



LIONS PARK
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
MOUNT PROSPECT SCHOOL DISTRICT 57



LIONS PARK PTO

PARENTS, TEACHERS AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS

LETTER FROM THE PTO CO-PRESIDENTS

Dear Lions Park families,

Happy 2019/2020 school year! It was great to see everyone at Back to School night and we at the PTO are thrilled to be back this year as the PTO has been hard at work planning some amazing activities this year!

If you haven't already, please sign-up and pay for your PTO **membership** which helps fund some of the years fundraisers and most importantly it includes the coveted student directory. You can send in a check for your family donation or pay online through our Lions Park PTO website, www.lionsparkpto.com.

The Lions Park PTO website can be a one stop shopping experience for you as you can sign-up and pay for your child(ren)'s Dairy Queen **special lunch** orders, find the link to the **spirit wear** page that allows you to show off your Lions Park spirit all year long. Most importantly you will be able to keep in **communication** with the PTO and even sign-up to **volunteer**!

Want to be a **room rep** for your child?! Please send an email to Kelly Janowiak and follow the instructions in the attached flier.

If you have any questions please join us at the PTO meeting, September 9 or email us at lionsparkpto@gmail.com.

PTO board members:

- Co-presidents: Donna Dietrich and Molly Wintermute
- Co-vice presidents: Jackie Foley and Mariya Thomas
- Treasurer: Becky Lyne
- Secretary: Liz Fischer

Contact us at: lionsparkpto@gmail.com

Sincerely,

Donna Dietrich and Molly Wintermute
Lions Park PTO Co-Presidents

Upcoming events to remember:

- PTO Meeting: September 9 at 7pm
- Special lunch sign-up by: September 7
- Membership sign-up by: September 27
- Roar and Run: October 11



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2019/2020 Family Membership

The Lions Park Elementary School Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) welcomes you to the 2019-2020 school year! The PTO is dedicated to supporting the educational opportunities of the children at Lions Park Elementary school by fostering relationships among the school, parents, teachers and community. Paying membership dues is one of the ways you can show your support of the PTO.

Back by popular demand – hard copy school directories! All Lions Park Elementary families will have access to an electronic version, but only PTO members will receive a hard copy if their membership is received by September 13, 2019. If electronic only is fine with you, save a tree and check the box below.

PTO MEMBERSHIP FORM

I would like to support the PTO by becoming a member for the 2019/2020 school year!

Yes! I would like a hard copy directory.

No, thank you.

– Student name(s): _____

– Teacher(s): _____

– Parent names: _____

Total: \$10.00

I am paying by: Cash Check Check # _____

*Please make checks out to: **Lions Park PTO***

Please return the completed form and payment to the PTO table at BTS night **or** fill out the form online by visiting www.lionsparkpto.com by September 13, 2019

Please note that because Lions Park Elementary School PTO is a 501 (c) (3) non-profit organization, any donations, including membership dues, are considered tax deductible



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 SERVING THE STUDENTS OF LIONS PARK

Lions Park PTO Special Lunch

ALL LUNCHESES ARE FROM DAIRY QUEEN. Included in the meal price is a protein, chips and ice cream treat. Please note: *NO DRINKS* are provided with the special lunch.

The Special Lunch program is run by the PTO, who orders and manages the meals from Dairy Queen, and will be available on specific dates for the students and staff at Lions Park to enjoy. Each lunch includes **ONE** protein item (e.g., hamburger, grilled cheese, etc.), **ONE** bag of chips and **ONE** ice cream treat. We also offer an option for just a bag of chips and a single ice cream treat only. If this is your selection please make sure to send your child to school with a lunch.

All orders can be made online.

Please follow the link to order your child(ren) special lunch for the 2019/2020 school year.

www.lionsparkpto.com

Monthly Meal: Protein Choice		Monthly Choice: Ice Cream Treat	Monthly Extra Options:	
Hamburger Meal	\$4.50	(Choose 1 only)	Hamburger only	\$2.00
Cheeseburger Meal	\$4.50		Cheeseburger only	\$2.00
Grilled Cheese Meal	\$4.50	Starkiss Bar	Grilled Cheese only	\$2.00
Hot Dog Meal	\$4.50	Dilly Bar	Hot Dog only	\$2.00
Chicken Strips (2) Meal	\$5.00		Chicken Strips (2) only	\$2.50
1 Bag of Chips and 1 Ice Cream Treat	\$2.00			

Select by month:

October 09, 2019	November 13, 2019	December 11, 2019	January 08, 2020
February 12, 2020	March 11, 2020	April 08, 2020	May 13, 2020

QUESTIONS?? Please contact: Amy Meyer at LPSPECIALLUNCH@GMAIL.COM



ROOM REPRESENTATIVE SIGN UP

Would you like to be a room rep for your child's homeroom? Room Reps serve as a liaison between the classroom teacher and the parents of students in the classroom. There are one-two Room Reps per homeroom.

