

Southern Lehigh School District

K-12 Building Update

November 24, 2014

Hopewell Elementary

- 11/11 - Hopewell students and faculty will recognize our Veterans with a flag raising ceremony around our flagpole on the morning of 11/11. To show our school spirit, students who are in any branch of the boy scouts or girl scouts are invited to wear their uniforms to school or are invited to wear red, white and blue to honor our veterans.
- 11/17-21 – Excellent turnout for parent conference week

Liberty Bell Elementary

- Week of 11/17, early dismissal each day in order to host all parent-teacher conferences
- 11/26, 3rd Grade will be hosting their annual Bears, Blankets, and Books where students bring in their favorite teddy bear/plush doll, blanket to sit on, and book to share with their classmates. Teachers and other staff members also take part and bring their favorite books in to share with the 3rd Graders.
- 12/5 Liberty Bell's PTA will be hosting its annual Holiday Shoppe from 6:00 to 8:00 P.M. Students and their families will have the opportunity to shop for the holidays as well as enjoy some festive food! Students will also compete in a gingerbread house competition in our library.
- Finally, the new school sign is up and already displaying messages to Liberty Bell families and community. A big thank you to the PTA, Liberty Bell Families, central office, and school board for making this all happen!

Lower Milford Elementary

- We have been busy conducting Parent Teacher conferences which were held last week.
- As a follow up to Veterans Day we are collecting toiletry items to donate to the Veterans Affairs project in the Lehigh Valley to help veterans in need.

JPLIS

- About 500 conferences were scheduled and conducted during the week of 11/17-11/21.
- Students and staff celebrated Veteran's Day by wearing red, white, and blue. Also, Art teacher Mrs. Hower organized the creation of flags for display in the school. The flags were made up of the names of family members who have served in the armed forces. An image of one of the flags is posted on the Laconian, <http://laconian.org/1615/school-news/veterans-day-at-jplis/>

- 11/7 - First quarter report cards were sent home with students
- 12/2 - Staff will attend school-wide positive behavior support training at the IU, with training focusing on tier 2 and tier 3 supports
- The spirit committee organized fabulous 50's day on 14 November, and for the entire day our school looked like the set of Happy Days. The next spirit day is November 26, which is our fall colors spirit day.
- 12/4 - The Picasso people assembly , <http://www.picassopeople.com/>

Middle School

- 11/11 - New Activities begin
- 11/11- Veterans' Day/Armistice Day observed
- 11/13 - Cocoa Chat with Superintendent
- 11/17-21 - Parent-teacher Conferences
- 11/17-12/5 - In-class spelling bees
- 11/21 - LCTI, Eighth grade assembly
- 11/26 - Camfel Assembly
- 12/5 - Dance
- 12/8,9 - LCTI Tours
- 12/12 - In-house Pre-Concert
- 12/16 - Winter Concert
- 12/23 - Spelling Bee Competition

High School

- 11/20 - Parent/teacher conferences – 5:30 pm to 8:30 pm
- 11/19 - State Required/Mandated Hearing Screening
- 11/20 - Blood Drive
- 11/19 - Health and Wellness Expo