



Caln Communicator

Monday Morning Message 2.19.24



About US

About Us: Caln Elementary School
@CASDCaln

Principal: Dr. Jeanette R. Lennon
Attendance Office: CNAttendance@casdschools.org

The mission of the Coatesville Area School District, rich in diversity and committed to excellence, is to create innovative educational experiences, which are funded by the taxpayers, supported by the community, delivered by dedicated teachers and administrators, to ensure all students will become responsible, contributing global citizens.

Research shows that attendance is critical to student achievement. We want to emphasize the importance of your student's attendance. If your student is absent or you plan for your student to have an early dismissal, please email excuse notes to CNAttendance@casdschools.org within three days of the absence.

Email: lennonj@casdschool.org

Website: <https://www.casdschools.org/caln>

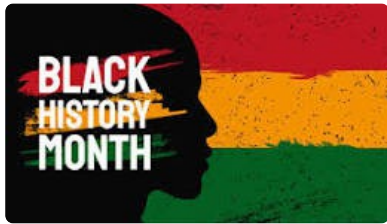
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Message from the Principal, Dr. Lennon



Hello Caln Families!

This is a friendly reminder that we have ***no school on Monday, February 19th***, as this is a national holiday, ***Presidents' Day***.

Thank you to all of our parents who were able to donate to your child's Day of Kindness classroom celebrations. We appreciate all that you do to support our students.

I wish to use this forum to remind parents and families about the importance of working together since we are role models for your child(ren), our student(s). Most educators choose the calling to become a teacher or educator because we feel that it is one of the most rewarding professions. We strive to help to inspire children to grow academically, emotionally, and socially. We teach students to become a better individual and to grow into well-rounded citizens of our country. Teachers, aides, secretaries, bus drivers, cafeteria staff, custodians, and administrators wish to work with you to ensure that your child is learning, that your child feels safe, and that they make the right choices so others can learn and feel safe, too. It is everyone's best interest to work together as a team - your child is watching how you behave, how we behave, and how we interact together. They are always watching, listening, and waiting to see how they too should react. We teach children how to think, how to feel, how to behave, and how to act which helps them to develop their own personality - their CHARACTER.

We want all children to develop a good character - to have traits of honesty, integrity, courage, loyalty, and other important virtues. When I speak to students regarding a behavioral incident, I always make sure they understand that the behavior can be changed, that they are good students, but if they are displaying bad choices, then we need to work on turning that behavior into a positive.

One character flaw that we do not want to see in any student, your child, is to be labeled a "bully."

[StopBullying.gov](https://www.stopbullying.gov) defines bullying,

"Bullying is unwanted, aggressive behavior among school aged children that involves a real or perceived power imbalance. The behavior is repeated, or has the potential to be repeated, over time. Both kids who are bullied and who bully others may have [serious, lasting problems](#)."

In the upcoming weeks, I will be working closely with our Guidance Counselor, Mrs. Christopher, and our Restorative Coach, Mrs. Charlet, along with our teachers to specifically reach and teach our fifth grade students how to prevent bullying from happening. If you want to learn more and join us on supporting the prevention of bullying, please access this website for more information:

<https://www.stopbullying.gov/bullying/what-is-bullying#:~:text=Bullying%20is%20unwanted%2C%20aggressive%20behavior,may%20have%20serious%2C%20lasting%20problems.>

As always, please contact the school regarding any questions you may have.

***Best,
Dr. Lennon***

PLEASE REMEMBER:

- School doors open for students at 9:15 AM. Your child is considered **tardy after 9:30 AM** - *Dr. Lennon is closely monitoring student attendance.*
 - School instructional times are 9:15 am - 3:45 pm.
 - **Main Office Hours:** The main office hours are 8:30 am - 4:30 pm. Staff hours are 8:45-4:15 pm.
 - **Early Dismissal:** A note/email should be sent in the morning to CNAttendance@casdschools.org. The note for early dismissals should contain: Student Name/Teacher/Date and Time of Dismissal/Reason/Name of Adult picking up and relationship/Parent Signature and parent daytime phone#. **It is very important to get these notes into your child's teacher or to the main office prior to 2:00 pm.**
All early dismissals should be completed at the main office by 3:15. Students must be signed out. Dismissals after 3:15 will be in the parent pick-up line.
The adult picking up must bring a government issued Photo ID (preferably a driver's license).
 - **Parent-Pick-Up Line Reminder:** If you are picking up your child from school, please do your best to keep your vehicle to the far right when pulling out of our parking lot so that traffic does not block or slow down the emergency vehicles at the neighboring firehouse.
 - **Positive Behavior Interventions & Supports (PBIS):** We practice 3 important expectations at Caln: **RESPECT, RESPONSIBILITY & SAFETY.** I ask that all adults be role models for our children/our students. This is a team effort.
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Empowering Parent Articles

