



# The Leopard Link

## President's Perspective

Dear Lead Mine families,

Our students had a blast last week at our "Glow Run"! I want to personally thank EVERYONE who has already donated towards our Boosterthon fundraiser. I am always amazed by our Lead Mine families. Time and again you step up and do whatever you can to make our school a better place for our students. Through your efforts we are able to support our students and staff in many different ways, which makes Lead Mine Elementary a very special place. We are so close to our goal of \$15,000. Pledging will be left open for the rest of this week.

With Thanksgiving approaching us, I want to take this time to say how thankful I am for the awesome leadership, staff, students and families we have at Lead Mine Elementary. Lead Mine is a wonderful place to be! I know each day I am sending my kid to a place where children and education are valued.

Happy Thanksgiving! I hope each family at Lead Mine a wonderful holiday and safe travels!

Best,

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## Calendar of Events

- 11/14  
FNO McTeacher Night
- 11/21  
12:30 EARLY RELEASE  
Pawsative Assembly  
Spirit Day: Country/Western Day
- 11/22-11/24  
NO SCHOOL  
Thanksgiving Holiday
- 11/30  
7:00 PM PTA Meeting
- 12/2  
Writing Contest at  
Barnes & Noble
- 12/12  
FNO at Coconut Charlie's
- 12/13  
Holiday Shop Opens
- 12/15  
8:30 AM PTA Meeting
- 12/20  
Holiday Shop closes
- 12/21  
12:30 EARLY RELEASE  
Spirit Day: Hawaiian Spirit Day  
Staff Holiday Luncheon
- 12/22-1/1  
NO SCHOOL-Winter Break
- 1/9  
FNO at Chow
- 1/15  
NO SCHOOL-MLK Day
- 1/18  
7:00 PM PTA Meeting
- 1/19  
End of 2nd Quarter

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# Spots of Thanks go to...



...special thanks to ALL the families who donated money toward providing Thanksgiving meals for Lead Mine families!

...to EVERYONE who supported our Leopard Laps Fun Run!

## Fitness FriDay Safety

Parents, the weather is getting colder, please make sure your child has a coat and is in warm clothes!

Remember to:

**WALK** on the **LEFT** and

**RUN** on the **RIGHT**!!

Have **FUN** and get exercise, but be **SAFE** and watch out for others.



Congratulations to Ms. Butler's class for being the class that sold the most GoPlaySave books. The class will celebrate tomorrow with a taco party from Moe's! Way to go!!!



Nov., 14th From 5:00 - 8:00pm, 7301 Six Forks Road



## Leopard Laps Fun Run Update !

Thank you SO much for supporting the 3rd annual Leopard Laps fun run program! The indoor Glow Run was a blast! We are excited to announce that our school is set to profit **\$14,400** to purchase new technology! This will tremendously help us move toward 1 to 1 technology (one device for every one child) in all of our classrooms.

Boosterthon has left online pledging open until Thursday November 16<sup>th</sup>. Also, all payments are due back to school by Thursday, November 16<sup>th</sup> as well. Let's collect 100%! Thank you again for supporting our school.

**Go Leopards !**



Students arriving to school early for clubs (Jump Rope, Chorus, Green Thumb Club, etc.) **should be walked into the building by a parent** - not dropped at the curb, so that we can ensure that every student arrives safely. Thank you for your attention to this!



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