



# LINCOLN MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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December 7, 2018

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**PLEASE BE EXTRA CAUTIOUS AT DROP-OFF AND PICK-UP**

## Principal's Message . . .

Dear Lincoln Families,

It is always a good time to remind parents to exercise patience, slow down, and be extra cautious when dropping off or picking up students. Please take a moment to re-read our Traffic and Parking Reminders included in this newsletter. Please remember that the left lane in the front turnaround is for passing only. Students are to be dropped off on the north side of the drive only. Thank you for helping to keep all students safe!

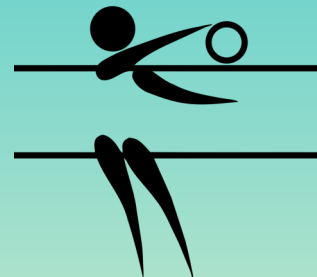
The Village of Mount Prospect extended their appreciation of our Student Council's generous food drive. The Village's thank you letter is attached. Student Council's has included a flyer in this newsletter announcing their WINTER WEAR DRIVE, and I hope Lincoln families will be able to donate items to this collection as well.

Thank you for your generosity and have a great weekend,

Paul Suminski

## Attention all 7th and 8th grade girls! Volleyball sign-ups !

Sign-up sheets are located in the commons. Please write your name so that it can be easily read. Make sure that you have a physical on file with the nurse, and you have turned in your concussion packet to the office before try-outs on January 8, 2019.



### Try-out Schedule

**All try-outs take place in the Busse Gym.**

#### Tuesday, Jan. 8

7th grade - 3:00-4:30pm

8th grade - 4:30-6:00pm

#### Wednesday, Jan. 9

7th grade - 3:00 - 4:30

1st Round Cuts

8th grade - None

#### Thursday, Jan 10

7th grade - None

8th grade - 3:00-4:30pm

1st Round Cuts

#### Friday, Jan 11

7th Grade—3:00-4:30pm

8th Grade 4:30-6:00pm

## Winter Break

December 22—January 6

Classes Resume

January 7



**Looking for Ideas!** The Cultural Arts Committee is looking for a fun, engaging assembly idea for our students. The committee plans assemblies and programs for the students which complement the school curriculum. Please submit ideas to [info.lincolnpto@gmail.com](mailto:info.lincolnpto@gmail.com). Thank you!

PTO Ski Trip! - Reserve the date!  
Sunday, January 27th  
Look for details in future newsletters  
Open to all students !

PTO



# "LINCOLN NIGHT"

**Lincoln's Girls' Basketball  
attends PHS Girls' Basketball game !  
It was great to see alumni!**

## Wrestling Practice for December 2018

Monday, Dec. 10

3:00 - 4:30

Wednesday, Dec. 12

3:00 - 4:30

Tuesday, Dec. 18

3:00 - 4:30

Thursday, Dec. 20

3:00 - 4:30

All practices for December will be held in the cafeteria.



## Science Chicks 2018

### STEM Engineering Projects Underwater Robotics!



Chicks Only (6th - 8th  
Grade)

Problem Solving  
With Power Tools  
And Lots of Fun!

Start Date: January  
8th

Tuesdays After School

Questions?? Contact:

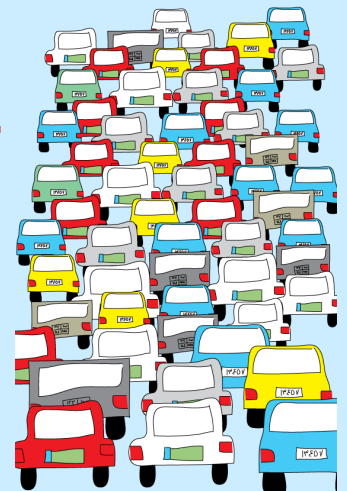
Mrs. Milliken or Mrs. Veglia

Permission Slips in the commons.

### Important Traffic and Parking Reminders

In order to create a safe environment for our students, we must all cooperate and comply with the traffic restrictions around the school. The following points should clarify these expectations:

- ◆ Slow Down! The school zone speed limit is 20MPH. Remember: **NO CELL PHONE USE while behind the wheel!**
- ◆ Be Patient! We recognize that it takes time to drop off/pick up students before and after school and we are all very busy.
- ◆ **Stay to the right when dropping off/picking up your child in the front drive. The left lane is for passing only.**
- ◆ Pull as far forward as possible in the front drive to allow for others to fill in behind you.
- ◆ **Students should exit vehicles only on the north sidewalk of the front drive. They should not exit vehicles and cross in front of other vehicles.**
- ◆ Parking is prohibited in the drive and on the north side of Lincoln Street in front of school.



