

News from the Logan Elm Local School District

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Logan Elm's K-6 Remote Learning Option for 20-21

For K-6 students and parents who preferred an online education setting for 2020-2021, Logan Elm Schools offered a Remote Learning option. Michelle Fraley (K-1/Dean of Students), Amie Bassett (Gr. 2-3/Technical Support) and Tonya Whittredge (Gr. 4-6) are the staff members who are teaching the remote courses for our younger students. They submitted the following:

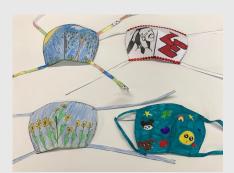
We would like to begin by thanking the parents and students for all of their hard work and perseverance this first nine weeks. Remote learning has been a learning curve for all of us and we are proud of the progress that has been made. The effort you have been putting in reflects the progress that is being made.

Logan Elm was happy to be able to offer remote learning this year to students. For our K-6 learners we were able to offer programs like Florida Virtual, Google Classroom, Lexia Core 5, Raz-Kids, Happy Numbers, Red Bird and more. Each program offers students multiple opportunities to learn remotely. Students also meet with teachers using Google Meet for learning too!

We would like to give a staff shout out to... Mr. Griffith, Art Teacher at Salt Creek Elementary, for going above and beyond to connect remote learners with his school in-person classes. Thank you for the extra effort!

Finally, let's give a shout out to our remote learning "Braves of the Month" for September are Logan Biller, Clayton Starkey, Reed Underwood, Joshua Downs, Samuel Campbell, Destiny Brannon, and Karina Pantoja! These students reflect the importance of hard work and grit! Keep it up!

Salt Creek Students Get Creative with Masks!



At the beginning of the school year, students and staff were asked to return with new protocols that included masks, social distancing, table dividers and barriers.

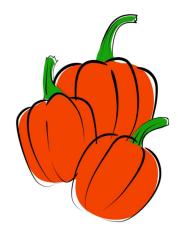
As a building, Salt Creek Intermediate was cautiously optimistic that these protocols would not impede the learning while providing the necessary safety for students and staff. The response from students has been fantastic.

Salt Creek recently held a Spirit Week to celebrate every "inperson" student returning five days a week. The themes of spirit week included: Career Day, Hero Day, Wear Blue to stand

against Bullying Day, and Decorative Mask Day. Students enjoyed personalizing their face masks and participating in a mask decorating contest. The winners of the contest will have their paper masks made into a cloth mask for the student to keep.

Local Business Collaborates with Pickaway for Virtual Field Trip

Pickaway Elementary third graders were able to take a virtual field trip to the Pumpkin Patch. The Pumpkin Patch donated two large classroom pumpkins and a small pumpkin for every student. The students watched a slide show featuring the Pumpkin Patch and its owner as part of their economics standards. They also discussed goods and services. The main focus of this was for math. The students used the pumpkins to estimate measurements and to practice taking measurements. In science the students discussed the life cycle of pumpkins. The students also wrote their 7-up sentences describing their pumpkins.



Laurelville Students Embrace STEM activity

Laurelville Elementary's thrid grade students are learning about energy and the STEM Design Cycle with the help of our Pitsco Straw Rocket Launcher. It was a great day full of learning and lots of fun!





LEave Your LEgacy Donors

The LEave Your LEgacy campaign has reached over \$600,000 in donations and pledges. The funds from the campaign will be used to enhance and improve the performing arts event area, locker rooms, and gymnasium in the new P-12 buildling. If you would like to make a donation, please contact Steve McAfee, Treasurer, Logan Elm School District, at 740.474.7501.

With a goal of \$1,500,000, we have reached 42.6% of our goal! We would like to recognize and thank the donors as of October 21, 2020:

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Thank you for reading the Logan Elm Schools e-Newsletter! We appreciate your interest in the students and activities of all Logan Elm schools!

Jerry & Dawn Peters

Pictured right: Pickaway Township Fire Department visited the kindergarten classes at Pickaway Elementary. Students observed the equipment used by firefighters and discussed important fire safety tips.

We appreciate our community partners such as the Pickaway Township Fire Department!



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