



LA PORTE CITY ELEMENTARY WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

"Union Community Schools-Education To Meet Tomorrow's Challenges"

Friday, May 12, 2023 | Newsletter #35

- NEW YEAR - NEW UNION

NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Monday, May 15 - 161st Day of School - Day 5 (Lib & PE)

- Regular Day of School for TK through 5th Grades(No Preschool on Mondays)
- 3rd Gr to Mrs. Arhart's Garden Experience pm
- 3rd, 4th, & 5th to HS Track to Run the Mile in PE (AM)

Tuesday, May 16 - 162nd Day of School - Day 6 (Music & PE)

- Regular Day of School for Preschool through 5th Grades
- 3rd, 4th, & 5th to HS Track to Run the Mile in PE (AM)
- Library Books are due
- 5th Gr Band to DG 12:30-2:30

Wednesday, May 17 - 163rd Day of School - Day 1 (Library & Music)

- Regular Day of School for Preschool through 5th Grades
- 5th Gr to Hartman Reserve
- Grad Walk for UHS Seniors (arrive at school approximately 8:45)
- 2nd Grade to Nursing Home 1:00

Thursday, May 18 - 164th Day of School - Day 2 (Art & PE)

- Regular Day of School for Preschool through 5th Grades
- 3rd Grade Pen Pal Picnic @Hickory Hills 11:45-2:30
- LPC Public Library Visit K-2 8:30-11:30 3-5 12:00-3:00

Friday, May 19 - 165th Day of School - Day 3 (PE & M)

- Regular Day of School for Preschool through 5th Grades
- Career Day for LPC Elementary AM (TK-2nd) and PM Sessions (3rd-5th)
- Library Birthday Book Club Pizza Party

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

- May 15 - 3rd Grade to Mrs. Arhart's Garden Experience 12:30-2:30 pm
- May 15 & 16 Mile Day for PE students
- May 16 - UHS students come to help 3A plant the school garden 1:20-1:55 pm



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(K-8:30-9:30, 1st-9:30-10:30, 3rd-10:30-11:30) - 3-5 12:00-3:00
(2nd-12:00-1:00, 4th 1:00-2:00, 5th 2:00-3:00)
- May 19 - Career Day for LPC Elementary AM (TK-2nd) and PM Sessions (3rd-5th)
- May 19 - May 19 - Library Birthday Book Club Pizza Party
- May 25- 5th Grade Safety Patrol Pizza Party during lunch sponsored by LPC Police Depart.
- May 25 - 2nd Gr to Bloomsbury Farms in CR (9-2)
- May 29 - Memorial Day - No School
- May 30 - Last day for 4 year old preschool. Picnic in the shelterhouse.
- May 30 - 6:00 Preschool Graduation in the gym
- May 30 - Track & Field Day(Grs 3-5 AM) Playground-(Grs K-2 PM) Playground
- May 31 - Last day of school for students - 11:10 Dismissal

LAST DAY OF SCHOOL NOW SET FOR 2022-23

Superintendent John Howard announced that based on action by the Union School Board at their March 21 meeting, the final day of school for TK-12 students will be **Wednesday, May 31.** District students will have met the state mandated requirement for instructional hours for the year. This day will be a 11:00 dismissal time and at the elementary that translates to 11:10 for walkers/car riders and 11:25 for bus students. Breakfast will be served on the last day of school, but no lunch will be served on that day.

TRACK & FIELD DAY - FUN & FITNESS DAY

On Tuesday, May 30, we will have our Track & Field Day for 3rd, 4th, & 5th grade students in the morning @ LPC Elementary Playground (The HS Tracks id being resurfaced) 8:30-11:00. In the afternoon we will then have our Fun & Fitness Day for K, 1st, and 2nd grade students @ LPC Elementary Playground from 12:45-3:00. As always, you are welcome to come and watch your child participate in this fun day.



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SCHOOL STORE - STUDENT COUNCIL

This spring, the LPC Student Council will be hosting our School Store in the 4th-5th grade hallway every Thursday morning from 7:40 - 8 AM! Our opening day will be on Thursday, April 13th. We have FUN items such as tie-dye notepads, scented pens, pencil grips, erasers, pencils, stickers, and more available for purchase. All items are \$0.25 - \$1.00 each. All funds go directly back to the Student Council. Thank you!

HAWKINS MEMORIAL LIBRARY:

- Monday, May 15 through Saturday, May 20 is coloring week. The library will have colors and markers, and plenty of pages and bookmarks to decorate.
- LPC Elementary children will visit the library on Thursday, May 18. They'll learn about the library with a scavenger hunt and other fun activities. Ask your child about it.
- We invite and encourage all children to get a library card and use it! For a **new member card** you can sign up online at <https://hawkins.biblionix.com/catalog/> and click on SIGN UP in the top right corner of the page. Please complete the form and hit submit. The library will contact you when the card registration is complete. If your child already has an account, please take the time to **update your information**. You will need your member number and your password (your default password is your 10 digit phone number with no dashes or spaces). If you do not know your library card information please call us at 319-342-3025, or email hawkins@laportecity.lib.ia.us.



