



THE Lancer Letter

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From the Principal's Pen

by Craig LeSuer



Welcome to 2016-2017

Overall, we have had a positive start to our school year and a successful First Marking Period. We have been especially pleased with the transition made by a high percentage of our 6th Graders. They began the year with our 49 W.E.B. (Where Everybody Belongs) Leaders, 8th Grade Mentors on 1st day opening lockers and feeling comfortable with asking for help. Most recently, our W.E.B. Leaders supported 6th Graders as they prepared for Student-Led Conferences on Wednesday, October 19th. We continue to focus on our building positive habits which will prepare our students for high school and beyond. Our target areas are:

- Having ALL students arrive with necessary materials for each of their 6 classes. Their "Success Kit": Binder, Notebooks, Math Journal,

Science Journal, Student Planner, Pens/Pencils, and Student IDs are necessary everyday equipment! Please remind them!

- All students must arrive to their classes on time! Each Grade-Level Team has a 21-day goal designed to cut their tardies by 50%. Please remind your child to get to classes on time!

- We have begun Student Growth Conversations following Fall NWEA Testing. Our SGCs help students goal-set using their specific scores in Reading, Math, and Science. The present score is "Where You Are" and the goal is "Where You Need To Be" by Spring. We have these SGCs with All students.

- Thank you for supporting our Cell-Phone Policy. It has cut our distractions significantly!

- Congratulations to our Perfect Attendance (90) and Zero-Tardy (189) Students!

- Congratulations to our 246 Honor Roll Students!

- Check our website for upcoming events!

Welcome to our New Teachers!

Name	Position
Mrs. Rayman	6th Grade Math
Mr. Sherman	6th/7th Grade Math
Mrs. Ottusch	7th Grade Science
Ms. McDermott	7th Grade Math
Mr. Witt	7th/8th Grade Math
Mrs. McAfee	7th/8th Grade ELA
Ms. Matteoni	8th Grade English
Mr. Platte	C.I.S. Coordinator

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Thu Oct 20, 2016 - "Wear Pink Thursday" for Breast Cancer Awareness
- Thu Oct 27, 2016 - Parent Advisory
- Wed Nov 2, 2016 - Picture Day
- Thu Nov 2, 2016 - 8th Graders @ MI Career Quest, Expo Center
- Tue Nov 22, 2016 - No School - End of 1st Tri
- Nov 23-25, 2016 - No School



School-Wide Theme:

"9.58 – Lots to Accomplish in a Very Short Time"

This theme is centered around the world record for the 100m dash set by Usain Bolt in 2009. During one of his races, he has goals for himself for each step he takes.

In his mind, he knows what he needs to accomplish at the start, from 0-30 meters, from 30-60 meters, and during the last 40 meters which he calls "...the strongest [art of my race]." He has a lot to accomplish in a very short time.

We use this example to remind us that to make the individual and school-wide growth we have set as our goals, we cannot waste a step, a minute, or any opportunity to work toward success. His approach will be an inspiration for us!

Check out his video at:

www.Kinetic-Revolution.com/usain-bolt-phases-of-the-100m-sprint

Our Parent Advisory Council Meetings for 2014-2015 will be held on the following dates listed below. Parent Advisory is our monthly time to meet with parents and share information about school activities and programs. Meetings will be held on Thursdays in the school library, and run for approximately one (1) hour, from 5pm-6pm. We encourage you to attend.

Oct 20
Nov 17
No Meeting
in December

Light refreshments and childcare will be provided.

First Marking Period Focus

- Completing our Fall NWEA/MAP Testing.
- Introducing/using CHAMPS Expectations in and out of our classrooms.
- Students bringing the "Success Kits" to class: Binder, Notebooks, Pens, Pencils, Math Journal, Science Journal, Student Planner, Student ID.
- Getting to each class on time (each team has a 21-day goal to lower their daily and hourly tardies).

