



Lake Tapps Elementary School

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A Note from the Principal

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Happy Thursday! This past Tuesday we implemented a modified lockdown drill. A modified lockdown drill is put in place if there is something unsafe outside and we need to keep everyone inside. It could be a wild animal on the playground, or other situation that calls for keeping everyone inside with no traffic coming in or going out of the building. During this type of situation, we account for all students, staff and volunteers inside the building, and carry on “business as usual” inside the building, while not allowing anyone to enter or exit the building. Last week we practiced a full lockdown drill as well. A full lockdown would be implemented if there was a direct threat to our school, staff or students. In this type of situation, the police would be notified immediately, and when they arrive, they would take control of the situation. As reported earlier, we practiced a fire drill earlier in the year. We will practice an earthquake drill on October 10, at 10:10. We will repeat practicing these drills periodically throughout the school year.

We had another good turnout of parents for our 2nd grade Parent Information Night last week. First Grade’s Parent Information Night is tonight at 6:30pm. I hope to see you all here. The Parent Information Night is focused on parents, so students should stay home if at all possible. If students need to come, they are more than welcome, and we will have supervision of the students for the first 30 minutes of the evening. They will then be sent back to their classrooms to join their parents.

The PTA Walkathon is scheduled for Wednesday, October 2, at 1:00pm. All donations collected are due to school by Monday, September 30. Thank you in advance for supporting our amazing PTA Committee.

Remember, tomorrow is a Spirit Day— Favorite Stuffed Animal Day

Lake Tapps—What a great place to grow!

Sincerely,
Pat Webster
Head Learner



27 Favorite Stuffed Animal Day (bring 1 favorite stuffy)

30 School Board Meeting 6:00pm



2 1:00 PTA Walkathon

10 1:30 Earthquake Drill

14 NO SCHOOL (teacher collaboration day)

17 Picture RE-TAKE Day

18 PTA LEGO NIGHT 6:30-8:30 @ LTES

24 NO SCHOOL (conference day)

25 North Tapps Middle School’s Haunted House

28 School Board Meeting 6:00

31 ORANGE & BLACK DAY! (come dressed in orange & black)



WALK-A-THON



SCAM ALERT



The Walk A Thon is the PTA’s ONLY FUNDRAISER!! The PTA will never email their members asking for donations of gift cards. If anyone receives emails or phone calls asking for gift cards from people stating they are with the PTA even using familiar names, it is a scam. Please report it immediately!