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LUNCH		LA PORTE ELEMENTARY				May 2023
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY		
PULLED PORK ON BUN 1 BAKED BEANS ① PEACHES FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK	WALKING TACO 2 CORN ② MIXED FRUIT FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK	CRISPY CHICKEN ON BUN 3 BROCCOLI WITH CHEESE ③ FRUIT CUP FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK	MACARONI & CHEESE 4 with CINNAMON ROLL ④ PEAS FRESH FRUIT FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK	PEPPERONI FRENCH BREAD 5 GREEN BEANS ⑤ PINEAPPLE FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK		
BBQ RIB ON BUN 8 FRIES OR WEDGES ⑥ PEACHES FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK	CHICKEN FAJITAS 9 with CHEESE ① CORN & PEPPERS/ONIONS PEARS FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK	POPCORN CHICKEN 10 with TEA ROLL ② MASHED POTATOES & GRAVY ROSY APPLESAUCE FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK	MANDARIN OR TERYAKI 11 CHICKEN ON RICE (COOK'S CHOICE) STEAMED VEGGIES ③ MANDARIN ORANGES FORTUNE COOKIE FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK	SAUSAGE PIZZA 12 MIXED VEGGIES ④ PINEAPPLE FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK		
PIZZA CRUNCHERS 15 GREEN BEANS ⑤ FRUIT CUP FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK	SENIOR MEAL 16 CRISPITO BURRITOS ⑥ CORN & FRENCH FRIES STRAWBERRIES & BANANAS DESSERT FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK	BREADED PORK CHOP 17 with MUFFIN ① BAKED BEANS MANDARIN ORANGES FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK	DELI SUB 18 WITH CHIPS ② CALI MEDLEY OR BROCCOLI WITH CHEESE FRESH FRUIT FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK	CHEESE PIZZA 19 MIXED VEGGIES ③ PINEAPPLE FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK		
CHICKEN STRIPS 22 with GARLIC BREAD OR STICK GREEN BEANS ④ PEACHES FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK	MEXICAN DAY 23 CORN & REFRIED BEANS ⑤ PEARS FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK	CHICKEN DAY 24 with a BUN, MUFFIN, OR ROLL MASHED POTATOES & GRAVY APPLESAUCE ⑥ FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK	ON A BUN DAY 25 VEGGIE & FRUIT OF THE DAY ① COOK'S CHOICE FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK	PIZZA DAY 26 VEGGIE & FRUIT OF THE DAY ② COOK'S CHOICE FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK		
NO SCHOOL 29	COOK'S CHOICE 30 FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL 31 BREAKFAST ONLY ④ NO LUNCH SERVED FRUIT / VEGGIE BAR MILK				

*Vegetable / Fruit Bar Contains: Fresh Romaine Lettuce, Tomatoes, Carrots, Cucumbers, & a 2nd Fruit Daily
May Also Contain Other Choices Like Celery, Peppers, And Cauliflower. All Items On Menu Are Subject To Change Based On Product Availability.

CHOICE DAILY = HAMBURGER ON BUN EXCEPT ON COOK'S CHOICE DAYS



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BREAKFAST		LA PORTE ELEMENTARY			May 2023
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
MINI DONUTS 1 CHOICE: CEREAL with Muffin, Yogurt, or Oatmeal Bar 100% Fruit Juice & Fruit Milk	OMELET WITH TOAST 2 CHOICE: CEREAL with Muffin, Yogurt, or Oatmeal Bar 100% Fruit Juice & Fruit Milk	WAFFLES OR PANCAKES 3 CHOICE: CEREAL with Muffin, Yogurt, or Oatmeal Bar 100% Fruit Juice & Fruit Milk	SAUSAGE PANCAKE STICK 4 CHOICE: CEREAL with Muffin, Yogurt, or Oatmeal Bar 100% Fruit Juice & Fruit Milk	YOGURT PARFAIT 5 CHOICE: CEREAL with Muffin, Yogurt, or Oatmeal Bar 100% Fruit Juice & Fruit Milk	
MINI CINNIS 8 CHOICE: CEREAL with Muffin, Yogurt, or Oatmeal Bar 100% Fruit Juice & Fruit Milk	BREAKFAST BAR WITH TOAST 9 CHOICE: CEREAL with Muffin, Yogurt, or Oatmeal Bar 100% Fruit Juice & Fruit Milk	FRENCH TOAST 10 CHOICE: CEREAL with Muffin, Yogurt, or Oatmeal Bar 100% Fruit Juice & Fruit Milk	BREAKFAST PIZZA 11 CHOICE: CEREAL with Muffin, Yogurt, or Oatmeal Bar 100% Fruit Juice & Fruit Milk	YOGURT PARFAIT 12 CHOICE: CEREAL with Muffin, Yogurt, or Oatmeal Bar 100% Fruit Juice & Fruit Milk	
FRUIT FRUDEL 15 CHOICE: CEREAL with Muffin, Yogurt, or Oatmeal Bar 100% Fruit Juice & Fruit Milk	OMELET WITH TOAST 16 CHOICE: CEREAL with Muffin, Yogurt, or Oatmeal Bar 100% Fruit Juice & Fruit Milk	WAFFLES OR PANCAKES 17 CHOICE: CEREAL with Muffin, Yogurt, or Oatmeal Bar 100% Fruit Juice & Fruit Milk	SAUSAGE PANCAKE STICK 18 CHOICE: CEREAL with Muffin, Yogurt, or Oatmeal Bar 100% Fruit Juice & Fruit Milk	YOGURT PARFAIT 19 CHOICE: CEREAL with Muffin, Yogurt, or Oatmeal Bar 100% Fruit Juice & Fruit Milk	
MINI DONUTS 22 CHOICE: CEREAL with Muffin, Yogurt, or Oatmeal Bar 100% Fruit Juice & Fruit Milk	BREAKFAST BAR WITH TOAST 23 CHOICE: CEREAL with Muffin, Yogurt, or Oatmeal Bar 100% Fruit Juice & Fruit Milk	FRENCH TOAST 24 CHOICE: CEREAL with Muffin, Yogurt, or Oatmeal Bar 100% Fruit Juice & Fruit Milk	BREAKFAST PIZZA 25 CHOICE: CEREAL with Muffin, Yogurt, or Oatmeal Bar 100% Fruit Juice & Fruit Milk	COOK'S CHOICE	
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