

# Friday Flyer

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Upcoming Events

Saturday, January 20.....5:00 p.m., Quail Run Swim Night, Indoor Aquatic Center  
Tuesday, January 30.....6:30 p.m., 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade PE Night  
Monday, February 5.....4:00 p.m., Site Council  
Tuesday, February 6.....9:00 a.m., PTO  
Monday through Thursday, February 12-15.....Scholastic Book Fair  
Tuesday, February 13.....5:00 p.m., Pancake Feed  
Thursday, February 15.....End of 2<sup>nd</sup> Trimester  
Friday, February 16.....NO SCHOOL (Recording/Reporting)

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## FROM THE SCHOOL

### **NO IPODS, MP3s, OR MP4s**

Parents, please do not allow your child to bring his or her music player to school. It has presented several problems which can be eliminated if the players are not brought to school.

### **SCHOOL FEES**

For those of you who chose to pay your school fees with a payment plan, please remit now. Semester payments are \$56.00 for grades 1-6 and \$25.50 for kindergarten students. Monthly payments are \$14.00 for grades 1-6 and \$6.38 for kindergarten.

### **NEWS FOR BAND AND ORCHESTRA**

The North Area Concert for orchestra students will be held at Free State High School on April 12<sup>th</sup>. Students need to arrive at 6:00 p.m. with the concert to begin at 7:00.

Band students who will attend Southwest Junior High next fall will be performing in the Southwest Band Feeder Concert on April 23<sup>rd</sup>. Students should arrive at 6:00 p.m. with the concert to begin at 7:00.

For band students who will attend West Junior High next fall, the West Band Feeder Concert will be held on April 24<sup>th</sup>. Students should arrive at 6:00 p.m. with the concert to begin at 7:00.

The Novice Program, for current 5<sup>th</sup> graders interested in 6<sup>th</sup> grade band,

begins June 4<sup>th</sup>. Details and forms will be sent home with all 5<sup>th</sup> graders after Spring Break.

Band and jazz for current 6<sup>th</sup> graders interested in playing during the summer begins June 18<sup>th</sup>. Details and forms will be sent home with all 6<sup>th</sup> graders after Spring Break.

## FROM THE PTO **QUAIL RUN SWIM NIGHT**

Join us as the PTO hosts another Swim Night at the Lawrence Indoor Aquatic Center on Saturday, January 20<sup>th</sup>, from 5:00 until 7:30 p.m. The cost is \$5.00 per swimmer with adults and children under the age of 4 to swim free. Bring your friends and family! (Please note that parking will be tight because of a 'lap pool' swim meet which should NOT impact the typically light Saturday night public attendance in the 'leisure pool' during our Swim Night.)

## **NEXT PTO MEETING FEBRUARY 6<sup>TH</sup> at 9:00 A.M.**

Please note the time change for our next meeting; we hope to see more of you that can't easily make it to the evening times! Thank you to all the teachers and parents that attended this month's meeting. We were able to vote on several much needed expenditures for the school and we presented the teachers with their digital cameras, memory card, and card readers. Kelly Dumesich has worked to get a new, modern version of the "see-saw"

approved by the district. It has been ordered and will be installed some time this spring. So watch for this new addition!

We are continuing to look for new officers on the PTO Board, so please spread the word, and let us know if you might be interested (call Kelly, 842-0208, or Barb, 838-4332, for more information on what these positions involve).

## FROM THE COMMUNITY **HELPING THROUGH HARMONY**

The Senior Girl Scouts of Troop 623 are working on earning the Gold Award, the highest award a Girl Scout can earn. They are conducting a musical instrument drive to benefit the Lawrence school district. Because the instruments are to be reconditioned by the following local music shops: Emde Music Shop and Manning Music in Topeka and Hume Music in Lawrence, the condition of the instruments is not an issue. Once refurbished, the instruments will be available for student rental through the district thus allowing more students to participate in the music program. The scouts will be collecting instruments at the following concerts: March 7<sup>th</sup>, Jazz Concert at the Lawrence Arts Center, March 11<sup>th</sup>, Youth Symphony Orchestra at Central Junior High, March 29<sup>th</sup>-31<sup>st</sup>, Free State High School Encore, and April 26<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup>, Lawrence High School Showtime. (Or, if it is more convenient for Quail Run parents, you can bring it to the school office.) For more information, please contact Margaret Townsend (843-6120) or Patrick Kelly (832-5000, extension 2405). Thank you for your help!