Phonemaster for the Week of November 11, 2019

Ligon Families, we are excited to announce that our new Principal, Gary Duvall, will begin at Ligon on Monday, December 2. Please see his special message to all of our families on the front page of our website. Our Interim Principal, Clinton Johnson, will be with us until November 26. I am sure you will all agree that we have been fortunate to have Mr. Johnson's leadership over the past few months.

HOLIDAY: Just a reminder that Monday, November 11 is a holiday. There is no school for staff or students.

REPORT CARDS were sent home with students on Friday, November 8.

THANK YOU! The PTA has reached its goal for the Phantom Fundraiser! This is the PTA's main fundraiser for the year allowing them to support our parents, students and staff. Thank you to everyone who donated. Your support is very much appreciated.

WINTER SPORTS: Winter Sports tryouts will begin on Tuesday November 12. This includes Girls' and Boys' Basketball and Cheerleading. Please be sure you have a completed and up to date Athletic Participation Form on file prior to tryouts. Cheer packets are in the main office.

FOOD ARK / THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE will run from November 12 through 15. We will have drop off boxes in carpool all week in the morning and afternoon. Some items that we are requesting are:

stuffing (herb)
instant potatoes
gravy (turkey or chicken)
Jiffy cornbread mix
Mac & cheese
cream of mushroom soup
canned green beans
dried fried onions
canned cranberries
cake mix and frosting
small bag of dried beans
canned yams
canned carrots
canned corn
canned peas

YEARBOOKS: Yearbooks are currently on sale for \$30.00! Order forms are available in the main office. The easiest way to purchase one is online at **strawbridge.net** using the online code: YB101071. Yearbook orders are due by November 20th so don't miss out!

LIGON FUTBOL CLUB is coming soon. If you are interested in playing, please see Ms. Paradise or Mr. Autrey for an application. The first practice will be held on Wednesday, November 20. All practices will be held every other Wednesday from 2:30 to 4:00 p.m. Bring your application to the first practice in order to participate. Students will meet in Ms. Paradise's room, 2204.

SCHOOL MUSICAL: This year's All School Musical is Fiddler On The Roof. Auditions are open to all students and will begin Monday November 18 and Tuesday November 19 from 2:30-4:30 pm in the Auditorium. Callbacks will be Wednesday November 20 from 2:30 - 4:30 pm.

The sign-up sheet to audition is posted on the Auditorium door. Please select an audition time slot and prepare the audition sides (music and scene) which can be picked up from Ms. Smith or Ms. Winter. If you have any questions or cannot make the audition times, please see Ms. Winter or Ms. Smith to schedule another time.

LIGON-MOORE SQUARE CLUB BASEBALL TEAM: Any 7th or 8th grade students that are interested in the Ligon-Moore Square club baseball team will have an opportunity to tryout on Saturday, November 16th and Sunday, November 17th at 2:00pm. The location for tryouts will be announced on Tuesday, November 12th.

SOME IMPORTANT DATES FOR THIS WEEK:

- **November 12** Magnet Tour, 8:45 to 10:00 am
- November 12 Quiz Bowl, 2:30 to 4:00 pm in the Media Center
- **November 12** Math Counts, Room 2305, 2:30 to 4:00 pm
- November 12 Winter Sports Tryouts Begin, 2:30-4:30 pm
- November 13 Mock Trial Practice, 2:30-5:00 pm, Room 1228
- November 13 Governor's School Auditions, 3:00 pm Auditorium
- November 13 Lego League Competition
- **November 14** Magnet Tour, 8:45 10:00 am
- November 14 & 15 All County Band @ Martin Middle
- **November 14** Math Counts, Room 3108, 2:30 to 4:00 pm
- November 14 MSEN Pie Club Meeting, 6:00 pm, Media Center
- November 15 NC Museum of Natural Science Field Trip, FFA

Please remember to check our website for daily updates and important information. A copy of this Phonemaster is posted on our website under "School News".

Have a great week Ligon families!

Remember: Ligon's mission is to engage, educate and develop the gifts and talents of each child.