What Can Parents Do About Bullying?

https://greatergood.berkeley.edu/article/item/what_can_parents_do_about_bullying



Cyberbullying

<https://kidshealth.org/en/parents/cyberbullying.html#:~:text=Kids%20who%20are%20cyberbullied%20can,attempted%20or%20died%20from%20suicide.>

CALN OWL PBIS AWARDEES



Cafeteria

Sydney F
Evelyn S
Winter S
Kloe B
Michael D



Related Arts

Ivy M
Darrellyn H
Rilynne L
Leonardo A G
Noelle B



Bus

Jack C
Trace N
Frankie M
Emily H
Bella D



Upcoming Events



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AUGUST 2023 WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL 18 (F) Kindergarten Orientation 10:00 - 11:00 AM 21 (M) - Th (24) Teacher In-service Week 24 (Th) Back-to-School Night 6:00 - 8:00 PM 28 (M) All Students Attend School (School hours: 9:15 AM - 3:45 PM) SEPTEMBER 2023 National Hispanic Her...

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Spring Picture Day Form

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CALN PTA NEWS

Join us at the next PTA meeting on Tuesday, February 20 at 6:30pm in the Caln cafeteria and on Zoom. View all meeting minutes and agendas [here](#).

Giorgio's Pizza Kits - Thank you for the overwhelming support! We hope everyone enjoyed their pizza and had some fun!

Upload photos from school events, clubs, etc. for the Caln Elementary Yearbook [here](#). Please request access before uploading. Look for more information for ordering a yearbook coming soon.

Helpers needed for upcoming events - Sign up to help and submit clearances to gallisd@casdschools.org. Additional info on clearances [here](#).

Events coming up:

School Store: [23-24 Price List](#)

- Mondays - 4th & 5th grade (Ms. Amber Shaver, parent volunteer)
- Tuesdays - 2nd & 3rd grade (Ms. Nicole Montoro/Ms. Nichole Pacana, parent volunteers)
- Fridays - Kindergarten & 1st grade (Ms. Keisha Smith, parent volunteer & organizer)

Family Bingo Night: March 7, 6:30-8pm - Seats are limited! Reserve your seats [here](#). signup [here](#) to volunteer

Spring Event: April 19 at Caln Elementary - [Save the date!](#) More information to come.

Follow the PTA on Facebook at "[Friends of Caln Elementary](#)" for announcements. Email us at calnschoolpta@gmail.com.

Event Information

PTA Meeting

Dr. Jeanette R. Lennon is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Caln PTA Meeting

Time: 06:30 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Every month on the Third Tue, 9 occurrence(s)

Feb 20, 2024 06:30 PM

Mar 19, 2024 06:30 PM

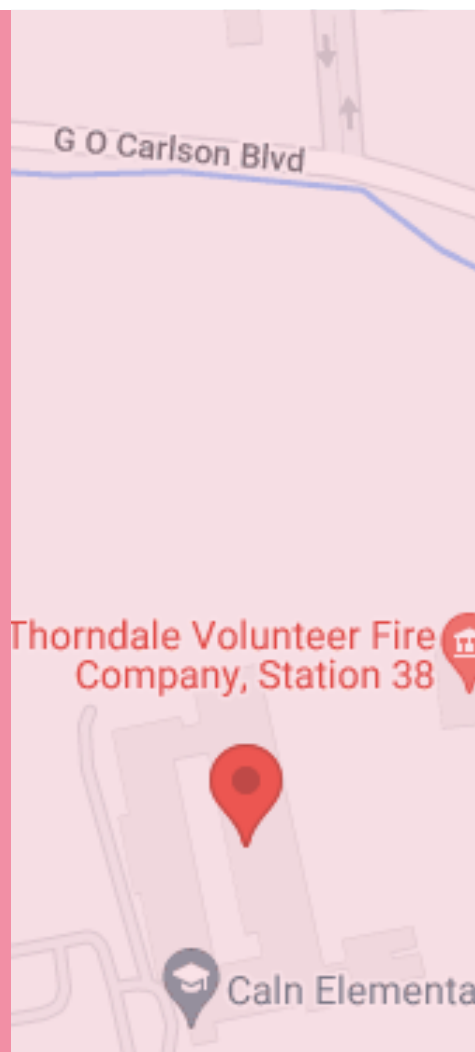
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May 21, 2024 06:30 PM

Please download and import the following iCalendar (.ics) files to your calendar system.

