

LARAMIE CHRISTIAN ACADEMY THE BEACON



Laramie Christian Academy's Newsletter

See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it? Isaiah 43:19

PIG KISSING & PACKING PARTY

10,080 MEALS IN THREE HOURS!

Excitement was easily felt among students and staff in the morning as we began our packing party with a kiss, a kiss for a pig. That's right, for crossing our 75% mark, Mrs. McKamey kept her promise and kissed a pig. How did it feel? "Like kissing someone's head with a buzz cut." For part of the fun, she wore a green wig and yellow lipstick. Although the yellow kiss mark did not show up on the pig's snout as hoped, all 40 plus witnesses and multiple photos will attest that the pig was, in fact, kissed in celebration of God's provision through generous donors who supported our students'/families' hard work.





Once the logistics of table assignments were sorted out, students began with enthusiasm to measure the ingredients for the bags. Our teams packed rice and bean meals which also included vitamins and vegetables. Once all the ingredients were measured, each bag was weighed to verify it had enough volume and then sealed. The bags were then packed into a box. Each bag included six meals, and each box held 40 bags. Altogether we packed enough bags to fill 42 boxes for a total of 10,080!

Students were excited and enthusiastic as they diligently participated, ensuring each bag included the correct measurements. They wanted to be sure the children we packed meals for received everything they were supposed to in each serving. All told, the actual packing took 1.5 hours, with assignment logistics at the beginning and clean-up at the end taking up the remainder of the 3 hours allotted. By 2 pm, the cases of food and box of supplies were picked back up by the shipment company, and all the food was on its way to Haiti to feed hungry children.





BLOEDORN FIELD TRIP



LCA is grateful to Bloedorn Lumber for welcoming our students to their business on the third Friday in April. Through guided tours, we learned the ins and outs of the company: from the design process, to stocking/supply, to storage, and then purchasing. It was a great first-hand look at how a business is run successfully and all the nuances of making a business flow. Students saw career possibilities as well.

LEAP PLAY DATE

We made it to 100% and beyond! A HUGE thank you to all families who participated in our fundraiser. With God's help, we exceeded our fundraising goal! Students enjoyed the LEAP playdate.



STAFF SPOTLIGHT

MRS. HORNOR



Mrs. Christy Hornor has returned for her second full year as Preschool Admin Director at LCA. Actually starting her commitment to LCA back in the pre-start-up years with weekly prayer meetings, Mrs. Hornor has been lifting up the vision and mission of LCA for many years. Her commitment to praying for LCA remains high as she leads our school in prayer through weekly parent prayer meetings and daily staff prayer and was the prayer leader for our Feed the Need fundraiser.

Keeping preschool families up to speed through communication, ensuring all state requirements for licensing are met, training and supporting preschool teachers, and acting as primary teaching substitute, are just some of the many things that Christy facilitates at LCA. Our program is very blessed and supported by Mrs. Hornor and we are so grateful for all her commitment and contributions.

CLOSING CELEBRATION CEREMONY

Come celebrate with us all that your students have learned this year! We have had an amazing year and have lots to celebrate. Our celebration has moved from the last thing on the final day of the school year to a Thursday evening the week before. This shift was prompted by scheduling needs combined with feedback from parents and family members who would like to celebrate with us but could not attend a mid-day program. We hope this year's day/time will make our program more accessible to all families. Spread the word and invite your friends and family. This year's celebration will be at 5:30 pm on May 18th.



DATES TO REMEMBER

APRIL 7 -- NO SCHOOL -- GOOD FRIDAY APRIL 10 -- NO SCHOOL -- EASTER OBSERVED

MAY 18 -- CLOSING CEREMONY CELEBRATION
Friends and Family are invited for our Closing Celebration
5:30 pm. Come celebrate our amazing year with us!

MAY 23 -- FIELD DAY -- OLD DETI TRACK FIELD MAY 26 -- LAST DAY OF SCHOOL -- HALF DAY

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