



Wolves News

The Maurepas School Monthly News Letter

SPECIAL SUMMER

#15-5 - Maurepas School - P.O. Box 39 Maurepas, LA 70449 - 1 (225) 695-6111 - Kenny Kraft, Principal - May 2015

LOOKING FORWARD TO

- April 28th**
- Jr. High Athletic Banquet
- May 1st**
- PREK/KND Registration /No school for Pre-K and K
- May 4th**
- Senior Beta Field Trip
- FFA Banquet at Red's Restaurant 7:00p.m
- Last call for Yearbook
- May 4th - 8th**
- Teachers Appreciation Week
- May 5th**
- 2nd Grade Train Field Trip
- May 14th**
- Seniors Cap & Gown Group Picture
- Seniors Last Day
- May 19th**
- Pre-K Last Day
- High School Athletic Banquet
- Yearbook Orders Dues
- May 21st**
- Drama Play 12:50 PM
- May 22nd**
- Spirit Day
- Kindergarten Last Day
- High School Graduation
- May 25th**
- Memorial Holiday - No School
- May 26th**
- Pre-K Close-out 8:30 AM
- Knd Close-out 10:30 AM
- Awards 1:00 PM
- 8th Grade Close-out 6:30PM
- May 28th**
- Second Semester Ends
- Early Dismissal 11:30AM
- Students Last Day
- May 29th - August 6th**
- Summer Break (OH YEAH!)**

CONGRATULATIONS



- Congratulations to MHS Alumni and LSU senior **Kade Scivicque** who is on the new watch list for the 2015 Johnny Bench Award, given annually by the Greater Wichita Area Sports Commission to the nation's top Division I catcher.

- Congratulations to the 4H members who attended Achievement Day. Club President **Sarah Hess** received the Parish Key Club Award and the Raymond D'Armond Scholarship, she also won 1st in Fashion, Food & Fitness, and 2nd in communication. **Cayla Breland** won 3rd in Fashion. **Gage Loupe Berthelot** got 3rd in You and the Environment. Demonstration Day participants **Cayla Breland** and **Dakota Guitreau** won 1st place in Conservation, **Sarah Hess** and **Bryce Felps** got 1st in Home Environment and 3rd in Cooking Demonstrations.

- Congratulations to **Sarah Hess** who was the recipient of the Eatel Technology Award for Maurepas High School.

IN LOVING MEMORY OF ALYSSA SWAIN



A bright light left this world and the heavens surely gained an angel. MHS alumni **Alyssa Swain** was killed in an auto accident on Friday April 24. There just aren't enough words when something like this happens. The first thing that I thought of was her beautiful smile. Alyssa smiled through everything that life had in store for her. Please keep the family in your thoughts during this difficult time and in the coming days.

Lori Hess

~ End of the Year Test Schedule 2015 ~

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
April 27 DIBELS 1 st Grade Benchmark 3 rd , 4 th , 5 th , 6 th , 7 th , 8 th EOC Eng II	April 28 DIBELS 1 st Grade Benchmark 3 rd , 4 th , 5 th , 6 th , 7 th , 8 th EOC Eng II	April 29 DIBELS Knd Benchmark 3 rd , 4 th , 5 th , 6 th , 7 th , 8 th EOC Eng III	April 30 DIBELS Knd/2 nd /3 rd Benchmark 4 th , 5 th , 6 th , 7 th , 8 th EOC Eng III	May 1 DIBELS 2 nd /3 rd Benchmark 4 th , 5 th , 6 th , 7 th , 8 th
May 4 Benchmark Knd, 1 st , 2 nd PARCC EOY 3→8	May 5 Benchmark Knd, 1 st , 2 nd PARCC EOY 3→8	May 6 Benchmark Knd, 1 st , 2 nd PARCC EOY 3→8	May 7 Benchmark Knd, 1 st , 2 nd PARCC EOY 3→8 HS Math 162 6-7 th hr	May 8 Benchmark Knd, 1 st , 2 nd PARCC Make-up 3→8 US History AP
May 11 Knd DSC Testing EOC Geometry	May 12 Knd DSC Testing EOC Geometry	May 13 Knd DSC Testing Eng III AP EOC Geometry	May 14 Knd DSC Testing	May 15 Knd DSC Testing EOC Biology I
May 18 EOC Alg I	May 19 EOC Alg I	May 20 EOC Alg I	May 21	May 22

Be sure your kids are well rested, eat a good breakfast and get to school on time.



