

TIGER TIMES

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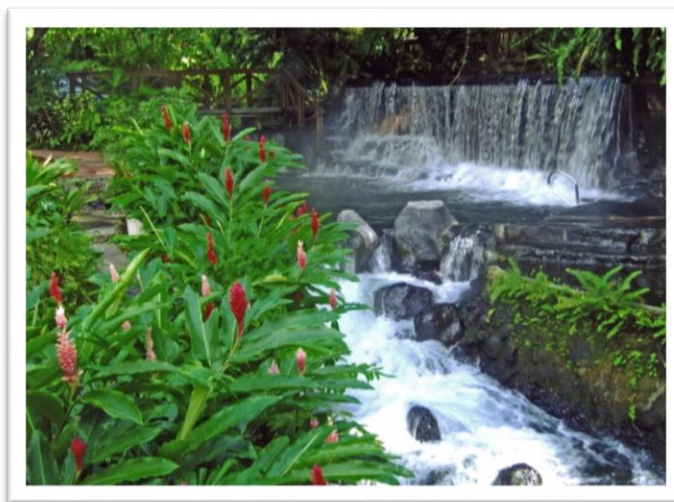
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COSTA RICA TRIP JUNE 2018

JANUARY 12 ENROLLMENT MEETING 7PM PLMS LIBRARY

Anyone interested in hearing more about this amazing educational tour in June 2018 – please come to the meeting on Sunday. The

Costa Rica tour is filling up fast! There are only SIX spots open with 43 travelers already signed up. If you are looking for an educational experience and want to learn about the rain forest, volcanic



activity, monkeys, sloths, crocodiles and much more, then this is the tour for you. We also go white water rafting, zip lining and exploring the mountains. This tour is loaded with new experiences and cultural opportunities for your child. There are many fund raising options and affordable payments.



UPCOMING EVENTS

SUNDAY, JANUARY 8

7-10pm PARADISE PARK MIDDLE SCHOOL NIGHT

MONDAY, JANUARY 9

4PM Girls Basketball rescheduled vs Brittany Hill **AWAY**

4PM Boys Basketball rescheduled vs Brittany Hill **HOME**

TUESDAY, JANUARY 10

4PM Girls Basketball vs Paul Kinder **AWAY**

4PM Boys Basketball vs Paul Kinder **HOME**

THURSDAY, JANUARY 12

4PM Girls Basketball Summit Lakes **HOME**

4PM Boys Basketball Summit Lakes **AWAY**

7PM Costa Rica Trip Meeting PLMS Library

NO SCHOOL
JANUARY 16th



TIGER TRAVELERS BUSY DECEMBER 2016 SCHEDULE

The PLMS Tiger Travelers performed at Union Station, an LSR7 School Board Meeting, and for the Lee's Summit Rotary Club. Performances were enthusiastically received and resulted in a number of invitations to appear in 2017. Tiger Travelers members are:

Grant Cason, Piper Stropes, Lena Sexton, Fiona Martin, Katelyn Johnson, Maggie Banhart, Cora Gadd, Angel Brock, Corinne Shackelford, Cara Cha, Sophia Hoffman, Julianna Stramara, Paige Morefield, Allyssa Roumas, Theresa Stark, Raegan Clark, Meghan Dean, Hannah Nierman, Isaiah Jackson, Stefanie Ly, Aaliyah Roland, Madison Six, Kailee Hamilton, and Haley Springer.



NEW WATER STATIONS AT PLMS



New Water Fountains have arrived! Thanks to Student Council, four new drinking/water bottle filling stations have been installed in the building. Students are able to refill water bottles throughout the day and stay hydrated! There is one on each floor so they are easily accessible during the school day.



PLMS CELLPHONE POLICY

Cell phones may be carried by students during the school day but must be carried in an off mode. If a student needs to contact a parent, at any time during the school day, the student must get a pass from a teacher to make the call in the office. In addition, the use of a cell phone in the hallway, lunchroom or restroom is prohibited. Cell phone usage includes but is not limited to texting, videoing, gaming, messaging, being on social media and taking pictures. Students who violate these policies will be subject disciplinary action ranging from detention to suspension.

Students may use cell phones in the classroom at the teacher's discretion; however, students using cell phones in the classroom without the consent of the teacher will be subject to disciplinary action ranging from detention to suspension. Students may use cell phones at school during dances and mixers. Disruptions of classrooms, school activities, or detentions caused by cell phones will result in an office referral and disciplinary action. In addition, headphones, ear buds must be removed upon arrival to school and may not be worn throughout the day in the hallway.



SAVE THE DATE FEBRUARY 21, 2017 PLMS YOUNG AUTHORS' CONFERENCE 6:30PM TO 8:00PM

Be sure to save the date for our first PLMS Young Authors' Conference. This special event will recognize exemplary pieces of student writing and artwork adhering to the theme, "Make a Change." The evening will consist of a presentation by our guest author, Toriano Porter, as well as recognition of each of the student contributors. Students will receive a book containing a compilation of all student writing. Guests will also have the opportunity to view the artwork on display in the commons and join us for a brief reception following the program.



Students interested in participating may submit writing or artwork for consideration to their ELA teacher or Art teacher by Friday, January 13th. Students selected for recognition will be notified by early February.

Come out and join us for this fun event celebrating Literacy.

CONCESSION STAND OPEN DURING ALL HOME GAMES



Support students going to Costa Rica by purchasing snacks and drinks. Also available a special 4 oz bag of chocolate covered coffee beans from Costa Rica- Only \$6!! Yummy!!

ORDER YOUR YEARBOOK FROM PLMS.LSR7.NET

\$25 UNTIL JANUARY 1ST

\$35 after that date

LAST DAY TO PURCHASE YEARBOOKS IS FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2017

JANUARY CHARACTER TRAIT - COURAGE

Courageous people can:

- Act in accordance with their beliefs in the face of criticism
- Be steadfast in the face of hardship or personal difficulties
- Lead when “the going gets tough” • do the right thing even when it is scary or difficult
- Be brave, bold, daring, and confident

