THE FRIDAY NOTES

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Monday 11/26	Parent/Teacher Conferences – Grade 5	
Tuesday 11/27	Parent/Teacher Conferences – Grade 6 5 th Grade Science Fair – Gym	
Wednesday 11/28	Holiday Boutique 4Diehl & 4Field Hoyt Farm 9:45-2	1.4
Thursday 11/29	Holiday Boutique 4Caputo & 4 Classi Hoyt Farm 9:45-2	
Friday 11/30	Marking Period Ends T-Shirt Day	Marry Transporter

FROM THE SCHOOL

CHANGE IN UPCOMING VACATIONS

Please be advised that important information regarding changes in the Winter and Spring breaks is posted on the web and was sent home through an e-mail blast. If you did not receive the e-mail blast, please consider signing up for our Listserv on the district home page under "For Parents" and "E-mail Signup".

BOARD OF EDUCATION

The next regular Board of Education meeting will be held on **Tuesday, December 11th** at 8PM at the DO.

LLOYD HARBOR THEATER ARTS BULLETIN – LITTLE MERMAID MUSIC WORKSHOP

Mr. McKee, the musical director, will introduce the audition songs on the following dates: November 27, 3:15-5:00 for Fifth Grade; November 30, 3:15-5:00 for Sixth Grade. If you have a scheduling problem on your assigned day, you may come on the alternate day.

EARLY PICK-ups

If you need to pick up your child before regular dismissal, **you must be here before 2:45PM**. All pick-ups after that time will occur at the back circle, due to the arrival of the buses and traffic flow.

PARKING

Parents/visitors should not park in the spots labeled "**Itinerant Teacher Parking**". These spots are for our travelling teachers who have responsibilities to our children during the school day.

VISITOR PARKING

Please use the visitor parking spaces on the side of the building. Remember, if you park in the front traffic circle, you will **NOT** be able to move your car after 2:45p.m. You will have to wait until the buses are out of the circle. This is for the safety of your children who are being dismissed at this time. Thank you for your cooperation.

SELECT CHORUS MEMBERS

Practices are all Fridays through Jan 18th. Pick up will be at the back circle at 3:45.

FROM THE NURSE - MEDICATIONS IN SCHOOL

When it is necessary for a student to take any medication (over the counter or prescription) during school hours, the nurse must have written orders from a physician. <u>In addition</u>, the following are required: Parents must give written permission for the nurse to administer medication. Doctor's orders must include child's name, date of birth, diagnosis, medication, dose, frequency and duration. Medication must be in its original container and stored in the Health Office. Students are not permitted to self-carry medication.

FROM THE LHS/PTG

We wish everyone a peaceful, warm, festive, and happy Thanksgiving. A special thank you to Kathleen Posillico, Jo ReyMartin, Maura McGloin and their entire team for all your preparations, time and resources spent on the Fall Festival,

an event loved by many. We are saddened that it was cancelled due to Hurricane Sandy, but hold on to all of your materials and props for next year! Thanks to all our LHS Families for all your support and time spent towards LHS*PTG events, services, and programs. Please let us know if there is anything you need, if you have any questions, or concerns. You can always e-mail us at lhsptg@gmail.com or call us. Look for phone numbers in the LHS*PTG School Directory. Please continue to spread the word about events to others that are still without cable, internet, and phone service.

LHS*PTG Website

Please visit our website, www.lhsptg.wordpress.com Post a comment, thank parents and teachers, and "like" an event. View 2nd Grade Redwoods Artwork and 4th Grade Kandinsky Inspired Art on the website! Grades 3, 5, & 6 art is coming soon! Tell us about your experiences with LHS*PTG services, events and enrichment programs. What positive experiences have you had? Make sure to sign up at the bottom of the Home Page, "Follow this Blog" to receive e-mail updates when a new post appears on the website. Find links at the bottom of the Home Page to follow us on Twitter @lhsptg and Facebook (Lhsptg).

LHS*PTG Event Announcements & Reminders

All LHS*PTG members receive Weekly Reminders every Monday (and a great deal of event announcements and reminders during the week and sometimes on weekends!). Make sure your information is updated. Please e-mail Randi Solis at lhsptg@gmail.com to confirm. If you "manage your subscription" yourself, please add your e-mail address to the LHS 2012-2013 list and your children's grades as well.

GoodSearch/GoodShop/GoodDining

Remember to use GoodShop when searching and shopping for the Holidays! Relatives and friends can use GoodSearch and help support Lloyd Harbor School as well. Set up GoodSearch on all of your computers and devices. Use GoodSearch for all of your searches and shopping and the LHS*PTG receives a donation at no extra cost to you. Find the link on the LHS*PTG Website (ww.lhsptg.wordpress.com). Go to the "Easy Ways To Give" page where you will find a GoodSearch icon to click on. Thank you!

Boxtops For Education

Keep clipping and bagging boxtops. Send them to school in a ziplock bag with your child's name on it and place it in the Boxtops collection box at Mr. Mike's desk. Thank you.

Value Drugs

Remember to use your Value Drugs key fob every time you shop there. LHS*PTG receives a donation from Value Drugs at no extra cost to you.

LHS*PTG Parents Play Encourage & Engage Recess Program

Thank you to all of the parents that came to play at recess at the last Parents Play! There were games of hide & seek, hoola hoops, Mummy Mummy, jump rope, and lots of all around good times! The children look really happy, smiling and playing with the parents. Thank you for coming to recess, focusing on the children and engaging them in play! Friday, November 30th is the next Parents Play Recess Program.

6th Grade Barn Dance

The 6th Grade Barn Dance was a huge success! We had an excellent turn out and all the 6th Graders had a great time dancing and hanging out with their friends. A big thanks to all our chaperones, food providers and photographers who helped make the night extra special. We'd like to thank: Pam Bell, Deneel Berlinghof, Dianne Breitstone, Margie Coughlin, Claire Costa, Terri Coyne, Margaret Dunne, Janice Farynick, Carmen Friedlander, Helena Grossman, Lisa Kiefer, Rosemarie Kirschner, Froydis Lovedal, Lisa Martin, Tina McAteer, Sally Nadler, Debbie Polatchek, Jen Reim, Ellen Seo, Dana Service, Keri Spielberger and Kim Toscano. Thank you to anyone we may have left off given the recent changes with the re-scheduling of the dance. **Also left behind was a black Abercrombie vest.**

LHS*PTG Holiday Boutique

The Holiday Boutique will be held in the Little Theater on Tuesday, November 27th, Wednesday, November 28th, and Thursday, November 29th. An updated class schedule, Boutique envelope, and flyer came home in backpacks.

LHS*PTG Coat Drive

Please bring in coats, hats, scarves, gloves/mittens, raincoats, and rain boots by Friday, November 30th. You can place items in labelled boxes outside Room 107. These items will be donated to the Family Service League.

Little Apple Fun Run

We are very excited to announce that we are able to re-schedule the Fun Run for Sunday, May 5, 2013! Please save the date! More information will come home.