The mission of Maurepas School is to help all students learn and grow, and give their best each day.



SUMMER CREDIT RECOVERY

High School Summer Credit Recovery/Virtual School
All sessions 7:30 - 3:30
- Session 1 (6/8 - 6/16)
- Session 2 (6/17 - 6/25)
- Session 3 (6/26 - 7/7)
- Session 4 (7/8 - 7/16)
For more information, call the office.

Livingston Parish Public Schools



Vote May 2
Early Voting April 19-25

PRE-K FUNDRAISER

The Maurepas High School Pre-K class will be hosting a fundraiser to raise money for our Pre-k program. Every Friday during recess time students can stop by the Pre-K class front door to buy popsicles for .50¢ and pickles for \$1.00

Thanks for Your Support!!!
Jennifer Stewart

COLLECTIBLES!

Please collect and send to the school library:

Community Coffee Labels



Box Tops for Education



Read **Wolves News** on your mobile devise!

Thanks to Mrs. Hess, Mrs. Mullis and Mrs. Stille for the pictures.



9 SUMMER READING TIPS FOR PARENTS



Summer shouldn't mean taking a break from learning, especially reading. Studies show that most students experience a loss of reading skills

over the summer months, but children who continue to read will gain skills. Efforts should be made during the summer to help children sustain reading skills, practice reading and read for enjoyment. Reading builds visualization, thinking and language abilities. Taking the time to read with your child can help you evaluate your child's reading skills. (...)

Parents should remember that children need free time in the summer to relax and enjoy the pleasures of childhood. So summer reading should be fun. Following are a few tips to make reading enjoyable for your children this summer:

1. Read aloud together with your child every day.
2. Set a good example!

3. Read the same book your child is reading and discuss it.
4. Let kids choose what they want to read, and don't turn your nose up at popular fiction.
5. Take your children to the library regularly.
6. Subscribe, in your child's name, to magazines like *Sports Illustrated for Kids*, *Highlights for Children*, or *National Geographic World*.
7. Ease disappointment over summer separation from a favorite school friend by encouraging them to become pen pals.
8. Make trips a way to encourage reading by reading aloud traffic signs, billboards, notices.
9. Encourage children to keep a summer scr book.

For the full story, go to:

<http://www.readingrockets.org/article/summer-reading-tips-parents>

YEARBOOK

Last call yearbook orders will be taken from May 4–May 19. Order forms will be sent home with students and can also be found on the school website. The cost of books at this time is \$55. Extra books will not be ordered, so place your order before May 19th.

Lori Hess



WALKER BASKETBALL CAMP Boys and Girls Entering 1st grade- 8th grade

DATE: June 1ST - 4th – Camp time will run from 9:00am to 12:00pm.

LOCATION: Walker High School (Glenn Ellis Gymnasium).

FEE: \$65.00- Pre-Registration if you mail application by May 25th.
\$80.00 at the door on June 1.

\$45.00 for each additional child in the household.

FEE INCLUDES: Camp T-shirt, and individual and group instruction

CAMP FOCUS: Individual and group instruction on the basic skills of the game including: defense, passing, shooting, and ball handling.

For more info, contact Korey.Arnolf@lpsb.org



SUMMER CAMP INVENTION



When planning your summer activities, remember to include Camp Invention at Lewis Vincent Elementary! Camp Invention is for students entering grades one through six and will immerse your child in a weeklong experience where he or she will discover creativity and inventiveness through hands-on, creative problem solving activities. It is also taught by certified teachers. This year, camp will be held **June 15th-19th** from 9:00-3:30.

If interested, please go to the following link and register your child.

<http://inventnow-web.ungerboeck.com/programsearch/moreinfo.aspx?event=11468>

Karen Smith, Lewis Vincent Elementary

NOTES FROM THE SCHOOL NURSE

Please remember that:

- Any medication will need to be picked up from the office by May 29th. Any medication that is not signed out will be disposed. Please have medication orders for the 2015-2016 school year dated by your child's doctor after July 1st.

- Any student who will be entering the 6th grade or turning eleven (11) years old must show proof of immunization against Meningitis, & any booster doses recommended by the Office of Public Health. Parents or Guardians of students who are unable to receive immunizations due to medical, religious, or personal reasons must submit a written/notarized letter of dissent.

Jodie Guitreau

FIELD TRIP FUN



Junior High at the WWII Museum



Maurepas Drama Field Trip to Springfield HS production of The Emperor's New Groove on April 2, 2015.



