

The Lincoln Address



Abraham Lincoln Traditional School

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MISSION STATEMENT

Abraham Lincoln Traditional School is committed to providing a safe and nurturing learning environment where students are engaged in their own learning. Our school promotes self-responsibility and self-discipline and a love of learning. We encourage and value active participation by parents, teachers, staff and principal in the decision making process in order to increase student achievement and student self-worth.

May 2023

Hello Abraham Lincoln families,

There are just a couple weeks left for the 2022-2023 school year. As we wrap up the year, teachers are preparing and teaching final pieces of curriculum for their students. We want the students to enjoy the last few weeks, but still stay strong in learning.

"Food Wars" will begin on April 24 and continue for two weeks. We are finishing the 7-8 grade softball season with the tournament, we have an upcoming band concert, choir concert, NJHS induction, 7-8 grade end of year dance, kindergarten promotion, and 8th grade promotion. We have a busy few weeks ahead of us!

I want to thank all ALTS families for their support throughout this year! It has been so nice to have parents volunteering in many capacities to support the school and students. You are greatly appreciated!

If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact me.

Warm regards,

Rhonda Warren

Abraham Lincoln Principal



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Student of the Month - March



Raelee T., Liam D., Jesus R., Elijah S., Adela F., Itzayana G-M., Max H.,
Fawad A., Angel E., Nicole P., Rebekah S., Kamila G-S., Isaiah P.,
Mila F., Jasmina K., Cooper W., Lilianna D., Zane B., Lucy M., Maia B.,
Melissa B., Phillip N., Spirit Z., Kymberly P.

May Calendar of Events

May 1 – National Junior Honor Society Induction 6 p.m.
May 4 – Spring Concert 5 p.m.
May 9 – Food Wars Cereal Event
May 12 – Jr. High Dance 5 p.m. – 7 p.m.
May 15 – Band Concert 6 p.m.
May 19 – Eighth Grade Promotion – 5:30 p.m.
May 22 – Site Council 4 p.m.
May 23 – Kindergarten Promotion 8:45 a.m.

Last day of school!

Important Numbers

Attendance Line – 602-896-6311
Office – 602-896-6300
Nurse – 602-896-6310
KidSpace – 602-896-6315

2023-2024 Enrollment information!!

If your student will **NOT** be returning to ALT for the next school year, please contact the school office at 602-896-6300 as soon as possible.

National Junior Honor Society

Congratulations to the following 6th thru 8th grade students who will be inducted and recognized at this year's NJHS Induction ceremony on May 1 at 6 p.m. These students exemplify the five pillars of NJHS: character, citizenship, leadership, scholarship and service.

Gabriel M., Teena Z., Joanna W., Zane B., Emmalee H., Baneen A., Nina S.,
Gilberto C., Lilianna D., Armand S., Anna F-B., Nora C., Ariana V.,
Havana P., Malachi C., Dane L., Brianna L.,
Yannis W., Magaly A., Emma V.

NJHS will be working with the Student Council on the upcoming Food Drive and Domino Science Experiment Event.

On May 12, the NJHS will be sponsoring a dance for all 7 and 8 grade students.

The theme will be **Glow in the Dark/Neon** and the dance will take place in the cafeteria from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Pre-sale tickets will go on sale the week of the dance for \$3 or students can purchase a ticket at the door for \$5.



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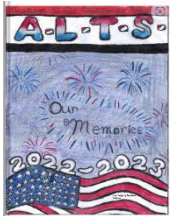
The Spring Concert will be on Thursday, May 4 at 5:00 p.m.

Grades 1, 3 & 4 (not the band students), and before school choir will perform.

Students must wear a white shirt with black pants or a long black skirt.



The 2022-2023 Abraham Lincoln Traditional School Yearbook is ready to order!



This year's book features 80 pages of Patriot fun! Each homeroom has two pages, and we have pictures of our sports, clubs, band, choir, Parent Guild, and much more!

The cost is only \$19.00 plus tax and shipping (totaling \$24.06).

You may already have a Blurb account if you ordered a yearbook last year.

If not, you will need to create a new one.

Once ordered, the yearbook will be shipped to the address you submit.

Please use this link to order.

<https://www.blurb.com/b/11550190-altscopybook2023>

Help us to help others!

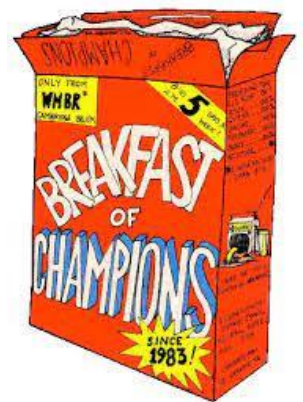
The school Food Drive starts on Monday, April 24, and ends on Friday, May 5, at 3:45 p.m.

We will have our "Food Wars" class competitions again this year. Students can bring food or bills to help their class win or water bottles and coins (no pennies) to give to other classes to lower their class total.

A list of the Food Wars rules and incentives will be sent home soon. Cereal boxes will count as five food items again this year and will be used in our Big Cereal Box Domino STEM experiment scheduled on May 9. Look for more information to come home soon.



Students in incoming grades 3 through 8 should save at least one cereal box and two magazines with lots of pictures for art class next year.



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Guild News

April 24-27 - Scholastic Book Fair before and after school in room A102.

May 8-12 - Staff Appreciation Week **(please note the date change from last month's school newsletter).**

May 9 - Guild meeting at 6 p.m. in the school cafeteria. We will be voting on officers and board members for the 2023/2024 school year, so please attend if you are able.

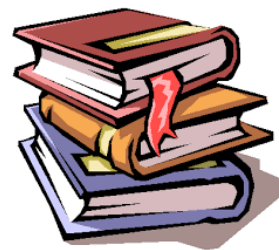
May 11 - There will be a special celebration for Ms. Warren in the school cafeteria from 6 to 8 p.m., as well as food available for purchase.

May 23 - End of year classroom parties for grades 1 - 7.



WE NEED OUR BOOKS BACK!

All library books are due by Friday, May 5



Reminder that all student medication must be picked up by a parent/guardian before the last day of school from the heath office.



Is your student missing something?

Jackets, lunch boxes, water bottles and larger items are placed in the lost and found area in the cafeteria. Smaller items such as jewelry, wallets and pens, are kept in the front office. Please stop by or remind your student to check the areas for any items they may be missing.

All left over items will be donated to charity at the end of the school year.



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