2nd Marking Period Focus

- Daily Attendance average; most recently the average has been 92.01%.
- Completing our ELA, Math and Science Student Growth Conversations (these Goal Setting Conversations are completed with each student).
- Continue to increase our On-Time arrivals to class.
- Begin our After School Clubs and Activities.
- Recognize: Honor Roll, Perfect Attendance, Zero Tardy, 9.58 Awards, and Tier-One Students.

Biotechnology Essential Questions

Marking Period 2 - Technological Innovations

6th Grade

Math:

How are shapes found in nature used in food production?

Social Studies:

What developments have influenced our relationship with our environment?

English/Language Arts:

How does understanding different needs help build relationships?

Science:

How does research and development help maintain food accessibility?

7th Grade

Math:

What is the relationship between you, your community and the world?

Social Studies:

How has access to food and resources influenced global societies?

English/Language Arts:

How do my interactions with others impact the world?

Science:

How does interaction with others help form identity?

8th Grade

Math:

What factors need to be considered when making a decision?

Social Studies:

How is ensuring rights and values "for all" a challenge and issue for governments?

English/Language Arts:

How is conflict resolved?

Science:

How does research and technology increase and improve agricultural resources?

Milwood Magnet School High Honors Students: *GPA's 4.0 - 3.5*

6TH GRADE

TROY ACREE
PRIA AINSWORTH
ERIC ALLEN
WESLEY BAKER
ADRIANA BELTRAN
WYATT BROWN
PABLO CERVANTES-JIMIENEZ
LILYANA COLEMAN
ANN COOK
LUKE COURTNEY
MADISYN COX
JILLIAN DANTES
MARCELL DAY
YATZARI DIAZ MARTINEZ
VINCENT DOUGLAS
ANNA EDLEFSON
MARGARET ELFRING
MICHAEL ESQUIVEL
AMIRA EVANS
RENIYA FANCE
SHYANN FITZPATRICK
ANDREA GARCIA
NATALY GERVAICIO
KAMYA GILLAM
CHARLES HALL
JAVON HARRIS
TIMOTHY HEALEY

KAREN HERNANDEZ-SOTO
KIARAN HINTON
REYNALDO HOOPER JR.
DREW HOSNER
NEVAEH HUGHES
SHAMIAH JONES
VERDA KORZENIEWSKI
ALLISON KRUPIANIK
ARIANNA LAMPER
JERICKA BOYD
HELEN MANUMBU
MICHAEL MARTIN II
JIMMY MARTINEZ
JADE MCELMURY
ELIZABETH MULLINS
GABRIEL NAYLOR
KRISTAL PEREZ-CASTRO
OLIVIA POLDERMAN

7TH GRADE

ALYSSA ABARCA
TRIANA BELL
BAILEY BENNETT
AUSTIN BENNY
KEYONDRA BURNS
SHONTAYLIA BUTLER
EZEKIAH CAMERON JR
DEANNE COMPTON
JOSELUIS DORANTES

ELIZABETH DURAN
OCTAVIO FRAGA
AMBIKA FULTON
CLARA GARCEZ
KIARA GUY
LEXI HALE
ELLA HAWTHORNE
RUBY HERNANDEZ
SHADAE HILLSMAN
BIANCA HOBSON
KARYSS HODSON
VICTORIA HOPPE
ALAYA HUNTER
NEIDA JAIMES
JESSICA KANIPE
DYLON KELLEY
SANAA' LITTLEJOHN
RYAN LOISELLE
ELIZABETH MCFARLEN
DYLAN MEEK
GAVIN MOAN
AALIYAH MOHNEY
FRANCES MURCHEK
JONATHAN PORTILLO
TRINIDEE RADLEY
NELSON RAMOS RUBALLOS
TYLER ROBERTS
KATHLEEN ROBERTS-KUILEMA
GAVIN ROZANC
TALUS RUTGERS

THADEUS SAWYERS
LILYANA SCHABES
EVAN TEAL
ELLA THOMAS
ANDREW VAN HOUTEN
ROSELY VENTURA-AMATES
ZOEIE VORVA
KAELIS WHITE

8TH GRADE

AVA ANGLIN
TAKEITHA ATLAS
JADEN BLAKES
MORGAN BROWN
CATHERINE CANADA
SAMUEL COURTNEY
TAYLOR DOONAN
HECTOR DORANTES
WHITNEY FORD
SHAKIYLA GONZALEZ
SARAH GRUBER
MACKENZIE HANFLAND
JOY HART
CHRISTOPHER JONES JR
SYDNEY KETCHUM
ABRAHAM KONJOH
BARTINA KONJOH
LUCYMA KONJOH
OLIVIA LEDEZMA

