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NEW YORK SUMMER 2018

Mrs. Stanley is hosting an informational Student/Parent meeting on Wednesday, August 30th at 6:00 p.m. in the Library Media Center for any student

interested in traveling to New York next summer.



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MONDAY, AUGUST 28

"BEST DAYS OF OUR LIVES"
FUNDRAISER BEGINS

TUESDAY, AUGUST 29

POSTCARDS DUE BACK TO
SCHOOL FILLED OUT FOR A MONEY
CHICKEN

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30

6:30 p.m. Parent/student NYC
meeting in LMC

THURSDAY, AUGUST 31

"BEST DAYS OF OUR LIVES"
FUNDRAISER 1ST ORDER TURN IN
2:00 7th grade Tiger Activities Fair
4:30-7:00 District Band Rental Night

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

2:00 8th grade Activities Fair

**LOST &
FOUND**

**IS LOCATED ACROSS
FROM THE MAIN
OFFICE - IF YOU CAN'T
FIND SOMETHING**

The Lee's Summit R-7 School District is continuing its emphasis on a safe learning environment for all students through ongoing anti-bullying efforts. The school district prohibits all forms of bullying as well as reprisal or retaliation against any person who reports an act of bullying among or against students.

Through Missouri House Bill 1583, approved during spring 2017, all school districts are required to make changes to their bullying policies. The district's Policy JFCF (bullying and cyberbullying) and JFCG (hazing) are the specific policies that address these situations. All Board policies are available at [this link](#).

Lee's Summit R-7 staff members provide education and information about bullying prevention and reporting to students annually. This also includes information about the numerous ways available for students and others to report bullying. In addition to contacting the school principal or other staff members, reporting may take place anonymously by selecting the Safe Schools Alert icon on each school's website. Confidential reporting may occur via text, e-mail, phone or website and can include reporting of tips as well as praise for staff members.

Each Lee's Summit R-7 staff member is participating in online training focusing on prevention of bullying as well as how to appropriately address suspected or reported bullying.

For more information about bullying, cyberbullying, student lessons related to bullying and reporting of bullying, visit the Lee's Summit R-7 bullying awareness [website](#).

PLMS COUNSELOR CONNECTION



We are very excited to start the 2017-2018 school year with such amazing students, teachers, and families! The kids have done a great job transitioning to a new year and we are looking forward to getting to know all of them either for the first time or a little better their second year here at PLMS!

If you or your child needs anything, please let us know. We often see kids for academic planning and social/emotional support. Throughout the year, we will see every child in various classrooms to talk about important middle school topics such as future plans, friendships, and conflict resolution. We also plan to share information and articles with you in this newsletter regarding these topics.

A little bit about our counseling office staff...

Lee dePeralta, counseling secretary - Mrs. dePeralta is joining the counseling office for the first time this year; however you may remember her from working in the front office in the past. In the counseling office, she is the first person you will see and is always available to help if you have any questions! At home, she has 5 boys...they are definitely busy!

Lillie Dube, counseling intern - Mrs. Dube will be completing her internship this year at PLMS. She is a graduate of LSNHS, received her Bachelor's degree from Utah State University, and is getting her Master's from Mid-America Nazarene. She will work with both 7th and 8th grade students individually, in classrooms, and in-group settings.

Jennifer Montgomery, 7th grade counselor - I am so excited to start working with our 7th grade students and families this year! This is my 4th year counseling at PLMS. Previously, I taught middle school FACS classes for 7 years. I love hanging out in middle school and getting to work with students as they transition from being kids to young adults. It's such an important time in their lives. My husband and I recently moved to Lee's Summit and I am so grateful to be part of the community and PLMS! It's truly a great place to be!

Angela Martin, 8th grade counselor - I love working with middle school kids! It's definitely a privilege to watch our students transition from elementary to middle to high school. At home, I have two boys (10 and 13 years). My oldest started middle school this year, so I am getting to be a part of this transitional time at home, too! My husband teaches at LSHS and we are lucky to live, work, and raise our kids in this community.