FFA Field Trip to the Aquarium



MHS LTLA AT SHREVEPORT



LTLA president **Courtney Fontenot** and LTLA vice president **Sarah Hess** attended the 2105 Louisiana Librarians Association Conference in Shreveport recently. Courtney spoke on behalf of LTLA at the Louisiana Association of School Librarians luncheon. Guest speaker was Louisiana author and native, John Corey Whaley. Mr. Whaley is the author of two award winning books, *Where Things Come Back* and *Noggin*. *Noggin* will be made into a movie sometime in the near future. **Courtney** and **Sarah** were able to meet Mr. Whaley and get his autograph.

Cindy Stilley

1 FREE OR LOW-COST SUMMER ACTIVITIES FOR YOUR KIDS

For many parents, summer poses the inevitable question: Now that the kids are home all day, what am I going to do with them? The good news is the answer doesn't have to be too complicated. Here are a few free or cheap things to do with the kids this summer.

1. Play traditional card games or board games.
2. See free or cheap kids' movies.

3. Let the kids help you cook.
4. Share a hobby or craft.
5. Take up a sport or pastime as a family.
6. Go bowling.
7. Take a field trip to a nearby town.
8. Give the kids a photography project.
9. Do outdoor movie night.
10. Explore your local library.

For the full story, go to <http://money.usnews.com/money/personal-finance/articles/2014/05/30/12-free-or-low-cost-summer-activities-for-your-kids>

Livingston Parish Public Schools

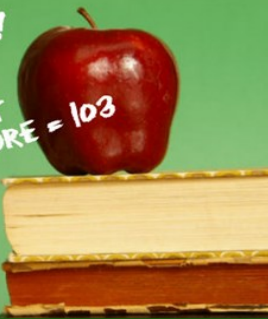


2014 State Letter Grade

CONGRATULATIONS!

Teachers Students
Administrators
Support Staff Parents

2014 DISTRICT PERFORMANCE SCORE = 103














SACS SURVEY

A BIG thank you from the SACS committee to ALL the parents who supported us by filling out the Parent Survey. It is greatly appreciated, and the results will be sent home at a later time. Have a fun filled summer!!

Monica Hutson

MAUREPAS SHOOL — HOME OF THE WOLVES

MAY 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Apr. 27 ***TEST EOC English II	Apr. 28 *** DIBELS (K → 3 rd) - Benchmark -EOC English II -Jr. High Athletic Banquet	Apr. 29 - Benchmark (3 rd → 8 th) *** EOC English III	Apr. 30 -EOC English III -Talent Show at 1:00 PM	May 1 TEST *** -PRE-K & K Registration -No school for Pre-K and K	2
3	4 ***TEST *** -Sr. Beta Field Trip -FFA Banquet @ Red's 7:00p.m	5  Benchmark (K → 2 nd) - PARCC 2nd Grade Train Trip	6 Teachers Appreciation Week	7 EOY (3 rd → 8 th) ***TEST *** TEST HS Math 162	8  TEST US History AP	9
10 	11 EOC Geometry	12 ***TEST *** Kindergarten DSC Testing EOC Geometry	13 -EOC Geometry -TEST English III AP	14 - Seniors Cap and Gown Group picture - Seniors Last Day	15 EOC Biology I	16 
17	18 EOC Algebra I	19 -EOC Algebra I -HS Athletic Banquet -Pre-K Last Day -Yearbook Orders Due	20 EOC Algebra I	21 Drama Play at 12:50 PM in the auditorium.	22  -High School Graduation 6:30PM -Kindergarten Last Day - Spirit Day	23
24	25 Memorial Day Holiday - No School 	26 -PK Close-out 8:30AM -Knd Close-out 10:30AM -Awards 1 PM -8th Gr. Close-out 6:30PM	27	28  -Students Last Day -Early Dismissal at 11:30 AM -End of second semester	29 	30 
31 			Livingston Parish Public Schools adheres to the equal opportunity provisions of federal and civil rights laws, and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, age, sex, sexual orientation, marital status, or disability. The Title IX Coordinator is Rick Wentzel, Assistant Superintendent, P.O. Box 1130, Livingston, La; phone (225)686-7044; email: Rick.Wentzel@LPSB.org			

MORE TO COME:

June 3rd

- ◆ Report Cards Issued (All Grades)

June (TBA)

- ◆ Summer School (4th - 8th)
- ◆ August 6th (projected)
- ◆ Open House

August 7th

- ◆ Back to school
- ◆ Students First Day
- ◆ First Semester Begins

