

Newsletter

3000 and Counting....

Some are calling it an epidemic, others are calling upon Obama to arrange a formal investigation, the National Guard are on alert... and for what you are asking! The unexplained disappearance of 3000 pencils since the beginning of the school year.

A spokesman for the families of the missing 3000 pencils expressed concern: "We are glad this administration is finally responding to our cries for help... How many pencils must be lost before action is taken!"

Apparently the number was 3000. President Bush contended, "This issue was brought to my attention this week when Secretary of School, Judy Barton, could not secure additional pencils to reinforce our strategic presence in the 5th and 3rd grade. These regions are strategically critical to our campaign to expel Al-iteracy..."

As it would happen no one was listening, which would explain why this statement was never picked up by other news agencies.

One student, who agreed to speak only if his name was withheld, stated: "...its simple. No pencils = No math = No math homework. Heck, even *I* can do *THAT* math."

A local businessman decried the situation: "If schools were run more like a business this would never happen!" A business... I guess we will just have to wait for our pencil bailout (Hey! Maybe this means we will now get huge bonuses!).

Far more sinister plots have also arisen, "I seen it... it were aliens... seen 'em eyein' 'em with those big eyes they got."

Another report has a far more localized explanation: "Beavers. It all fits -- pencils were found worn down to the nub, bite marks all over them. Sure, it could be examples of test anxiety, but here in Lyme its Beavers. Sure as the sun will shine and pond will rise... Beavers. Pure and simple. Beavers. Flat tailed, pencil lovin' Beavers... Yup, that's it...Beavers."

In a phone interview a representative of the Lyme chapter of UBB (Unified Brotherhood of

Beavers) reacted, "This is another flagrant example of Beaver Bias. If I had not eaten all my pencils I'd write a letter... oh, wait... strike that."

Whoever is responsible the answer is clear: send your child to school with some pencils, our pencil budget is depleted. -- And also please teach pencil responsibility in your home today, our country's future, and the reputation of local Beavers, depend on it.

We wouldn't want our town to become consumed by beaver hysteria would we?...

MISSING

Contact the Lyme School with any information.



Missing From: Lyme School

Height: 6 inches

Build: Thin

Complexion: Orangish Yellow

Birthmarks/Tattoos: Silver "2" tattooed on forehead.

UPCOMING EVENTS

2009 LYME DRAMA CLUB PRODUCTION

 This OLD House
April 9th, 10th, & 11th
7:00 doors open
7:30 curtain opens

Conferences in Two Weeks:

Be sure to make an appointment for your parent teacher conference.

April 13th - 17th
School is Dismissed
at 1:30 on
Mon, Tues, Wed & Fri

April 16th
School is Dismissed
at 2:00 on
Thursday

During Conference Week:
Kindergarten ends at 11 am M,T,W, F
12:30 on Thursday

Report Cards sent home
Thursday, April 9th

Director's Reminders:

We are all familiar with the no cell phone rule in movies. We request that audience please refrain from cell phone use during the performances, as well.

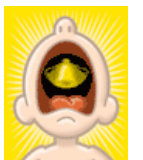


In addition please be aware of the following:

The auditorium doors open no earlier than 7:00 pm, there are no reserve seats, and the play will begin promptly at 7:30 pm.



Please remain quietly in your seats during the performance.



Wanted:
Pencils

Dull or Sharp
For use on work in school



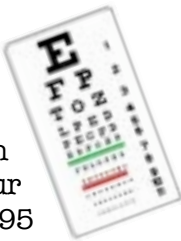
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Health Screenings

The Lyme School Health Office will be conducting screenings in the next couple of months. This may include vision, hearing, height, Weight, and BMI (Body Mass Index). If parents have questions or concerns about this please call Jen Woodmansee, our School Nurse, at 795 2125.



Last Day of School:

Thursday, June 18th*

Dismissal at 1:00

*assuming no more cancellations.



GRADUATION
Commencement Ceremony
Wednesday, June 17th 7 pm



Spring Concert

June 9th at 7:00
Band and Chorus

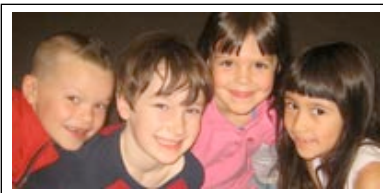
Kindergarten Registration:



Friday, May 15th

Call 795-2125

to reserve a 20 minute time slot



Learn CPR in Lyme



Learn and Live...

Two different classes will be offered:

• **Family and Friends CPR** is a 1 1/2 hour class that covers CPR basics.

Wednesday April 15th from 7--8:30 pm

• **Heartsaver CPR** is a 3 1/2 hour class that covers CPR in more detail and provides American Heart Association Certification. Saturday April 18th from 9:00 am to 12:30 pm.

The classes cover both adult and child CPR, and there's plenty of practice using mannequins. Classes are taught by instructors who have been certified by the American Heart Association.

Classes are open to high school students and adults. To sign up, call 795-2432 or email wbrand@valley.net. Feel free to call or email for further information

If you can't come in April, more classes will be offered in later in the spring.



8th Grade to Washington DC

June 1st to the 5th



Maypole Celebration

May 29th at 12:45

ON THE GREEN
ALL ARE WELCOME

Message from the **P.T.O.**

Got Tops?



June 11th

Last of the Year



Lunch
Week of
4/6 to 4/12



Monday	Chicken Nuggets Garden Salad Hot Vegetable Fresh Fruit
Tuesday	Cheese Burgers Tater Tots Garden Salad Hot Vegetable Brownies
Wednesday	Grilled Cheese & Corn Chowder Crackers Garden Salad Fresh Fruit
Thursday	Spaghetti w/ Meatballs Garlic Bread Garden Salad Ice Cream
Friday	Corn Dogs or Hot Dogs Garden Salad Tater Tots Mixed Vegetables Cookies



Ala carte Fruit and Milk are available everyday



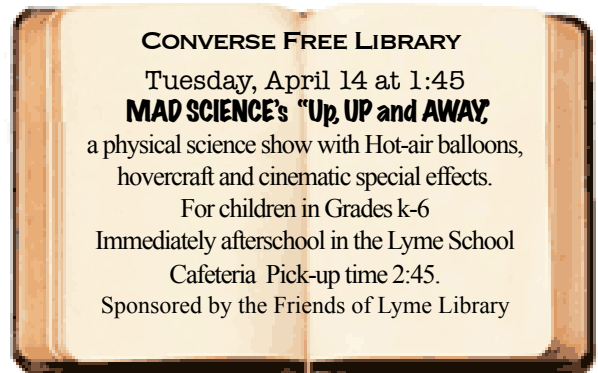
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Tuesday, April 14 at 1:45

MAD SCIENCE's "Up, UP and AWAY,"

a physical science show with Hot-air balloons, hovercraft and cinematic special effects.

For children in Grades k-6

Immediately afterschool in the Lyme School Cafeteria Pick-up time 2:45.

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