Duties include:

- *Occasionally emailing parents with classroom/PTO information*
- *Organizing parent volunteers to plan and attend two class parties*
- *Helping the teacher organize volunteers to serve as chaperones for field trips*

If this sounds like you, please **email** Kelly Janowiak at kellyjanowiak@atproperties.com

Please put **“LP Room Rep”** in the **subject line** of your email.

In the body of the email, please include the following information:

1. Your name
2. Your cell phone
3. Your email address
4. Your child's name
5. Your child's teacher's name
6. Your child's grade

Please let me know if you have been a room rep for this child in the past. If you have more than one child at Lions Park, please **submit a separate email for each child** for whom you would like to be a Room Rep.

Please send the email by September 4, 2019.

Thank you!
Kelly Janowiak

Room Representatives are organized by the Lions Park PTO



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Stay Connected and Support the PTO All Year!

Check out our website!

All the PTO has to offer is right at your fingertips at <https://lionsparkpto.com>

- ✓ Purchase your PTO membership
- ✓ Order special lunch
- ✓ Sign up to get involved
- ✓ And so much more!

Follow us on FACEBOOK and INSTAGRAM!

“Like” our page to stay connected with the PTO and get updates on school events and PTO events.



Lions Park Elementary PTO



@lions_park_pto_d57

Do you shop on Amazon?

Amazon will donate 0.5% of all eligible purchases to the PTO!

Just head to <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/47-3882414>

(or you can go to smile.amazon.com and search for “Lions Park School Parent-Teacher Organization”)



WORKS WITH AMAZON PRIME too!

Just remember to use the SMILE link every time you shop! Smile DOES NOT work with the Amazon App.

You can use your web- browser on your phone/device and just bookmark.



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LIONS PARK SPIRIT WEAR

Deadline to order online is September 13th.

Questions? Email Jim Aliosius (jmatt02@gmail.com) or Vicki Chung (vickichung501@gmail.com)



Gray or royal blue
super soft tri-blend T-shirt.
\$15.00



Royal blue super soft cotton v-neck
T-shirt, women's sizes only
\$15.50



Royal/White, Raspberry/White,
Columbia Blue/White
soccer jersey
\$15.00



Black cotton/spandex leggings with
metallic silver left hip imprint
\$20.00



Jerzees 50/50 T-shirt, cyber pink,
royal blue, vintage heather blue or
athletic heather with distressed logo.
\$10.50.



Jerzees 50/50 hoodie, cyber pink, royal blue,
vintage heather blue or athletic heather
with distressed logo.
\$21.50



Jerzees 50/50 athletic heather or
navy jogger sweatpants
\$19.00

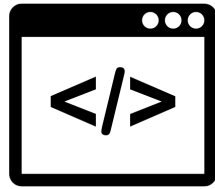


Badger navy/graphite 1/4 zip long sleeve shirts,
unisex adult sizes only.
\$30.50

Ordering Is Easy!

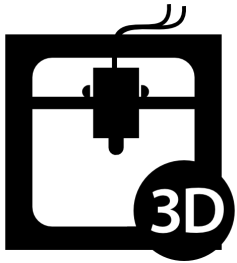
Log on to: www.cr-promotions.com, click on "online stores" - Login Code: LIONSPARK(ALL CAPS, no spaces).
(The shipping method will be your child's teacher).

Lions Park



TECHNOLOGY

Featuring Coding & 3D Printing Club



Students will participate in Google CS First Coding and Tinkercad's 3D printing activities. They will apply diverse computer science concepts and applications, including their choice of video, sound, gamification, art, and more. By the end, students will have created many coded programs and take home their own 3D printed design.

Who?

2nd-5th Grade
Taught by
Ms Patla
Technology Coach

When?

Tuesdays
3:20-4:20 pm
Begin Sept 24
End Feb 11

Where?

Lions Park
LRC

Cost?

\$25 paid to
Lions Park
School

Please register your child by clicking [here](#)

A max of 30 students will be able to participate in the club. The deadline for registration is **SEPTEMBER 13**. In case there are over 30 students interested, there will be a lottery held. Ms Patla will confirm participation via parent email the following week.



Interested in
Cub Scouting?



**JOIN
TODAY**

Calling all K-5th grade Westbrook and Lions Park students
interested in joining Cub Scouts!

Cub Scout Pack 154 is looking for YOU!

