LaFargeville Central School

October Newsletter

LaFargeville Community,

We are so pleased to announce we have had a great start to the school year! Our students are doing really well and learning and growing each and every day.

Phase I of the construction project is coming to a close. Since most of you last visited during Open House, much has been done. In the next few weeks, the fitness center, courtyard, heating system, plumbing, and electrical will be completed. I look forward to showing you all the finished improvements when you come to Parent Conferences on November 25 & 26. Phase II of the project will commence next June where the majority of work will focus on the remodel of the cafeteria and kitchen.

I want to publicly thank our staff for their flexibility, patience, and hard work throughout and thank our community for approving all the much needed work being done in our District.

Let's keep this GREAT year going!

Mr. Hoover



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Parking Around the Building

We understand parking is at a premium, especially with contractors at the school and at the post office building, but we request when coming to events at school that you park in designated parking areas. Specifically, please use the spots around school, the bus garage parking area, the Town of Orleans lot at the park by the gazebo, or the Town of

Orleans Municipal Lot. Please remember, Sunrise Avenue is marked as a "no parking" zone and you are not allowed to park there or your car could be towed.

Thank you for your help and we hope to see you at our next District event.

School Attendance Really Matters: "Success is earned one day at a time. Start by showing up"

PK-12 Parent Night

The counseling department is organizing the PK-12 Parent night on Tuesday, October 8 at 6:00 pm. The parent night will include free dinner, free childcare, and presentations from staff and agencies meant to help parents work with their students to better their academic experience. RSVP by October 4 by going to our website, viewing the flyer, and scanning the QR code. Hope to see you there!

Upcoming Events

Mark your calendars for the following exciting events:

- End of 5 Weeks Friday, October 4
- Board of Education Meeting Monday, October 7 @ 6:30 PM
- PK-12 Parent Night Tuesday, October 8 from 6-8 PM
- No School Columbus Day Monday, October 14
- Blood Drive Tuesday, October 22
- School Picture Retake Day Friday, October 25
- Halloween Parade Thursday, October 31 @ 1:30 PM
- Veterans Day Ceremony Friday, November 8 @ 9:00 AM
- End of First Quarter Friday, November 8
- No School Veterans Day November 11
- Parent Conferences Monday, November 25 5-8 PM
- No School Supt's Conference Day Tuesday, November 26
- Parent Conferences Tuesday, November 26 8-12 PM
- Thanksgiving Break November 27 December 1



Homecoming Week Reflections

Homecoming week was September 23-29. The week began with the annual "Spirit Week" where the Secondary Student Council developed fun participation days that included dressing up in various ways. Elementary students really enjoyed "Lazy Day" and the Secondary had fun with "Crocs vs. Dudes" amongst other fun days. Participations was recorded by first period teachers and the winning classes got to choose staff to hit with a pie during the Friday afternoon Red Knight Rally. Mrs. Hoover, Mr. Mingle, Mr. Stone, and Mr. Shimel each were awarded this sticky honor.

Also at the Red Knight Rally, our Fall athletic teams were recognized and there was a grade 6-12 Tug Of War contest (Seniors won fair and square). Elementary students participated by running out with our varsity athletes and taking a shot on goal against an elementary teacher (Mrs. Eichhorn, Mrs. Hoover, Mrs. Hunneyman, and Mrs. Kirk).

Friday evening the fun continued with the "Knights Under the Lights" varsity soccer games that this year also included some of our Town of Orleans Youth Commission teams playing at halftime. It was a great evening by all. Our teams dressed in different color uniforms to support suicide prevention and awareness. Before each game, we also recognized the senior student athletes on our teams this year.

Saturday brought the 9-12 Homecoming Dance. This year it was in the gym and was very well attended. A great time was had by all.

Fall Senior Night 2024

As part of the "Knights under the Lights" home-coming celebration on Friday, September 27, our community also celebrated our Class of 2025 team members. Before each game, Mrs. Wallace introduced the seniors and their family who joined them on the field. Mrs. Wallace also provided some details of each athlete including their future plans.

Seniors Recognized:

- Emeline Barton
- Kaleb Calhoun
- Elsie Duffany
- Laina Hutchins
- Morgan Labow
- Jasey Lennox
- Hayden Miller
- Tyler Pavlot
- Ella Porter
- Bradley Smith