



Lakeland Elementary School

IMPORTANT DATES

- 2 Party on the Playground
- 5 Coffee w/ the Principal
- 8 Make- Up Pictures
- 8 Turkey Trot
- 12 Veterans Day:
No School
- 19-23 Thanksgiving Break
- 29 SSC/ELAC/ PTA Meeting

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YOUR SCHOOL LEADERSHIP TEAM

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Dear Lakeland Families,

Thank you for another successful month of school. I wanted to take this opportunity to highlight some events that happened here at Lakeland.

October was Bully Prevention Month and we had several events that helped students address bullying issues. We began our school year with Mrs. Robles, our school counselor, facilitating restorative circles in each of our classrooms. Mrs. Robles held discussions in every classroom that helped students build community and learn how to resolve conflicts. Teachers continue to facilitate restorative circles with her support.

We launched the month with Friendship Week, during which we hosted several activities encouraging students to make new friends. Activities included saying kind words to each other, introducing yourself to new friends, and taking pictures with both new and old friends.

The highlight of Bully Prevention Month was our anti-bully assembly. During this assembly our Student Leadership Team, made up of fourth and fifth graders, along with Mrs. Robles gave a presentation called "Stop the Bullying". The Student Leadership Team taught our student body what the differences were between conflict and bullying. In addition, they focused on how to react to someone who might be trying to bully them or if they observe someone bullying someone else. Students were taught to Stop, Talk, and Walk: Tell the person to stop, tell the person you don't like it, and walk to tell an adult. The program ended with the Student Leadership Team providing different scenarios and having the students discuss how they would handle the situation.



At our next Coffee with the Principal on Monday, November 5th, we will focus on bully prevention and Mrs. Robles will facilitate a presentation on bully prevention. Please join us!

Yours,
Principal Baltierrez-Manohorathat

