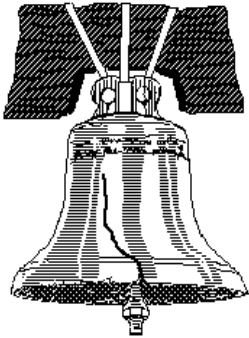


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May Calendar

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Principal's News

Dear Liberty Bell Families,

May is already here and as always, it is a very busy month. There are many school events and activities from now until the end of the year, so please keep a lookout for communication from your child's teacher for all the details.

First up this month is our K – 3 Play Day. This year Play Day will be on Thursday, May 14th, with a rain date of Friday, May 15th. Mrs. Hoff and Miss Rockel have sent out volunteer forms requesting help with play day events. So, if you can spare any time on the 14th, we would love to have your help!

Our annual Spring Festival is Friday, May 15th, from 6:00 P.M. – 8:00 P.M. We are still in need of parent volunteers for the festival. Whether it is set-up, clean-up, or helping to run an activity, we could use you! If you are interested, please contact our main office (610-282-1850) and leave your contact information. Thank you for your consideration!

The 3rd Grade Spring Performance led by both Mrs. Yale and Mrs. Lindauer-Schneider will be on Tuesday, May 19th. There will be show times to accommodate the many family members and friends. There will be a 2:00 P.M. show as well as a 7:00 P.M. show later in the evening. Both teachers and our 3rd grade students have worked very hard to showcase their musical

talents.

Keep in mind our next early dismissal day will be Friday, May 22nd. Dismissal will be at 12:50 P.M. with lunch being served. P.M. Kindergarten will be in attendance this day. And...don't forget, no school on Monday, May 25th, as we are off to be with our families for Memorial Day.

We are also still collecting old, used markers and plastic bags as we try to do our part here at Liberty Bell to help the environment. We have already recycled many boxes full of each. A big thank you to Sra. Muth, Mr. Markley, and Mrs. Hovis for leading our conservation efforts here at Liberty Bell! The drop containers are located in the main lobby near the office entrance.

Finally, May brings warm weather so I would like to remind everyone that when dressing for school to please remember that flip flops or slide on sandals present safety concerns during recess. This type of footwear is not safe to use on the equipment or when running so please wear safer shoes to school. Your child may be restricted in their activities at recess if their footwear is deemed unsafe by school personnel.

Have a wonderful May!
Samuel G. Hafner

News from the PTA

A Big Thank you to:

- All of the presenters at our annual Passport to the World event. We had representatives from China, Columbia, Germany, Greece, India, Pakistan, Poland, Taiwan. The students enjoyed learning about each of these cultures.
- We celebrated Earth Day by Dancing with the Honeybees. All children got to participate in the assembly, followed by stations that children got to visit and learn hands on about honeybees and why they are so important.
- PSSA Pep Rally Kick off was a huge hit! Evelyne Kite and Kim Dum did an awesome job getting these kids pumped up....not to mention the great healthy snacks that were provided during testing!
- Although it was a very chilly night, the Iron Pigs was a huge success. Some of our Liberty Bell children got to throw out some pitches. We had over 700 people just from the Southern Lehigh Elementary schools! Kudos to Kyle Gangewere along with the two other schools for pulling this big event together.

Science Fair May 1st

Teacher Appreciation Week of May 4-8

Spring Festival: The countdown is on, less than 30 days of school left! Spring Festival wraps up our school events. It is held on May 15, from 6-8. There will be inflatables, games, food (Diana's Café) photo booth, raffles, diorama contest theme "Under the Sea", perennial sale, and new this year... a special art auction. There will be a lot going on and you don't want to miss out! Come out for a great family fun-packed night. If you are interested in helping out please contact Angela Ast at abca1900@yahoo.com, or Katherine Sarnoski at ksarnos@yahoo.com

Inside Scoop Spirit Night: June 4th 6-9pm "Celebrity scoopers" come out and enjoy some ice cream with our Liberty Bell families.....

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Deadline for the
June newsletter is
May 26th.

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PTA Meeting Schedule

May 12th

All meetings held in the Liberty Bell cafeteria
at 9:15 A.M. and SCHOOL STORE OPEN THIS
A.M.