

Coyote Call

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2020

JUST ONE TIDBIT TODAY...

~Our **Fun Fair** is Leap Day, Saturday, February 29th, 11:00-2:00. This is a FUNdraiser for Lakewood Creek and is TONS of fun! There will be games for all ages, bounce houses, raffles, a food truck, Kona Ice, prizes, and much more. A wonderful family event. New this year: no tickets! Instead, you'll purchase a wristband for unlimited play. Although wristbands will be available at the door, you can purchase them for a \$3 discount online through 2/25. Go to <https://lakewoodcreekhso.membershiptoolkit.com/home> to purchase for only \$12.

EVERY FRIDAY IS SPIRIT DAY! WEAR LAKEWOOD CREEK SHIRTS!

2020 Elementary Alumni Walk
Attention OHS and OEHS 2020 Graduating Seniors!
Our elementary schools are inviting you back for the Elementary Alumni Walk
Bring your Cap and Gown

School	Date	Time	RSVP
Long Beach Elementary	February 15, 2020	2:00 - 4:00 (at 2:45)	RSVP: graduation@lakewoodcreekhso.org by May 8
Palms Park Elementary	February 15, 2020	2:00 - 4:00	RSVP: graduation@lakewoodcreekhso.org by May 11
Quail Park Elementary	February 15, 2020	2:00 - 4:00 (at 1:45)	RSVP: graduation@lakewoodcreekhso.org by May 11
West Elm Elementary	February 15, 2020	2:00 - 4:00	RSVP: graduation@lakewoodcreekhso.org by May 8
Buckley Hill Elementary	February 15, 2020	2:00 - 4:00 (at 3:00)	RSVP: graduation@lakewoodcreekhso.org by May 4
Chapel Elementary	February 15, 2020	2:00 - 4:00	RSVP: graduation@lakewoodcreekhso.org by May 11
Five Oaks Elementary	February 15, 2020	2:00 - 4:00	RSVP: graduation@lakewoodcreekhso.org by May 8
Woodward Elementary	February 15, 2020	2:00 - 4:00 (at 2:00)	RSVP: graduation@lakewoodcreekhso.org by May 11
Lakewood Elementary	February 15, 2020	2:00 - 4:00 (at 1:45)	RSVP: graduation@lakewoodcreekhso.org by May 11
Old Peak Elementary	February 15, 2020	2:00 - 4:00	RSVP: graduation@lakewoodcreekhso.org by May 8
The Orchard Elementary	February 15, 2020	2:00 - 4:00 (at 2:45)	RSVP: graduation@lakewoodcreekhso.org by May 11
Tracy Elementary	February 15, 2020	2:00 - 4:00	RSVP: graduation@lakewoodcreekhso.org by May 11

RSVP:
Name
University
College
Military Branch
Trade School
Career Center
etc.

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REPORT TO PARENTS: SETTING GOALS

Setting academic and personal goals helps motivate, energize, and focus students. Here's how parents can help students set and achieve these goals.

PICK IT	MAP IT	DO IT	OWN IT	CELEBRATE IT
Help your child to pick goals that are important and meaningful to them.	Together, analyze methods and define clear steps to reach their goal.	Encourage them to take action, focus on the first step, and give it their all.	Remind them that hitting bumps in the road lets them learn from mistakes.	Acknowledge all efforts and successes along the way to achieving a goal.

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Happy Presidents Day!

NO SCHOOL
FEBRUARY 17



ALUMNI WALKS

Plan ahead! Graduating seniors who are alumni of LC are welcome to return for an Alumni Walk on 5/15/20 from 2:00-3:00.

GOAL SETTING

As an AVID school, we work on goal setting, monitoring, and reflecting. Try setting goals at home too!

NO SCHOOL MONDAY

Presidents Day

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18TH IS AN 'A' DAY FOR SPECIALS.

LITERACY NIGHT!

Lakewood Creek's Family Literacy night 2019-2020 was themed "Dream It, Write It, Say It" . Students and their families were invited to the Oswego Library, Montgomery Campus on Thursday, February 13 to listen to guest readers, create a "say something kind" heart and trade it in for a free book donated by Naperville's Half-Price books, play character bingo, go on a scavenger hunt, Special thank you to Damaris Rodriguez (a Lakewood Creek parent) from Modm Entertainment who donated her time and equipment for fun photo booth. Other thanks go to McDonald's on Orchard Rd and Portillo's in Oswego for donating food coupons for this event. Almost two hundred people enjoyed a fun night out!



