

## LES Board Report

### February 2018

- Our fifth grade students enjoyed for their annual overnight trip to Camp Joy on Feb. 21<sup>st</sup> through Feb. 23<sup>rd</sup>. They raised the needed \$12,000 for the trip through fundraisers, business donations, staff donations, etc. During the three-day trip, the students participated in cultural history activities, adventure activities (ie. high ropes courses), and a living history reenactment (The Underground Railroad). We are grateful for the hard work of staff members for making this trip possible for our students.
- Lincoln will hold our annual *Family Literacy Night* in conjunction with our 2<sup>nd</sup> Family Series Night on Thursday, March 1<sup>st</sup> from 5:30 – 7:00 pm. The name of the event is titled, ***“A Carnival of Literacy: Enhancing Emotional and Academic Literacy”***. Students and their families will visit their classrooms to pick-up their copy of their student Treasure Books that they wrote and illustrated. Families will also be invited to travel around to various carnival stations to learn family coping strategies. Each family attending will receive a free meal and \$75 of learning goodies.
- Our annual World’s Finest Chocolate candy Bar Sale has raised approximately \$3,000 for the student activity fund.
- Our students in all grades continue to have the opportunity to learn in new ways through their experiences at various regional field trip opportunities – Experiences include: Taft Theatre performances, the Newport Aquarium, COSI in Columbus, the Cincinnati Zoo, a trip to Frankfort, bowling, 4-H Outreach Programs, various regional farms, etc.
- Grade level teams (primary) and Content Teams (intermediate) continue ongoing curriculum work - Flashback Analysis, Live Scoring, Curriculum document revision, Analyzing student work, etc. These on-going comprehensive and collaborative conversations and work are leading to our increased knowledge of individual student progress.
- Important Upcoming March Dates at Lincoln Elementary School:
  - “A Carnival of Literacy” – March 1<sup>st</sup> from 5:30 – 7:00 pm
  - Parent/Teacher Conferences – March 15<sup>th</sup> from 3:00 – 7:00 pm
  - Tentative: Kindergarten Registration Night – March 29<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 – 7:00 pm