Monthly:

https://casdschools-org.zoom.us/meeting/tJ0vfuCsqToqGtTxcLfUt7GTmg!p00SgPYmF/ics?icsToken=98tyKuChrDljHtOUsbmHRox5Alr4Xejwtn5fjbdphBzJBRVHNSTCO-V0luJQ!9_g



Join Zoom Meeting

[https://casdschools-org.zoom.us/j/99299471000?
pwd=bFBWZDhtOTY1eTE5cTFEUkFzZy8zdz09](https://casdschools-org.zoom.us/j/99299471000?pwd=bFBWZDhtOTY1eTE5cTFEUkFzZy8zdz09)

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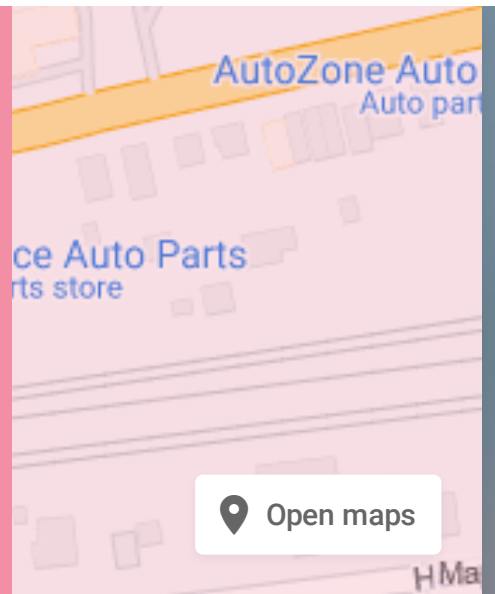
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When?

Tuesday, Feb 20, 2024, 06:30 PM

Where?

**Caln Elementary School, E Lincoln Hwy, Thorndale, PA,
USA**



DISTRICT NEWS & INFORMATION

Black History Month Flyer

2024 Black history month v.pdf

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Troop 611 Flyer



TROOP 611
COATESVILLE

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LEADERSHIP

READY FOR A NEW ADVENTURE?
GIRLS AGE 11-17 ARE INVITED TO JOIN US
FOR FUN, FRIENDSHIP & LIFETIME MEMORIES!

BOWLING 2/25 **CLIMBING 3/23** **STARGAZING 4/29**

CANOEING 5/20 **SKATING 6/15** **GEOCACHING 7/15**

NO COMMITMENT TO JOIN!
JUST COME FOR ONE OF THESE FUN ACTIVITIES & SEE WHAT YOU THINK!

REGISTER FOR FREE: WWW.SCOUTS611.COM
FOR MORE INFO CONTACT: HIBERNIATROOP611@GMAIL.COM



Kindergarten Carnival Flyers - WELCOMING NEW KINDERGARTENERS FOR SY 2025!

Kindergarten Carnival Flyer Feb 2024 updated.pdf

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KinderCarnivalFlyerSpanish.pdf

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Summer Flyer

Lincoln_Summer Flyer_En.pdf

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NURSE'S CORNER

Nurses Notes from Mrs. Diamond

Dear Parents and Guardians,

I am working on vision, hearing, height and weight screenings. If you get a referral in the mail, your child may need to see the doctor if they did not pass a hearing or vision screening.

We have seen a lot of different ailments. If your child is having itching, redness, drainage or crusty eyes upon awakening in the morning, please keep them home and take them to the doctor. We have seen Pink Eye at school. If they have Pink Eye, they need to be on eye drops (ordered by your doctor or health care provider) for 24 hours before returning to school. Please keep your child home if they are constantly coughing, have been vomiting, or have a fever. They need to be 24 hours fever free, and vomit free before returning to school.

We are again in need of children's size 6 and 8 pants for the nurse's office. If you have those sizes and want to donate, please drop them off at Caln. They are much appreciated. Any questions please call or email me.

Sincerely,

Caren Diamond RN, BSN, CSN

School Nurse

610 383 3760 ext. 4

diamondc@casdschools.org

CALN STAFF

Staffing Updates

Congratulations to Mrs. Chubb - she welcomed a baby girl this past weekend! Ms. Quinn Hurley will serve as a LTS while Mrs. Chubb is out for the duration.

Mr. Long will be out for an extended period of time, and Mrs. Hart will serve as the LTS for STEM while he is out for the duration.



Dr. Jeanette R. Lennon, Caln Principal

Jeanette is using Smore to create beautiful newsletters