2020 CENSUS

The 2020 Census will be held next spring and it's vitally important to our community that everyone be counted. The Census helps determine our legislative districts and federal funding.

Did You Know?

The Census will hire thousands of people to help residents complete the survey this spring, and they're paying up to \$25 an hour!

For more information please visit 2020Census.gov



DO YOU HAVE A COLLEGE DEGREE?

You can apply for a substitute teaching certificate. We are looking for substitute teachers and teaching assistants. If you have a teaching certificate, you can apply to sub. If you do not have a teaching certificate, take a look here to see the requirements to get a sub certificate:

<http://www.roe24.org/services/substitute-certificates/>

Once you have certification, you can apply here: <https://www.sd308.org/Page/1856>.



2020 REFERENDUM INFORMATION

<https://www.sd308.org/Page/22960>



Smaller Class Sizes= More Interaction

Less students in each class means that teachers and students have more opportunity to engage. Teachers of smaller classes can more easily tailor instruction to meet the needs of students.

A .50 cent per day investment* will allow the district to reduce class sizes, provide more individualized learning opportunities, and will help to recruit and retain great teachers.



* Based on a 200k Home Value

PLAN AHEAD!

- Monday, February 17: No School - President's Day
- Friday, February 21: 3rd Grade Breakfast Buddies, 8:00-8:30
- Thursday, February 27: Spring Picture Day
- Saturday, February 29: Fun Fair! 11:00-2:00
- Monday, March 2: Board of Education Public Forum at Lakewood Creek 7:00-8:00
- Thursday, March 5: HSO Meeting, 7:00
- Friday, March 6: SIP Day, Dismissal at 12:30, no lunches served
- Monday, March 9: Alma Mater Monday - wear college/career/tech/military clothes
- Wednesday, March 11: IAR Testing begins for 5th grade
- March 16-20: HSO Book Fair
- Tuesday, March 17: No school, Election Day, go vote!!!
- Wed/Thurs, March 18/19: Parent/Teacher Conferences, flexible hours
- Monday, March 23 - Tuesday, March 31: Spring Break
- Wednesday, April 1: IAR Testing begins for grades 3 & 4
- Thursday, April 2: HSO Meeting, 7:00
- Friday, April 10: No School
- Monday, April 13: No School
- Wednesday, April 22: Administrative Professionals Day - show some love to our office staff
- Friday, April 24: Daddy/Daughter Dance, 6:30-8:00

May 4-8: Teacher Appreciation Week

Thursday, May 7: HSO Meeting, 7:00

Saturday, May 9: Lakewood Creek Cougars Game

Monday, May 11: Alma Mater Monday - wear college/career/tech/military clothes

Friday, May 15: Alumni Walk, 2:00

Thursday, May 21: Tentative Last Day of School

Monday, August 17: Preview Night, 5:30-7:00

Wednesday, August 19: First Day of School!

Thursday, September 3: Curriculum Night 6:00-7:30

HAVE YOU "LIKED" OUR FACEBOOK PAGE?

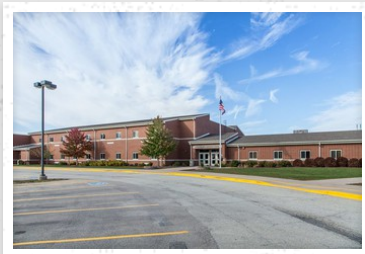
<https://facebook.com/lakewoodcreek308>

Give us a positive review while you're there!

HSO MEMBERSHIP TOOLKIT:

Did you sign up for the Membership Toolkit yet? Our amazing HSO will use Membership Toolkit this year for room parties, spirit wear sales, sign ups, volunteers, school directory, news, updates, and much more. Be sure to create your account at

<https://lakewoodcreekhso.membershiptoolkit.com/>



ABOUT LAKEWOOD CREEK

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Lakewood Creek Elementary School, home of the Coyotes, is located in Montgomery, Illinois. It is part of Oswego School District 308. We proudly serve around 700 students.

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