL Parent Night

This parent night we would like you to create a "Heritage Box." Please work with your student to put together an item that can be shown and explained during parent night that represents your family and culture. This can be a box with contents that you can take out and explain, a poster with pictures or drawings of things that represent your family's culture, generational photos that show your ancestors, etc. There is no right or wrong for this activity, the sky's the limit! We just want to celebrate who you are! We look forward to spending time together at parent night!

5:00-7:00

PM

Questions please contact
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etenpenny@pageud.org



Student of the Month

Rory Begay - Ms. Reitze / 2nd Grade

Rory is an amazing student! She comes to class each day prepared and excited to learn. Rory is so kind and cares deeply about her peers. She takes on every day with an open attitude which helps her build her knowledge and investigate new ideas. She listens well and eagerly shares her thoughts in class discussions. She truly radiates positivity and is a role model student! I am proud to call Rory my Student of the month for January!

LAKE VIEW PRIMARY STAFF SPOTLIGHT

Check here each month to get to know a little about our Lake View Primary Eagles Staff!



How long have you been in Education?

This is year 20 for me in education.



What is your "Why"?

I believe my "Why" is to touch people with the love of God.

Is there a quote or saying that you live your life by?

My saying for pretty much everything is "God is not surprised". I think to myself when there is craziness that God is not saying "Oh, my goodness! What am I going to do?" That gives me great comfort in all situations.

Marlene Hendrickson

OSS/Family Support/Computer Teacher



Colbi Coutts

Kindergarten Teacher



How long have you been in Education?

This is my fifth year working in education.

What is your "Why"?

After graduating from college with a degree in psychology, I began working in the field of social work. I first worked in a children's shelter, then supervised visitations between parents and their children. I knew I loved working with children, but realized education would be a better fit for me. Being an educator feels rewarding as I am able to support children academically, socially and emotionally.

What makes a good day at school?

I love when students exhibit pride over a newly learned skill. If a student makes a positive remark during an activity and displays confidence, I feel that I've made an impact on their learning.



Rena O'Neal

Second Grade Teacher

How long have you been in Education?

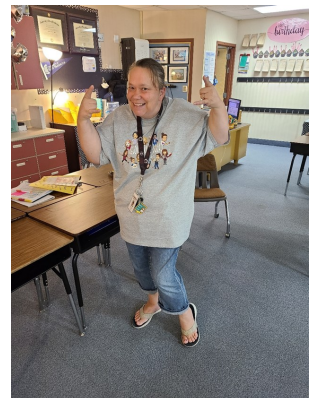
I have been working in education for 13 years. I started working in education in Wyoming. I started as a substitute teacher, then I became a special education paraprofessional and did that for 6 years at Clark Elementary in Evanston, Wyoming. I received my degree in May of 2013. I was working as a substitute and long-term sub for UCSD#1. I was offered a job here at PUSD and have been here for 6 years.

What is your "Why"?

My why is happiness, to encourage students to achieve goals and for all students to learn in a positive and safe environment.

What inspires you?

My mom who inspires me. She was a single mom and worked really hard to make sure we had everything we needed. I am very lucky to have her as my mom because she is always positive and loving to all 5 of her kids. She is my inspiration.



SCHOOL NURSE CORNER

February is National Children's Dental Health Month
Teeth are important for eating, talking and having a nice smile.
*Teaching children good oral hygiene habits early
can lead to a lifetime of healthy smiles.*

Caring for your mouth is as important as caring for the rest of your body.

- Cleaning our teeth helps keep them strong and healthy.
- Clean teeth and mouth are parts of a clean body. *By age 6 or 7, children should be able to brush their own teeth twice a day – with supervision until about age 10 or 11, to make sure they are doing a thorough job.*
- Cleaning teeth and gums removes a sticky film of plaque.
Plaque contains harmful bacteria that can cause tooth decay. Plaque is a sticky, clear film that forms on your teeth all the time. How plaque contributes to cavities. Plaque is bad for your teeth because it contains germs. The germs in the plaque can hurt your teeth by helping to make a little hole called a cavity.
- Brushing twice a day with toothpaste, flossing once a day, and limiting sugary snacks and beverages is how you do it.

Good nutrition. *There is another way we can help keep our teeth clean and healthy. That is by eating and drinking healthy foods.*

- Eating a mix of healthy foods for breakfast, lunch and dinner is the best way to keep your teeth and whole body in good shape.
- If you are hungry and need a snack, choose foods like fruit, low-fat cheese, low-fat yogurt, or raw vegetables.
 - If you are thirsty, have a glass of water or low-fat milk.
 - Don't drink too much sugary soda or eat too many sweets.