Come check us out at any of the following events:

1st Pack Night – Thursday 9/5 at 6pm at Lions Park (outside)

(meet by Owen and Shabonee picnic tables)

- Come check out our Pack and enjoy relay races, games, and fun

Blast Into Scouting – Thursday 9/12 at 7pm at Lions Park and Westbrook

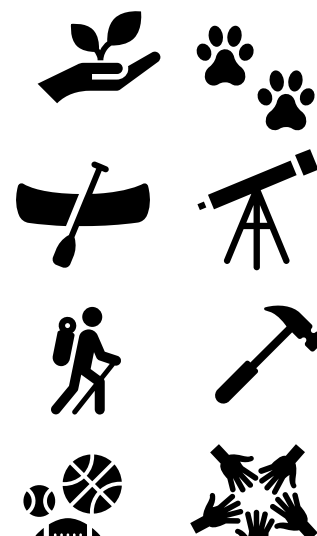
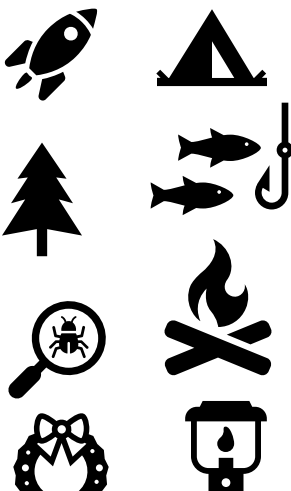
- Parents can talk with scout leaders to get information and sign up for Pack 154 at this yearly recruiting and registration event. If you cannot attend, please email us and we will be happy to send you more information about scouting. You can sign up anytime!

Pancakes & Tie Dye! – Saturday 9/14 at 9am at Lions Park school (outside)

- Join us for a fun morning outside with pancakes and tie dying shirts!

Contact Us: mppack154@gmail.com for more information

We are ready for a great year of scouting!





***Mount Prospect School District 57
Westbrook Kids' Corner Program for
Before/After School Child Care***

KC Assistant needed each school day

***Hours: 7:45-9:30am and 3:30-6:15pm
\$11.00 per hour***

This position is available immediately. Applicants may choose to work the morning shift, the afternoon shift or both. Will consider adjusting shift times to accommodate high school/college student schedules. Must be 16 years old or older.

For more information go to our website www.d57.org or call Human Resources at 847-394-7300 x1010.

NEWS FROM 57



HOW DISTRICT 57 COMMUNICATES WITH YOU

The District 57 Administration, School Board and schools make it a top priority to communicate with families and community members. There is regular outreach about school news and events, as well as issues affecting your children's education, such as finances, curriculum and technology. Please take advantage of the many opportunities to be informed:

- **District and School Websites:** Go to www.d57.org for news, resources and links to the school sites, staff directories, calendars and more. The redesigned websites have a fresh, new design and expanded information.
- **District 57 App:** The new app is a free resource that gives you quick-and-easy access to the District and your child's school. Get it at the [App Store](#) or on [Google Play](#).
- **Social Media:** Follow District 57 on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#) (@Dist57) if you haven't already done so, and regularly check the pages. District 57 social media is a hub of news, information and photos from the District and schools. You'll also find each of the schools on Twitter and Instagram.
- **Superintendent's Messages:** Updates on important issues that are distributed periodically by Dr. Aumiller via email, school newsletters, the website and social media.
- **School Newsletters and Emails:** Newsletters are distributed by the schools via email on Fridays and found on the school websites ([Westbrook](#), [Fairview](#), [Lions Park](#), [Lincoln](#)). Special announcements from the schools are emailed throughout the week, if needed.
- **District 57 Newsletters:** Distributed at least twice a year via email, school newsletters, the website and social media. The fall/winter and spring/summer issues cover major news from the District and highlight exciting happenings at the schools.
- **School Messenger Phone System:** Parents will receive messages via this system when there are school closings or other urgent announcements. Email, the website and social media also will be used in these instances. Be sure to inform your school of any phone or email changes.
- **Bus Bulletin:** A system that will notify parents via text, email or voice message if their child's bus is delayed. Register online for free.
- **School Board:** Meetings are generally held at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at Fairview School. Meeting dates and topics are communicated in advance on the website and social media, and agendas/meeting packets can be found at this [link](#). Community members are welcome to attend Board meetings, and there is time for public comments. Podcasts of the meetings are available at this [link](#). In addition, community members can submit comments/questions for Board members at this [link](#).



*Click the icons above to access the District 57 website and Facebook and Twitter pages.
Be "in the know" about everything going on in our schools and the District!*

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ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

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The District 57 Administration Office is pleased to present this information about upcoming events and news from local organizations that serve our community's children.

GREEN WHITE TOPSOCCER – Buddy Soccer Program

Soccer program for kids with cognitive or physical disabilities. Players paired up with a buddy. All abilities welcome! Visit www.greenwhitesoccer.org/topsoccer for info

Mount Prospect Fire Department Open House – Saturday, September 28

Come 10am to 2pm to Fire Station 13 (112 E. Northwest Hwy.) and meet Sparky! See Fire Dept. equipment, fire sprinkler demonstrations, slide down a fire pole, and much more. Free lunch.

August 30, 2019