Also, be sure to take note:

- ◆ Candota Parking lot drop off is permitted.



LINCOLN MIDDLE SCHOOL  
STUDENT COUNCIL

# WINTER WEAR DRIVE



DECEMBER 10TH-21ST

PLEASE DONATE THE FOLLOWING GENTLY USED  
ITEMS

- HATS
- COATS
- GLOVES
- SCARVES
- SNOW BOOTS

PLEASE DROP OFF ITEMS  
IN COMMONS

ALL ITEMS WILL BE  
DONATED TO A CHARITY IN  
MOUNT PROSPECT



## Let's Talk Tech! . . . From Ms. Sassatelli



### Family Tips from [Common Sense Media](#): Safe Online Talk

Kids love connecting with others online, but they can sometimes find themselves in unhealthy situations without realizing it.

[Common Sense Media](#) provides the following tips:

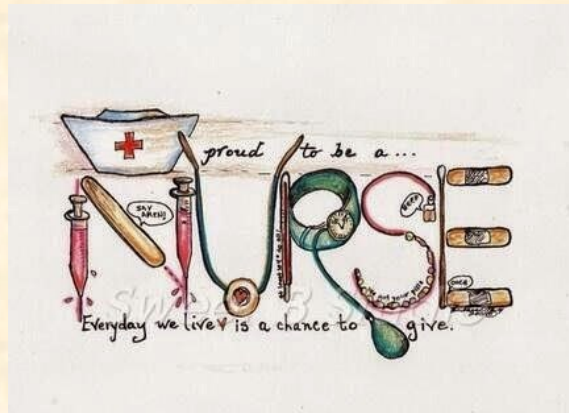
- **Discuss responsible online behavior.**
- **Block, ignore, or leave.**
- **Make sure your child feels safe telling a trusted adult.**
- **Talk to your child about healthy relationships.**
- **Look for warning signs.**

Read more about each of these tips on the full [Safe Online Talk tip sheet!](#)

## HEALTH NOTES FROM MRS. SMITH, RN

Dear Lincoln Families,

As we enter flu season, I want to review the symptoms and guidelines for the flu. The symptoms can include cough, sore throat, headache and fever. Flu symptoms can be troublesome for persons with asthma or other chronic health concerns. In order to keep our school environment as healthy as possible as we enter another flu season, **please keep your student home if they are not well.** If your student exhibits symptoms mentioned above, the Cook County Department of Public Health recommends you seek medical attention if you have concerns.



CCDPH recommends the following measures to prevent the spread of respiratory illness:

- 1) Individuals with flu-like symptoms (fever, cough, sore throat, headache) should remain home until at least 24 hours after they are free of fever without the use of fever-reducing medication.
- 2) Speak with your health-care provider regarding influenza vaccination.
- 3) Wash hands often with soap and water, especially after coughing or sneezing. If water is not available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizing gel.
- 4) Cover your nose and mouth with tissue when coughing or sneezing. Tissue should be thrown away immediately after use.
- 5) Cough or sneeze into your sleeve if tissue is not available.

Thank you,  
Susie Smith RN

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Eleni Hatzis  
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## Village of Mount Prospect

50 South Emerson Street, Mount Prospect, Illinois 60056

November 27, 2018

Paul Suminski, Principal  
Lincoln Middle School  
700 West Lincoln Street  
Mount Prospect, IL 60056

Dear Mr. Suminski:

We would like to thank you for your generous donation of food to the Mount Prospect Emergency Food Pantry and Financial Assistance program. This program assists residents of Mount Prospect who are experiencing a financial hardship and struggling with every day needs such as food, housing, utilities and medications.

This program is not supported by tax dollars. Throughout the year, we are able to assist individuals and families due to generous donations made by local churches, schools, businesses, civic organizations and individuals.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Julie Kane".

Julie Kane, LCSW  
Human Services Director

JK/JJ

# Village of Mount Prospect

## Human Services Department

### Holiday Assistance Program 2018

Holiday Meal Baskets and Toys are available to low income families with children living in Mount Prospect who need assistance during the Holiday Season.

#### MUST BRING if applicable:

- Photo ID of self/spouse/significant other.
- Children's Birth certificates.
- Proof of address (Current lease or letter from landlord, mortgage payment coupon. If you are not on the lease, please bring school certifying that child is on free or reduce lunch.)
- Proof of household income (Current check stubs for past 30 days, SS, SSI, child support, pension, etc.).
- Most recent monthly bills including utility bills, medical bills, car payments, etc. with name and address of applicant on all documents.



***REGISTRATION IS LIMITED!***



***Call to make an appointment***

**Mount Prospect Human Services Department**  
50 S. Emerson Street  
Mount Prospect, IL 60056  
847-870-5680

**Community Connections Center**  
1711 W. Algonquin Rd  
Mount Prospect, IL 60056  
847-506-4930

Participation in this program is limited to 5 years.  
Applying to another agency will disqualify you from assistance.