How can families help their children eat healthy at school?

- Try new foods at home. Kids need many opportunities to taste a new food to "get used to it."
- Eat lunch at school with your child. Learn more about what's offered and meet school nutrition staff.
- Talk with your child about what's on the menu. Make sure they know about all the foods that are included in their school lunch.

During the summer, the National School Lunch Program ensures that low-income children continue to receive nutritious meals for breakfast and lunch while summer school is in session.

Parent Covid-19 Guidance

Each morning before School



DO NOT send your student to school if they are presenting with any of the below symptoms;

- Fever of 100.4 degrees or higher, or chills
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Muscle aches
- Sore throat
- Headache
- Fatigue
- Congestion or runny nose
- Cough
- Vomiting
- Diarrhea
- New loss of taste or smell.

Brrr...it's COLD outside!

Please make sure that your student is sent to school wearing weather appropriate clothing!

Students are not permitted to return to school until symptom free, without the use of medications for at least 24 hours and symptoms are no longer present.



Remember - "Any student with, or recovering from, a communicable disease will not be permitted in school until the period of contagion is passed or until a physician recommends a return, in accordance with A.R.S. [36-621](#) et seq., appropriate regulations of the State Department of Health Services, and policies of the County Health Department." (Policy [JLCC](#))

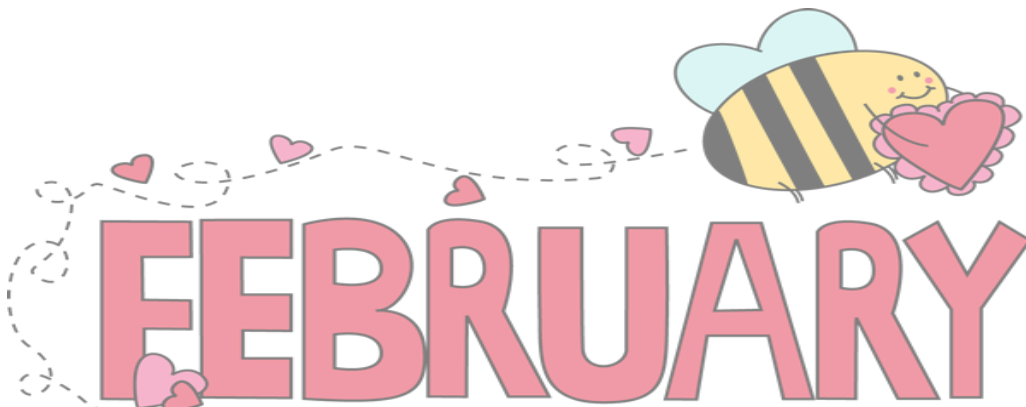
Please call one of the following numbers below. Stay Healthy Stay Connected!

Coconino County Health Dept. 928 679-7300

Tuba City Regional Healthcare

COVID Nurse: 866 976-5941 MUST live on the Navajo Nation

Lechee Clinic: 928 698-4900



What's New at Lake View?

Welcome to Lake View Primary! We want to thank you for your choice to be part of the Page Unified School District for the 2020 – 2021 school year.

Below are some new practices and procedures that have been put in place at Lake View Primary due to current health and safety guidelines set by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) in response to COVID-19.

The Page Unified School District has put in place new Health and Safety routines that all staff and students will follow while on school grounds. These routines will be taught and practiced frequently throughout each day. Procedures include; but are not limited to; health screenings before school, frequent hand washing, hand sanitizing stations throughout the building, table partitions, social distancing and health signage.

