



LEAP Youth Development Program

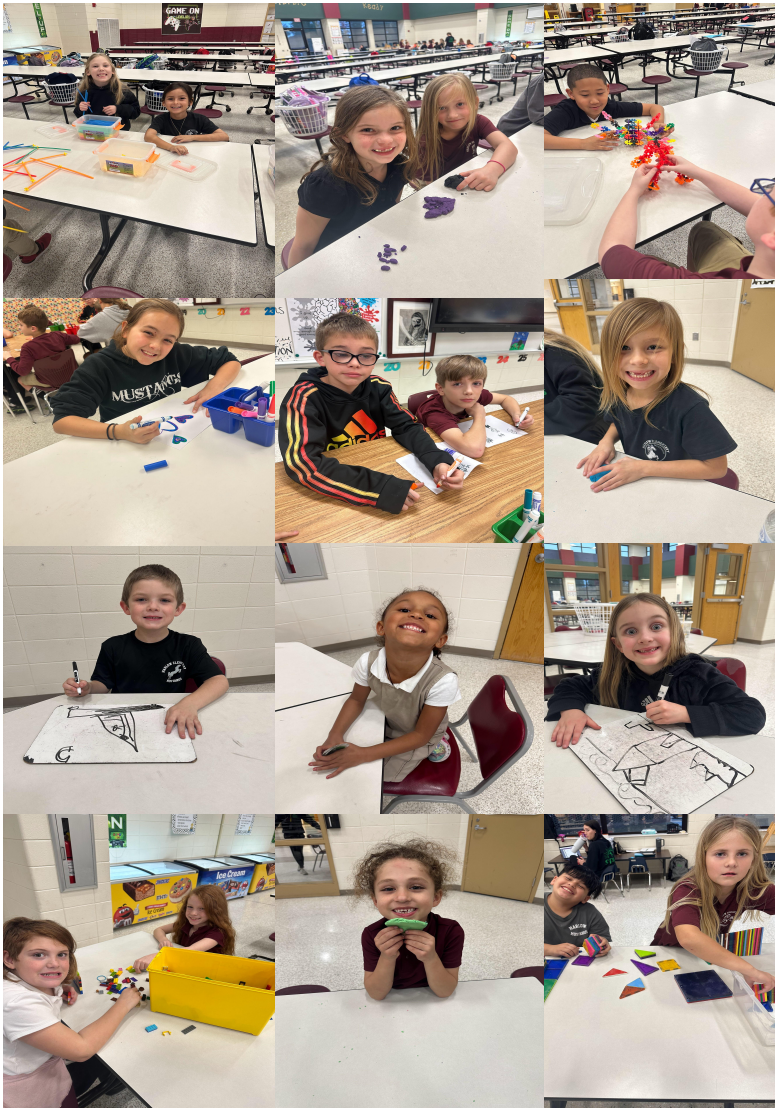
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DATES TO REMEMBER

February 1st : First Day of Black History Month

February 14th : Valentine's Day

February 16th : Student Half-Day >> LEAP is OPEN

February 17th - 21st : Winter Break >> LEAP CLOSED

February 20th : Presidents' Day

Things to Know for February:

During the month of February, we have a lot of exciting things happening here at LEAP! Our themes for the month include : Dental Health, Valentine's Day, & Presidents Day! Our focus for this month is on a lot of extensive STEM projects that will allow students the opportunity to building something with just their hands.

We are currently accepting **DONATIONS** of the following items for upcoming projects: empty water bottles, cereal/coke cardboard boxes, newspaper, 2-liter bottles, and toilet paper

Monthly Recap :

During the month of January, our themes for the month included : Winter, Goals, Seasons, and New years! We created penguins and celebrated 100 Days of school! With a month focused on new beginnings and fresh starts we will be emphasizing these themes throughout the month.

-Kangarootime Reminders-

* To allow other people to pick up your children, you **MUST** add them as a "guardian" in the app. Click on the tray (three horizontal lines) in the top left-hand corner, Click "Guardians", Click Add Guardian, Enter Information (name, email address, privileges);Invite.

* Parents please remember to make your account photo a picture of you. It is a safety feature on KT to allow us to quickly confirm pick up.



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CHARACTER SEEDS

Honest Leadership Enthusiastic

Self-control Determined

STAR STUDENTS

Kolby Hallex

Elizabeth Lewis



William Robinson

Colson Rowland

Star students are picked based on their daily behavior. These students exemplify extraordinary behavior every day. They always have a smile on their face when they come into LEAP. They are constantly a great example for their group to follow. They are always willing to help when needed!

UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS

February 3rd: Jackson Trowell

February 25th: Colson Rowland

February 9th: Lania Reine

February 25th: Hayes Bradfield

February 20th: Kaiden Lockard

February 26th: Rahmira Myer's

February 21st: Syllas Cobb



We are collecting donations for Effingham County
Backpack Buddies



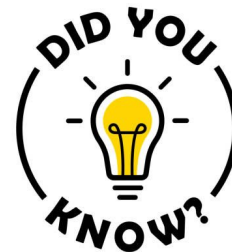
Backpack buddies is a non-profit program dedicated to supporting the children of Effingham County, who have a need of food on the weekends.

They currently serve: Effingham High School, South Effingham High School, Effingham Middle School, South Effingham Middle School, Ebenezer Middle School, Guyton Elementary, Rincon Elementary, Springfield Elementary, South Effingham Elementary, Sandhill Elementary and Crossroads.

Our goal is to help them collect items to pack for these students. Below is a list of food items we will be collecting for them year round. Donations can be dropped off to any LEAP staff member at Guyton, Marlow, SandHill, or Rincon Elementary. We will drop off any food items donated every other Tuesday! Any and all donations are greatly appreciated!

NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEM DONATION LIST:

- Shelf stable milk
- Juice
- Protein: Tuna, Ramen, Mac & Cheese, Soup, ect.
- Fruit cups/cans
- Canned Vegetables
- Breakfast items: Cereal, oatmeal, grits, pop-tarts, breakfast bars
- Snacks: jello, pudding cups, crackers, popcorn, cookies. [individual sized]
- Peanut butter / Jelly
- Gallon Size Storage bags
- Plastic Shopping Grocery bags



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