# WINTER GAME PLAY CAMP



**Central Community  
Center - (CCC)**  
1000 W. Central Rd.

**Lions Park/Lions  
Rec Center - (LP/LRC)**  
411 S. Maple St.

**RecPlex  
(RPX)**  
420 W. Dempster St.

**SPORTS CAMP** - Sports Camp is designed for your needs this winter break, getting your kids running and playing and out of the house. Your young athletes will play multiple sports under the educational eyes of We Got Game staff. Camps will feature training and competition in basketball, soccer, football, baseball, volleyball, and much more. Bring a drink and a snack.

CLASSES	DAY	TIME	PLACE	AGE	DATES	NO CLASS	PRICE	CODE
Sports Camp	Wed-Fri	9:00 AM-12:00 PM	LRC	4-6 yr	12/26-12/28		R \$90 /NR \$100	35370
Sports Camp	Wed-Fri	9:00 AM-12:00 PM	LRC	7-12 yr	12/26-12/28		R \$90 /NR \$100	35371
Sports Camp	Wed-Fri	1:00 PM-4:00 PM	LRC	4-6 yr	1/2-1/4		R \$90 /NR \$100	35373
Sports Camp	Wed-Fri	1:00 PM-4:00 PM	LRC	7-12 yr	1/2-1/4		R \$90 /NR \$100	35372

**BASEBALL CAMP** - Join us for a jam-packed week of baseball! You bring the glove and the snack, we bring the fun. Hitting, running, fielding, pitching—we cover it all while keeping the game atmosphere relaxed and every student playing. Bring a drink and a snack.

CLASSES	DAY	TIME	PLACE	AGE	DATES	NO CLASS	PRICE	CODE
Baseball Camp	Wed-Fri	1:00 PM-4:00 PM	LRC	7-12 yr	12/26-12/28		R \$90 /NR \$100	35374
Baseball Camp	Wed-Fri	9:00 AM-12:00 PM	LRC	7-12 yr	1/2-1/4		R \$90 /NR \$100	35375

**VOLLEYBALL CAMP** - This camp serves up a potent mix of skill building and strategy, designed to introduce new players to volleyball basics while also deepening the skills of seasoned players preparing for high school play. Coaches will work on serve expertise as well bump-set-spike and dig techniques, in drills and in game play. Bring a drink and a snack.

CLASSES	DAY	TIME	PLACE	AGE	DATES	NO CLASS	PRICE	CODE
Volleyball Camp	Wed-Fri	9:00 AM-12:00 PM	RPX	8-11 yr	12/26-12/28		R \$90 /NR \$100	35377
Volleyball Camp	Wed-Fri	9:00 AM-12:00 PM	RPX	12-14 yr	12/26-12/28		R \$90 /NR \$100	35378
Volleyball Camp	Wed-Fri	1:00 PM-4:00 PM	RPX	8-11 yr	1/2-1/4		R \$90 /NR \$100	35379
Volleyball Camp	Wed-Fri	1:00 PM-4:00 PM	RPX	12-14 yr	1/2-1/4		R \$90 /NR \$100	35380

**SOCCER CAMP** - Learn and improve your soccer game thru We Got Game's active Soccer Camp. Fundamentals will be the focus as campers will be introduced and challenged with new team and individual skills such as spacing, step overs, shielding, and more. Bring a snack and be ready to play.

CLASSES	DAY	TIME	PLACE	AGE	DATES	NO CLASS	PRICE	CODE
Soccer Camp	Wed-Fri	1:00 PM-4:00 PM	RPX	7-10 yr	12/26-12/28		R \$90 /NR \$100	35381
Soccer Camp	Wed-Fri	1:00 PM-4:00 PM	RPX	11-14 yr	12/26-12/28		R \$90 /NR \$100	35382
Soccer Camp	Wed-Fri	9:00 AM-12:00 PM	RPX	7-10 yr	1/2-1/4		R \$90 /NR \$100	35383
Soccer Camp	Wed-Fri	9:00 AM-12:00 PM	RPX	11-14 yr	1/2-1/4		R \$90 /NR \$100	35384





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RecPlex  
(RPX)  
420 W. Dempster St.

**DODGEBALL TOURNAMENT** - Join We Got Game's fast paced Winter Dodgeball Tournament! Come with friends as a team (min. of 5 players and max of 8 players) or make a new friend with your own team. The first day of competition will be constant game play to place individual players on to teams fairly. The second and third day of competitions will be round plays to set rankings for the playoffs on the last day of competition. Champions of each division will receive a medal. All friend requests and team recipients must be emailed to ben@wggssportskids.com by before the start of the tournament.

