



**Mrs. Houston's Monday Memo**

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# Servathon MLK 2018...

#SERVANTLEADERSHIP



by **Amber Houston** on January 15, 2018

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Welcome back to school---we had a good start to second semester this past week! Remember students start with a fresh, clean slate in their classes---so make sure to encourage your student to start strong, be consistent and stay on top of things! We have a big week coming up--please come down and share community on our campus for Lunch with a Lion and the In and Out Truck. You must pre-register for both events.

Our choir will be serving tomorrow, Monday January 15th at Cypress Senior Center on our AUHSD Day of Service in honor of Martin Luther King Jr. And remember we also observe this holiday--no school. We will resume on Tuesday with our normal Late Start Tuesday!

JANUARY Perfect Attendance:

NEW MONTH-NEW CONTEST! Lexington Junior High School is committed to the "30 Day Challenge" for perfect attendance. That means - No Absences and No Tardies for a month. And Yes, it is as easy as it sounds. However,, if you do miss a day, you may make it up during Saturday Academy. The best part of the "30 Day Challenge is that each month you have a chance to earn incentives and be recognized for perfect attendance.

### **Important Upcoming Dates:**

### **Office Reminders:**

- Lunch with a Lion, January 18th.
- In and Out, January 19th.
- PTSA Meeting January 18 @7:00pm @ Round Table Pizza.
- State of the City luncheon, January 17th.
- Speech and Debate CLinic, January 17th in library after school.
- Dress Code---no rips, torn clothing, frayed, tights, leggings.
- Bikes and Boards must be locked in our bike rack area. Detentions will be assigned starting Monday if left without lock.
- Please do not block our school driveway--our busses and emergency vehicles need that clear to enter.

## THIS WEEK'S TOP STORIES

### **LIBRARY GIVES AWAY**

The library book set giveaway has come to an end and here are the results. The number of books that have been checked out since the beginning of the school year totaled 5,795 books. The winning student with a guess of 5,776 is Yenny Islas Jaramillo. Congratulations Yenny!!!



## **LEXINGTON'S BEST DANCE CREW**

Dance students are working in collaborative groups in preparation for the Lexington's Best Dance Crew competition on 2/1 at 6:30 in the MPR. Your \$3 ticket lets you vote for the People's Choice Award! You don't want to miss this.



## **CHOIR PARTICIPATES SERVATHON**

Our choir spent MLK Day, January 15th at Cypress Senior Center performing community service in recognition of AUHSD National Day of Service. I am so proud of our community support of our senior citizens. Not only did show choir perform some entertaining songs for them, they also stayed and served lunch to them. As



you know MLK Day is a nationally observed holiday with no school-these students elected to participate in this kind event! Bravo!

## **ATHLETICS START UP FOR 3RD QUARTER**

3rd Quarter sports has started! You can still come on out to have fun in supervised sports for the next 5 weeks. At the end of this time, “All Star” teams will be chosen for 7th and 8th grade teams and compete against other junior high schools in our district. This quarter is: Boys and Girls Cross Country, Boys Soccer, and Girls Basketball.

In PE classes we have a lot new fun activities going on. In Mr. Brunet ‘s class they are working on badminton, Ms. Shandy/Mr. Scanlon’s classes are doing flag football, and Mr. Deck is enjoying table tennis! Here are some fun pictures!





## **EL reclassified celebration**

Out of 36 students who were considered for reclassification as English Proficient 15 were designated as English Proficient.



## **CHOIR ACCOLADES**

**Congrats to the following 2018 Lexington Idol Finalists who will compete on Feb. 7 in the MPR at 6:30 p.m.**

Olivia Weber  
Peyton Flansburg  
Clarissa Molina-Rodriguez  
Isabelle Vizcarrondo & Lauren Porteneuve  
Taylor Hofmann  
Leticia Cole  
Nicki Thach  
Ysabel Niebres  
Stephanie Anaya  
Brooke Beukelman & Emily Anesi  
Daniela Pardo  
Kayla Choi  
Amber Galante  
Arwen Wells, Journey Johnson & Adrianne Lee  
Rebecca Wallace  
Jasmine Noh  
Giancarlo Morales  
Cameron Holmes  
Hannah Pratt  
Caroline Kraemer  
Kalani Arzaga  
Kiyara Brown  
Navya Sharma & Julie Mai

**Congrats to the following District Honor Choir participants who will be representing Lexington on Jan. 20.**

Molina-Rodriguez, Clarissa  
Pham, Trinie  
Oh, Faith  
Chung, Apollo  
Lee, Caleb  
Galante, Amber  
Cho, Ashley  
Choi, Kayla  
Kraemer, Caroline  
Lumayag, Emmanuel



# Lunch With A Lion

## Parents...

On Thurs, Jan. 18th, we will have our annual Lunch with a Lion. At the event, you get to bring your child lunch and enjoy a great meal with them on the back field or MPR depending on weather.

Our ASB department will be playing music and having fun raffle games.

If you are interested in coming, please fill out this form and return it to the main office by Jan. 16th. Each family member coming on campus will receive a bracelet for the event. If a person does not have a bracelet from the main office, they will not be allowed on campus. Parking will be available on the field if it does not rain!!! If it does rain, parking is available directly past the school and in the neighborhood.

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**Event:** Lunch with a Lion (your student)  
**Date and Time:** Jan. 18th at 11:35 to 12:25  
**Items to Bring:** Lunch for you and your child and something to sit on

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Child's 5th Period Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Number of family members besides student \_\_\_\_\_

*RETURN TO THE MAIN OFFICE BY Jan. 16, 2018*

The In-N-Out Burger truck will  
make its return to  
Lexington Junior High School

**JANUARY 19TH.**



- ASB will be selling the \$6 tickets at lunch starting on January 11th and only 300 will be sold.
- In-N-Out Burger does not pre-cook their food so the serving process does take a little while.
- Students who have tickets will be let out of classes early to get their food.
- The students who receive their food late will finish up during SSR with a pass back to class.
- Students will start lining up by the boys' locker room going towards the bike racks.

***PLEASE FOLLOW THE EARLY RELEASE SCHEDULE BELOW TO LET YOUR STUDENTS PARTICIPATE IN THIS GREAT EVENT!!!***

11:20- Staff (let Mr. C know if you have a ticket and an ASB student will pick it up and deliver your meal)

11:30- 600, 700, 800 Buildings

11:40- 300-500 Buildings

11:45- PE, 100, 200 Buildings

11:55- All Students and Staff

12:30- Parents

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