THOMAS LEDEZMA
MAYTE LOPEZ
BRIAN MARTINEZ
SHADIAH MCMAHON
KARAH MITCHELL
KEVIN MORALES
CARLOS MORALES-AMATES
ABIGAIL MOSHER
CAITLYN MOSHER
ALISIA MULLER
DAKOTA MURPHY
ADDISON NACHTIGAL
ZOE NAYLOR
IVAN PADILLA
GAVIN PITTMAN
CHE POLLACK
LESLIE RAMIREZ
MAKENZIE SACKETT
GRETA SALAMUN
ANNA SANKEY
MADELYN SHEEHAN
KINSEY SKJOLD
ANZARYA STANSBERRY
ELIJAH THOMPSON
EVE TYLER
CHRISTINA WARD
MIKAYLA WHITE
GAVIN WILKEY

Milwood Magnet School Honors: *GPA's of 3.49-3.0*

6TH GRADE

CAY'LEIGH GORDON
ARIYA GRIMES
TAKARRA HARRIS
GRIFFIN HEBBEN-BAGGE
ISAI HERNANDEZ MARTINEZ
JAYDON KELLEY
ELISA KUBWIMANA
DANIYA LEWIS
JAKE LEWIS
TAHNIYA LEWIS
CELSE MEJIA SANCHEZ
TAJHA MERRITTE
QUENTEN NOWAK
AIDAN PIROCHTA
STEPHANIE POHL
ESSANCE POLLEY
JUSTIN PROCTOR JR
ROBURTO ROBESON
ERIK SALAZAR-MARTINEZ
JAYLYNN SANCHEZ
ANNA SMITH
LANDEN SMITH
HUNTER STONE
JEFFREY TERRIAN III
TANEKA THOMAS
SUSAN VILLEGAS

LEVI WALING
AUBREY WALKER
DESTINEE WALKER
SHARYHA WEBSTER
KEMONNI WHITE
SANAA WILDER
DESTINEY WILLIAMS
MATAYA WILLIAMS

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LIVIA APPERLEY
LUIS AVILES
ELIJAH BATZLOFF
DANIELLE BEISCHL
GINA BELLO
SHANIYAH BILLINGSLEY
BETTY ANN BROWN
BIANCA BRYANT
KEYONNA BURNS
MIGUEL CALDERON
MACKENZIE CARPENTER
NORIAHA CLARK
ZAHRA COATES
JESSICA COCHRAN
ANIYA CUMMINGS
RICHARD ESQUIVEL
EMILY GALLARDO

REAGAN GATES
BENJAMIN GOODWIN
IVORY GRAY
NEFHATTI GREEN
LIZETH GUTIERREZ
SAMARII HEGLER
LYLA HODSON
JOE HOSTIGUIN III
AMONTE' IRIZARRY
ALLEN JACKSON SANCHEZ
JAYLEN JOHNSON
ERNEST JONES JR
SKYLAR JONES
JEREMIAH KAGUMBA
GRANT KAHLER
PARKER KENNEDY
SARAHY LUNA-SALAZAR
JACON MARION
SHAYNE MITCHELL
CALEB MORSE
KAREN PADILLA
RIDLEY PIXLER
CARLOS PRIETO
KEMPTON ROBINSON JR
LUIS SANCHEZ
ERICA SANCHEZ-ELIAS
CALEB SCHIFFMAN
SAUL SEGOVIA-PEREZ