Hours	<p>School Hours Monday – Tuesday & Thursday - Friday 8:00 am – 3:00 pm Wednesday (early release) 8:00 am – 1:30 pm</p> <p>Office Hours Monday – Tuesday & Thursday - Friday 7:30 am – 4:00 pm Wednesday (early release) 7:30 am – 3:00 pm</p>
Temperature Check & Health Screening	<p>Following CDC guidelines, students of PUSD will be required to have their temperature taken before entry into school buildings is permitted. A temperature of 100.4 or higher will require the student to be picked up from school by an authorized parent/guardian.</p> <p><u>All students and staff must get a temperature reading and health screening prior to being allowed into the building.</u></p> <p>Students sent home with symptoms will need to be out for at least 10 days, symptom free and without the aid of medications, before returning to school.</p>
Social Distancing	Student movement will be limited across the school site in order to maintain social distancing standards.
Face Masks	Students are required to wear a mask at any time social distancing cannot be maintained, such as; hallways, restroom areas, picking up breakfast or lunch in the cafeteria and in common areas.
Visitors To Schools	<p><u>Visitors and building access is currently restricted for the 2020 -2021 school year.</u></p> <p>Access to Lake View Primary will be granted only to Lake View Primary staff and employees working in Social Services, Law Enforcement and outside agencies working with and providing services to PUSD.</p>
While in Class	<p>Students are to maintain social distancing while in their seats; Wear mask as directed by the Teacher; Maintain a clean workspace; Use only assigned electronics, books, materials and supplies. No Sharing.</p>
Breakfast & Lunch in the Classrooms	<p>Breakfast will continue to be served in the classroom to all students. Students will follow procedures for safety that include; hand washing before and after all meals, staying in their assigned seat while eating, eating only their own food, cleaning own area after eating.</p> <p>Lunch will be picked up by students in the cafeteria and eaten in the classroom for all students. Students will follow procedures for safety that include; hand washing before and after all meals, wearing mask while picking up food, stay in their assigned seat while eating, eating only their own food, cleaning own area after eating.</p>
Food in School	Any outside food that is brought into Lake View Primary must be store bought and sealed in the original packaging. Items meant for consumption not following this guideline will not be accepted.
Birthdays & Parties	<p>Food and gifts may be dropped off at the Lake View Primary front office for delivery to classrooms and students.</p> <p>Access to our building for celebrations is currently restricted.</p>

Electronics	<p>Students will be assigned electronic equipment in the form of laptops or tablets and peripherals.</p> <p>Students will carry electronic devices with them to and from school daily.</p> <p><u>Families are required to report broken, lost or stolen equipment immediately to their child's teacher or to the Main Office.</u></p> <p><u>All assigned equipment must be turned in when directed by PUSD Staff.</u></p>
<p>Student Drop Off</p> <p><u>Parking signs and direction from PUSD staff must be followed for the safety of students and staff.</u></p> <p><u>Do not block driveways at any time.</u></p>	<p>Student drop off starts at 7:30 AM. Supervision is not available before 7:30 AM, do not drop students off prior to this time.</p> <p><i>Exceptions:</i> Your student is in OSS or you are a PUSD employee. If this applies you may drop your student off at the rear drop off location starting at 7:15 AM. Do not drop students off prior to this time.</p> <p>Students must remain 6 ft. apart while in line for temperature checks.</p> <p>If the student passes the health screening they may enter the building and go directly to the classroom. Parents & Guardians are not allowed entry with their student.</p> <p>If the student does not pass the health screening they will be required to go to the Isolation (ISO) Room via the outside entrance for a further health check. Parents/Guardians will be contacted if the student will need to go home.</p>
Student Pick Up	<p>Students will be at their grade level pick up locations.</p> <p>Kindergarten – Kindergarten Playground @ C Door</p> <p>First Grade – On the large field on 20th Ave.</p> <p>Second Grade – On the large field in the back of the school (down the stairs) off of Grandview Ave.</p> <p>Individuals picking up students from school must be identified within our system and be in possession of the yellow pick-up card issued for their student.</p> <p>Your student will then be called to you to exit school grounds.</p> <p>Signatures may be required.</p>
Busses	<p><u>Students are required to wear masks upon entering and while on the school bus; students may be required to get a temperature check prior to loading busses.</u></p> <p>Students should sit in familial units while on the bus;</p> <p>Once students reach LVP they will receive a temperature reading and health screening before entering the building.</p> <p>Busses are currently unavailable for On Site Support (OSS) students.</p>
Recess	<p>Playgrounds are closed in the morning, all students go directly into the building and their assigned classroom.</p> <p>Student groups scheduled on the playground will be limited to 50 students;</p> <p>Students must maintain social distancing or be wearing a mask;</p> <p>Play equipment such as balls, jump ropes or other shared items are not allowed at this time;</p> <p>Students will wash their hands directly after all outside play.</p>

Fun Facts of February

February has been Black History Month for over 40 years.

February fluctuates between having 28 and 29 days per year. The 29th day only occurs every 4 years during leap years. Over time, the length of February kept changing. At one point, it had as little as 23 days.

In the Northern Hemisphere, February is the third month of winter. Meanwhile in the Southern Hemisphere, February is the last month of summer. Between the North and South Hemispheres, February is the equivalent of [August](#).

