



Weekly Hawklined



Principal's Message

Hello Skyeeeeehawks!

We're back, and your students did great, picking up right where they left off. Thank you for all the hard work you do with your students to help them be successful at school. Last week, staff and families came together at our monthly Parent Club meeting. Also, last week, we came together to support one another through an event called "Liberty Connection". At this event, Skyhawks discussed how families with a 6th grader can prepare for 7th grade. And last week, we had a Pep and Cheer parent meeting for those families with 4th and 5th graders who want to participate in this program next year. This past week illustrates one of Liberty's strongest characteristics, which is its value for relationships. Families and staff come together to provide amazing educational experiences as well as fun activities. Although these activities and events take a great deal of time and energy, it gives our school a strong sense of community, which is so important. All this hard work does matter, and it does contribute to our success. Last week, we found out that the Fresno Bee listed Liberty as #1 in their top five schools in the valley. For me, this is not just a school ranking but a community ranking. Again, thank you for all that you do.

Reminder: In May, we begin end of the year testing. Check the Hawklined and your teacher's newsletter for testing dates for your child's grade level. Only grades 3-6 participate in state testing and grades TK-2 participate in district testing. You can help your student by making sure he/she has a healthy breakfast, packed with protein, at the beginning of each test day, and that he/she gets plenty of rest. Encourage your child to do their best. Please try not to schedule appointments between the hours of 8:00 am and 12:00 noon during testing days.

Building Classes for 2023-2024

Student placement is a careful and diligent process at Liberty which endeavors to create cohesive and balanced classrooms. Teachers work as a grade level to place students in the appropriate educational setting. If you feel your child has a special learning consideration, please submit a letter to the principal explaining your child's learning needs. Every effort is made to accommodate every child's learning needs, regardless if you submit a letter. Remember, **absolutely no request for specific teachers will be considered.** Please submit all letters before May 1st.

Thank you

George Petersen

Liberty Elementary School

Positivity Project

These students are being recognized for **Social Intelligence**

K1 am	Thea O.
K1 pm	Aria M.
K2 am	Brielle M.
K2 pm	Damian H.
Rm. 1	Adam K. & Madison R.
Rm. 2	Esme C.
Rm. 3	Victoria O.
Rm. 6	Camden
Rm. 7	Nixyn M.
Rm. 8	Austyn B. & Ashlyn W.
Rm. 9	Jessie H. & Tristan R.
Rm. 10	Max C.
Rm. 11	Blakely A. & Finn S.
Rm. 12	Isaiah F. & Alexander R.V.
Rm. 13	Kennedy L. & Lilah B.
Rm. 14	Maliah W.
Rm. 15	Emily S.
Rm. 16	Frenchie D.
Rm. 17	Georgia B.
Rm. 18	Hannah L.
Rm. 19	Roman F.
Rm. 20	Jedi
Rm. 21	Grayson S.
Rm. 22	Zana J.

You are aware of other people's thoughts and feelings. You understand why they do things.

don't be a COUCH POTATO!

come to the...

SCHOLASTIC

Spring Book Fair!

April 24 - 28
8:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Daily in the Liberty Library!

We will be open Tuesday, April 25 at 10:00 a.m.
Pastries with Parents!

Book Buffet!

Super Fun Giveaways!

Click Here to Shop Online!

All purchases through the Book Fair benefit our school! Thank you for supporting our Skyhawks! Happy reading!




From the desk of

Parent Club President Melissa Gullekson...

Please be sure to set up your account with Membership Toolkit! This is where you will be able to get information and purchase tickets for any PTC events!

