



Welcome Back!

Summer is not over yet...

... but I just wanted to get word out that school is around the corner. (If you did not notice.) I am very excited to see everyone, as are all the teachers who have started coming in to get their classrooms ready. Here are just a few reminders for the start of school:

Opening Ceremonies

We may not be the olympics, but we have a really nice tradition to the start of school, including the ringing of the old school bell, the parade of classes and the welcoming of the kindergarten by the 8th grade. The bell will be rung officially starting the school year at 8 am in front of the school on August 27th. Parents be sure to make it if you can and arrive before 8:00.



Parents' Reception

On the first day of school following Opening Assembly, there will be a Parents' Reception in the lobby hosted by the PTO.



Lunch

Week of
8/27 to 8/29



Wednesday	Chicken Burgers Corn Chips with Salsa Hot Vegetable Brownies
Thursday	Spaghetti Garlic Bread Garden Salad Ice Cream
Friday	Grilled Cheese & Tomato Soup Garden Salad Fresh Fruit Cookies

Hot Lunch: \$2.75 Milk: 35 cents
Please send your child with a check to deposit in their lunch account. (\$50 - \$100 recommended)
Payable to Lyme School Lunch Program

A Sad Farewell...

As some of you may have heard one of Lyme School's most important people has moved. Our School Nurse, Jan Papirmeister, relocated from the Upper Valley to Washington DC to be with her family. This is a sad loss as Jan has been a wonderful part of our school. However, knowing Jan, she will have Washington DC, organized in a matter of weeks. (Just think, an efficient and organized Washington DC. This will be better than the stimulus check I have yet to receive). Hopefully, she will come by to visit, everything happened so quickly, I am sure she would like to say goodbye.

A Joyous Return...

It is so rare that once people join the Lyme School that they ever want to leave. Last year Catherine DeCocco joined us as an intern in Mr. Dayno's fourth grade class, this year she has been hired as our 7th grade language arts teacher and middle school resource aide. We are very pleased to have her join us... again.



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The word is out and we see it in our enrollment... Up from 155 in 2005. Good news travels fast. Fortunately our classes are all good sizes. With two large graduating classes we will also continue to be the small, close knit school which we have always been.

If you know of any outstanding candidates be sure to encourage them to contact the school, either on a temporary basis while we find a permanent applicant or if they want to be the school nurse for the greatest school in the world!*

Nurse Wanted

Qualifications:

- Talented & Knowledgeable
- Extremely Organized & Thorough
- Exceedingly Caring
- Outstanding Communicator

Contact the Lyme School

* the Gallup poll could not confirm this statement, but we know its true.

First Day of School:
Wednesday, Aug. 27th
The Ice Cream Social

Monday, August 25th at 6:00 pm
on the playground of the Lyme School





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