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NEWSLETTER

IMPORTANT DATES

Act 80 Day October 14 No School

4th Grade Open House October 15

5:30 - 7:00 pm

5th Grade Open House

October 16 5:30 – 7:00 pm

LIS Book Fair
October 11, 15, 16
during school hours and
during 4th and 5th grade
Open House

Picture Retakes
October 29

November 1
1:00 pm

Activity Night
November 1
6:00 – 7:45 pm

~~~~~LOOKING AHEAD~~~~~~~

SKI CLUB

Here at LIS we have a Ski Club open to 4th and 5th graders. Mrs. Hartzler and Mrs. Yoder will be heading to Tussey Mountain for an informational meeting in October. After the meeting, we will meet with any student who is interested in joining Ski Club during school hours. The ski packages can be expensive, so start saving now!

ACTIVITY NIGHT/CHANCE TO WIN A BIKE

4th and 5th grade LIS students only!! November 1st 6:00 – 7:45 PM

We will be selling chances for a like new bicycle at Activity Night. Students can purchase a chance for \$2 (only one chance per student). Winner will be drawn at Activity Night. The bike can be picked up at a later date.

CHORUS

~~~Christmas Concert~~~

4th and 5th grades from LIS

December 16th

Mifflin County Middle School

7:00 PM

dress accordingly

participating students should arrive by 6:30 PM

BAND

~~~Christmas Concert~~~

4th and 5th grades from LIS and IVIS

December 11th

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7:00 PM

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participating students should arrive by 6:30 PM

REMINDER: NO energy drinks, soda or coffee drinks are to be brought to school



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HOME & SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

October 10	Volunteer packet and Clearances are due – this is the FINAL Day
October 10	Pizza Hut Fundraiser ALL DAY
October 10	Monthly Meeting @ 6:30 in LIS Conference Room
October 16	Hog Raffle drawing at Open House-do not need to be present to win
October 16	Family Fun Basket Raffle – one winner to be drawn at Open House
October TBD	Spirit Wear Saledelivery
October 21 – November 1	Little Caesar's Fundraiser

Please send questions to lewistownintermediateschoolhsa@gmail.com

HELPFUL INFORMATION

LIS will communicate important information and events through this monthly newsletter, Skyward messages/emails and Class DoJo.

For additional helpful information, visit the Students/Parents tab on the MCSD website.

PBIS

The four core behaviors staff will be teaching and looking to acknowledge include being

RESPECTFUL RESPONSIBLE READY SAFE

Salvation Army Christmas Program

The online application dates are October 1 – October 31, 2024

Go to their Facebook page <u>The Salvation Army of Lewistown</u> for the link to the application.

Documentation needed for first time applicants:

Picture ID-Birth Certificates for children-Pay stubs(2)/SSI statement-Child Support Verification Rent Receipt/Lease-Utility Bill (phone, cable, electric, gas, etc.)

PLEASE MAKE SURE TO GIVE AN ACTIVE EMAIL ADDRESS AS THIS WILL BE THE MOST EFFICIENT WAY TO COMMUNICATE

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SKYLERT

The Skylert System is the main source of family contact for important district information.

To relay messages to parent/guardians, LIS must have accurate information stored in Skyward.

Please notify the LIS office immediately of any changes in contact information. 717.242.5801

FAMILY ACCESS

You can access your child's transportation arrangements, grades, Skylert information and more via Family Access.

Visit the MCSD webpage, and select Family Access Login from the STUDENTS/PARENTS menu.

To obtain your account information, contact the LIS office at 717.242.5801.

Lewistown Intermediate School has qualified to be a Community Eligibility Provision school. Which means we will be offering FREE Breakfast and Lunch for all students who attend Lewistown Intermediate School for the entire 2024-2025 school year.

ATTENDANCE

Students arriving after 8:20 AM are tardy.

Students arriving after 9:30 AM or leaving before 2:00 PM will be marked absent for ½ of a day.

Excuses must be returned within three (3) days of an absence.

Excuses should include the student's full name, the date of and reason for absence, and a parent/guardian signature.

See your child's First Day Packet for information on submitting excuses via Family Access.

TRANSPORTATION

If a student will not be riding the bus, submit a written note with the student's full name, the time of pick-up, and who will be picking up the student.

Please park in the parking lot or along Green Avenue during drop-off/dismissal.

Please DO NOT park or drop-off/pick-up students along Kish Street or in the Bus Lane.

Remain in your vehicle during dismissal.

Afternoon dismissal begins at 2:45 PM. Pickups/walkers will be dismissed at 2:50 PM.