

LEHI ELEMENTARY SCHOOL





PRINCIPAL'S NEWSLETTER

CHANGES COMING TO LEHI ELEMENTARY

Because of declining enrollment at our school, we will be making **some changes next year in teacher assignments.** We have two teachers who will be retiring, Miss Walton will retire in May and Mr. Knutsen will retire in December. We have two teachers who are taking on new assignments at other schools, Mrs. McCann will only be teaching 1 session of kindergarten at our school and Mr. Griffey will be transferring to a different position at another school. We have one teacher, Mrs. Herrmann, who will be a fulltime mom next year. We will miss these teachers and appreciate their tremendous contributions to Lehi Elementary.

Because of these changes, the **deadline for parent input forms for next year will be extended to April 6th.** Several of you may want to amend the forms you have already turned in based on new information. Teacher assignments for next year are: **K** – Mrs. Nitiharto, Mrs. McCann, **1**st – Mrs. Ash, Mrs. Farnsworth, Mrs. Reid, **2**nd – Mrs. Ferre, Mrs. Erickson, Mrs. Oliphant, **3**rd – Miss Burton, Ms. Thomason, Mrs. Wood, **4**th – Mrs. Lish, Mrs. Olson, Ms. Sanders, **5**th – Mrs. Christensen, Ms. Elison, Mr. Knutsen, and **6**th – Mrs. Sloan, Mrs. Wykstra, and a teacher new to our school yet to be hired.

THE GREAT UTAH SHAKE OUT

The Great Utah Shake Out is a functional drill to help individuals, families, businesses and the community **prepare for an earthquake emergency situation**. Lehi Elementary will be joining Lehi City and many other schools and businesses throughout the state in an earthquake drill on April 17th at 10:15AM. Based on the Red Cross recommendations, we will practice with students the Duck, Cover, and Hold drill that morning, followed by a routine evacuation and student accounting procedure.

You can go online at <u>www.BeReadyUtah.gov</u> and click on "the Great Utah ShakeOut" to learn more.



APRIL CALENDAR

April 17th Earthquake Drill and Evacuation April 18th Dads and Donuts for Kindergarten AM 9:15 – 9:45 PM 12:45 – 1:15 April 20th Spring Pictures for the Students April 23rd Steve James Assembly for Students April 25th Maturation Program for 5th graders and their parents 2:30 PM

Spring Break April 9 - 13

PLANNING AHEAD

As we begin to plan for the end of another great year at Lehi, we want you to be aware of upcoming events in May that might be of interest. In all grades, **students will be given District and State assessments**. These tests are a way to show a child's progress during the year. We hope you will make every effort to have your students at school and on time during the weeks following spring break so they can participate in these assessments.

We will continue the tradition of a PTA sponsored Field Day which will be held on May, 29th.

We will also hold the annual Dance Festival on May 30th at 10:00.

The last day of school for this year is May 31st. All students attend that last day from 8:45 – 10:15.