



# The Leopard Link



Please join us on  
Tuesday, February 26th at  
**PDQ**

(6305 Falls of Neuse Rd)  
for a Family Night Out to  
raise money for the  
5th grade graduation!

When you visit PDQ between 4pm - 8pm,  
please mention that you are with  
Lead Mine Elementary.  
This is open to all grades so we  
hope to see you all there!

## Calendar of Events

- 2/12  
7:00-9:00 PM 5th Grade Dance
- 2/15  
12:30 Early Release  
8:30 AM PTA Meeting  
Spirit Day: Rainbow Day  
12PM -10 PM FNO @ Six Forks Cinema
- 2/18  
NO SCHOOL-Teacher Workday
- 2/19  
School is IN: Snow Make-Up
- 2/22-3/1  
Community Food Drive
- 2/26  
4 PM-8PM FNO at PDQ
- 3/7  
5:30-7:00 PM Science Fair
- 3/8  
12:30 Early Release  
Spirit Day March Madness
- 3/12  
4:30-7:30 McTeacher Night:  
7301 Six Forks Drive location
- 3/15  
Cultural Arts Performance:  
Birdman Dave  
Deadline for 5th Grade Sentiments
- 3/20  
5:30 PM-7 Literacy Night
- 3/26  
6:30 PM PTA Meeting
- 3/28  
Spring and Class Picture Day
- 3/29  
NO SCHOOL-Teacher Workday

You have been an  
important member of our  
Lead Mine community  
for 17 years.  
Thank you for your  
many contributions and  
happy memories.

Best wishes on  
your  
retirement!



Grounds Day will be Saturday, March 30!

Please mark your calendars and plan on joining us.

More details to follow soon!

(Originally scheduled on 3/16)



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# Spots of Thanks go to...



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...To the Book Fair Committee (Lisa Genschel, Amy Sefcovic, Gretchen Loftis and Callie Wright) for all the work you put in to organizing and running the book fair.



## COMMUNITY FOOD DRIVE: FEBRUARY 22<sup>nd</sup> – March 1<sup>st</sup>



North Raleigh Ministries provides families with food during times of crisis or need. Let's support our community and collect healthy food for North Raleigh Ministries! What to bring:

- Pop top cans of vegetables and fruit (NO soft top fruit containers)
- Cereal bars, oatmeal packets, and other individually wrapped breakfast items
- 100% juice boxes and shelf stable milk boxes
- Packaged noodles (mac n cheese, ramen noodles)
- Healthy snacks (granola bars, raisins, pretzels)
- Meats and stews (chef Boyardee, tuna packets)



Drop off for food items will be in the mornings at tables in the front of the school building for carpool riders and at the gym for bus riders as they enter the school.

**GRADE LEVEL CONTEST:** The grade that brings in the most food will receive new playground equipment! Be sure to put your food donations in the correct box as you come into school!



### Your baby is a 5<sup>th</sup> grader How did that happen?!



Tell your child how proud you are of them and their accomplishments in the

#### Yearbook Sentiments!

You are welcome to include separate sentiments from grandparents, siblings and other loved ones. Please make the check payable to Lead Mine PTA (there is a \$25 returned check fee).

**Deadline to submit your sentiment and payment is Friday, March 15th.**

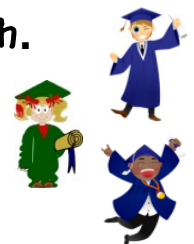
There are several options for your sentiments -

25 words or less - \$5

25-50 words OR 25 words or less with a small picture - \$10

50-100 words, with or without a picture - \$20

\*\*\*Each Additional picture, add \$5 per picture.



Email your message to us with the student's full name and picture (if desired) to [LMEyearbook2019@gmail.com](mailto:LMEyearbook2019@gmail.com). Payment can be sent to your child's teacher or put in the PTA box located inside the front door of the building. We prefer checks when at all possible.

If you need help scanning a picture or submitting a sentiment, email [LMEyearbook2019@gmail.com](mailto:LMEyearbook2019@gmail.com) or call Callie at 919-901-8176.



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CELEBRATE THE HALF-DAY WITH YOUR FRIENDS, FAMILY, & NEIGHBORS. MENTION LEAD MINE FOR A PORTION OF SALES TO BENEFIT THE PTA.

SIX FORKS CINEMA  
9500 FORUM DR,  
RALEIGH, NC 27615

Friday, Feb. 15th  
Noon-10:00pm



Multiple Showings;  
Check theater  
for times

Don't let the memories fly away!  
Order your yearbook today for just \$15!



Yearbooks include the option for you to create 2 **FREE** customized pages. To order a yearbook and to upload all of those **AMAZING** pictures you've been taking all year:

1. Go to [www.treering.com](http://www.treering.com)
2. Enter Lead Mine's passcode:  
**1015043028522617**



There is now a page on the Lead Mine Elementary Web site that lists all opportunities for volunteering at Lead Mine! You can access the page by going to the Lead Mine Web Site and selecting the Parents tab, then Volunteer Opportunities. Or you can go directly to the page by visiting [www.bit.ly/LMEVolunteering](http://www.bit.ly/LMEVolunteering).

UPCOMING  
EVENTS

Keep up with upcoming events by using the link below to subscribe to the Lead Mine PTA Calendar of Events. <https://calendar.google.com/calendar/ical/lmesraleigh%40gmail.com/private-9d760e7a79f8243e12e2c453f1e9f819/basic.ics>



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