



TLA TIMES

FAMILY NEWSLETTER

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Message From Mrs. El-Amin

Good Evening TLA Family,

This week was full of amazing things. There are some important updates throughout this Newsletter. Past editions of TLA times can be found on our [school website](#).

Seal - A- Smile

Next week Seal A Smile will be here servicing scholars in all grades.

PLC

Our first Parent Leadership Council (PLC) meeting was just the beginning. During the meeting we discussed the role and purpose of our PLC. Each of our staff, scholars, and families brings something special and unique to our school and we believe that every individual contributes to our success. So mark your calendars for our next PLC meeting October 18th 4:30 - 5:30. Childcare is provided.

Clubs

Quarter 1 Clubs will begin this upcoming Monday. (Culinary and Scholar Council) You and your scholar will receive an email if they are set to be rostered in the club this quarter with the exact day of the first club meeting. Club fees are still \$10 this year.

- Culinary will meet Monday & Tuesday
- Scholar Council's first meeting is this Monday.

Homework Reflection

Thank you families for supporting us in our efforts to promote academic growth and responsibility in our scholars. The number of scholars attending homework reflection has decreased from 24 scholars to start the week to less than 5 scholars today. This means that more scholars are taking accountability for and ownership of their learning and their time. Thank you for trusting in the process and continuing to partner in our efforts.

Together we can make this the best year yet. GO Lions!!

Priscilla El-Amin, Principal

YOUR PHOTOS ARE READY!

Good news! JostensPIX was recently here to photograph picture day, and your scholar's photos are now available for viewing and ordering! Click on the button below to get started.

[VIEW AND ORDER PHOTOS HERE](#)

<https://shop.jostenspix.com>

PHOTOS NOT APPEARING IN YOUR GALLERY?

FIND YOUR SCHOLAR USING EVENT CODE: FE12022

DID YOU KNOW?

- You can personalize your photos with a variety of backgrounds and text
- Photos are shipped directly to your home
- High-res digital downloads are available
- If you have more than one child, you can order together and pay once

Picture Retake day is October 7th.

Academic Rigor with Ms. Riddle

MyPath - Individualized Learning

Small group MyPath lessons are happening! Now that MyPath (our personal learning program) has been operational for a few weeks, teachers are beginning to gather data on where scholars need the most support. Small teacher-led groups focused on both math and literacy are being held throughout the week in K5-10th grade classrooms during WIN alongside independent work time.

The combination of specific instruction and extended practice will go a long-way towards daily academic growth.

Developing Character with the DOS

Restorative Practices - Buddy Rooms

Another Strategy we use to support scholars is our Buddy Room system.

What are Buddy Rooms? Why do we use them here at TLA?

A Buddy Room is a prearranged place in another classroom, generally a grade higher but also in close proximity. The Buddy Room is a safe place for a scholar to work through and reflect on their actions while also having exposure to an academic setting. There is designated seating and resources within the space, that allows for a scholar to enter and exit seamlessly. When the scholar is ready or after a designated amount of time, the scholar successfully transitions back to class.

Family Time Challenge -

Find a time to sit in a circle together and celebrate all the ways you have seen each other practice Respect. Take turns sharing responses to the following prompts or make up your own! Remember to practice Respect as you listen to each other.

1. How have you shown Respect through listening lately?
2. What family member(s) do you want to celebrate for their Respect?

**Like the leaves, we're changing colors.
Wear Your Favorite Color to School Day**

**Dress Down Day for the
month of September is here.**

Thursday, September 29th.

**Scholars may wear jeans, knee-length
shorts, and joggers.**

**Shoes must be full coverage (covering
toes and heels).**

The following are not permitted.

- Jeans with rips or tears**
- Leggings or yoga pants**
- Pajama pants or Sweatpants**
- Crocs**
- Slides**
- Sandals**

**Como las hojas, estamos cambiando de
color. Lleva tu color favorito a la
escuela.**

**Ya está aquí el Día sin
Uniforme para el mes de
septiembre.**

El jueves 29 de septiembre.

**Los estudiantes pueden usar pantalones de
mescilla, pantalones cortos hasta la rodilla y
joggers.**

**Los zapatos deben ser de cobertura total
(cubriendo los dedos del pie y los talones).**

Lo siguiente NO está permitido.

- Pantalones de mescilla con rasgaduras o
desgarros**
- Leggings, pantalones de pijama, de deporte, o
de yoga**
- Crocs, patucos, o sandalias**

Career Chat with Mrs. Benisch

As a school we continue to explore careers in the construction industry. Elementary scholars are using our career readiness software, Xello, to explore Career Town. They have learned about architects, crane operators, and engineers.

Next week middle and high school scholars will have the opportunity to attend the first career panel of the year at CareerTek. We will be wrapping up the month learning more about careers in construction while there.

CareerTek After School Program sign up is now open for 6-9th graders. Go to hendrickscareertek.org to sign up!

This week middle school scholars interested in construction careers attended an industry field trip to Spray-Tek, Phoenix Spec Building, and NorthStar. They met with a superintendent and project manager to tour the three construction sites. Scholars learned about the project management triangle (budget, deadline, and quality).



Exploratory Shout Out

Middle school Culinary scholars have been busy learning how to read recipes and to use knives in the kitchen. With this being the perfect time of year for tomatoes they decided to put their knife skills to the test and make bruschetta. It was delicious!

Athletic Update with Mr. Clothier

This week our TLA Volleyball and Cross Country teams will be in action!

Coach Cole and Coach Swanson have been working hard to prepare the JV volleyball team as they host a pair of home matches this week.

Tuesday, September 27th vs. One City Schools @ 5:30 pm

Thursday, September 29th vs. Palmyra Eagle @ 5:30 pm

Coach Davie and Coach Aceves have their runners ready for their two away competitions this week. The JV and middle school cross country teams
Jefferson Invitational this Tuesday, September 27th.

The race start times:

4:15 JV & Varsity Girls

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5:30 Middle School Girls

6:00 Middle School Boys

JV cross country team only
Burlington Invitational on Saturday, October 1st
At the Burlington School Forest (County Hwy W, Burlington, WI 53105).
The race starts is 9:00 am.

Come support our TLA Lions!

Upcoming Events Calendar

Career Focus - Construction

9/26 - 9/30 - WIDA Screening

9/26 - 9/29 - SEAL-A-SMIILE

9/29 - Dress Down Day

10/3 - Progress Reports Sent Home

10/3 - 10/28 - Character Virtue - COOPERATION

10/6 - LOCKDOWN Drill

10/7 - Picture Retake Day

10/10 - 10/14 - Spirit Week

10/15 - High School Fall Dance (7:00 - 10:00 pm)

10/18 - PLC Meeting (4:30 – 5:30 pm)



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