<https://fresnolibertyptc.membershiptoolkit.com>



Monday, April 17	Tuesday, April 18	Wednesday, April 19	Thursday, April 20	Friday, April 21
<p>8:10-9:40 am 4th Grade Music</p> <p>10:10 Student Council Meeting Room 19</p> <p>2:45 – 3:45 Math Club – Room 11 Track Practice</p>	<p>9:00 4th Grade Field Trip</p> <p>10:10 - 11:10 Classroom Music Room 12 and Room 13</p> <p>2:15 GATE Meeting Room 19</p> <p>2:45 – 3:45 Math Club – Room 11 Track Practice</p> <p>2:50 - 3:50 Detention - Room 9</p>	<p>7:05 - 7:35 3rd Grade Reading: Room 11</p> <p>8:00 - 1:00 Classroom Music Classes</p> <p>Early Release Day 1:15</p> <p>3:30—4:30 Cheer Clinic</p>	<p>GIS/Principal for the Day</p> <p>7:05 - 7:35 3rd Grade Reading: Room 11</p> <p>11:10 - 1:00 Carnival Winners Prize</p> <p>2:45 – 3:45 Track Practice</p> <p>2:50 - 3:50 Detention - Room 9</p> <p>4:00 - 5:00 Cheer Try-Outs</p>	<p>Cheer Paperwork Due!</p> <p>8:05-9:40 am Music Choir/Band/Orchestra</p> <p>9:30 In-House Track Meet</p> <p>2:00 Sports Awards</p> <p>SNACK SHACK</p>
Monday, April 24	Tuesday, April 25	Wednesday, April 26	Thursday, April 27	Friday, April 28
<p>Book Fair Week! Report Cards Go Home</p> <p>8:10-9:40 am 4th Grade Music</p> <p>10:10 Student Council Meeting Room 19</p> <p>2:45 – 3:45 Math Club – Room 11 Track Practice</p> <p> <i>Happy Birthday, Mrs. Speir!</i></p>	<p>National Bus Drivers' Day!</p> <p>Book Fair Event Pastries with Parents</p> <p>8:05 - 9:40 am Music Choir/Band/Orchestra</p> <p>10:10 - 11:10 Classroom Music Room 12 and Room 13</p> <p>2:15 GATE Meeting Room 19</p> <p>2:45 – 3:45 Math Club – Room 11 Track Practice</p> <p>2:50 - 3:50 Detention - Room 9</p>	<p>PE FUN RUN DAY!</p> <p>7:05 - 7:35 3rd Grade Reading: Room 11</p> <p>8:00 - 1:00 Classroom Music Classes</p> <p>Early Release Day 1:15</p> <p>3:00 - 5:00 2023/24 Cheer Fittings</p>	<p>7:05 - 7:35 3rd Grade Reading: Room 11</p> <p>8:30 - 10:00 Academic Awards MPR</p> <p>2:45 - 3:45 Track Practice</p> <p>2:50 - 3:50 Detention - Room 9</p>	<p>8:00 - 9:00 Volunteer Appreciation!</p> <p>8:05 - 9:40 am Music Choir/Band/Orchestra</p> <p>9:30 - 1:00 Track and Field Invitational Clovis West</p> <p>SNACK SHACK</p>

**Liberty Yearbook
Needs Your Help!**

**PLEASE SEND
PICTURES OF:**

- LIBERTY VETERANS PARADE
- FRIENDSHIP PARTIES
- SPRING SPORTS: BASEBALL, SOFTBALL, VOLLEYBALL
- ANY EVENT YOU FORGOT TO SEND FROM EARLIER IN THE YEAR

Please send all photos to:
libertyyearbook1@gmail.com

**Attention:
6th GRADE PARENTS!!**

All students entering the 7th grade are required to present documentation of having received the Tdap (pertussis) booster and two doses of the Varicella vaccination. Please get those into our Health Office by May 31, 2023, if you haven't already done so. If you have any questions, please contact the Liberty Health Office at 559-327-7177.

Lost & Found

Our lost and found bin is full! Please always label your child's clothing, as every attempt is made to return lost items to your child's classroom before it makes it to the bin.

We donate all lost and found items at the end of every quarter, so please check the bin for missing clothing items and lunch-boxes on a regular basis.