CLASSES	DAY	TIME	PLACE	AGE	DATES	NO CLASS	PRICE	CODE
Dodgeball Tournament	Wed-Fri	1:00 PM-2:30 PM	CCC	7-9 yr	12/26-12/28		R \$45/ NR \$55	35385
Dodgeball Tournament	Wed-Fri	1:00 PM-2:30 PM	CCC	10-12 yr	12/26-12/28		R \$45/ NR \$55	35386

**SCHOOL'S OUT SPORTS CAMP! (5-7)(8-12)** - Come join us for a recreational "Schools Out" sports day! Soccer, basketball, floor hockey, dodgeball and Capture the Flag will be our featured sports. This camp is a fun and active day of sports for all skill levels. Players will enjoy a chance to play sports and hang out with their friends. We will have a short lunch break so please have your players pack a lunch.

CLASSES	DAY	TIME	PLACE	AGE	DATES	NO CLASS	PRICE	CODE
School's Off Day Camp	Monday	9:00 AM- 3 pm	RPX	5-7 yr	1/21-1/21		R \$55/ NR \$65	35389
School's Off Day Camp	Monday	9:00 AM- 3 pm	RPX	8-12 yr	1/21-1/21		R \$55/ NR \$65	35390

**GAME PLAY CAMP** - Learn thru gameplay. This program is designed to get each player to develop skills and concepts while playing on the court. We Got Game coaches will direct and referee the game while instilling insights for both inexperienced and experienced players. Sports will include basketball, soccer, baseball, hockey, flag football, dodgeball, and more.

CLASSES	DAY	TIME	PLACE	AGE	DATES	NO CLASS	PRICE	CODE
Game Play Camp	Wed-Fri	1:00 PM-2:30 PM	CCC	10-14 yr	1/2-1/4		R \$45/ NR \$55	35532



ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

701 West Gregory Street - Mount Prospect, Illinois 60056

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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.

**Holiday for Education Fundraiser at Bob's Gift Baskets & Education Foundation**

Take care of holiday gifts with 25% of your purchase donated to District 57 Education Foundation. Go to [www.bobsbaskets.com](http://www.bobsbaskets.com) to order. At checkout type D57 in special instruction box. More info, 847-581-0302.

**Youth Basketball League K-8<sup>th</sup> Grade**

Registration still being accepted! Volunteer coaches are needed.

For more information, visit [www.mppd.org](http://www.mppd.org)

**CUB SCOUT PACK 151 IS LOOKING FOR NEW SCOUTS!**

If your child is interested in joining Cub Scouts for Westbrook and Fairview, please email [pack151mtprospect@gmail.com](mailto:pack151mtprospect@gmail.com)

**Start Piano Lessons Free with Budding Musician Scholarship**

Kindergarten students receive 4 free private lessons. Grades 1 & 2 receive 2 free private lessons. Grade 3 and up receive a money back guarantee after 2 private lessons. More info go to [www.HovlandConservatory.org](http://www.HovlandConservatory.org)

**Holiday Fun Night at St. Mark – December 8, 2018 From 4:30 to 8:30 PM**

We'll watch your kids while you get holiday shopping done. Movies, Crafts, Games, Snacks! \$15 first child, \$10 for 2<sup>nd</sup>, \$5 for 3<sup>rd</sup>. RSVP to [dwebb@stmarkmp.org](mailto:dwebb@stmarkmp.org) by 12/1 to receive \$3 off.

**RMHS Athletic Boosters Mustang Shootout 3 on 3 December 16th**

Basketball tournament for boys and girls grades 3 through high school at Rolling Meadows High School. More information, go to <http://rmhsboosters.com/3-on-3-shootout/>

**56 Yule Fix & Toy Drive**

Saturday, December 8, noon-midnight Jam packed day of music performed by artists of all ages. Santa. Buddy the elf. Face painting. More info, go to [www.56musicfix.org](http://www.56musicfix.org)

**Dive into the Wonderful World of Culture with Your Family**

Sunday, December 9; 5-7: Children's language class and nibbles from local businesses for the adults. \$10 student tix. More info, go to [www.parentstimeoutevents.com](http://www.parentstimeoutevents.com)

**Winter Break Art Classes**

Join us for fun, one-time art classes over winter break. Makes a great holiday gift for your child! Only \$20 each. More info, go to [www.christinethornton.com](http://www.christinethornton.com)

**Mount Prospect Neighbors Help for the Holidays**

If your family can use some help this holiday season, the Mt. Prospect Neighbors want to help! Register by December 9. More info, go to <https://tinyurl.com/MPNHFHregister>

December 6, 2018