



# The Mane News

## Linkhorn Park PTA

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### **Volunteers of the Month**

### **A special thanks to our outstanding volunteers of the month:**

- **Sarah Alaia** who has been coming every week to work in our copy room supporting our teachers and classrooms
- **Rebecca Vanderlake** who along with helping with almost every event has been managing our membership collection, support and documentation.
- **Blue Paw High Five to Devon Neff** for her time, energy and dedication the making Reflections such a huge success and celebration for showcasing our student's talent
- **Amber Zion and Karen Worrall** are doing awesome job with used book sale and we need donations!! In the foyer bin.

### **Literacy Night at LPES**

Join us on Thursday, February 1<sup>st</sup> from 5:30-7:00 p.m. for Literacy Night. Don't miss it!

### **Valentine's Dance & Raffle**

Father/Daughter Mother/Son Favorite Friend Dance

Thursday, February 8<sup>th</sup> from 5:30-7 pm. At LPES

Bakers! We need Valentine themed items for our bake sale at the school dance. Please drop baked goods off at Linkhorn by 3:30 on the afternoon of the 8<sup>th</sup>, packaged for individual sale. Sign up here:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f044eadae22a1f58-valentine>

## **Book Fair**

We are collecting books for the used book sale happening February 26th! Please place your old books in the bin in the entrance way.

If anyone would like to chair or help with this fun event please email [linkhornvolunteer@gmail.com](mailto:linkhornvolunteer@gmail.com). It is fun to do with a friend or 2 and the kids really enjoy bringing their quarters and pennies in to buy books during that week.

## **Shamrock Final Mile**

Go to [shamrockmarathon.com](http://shamrockmarathon.com) to register your student. It is \$20 until Jan 15<sup>th</sup>. Rates increase to \$25 after that. Each registered student will also receive a unique LPES Final Mile t-shirt! Each classroom that reaches 100% participation will receive an ice cream party during their lunch break!

Want your business or you personally to help sponsor the Shamrock Final Mile T-shirts...email [Hthurman2@cox.net](mailto:Hthurman2@cox.net) (Heather Nixon). Tax Deductible & Logo will be added to our T-shirts✿

**Tae Kwon Do** is coming to Linkhorn Park Elementary School!  
Special After School Program Starts in February! (see Flyer below for more details)

## **BoxTops**

Box Tops: Collection is Friday, Feb 9th...Winners and Raffles to be announced the following Friday, Feb 16th

## **Volunteer Opportunities**

- Nominate your VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR
- Ms. Vinson's 5th grade will continue to welcome reading help 2:10-3pm daily:  
<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0a4eaaa929a7fc1-reading>
- LIONS Garden Volunteers still needed- All Slots Still Available!  
If you love fresh air and working with your hands, we are looking for volunteers to help with maintenance in the LIONS Garden. Because you can choose when you can come, this is a great volunteer opportunity for busy families or even older students who have community service hours to fulfill. To sign up to help <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0e4eabae22a7f85-lions3> or for more information contact Gina Foresta at [gmforesta@gmail.com](mailto:gmforesta@gmail.com).

## **Next PTA Meeting:**

Next PTA Meeting is Monday, Feb 12th at 9am in Room 6

Find out all you need to know about upcoming events, important dates and volunteer opportunities at: <http://www.linkhornparkpta.com/>

TEXT LPPTA TO 77948 TO RECEIVE PTA REMINDERS  
CONTACT US ANYTIME AT [LINKHORNPTA@GMAIL.COM](mailto:LINKHORNPTA@GMAIL.COM)

# LPES Presents:



Father/Daughter...Mother/Son...Favorite Friend Dance!!!  
Thursday, Feb 8th 5:30-7pm

It's time to dress up or coordinate outfits and come out for a night of  
fun at LPES!

There will be a:

**DJ**

***Bake Sale***

**Raffles**

Raffles "Valentine" themed and great for V-day Gifts:

Movie/Chocolate & Candy Basket(s)

Spa Themed Basket(s)

Dinning Basket(s)

Sweet Frog Mega Basket

\*\*\*Bring Cash, Check or Card to purchase Raffle Tickets...\$5 & \$10 per ticket\*\*\*

# WORLD CHAMPION Tae Kwon Do is coming to Linkhorn Park Elementary School!

## Special After School Program Starts in February!

### What is the World Champion Tae Kwon Do After School Program all about?

World Champion Kids is a 5 session character development program that incorporates physical exercise with life skill lessons. Open to students in grades 1-5, this innovative series of classes is designed to not only introduce your child to basic martial arts but also to improve focus, confidence, discipline and respect. It will benefit your child at home, at school and in team sports. Master Park and his staff from World Champion Tae Kwon Do have volunteered their time to teach the World Champion Kids program at your school.

### How does it benefit my school?

The instructors and materials required to run the World Champion Kids Program will be donated by World Champion Tae Kwon Do as part of our commitment to helping local children in our community. The registration fee of \$20 will be donated directly to your school.

*This program is taught by certified instructors from World Champion Tae Kwon Do who are experts at working with kids. They are patient, enthusiastic, and know how to make learning fun.*

**Class #1 FOCUS**

**Class #2  
CONFIDENCE**

**Class #3  
DISCIPLINE**

**Class #4  
RESPECT**

**Class #5  
GRADUATION  
at World Champion  
Tae Kwon Do**



**Who:** 1<sup>st</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> graders

**Where:** All classes will be held in the school cafeteria..

**When:** Classes will be held after school from 3:15-3:45 on the following dates:  
February 14, February 16, February 23, and February 28..  
**Students MUST be picked up at Linkhorn by 3:45 PM.**

**Class #5 -GRADUATION:**  
A special Graduation Ceremony will be held on (Time-TBD) at World Champion Tae Kwon Do.  
1624 Laskin Road Ste 751, (Hilltop North Shopping Center)  
Virginia Beach, VA 23451; 757-965-3133

**Clothing:**  
Students should wear loose comfortable clothing (t-shirts and shorts/sweatpants) and sneakers to school on these days as there will **NOT** be time to change.

### Registration Form (must have one per child)

Please return this form along with \$20.00 to your child's teacher by **FEBRUARY 9th 2018**.

I give my child permission to participate in the World Champion Kids Program.

**I understand that I must pick my child up at school by 3:45 PM.**

**Child's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Grade:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Age:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent's Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Teacher** \_\_\_\_\_

**Street Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cell Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_

My child will go home the following way:

\_\_\_ Go to KidzQuest at 3:45.

\_\_\_ Walk home at 3:45 as he/she are in the walking zone.

\_\_\_ Go home with – Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

( ) \$20 Enclosed - Make checks payable to **Linkhorn Park Elementary School PTA.**

Questions? Contact Jill Simmelink @ 757-648-2920 ext. 54245