MARISA VILLANUEVA
ALEC WARD
ROBERT WELCH
KALAYA WHITE
NADIA WILLIAMS
DONOVAN WILSON
DENASJA WITHERSPOON
GRACE WRZESINSKI

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TREYTEN ALLEN
BROOKLYNN ATCHISON
AALIYAH BLEDSOE
YASMINE CAMERON
ZURIEL CLAVERIA
COURTNEY COOK
ZOEY DALKE-DAVIS
KHYRA DILLEY
DEVANTE' DUNIGAN
OWEN EDLEFSON
DESTINY ESPINOZA
ANGELIQUE GARCIA
ASHLEY GARCIA
NORAH GEIGER
FRANCISCO GUERRERO
HERNANDEZ
DANYELLE HAGAN

TALIA HERBERG
VENANCIO HERNANDEZ-
MARTINEZ
CHARLES HESS
KEEVON JEFFERSON
ELIJAH LEONARD
JAIME MACIAS
IVRY MARCINKOWSKI
MARK MARCINKOWSKI
BRIAN MARTIN JR
ANAYELY MARTINEZ
SEAN MASON
DAVAREION MILLS
JANIYAH MOORE
KELLIS O'DAY
QUINCY PERRY
TOBIAS PIXLER
YANCY QUINN
GIESSELLE SANDOVAL
THOMAS SELVIDGE
DOMINIC STEVENSON
LEI ANNA STRATTON
TIA TEETERS
XIMENA VASQUEZ
JAYLIN WHITE

Perfect Attendance:

6TH GRADE

PRIA AINSWORTH
 WYATT BROWN
 MASON CLAYPOOL
 LILYANA COLEMAN
 MADISYN COX
 DOMANIC DAVIS
 YATZARI DIAZ MARTINEZ
 MARGARET ELFRING
 AMIRA EVANS
 ROBERT FIELDS
 ANTHONY FOTIS
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 LITZY RAMIREZ
 HUCK REYNOLDS
 TALIA ROBERTSON
 DIANA SALAZAR-PONCE
 ANNA SMITH
 JESSICA TORRES MARTINEZ
 ALANA VARGAS
 ANGEL VILLALOBOS HUERTA
 LOREN WRIGHT

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 AUSTIN BENNY
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 MARQUEE HOWARD

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 RIDLEY PIXLER
 CARLOS PRIETO
 NELSON RAMOS RUBALLAS
 GAVIN ROZANC
 YESENIA SALAS
 LUIS SANCHEZ
 OMARION SANDERS-FIELDS
 EVAN TEAL
 ANDREW VAN HOUTEN
 ROSELY VENTURA-AMATES
 ROBERT WELCH
 TARIS WENDT
 KAEELIS WHITE

8TH GRADE

MORGAN BROWN
 NICHOLAS FRIES
 ASHLEY GARCIA
 SARAH GRUBER
 FRANCISCO GUERRERO HERNANDEZ
 VENANCIO HERNANDEZ-MARTINEZ
 ABRAHAM KONJOH
 BENJAMIN LAFLAMME
 DAVAREION MILLS
 KEVIN MORALES
 CARLOS MORALES-AMATES
 OSCAR MORALES-SERNA
 ZOE NAYLOR
 IVAN PADILLA
 JOSEPH PAWLOSKI
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 THOMAS SELVIDGE
 NICHOLAS WOODEN

Zero-Tardy:

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 JOSEPH COLE
 COURTNEY COOK
 SAMUEL COURTNEY
 ZOELY DALKE-DAVIS
 HECTOR DORANTES
 JALEN FORD
 WHITNEY FORD
 NICHOLAS FRIES
 ASHLEY GARCIA
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 CHARLES HESS
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 ABRAHAM KONJOH
 BENJAMIN LAFLAMME
 ELIJAH LEONARD
 MARK MARCINKOWSKI
 ANAYELY MARTINEZ-EQUIA
 ROBERT MATTHEWS
 TRINITY MCGHEE
 SHADIAH MCMAHON
 FAYTHE MCNEIL
 DAVAREION MILLS
 TATIANA MIMS
 KEVIN MORALES
 CARLOS MORALES-AMATES
 OSCAR MORALES-SERNA
 ABIGAIL MOSHER
 CAITLYN MOSHER
 ZOE NAYLOR
 IVAN PADILLA
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