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Mrs. Wehunt is working diligently with our third, fourth, and fifth graders to prepare for our Christmas Program that will take place during our next PTO program. We look forward to seeing you here at 6:00 pm on Thursday, December 8th.



MIDDLE SCHOOL DANCE

The Middle School Dance will be Friday, Dec. 9th from 6:00-8:00 pm.

Tickets are \$5.00 dollars and must be purchased from Mrs. Eaker by Wednesday, Dec. 7th.

Lincolnton Middle School students or Denver Middle School students permitted only.

Dress up for the occasion!

LIBRARY VOLUNTEER

A new parent volunteer opportunity at both LCS – Denver Elementary and Lincoln campus is being initiated. Linked here, you will find a complete “job description” or responsibility outline for this particular position. The goal of this initiative is to enable our K-5 teachers to have more accessibility to hands on resources for teaching research, expository writing, and inquiry based learning all together. Since we don't have a library or media center, teaching these concepts can be challenging. The state has given all schools a new set of teaching standards that will be implemented and assessed next year; all of the standards are extremely high level and require our children to use a lot of different resources to learn one concept. Thank you very much for your support in helping us to provide more resources for our students. If you are interested in being a grade level library volunteer please contact Tiffany Joffe, Curriculum Coordinator, at tiffany.joffe@lincolncharter.org.

TREATS FOR TROOPS

Our 5th annual Treats for Troops support campaign will be the week after Thanksgiving. All students will be writing a letter to a military member thanking them for their service to our country and sending greetings and encouragement from Lincoln Charter School. We will be collecting individually wrapped treats that week, packing them into bags and then sending them to anyone in our school community who may be overseas or serving away from home. We are asking that each child donate one dollar to help with shipping costs. If your family has a soldier, marine, airman, or sailor currently serving in the military and you would like them to receive a package, please contact Margaret Hargrove at margaret.hargrove@lincolncharter.org. We have sent packages to Kuwait, Iraq, Afghanistan, and Japan. We have also taken many Treats for Troops bags to the Charlotte-Douglas airport which were distributed by the USO. Every year we receive thank you notes from military personnel all over the world. Watch for more information.

TOYS FOR TOTS

Help third, fourth, and middle school students give the gift of joy to local children during the Christmas season by donating items for Toys for Tots from now until December 16. There will be collection boxes located throughout the school.

Acceptable items include, but are not limited to:

- Bikes
- Dolls
- Games & Puzzles
- Make-Up
- Bath & Lotion Sets
- Sports Equipment
- Trucks, Cars, & Remote Control Cars
- Movies
- Book Bags
- Books
- Toys to Ride for Small Kids
- MP3 Players
- Skateboards
- Model Car Kits
- Radios
- Coloring Books & Coloring Utensils
- Paint Sets
- Craft Kits
- Infant Toys

*The Marine Toys for Tots Foundation strives to bring hope to less fortunate children and contribute to better communities throughout the United States by distributing age-appropriate toys to infants, children, and teens.

JUNIOR CHEERLEADING

All elementary female students (K-5) are invited to participate in the LCS Basketball season as a Junior Cheerleader. The cost is \$40 and includes shirt, short and socks. Poms are an additional \$5.00. Practices will take place on January 4th, 9th and 10th from 3:30 - 5:00pm at the Denver MS/HS multipurpose room/mezzanine. Junior Cheerleaders will cheer at games on January 13th, 20th and February 3rd. Participation form ([click here](#)) and fee must be paid by December 15 by 12:00pm in the front office.

Show your Eagle pride!