

4-26-19

Dear Dolsen Families

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Literacy Workshop for Parents

You are invited to attend a free literacy workshop for parents, entitled "*Sailing into Summer with Children's Literature*," facilitated by Mrs. Weakland who will be sharing strategies for parents on engaging their kids in reading. This workshop will take place on **Tuesday, May 7th, from 6-7 in the Dolsen media center**. The workshop is FREE and there will be book giveaways!! It is so important for students to keep up with their reading over the summer months! See the attached flyer.

[Sailing into Summer Flyer](#)

2019-2020 Incoming Kindergartner Meet and Greet

Dolsen will hold our kindergarten meet and greet for next year's students on May 8 (for last names A-L) and on May 9 (for last names M-Z) from 4:30 to 5:30 at Dolsen. Letters were mailed to families this week. If you know families of incoming kindergartners please encourage them to enroll as soon as possible so we can include them in this activity. Any questions, please call the school office at 248-573-8400

Summer Tutoring

If you are interested in having your child tutored this summer, the following Dolsen teachers are offering tutoring services.

Laura Weakland – weaklandl@slcs.us

Bonnie Garcia – garciab@slcs.us

Lindsey Kauserud – kauserudl@slcs.us

Emily Sicheneder – sichenedere@slcs.us

Rachel Fletemier – fletemierr@slcs.us

SIP Minutes

Attached please find the minutes from our April 11, 2019 meeting.

[Dolsen April, 2019 SIP Minutes](#)

Lunch Hero Day

Friday May 3, 2019 we are celebrating Lunch Hero Day. See that attached special menu

[Lunch Hero Menu](#)

Spring Picture Return

Please be sure to turn in the spring pictures that you do not want to purchase. And be sure to purchase the ones you want either online or send in payment in the envelope included in the packet.

A message from Dolsen PTO (Repeat Announcement)

As our school year is quickly starting to wrap up there is one thing that is just around the corner for the PTO. It's Election Time!!! At our May board meeting we will be holding elections for new officers to take us through the 2019-2020 school year. If you would like to run for one of the available positions please email our current Vice President, Lisa Tucker, at blacktucker21@gmail.com. Your name will be added to the list and will be brought to a vote at our PTO meeting held on May 22nd. You may also contact Lisa with any questions regarding the elections!

The Dolsen PTO works together with staff to bring fun events to our school each year. Without the efforts of our dedicated members, our children wouldn't have events such as the Dolsen Darlings Dance or the Fun fair!

Below are the positions that will be available for the 2019-2020 school year.

President

Vice President

Secretary

Treasurer

Fundraising Coordinator(s)

Trustee (2)

Grub Crawl – May 2, 2019 – (Repeat Announcement)

Please join the Grub Crawl 2019 to support the South Lyon Educational foundation. Tickets are on sale online until April 19, 2019. See the attached flyer for details

[Grub Crawl Flyer](#)

South Lyon East Color Run– (Repeat Announcement)

Attached you will find the flyer for the 1st Annual SLE Color Fun Run being held Sunday May 5, 2019. This Color Fun Run is in support of the South Lyon East Senior All Night Event. The event is \$20 per runner and you may also purchase an optional custom t-shirt for \$8.

[Color Run Flyer](#)

Tips to prevent and address substance use (Repeat Announcement)

Please see the attached flyer regarding a presentation on what parents need to know to help prevent substance abuse on Wed. May 1, 2019 from 6:30-8:00 pm at the Center for Active Adults—1000 N. Lafayette South Lyon (Southwest wing of South Lyon High School)

Lisa Kaplan, LMSW, CAADC, CPC-R, ACSW graduated from the University of Michigan with a Bachelor of Arts in Psychology and a Master of Social Work. She

has been in the addiction field for 25 years. She runs the Community Education Department and serves as part of the clinical treatment team at Henry Ford Health System's Maplegrove Center in West Bloomfield. RSVP at <https://slayasubstanceawareness.eventbrite.com>
Questions? Contact South Lyon Area Youth Assistance
248-573-8189

Marker Recycling (Repeat Announcement)

Our PTO is joining Crayola in recycling used markers. Please see the attached flyer for more information on how Crayola recycles. Collections runs till the end of April.

Marker Flyer

Upcoming Events

5-1-19 – 4th Gr Concert Informance – 6:00 pm
5-1-19 – 5th Gr Concert Informance – 8:00 pm
5-2-19 – Popcorn day – Taking Care Thursday – wear Red
5-6-19 – Dolsen's Hungry Howies Pizza Night
5-7-19 – Parent Literacy Workshop – 6-7 pm in the Media Center
5-8-19 – Dolsen's Cottage Inn Night
5-8 and 5-9-19 – Incoming Kindergartner's Family Meet and Greet
5-9-19 – SIP Meeting 8:00 am – conference room
5-15 through 17 – 5th Gr Camp
5-22-19 – PTO Meeting 4:15 pm
5-29-19 – No School – Memorial Day
5-29-19 – Pod Meeting 2:45 pm

Please see the district web site for District approved flyers including http://www.slcs.us/enrolling/district_approved_flyers/index.php

School Website:

http://www.slcs.us/dolsen_elementary/index.php

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