GET INVOLVED IN PLMS

Students will have an opportunity to get information and sign up for clubs, travel opportunities, and other PLMS student activities on August 31st and September 1st. Here are some of the activities/clubs which are available:

LEE'S SUMMIT TEACHER
ACADEMY
TIGER SMARTS
CLUB 121
TECHNOLOGY
SCHOLAR BOWL

ART CLUB
STUDENT COUNCIL
ATHLETICS
ROBOTICS
AWARDS ASSEMBLY

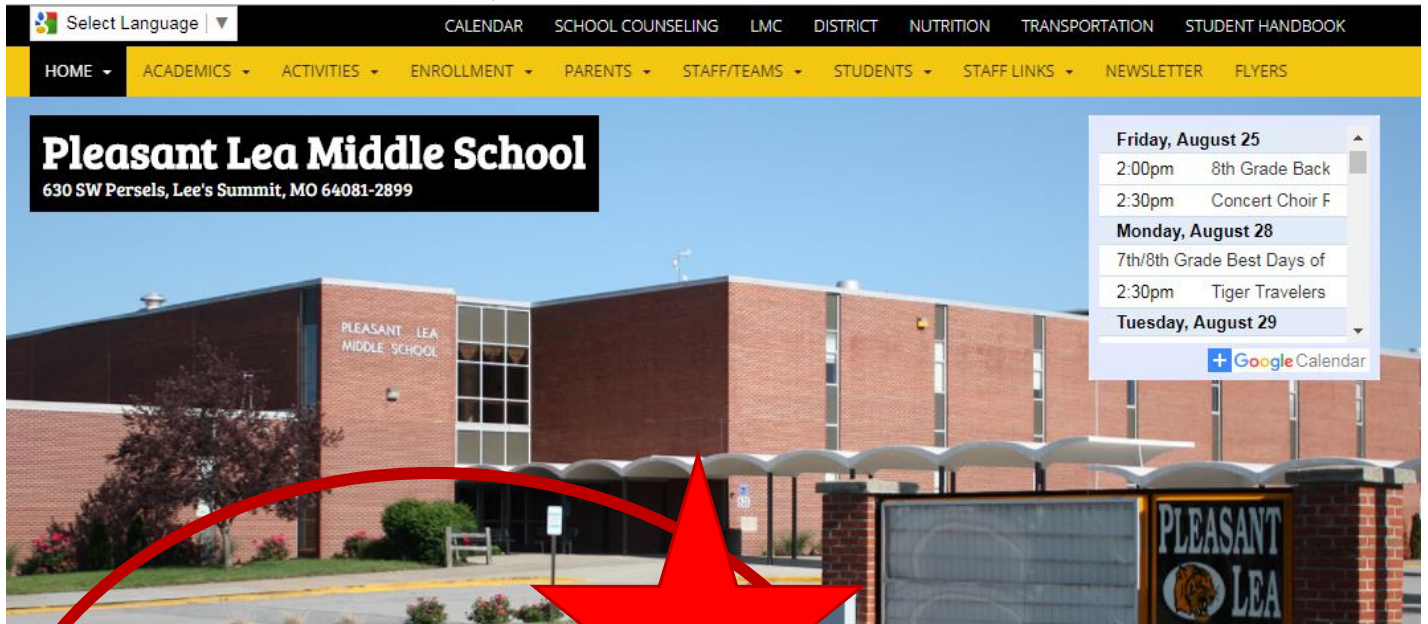
NEW YORK TOUR 2018
COSTA RICA TOUR 2018
SCHOOL PLAY
CYBERPATRIOTS
LIBRARY ACTIVITIES

PLMS STUDENT HANDBOOK

Just like our 15 year olds don't want to read the driver's education booklet from the State of Missouri - many of us don't want to read the student handbook.... **BUT** like the driving book, the information is vital to success and safety. So, look, if you haven't already, at the PLMS Student Handbook -

<http://plms.lsr7.org/wp-content/uploads/sites/47/2017/06/PLMSHandbook.pdf>

Keep up to date with all things PLMS by checking out our website often.



Friday, August 25	
2:00pm	8th Grade Back
2:30pm	Concert Choir F
Monday, August 28	
7th/8th Grade Best Days of	
2:30pm	Tiger Travelers
Tuesday, August 29	

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Best Days of Our Lives Fundraiser

August 22, 2017

Use the link below to start making your purchases. Make it a great day Tigers!

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