



# La Cañada Elementary School PTA

## Lion Times

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**The Deadline for the next  
Lion Times is Tuesday,  
9/25/18 at 3:00 pm**

### President's Message

Dear LCE Families,

Our Charleston Wrap fundraiser is winding down, and orders are due this Thursday. Remember to support LCE by returning your order form to the office, or placing an online order.

Remember to register for, or re-register your Ralphs Rewards Cards. As of September 1, prior settings to donate to the LCE PTA are deleted. This is a great and easy way to passive fundraise. More information is below on how to do this. For the period 6-1-2017 through 8-31-2017 we earned a \$1,230.56 donation just from our families buying groceries!

Finally, the LCE Pumpkin Patch is right around the corner. Come to the LCE Science Center on the playground on October 12, between 2:00 and 5:00 pm, to purchase beautiful pumpkins and gourds from Underwood Farms. There will be fall crafts, silent auction treat bags, a treat booth sponsored by the fifth grade, spray tattoos, and photos. You won't want to miss out on the fall fun!

Best wishes for a good week ahead!

Karyn Perez  
LCE PTA President

### Pumpkin Patch

## Pumpkin Patch

**Friday, October 12 (2-5pm)**

**It's almost October - time to start your autumn decorating!**

The LCE Pumpkin Patch is in three weeks!

Pumpkin Patch is a great way to socialize with other LCE families. **This year features professional fall photographs, two spray tattoo artists, and a face painter.**

Pick out your high-quality pumpkins and gourds from Underwood Farms. Enjoy sweets from the 5th grade treat booth while your kids create arts and crafts and play games. Have pictures taken by fashion photographer Eliza Logan.



Big Max pumpkins weighing 40-80 lbs have sold out every year! [Click here](#) to **pre-order an orange Big Max (\$60) or white Big Max (\$70) by October 5, 2018.** Prices go up and supplies are limited when you purchase a Big Max at the Pumpkin Patch.

Have any unused gift cards to Starbucks or a local restaurant? Put them to use fundraising for our school. We will use them as Mystery Bag prizes! We can pick them up or you can drop them off. To



donate, email [pumpkinpatch@lcepta.org](mailto:pumpkinpatch@lcepta.org).

A big thank you to this year's sponsor, Jacki Tenerelli Asplund!

## Charleston Wrap Fundraiser

### Charleston Wrap Fundraiser Now through September 27th



We're delighted to announce our Fall Fundraiser with Charleston Wrap. This year's fundraiser offers a large variety of gift wrap and gift wrap accessory items. Approximately 40% of all sales dollars are returned to the school and proceeds will be used to help fund school projects, programs and activities!

Catalogs were distributed in the 9/13 Thursday Folders. Additional copies of our catalogs are available in the school office. *Order forms are due Thursday, September 27th. Completed forms and a check made payable to LCE PTA should be placed in the collection box marked "Gift Wrap" in the LCE office, not returned to classrooms.* Products will be distributed on November 14th and November 15th.

If you have any questions, please email Jenny Lee and Julie Bae at [Fallfundraising@lcepta.org](mailto:Fallfundraising@lcepta.org). Thank you for your support!!

## Help the Halloween Haunt



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There are many ways to donate for the Halloween Haunt on Saturday, October 27, 2018. Before the date, consider donating to the Silent Auction and/or becoming a Sponsor. Of course, on the day of, you can bid on the silent auction items and buy many more game and food tickets.

### Donate to Silent Auction

- **Tickets to a cool and memorable event**
  - Sports: Lakers, Dodgers, Clippers, Sparks, Galaxy, Kings, Chargers, college games (USC, UCLA)
  - Amusement Parks: Disneyland, Knott's, Legoland, Universal Studios
  - Concerts: LA Phil Tickets, Pasadena POPS, Ballet, Playhouse Tickets
- **A tour at your workplace**
  - Behind the Scenes: Are you a fireman, scientist at JPL or CalTech? Give a tour
  - T.V. & FILM - Are you in the media business? Donate a behind the scenes movie studio or set, movie PREMIERE tickets, walk on T.V. roles
- **Coordinate a lunch with a CELEBRITY!**
- **Pass on priceless memorabilia** - Anything related to music, entertainment, history.
- **Teach the love of music** - Are you a musician? Consider donating some lessons.
- **Gourmet food**
  - Are you a baker? Donate a dessert of the month.
  - Are you a chef? Donate a dinner you make for 8.
- **Wine Connoisseur** - Pull some bottles of good wine from your cellar.
- **Love to host parties** for adults or better yet, make your child giddy with joy by hosting a class party. Suggested themes:
  - For adults: progressive dinner, wine tasting, poker night, cooking?
  - For kids: tea party, pool party, video game truck, sports?
- **Vacation Homes** - Donate a weekend away in your vacation home

To donate to silent auction or if you have a question, please email Jennifer Miller at [HauntAuction@lcepta.org](mailto:HauntAuction@lcepta.org).

## **Be a Sponsor of the Haunt**

Want to be a Platinum (\$1000), Gold (\$500), Silver (\$350), Bronze (\$250) or Copper (\$100) sponsor for the Haunt? It's easy and the minimum contribution to be a sponsor is \$100 and you get \$10 worth of tickets + your child's name displayed on the booth.

To sponsor and view details, go to [www.lcepta.org](http://www.lcepta.org), click on Halloween Haunt and then click on Sponsorship. For questions, contact Nellie Yacoubian ([sponsorship@lcepta.org](mailto:sponsorship@lcepta.org)). Deadline is **Monday, October 15, 2018**.

**WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY.**

### **Walk, Bike or Roll to School**

A graphic with a dark blue background. The text "WALK, BIKE OR ROLL" is written in large, bold, sans-serif letters. "WALK" is light blue, "BIKE" is green, "OR" is white, and "ROLL" is orange. Below this, the words "TO SCHOOL" are written in a smaller, bold, yellow font.

Leave your car at home and join the LCE community on **Wednesday, October 10th** as we Walk, Bike or Roll to School. Make a plan to commute as a family or with neighbors, practice road safety and reduce traffic! Bike and scooter storage available. Free LCF Shuttle schedule [here](#). ZBar for all participants.

Winning grade gets the coveted GOLDEN SNEAKER AWARD!

### **Lions Really Care Club**

#### **Lions Really Care Club**

This group is dedicated to finding ways to support our surrounding communities in meaningful ways in an effort to make the world a better place. Consider joining with other members from our LCE family to engage in small and large projects. **We will meet in the Library from 3:00-4:00.**

**All students, parents, and staff are encouraged to come!** Students

should be accompanied by an adult to the meetings. Past projects include raising funds for the American Red Cross to support victims of hurricanes, sending candy donations to Operation Gratitude for our troops, making lunches for the homeless shelter, sending Valentines and candy grams to local nursing homes, and helping to beautify our own LCE campus. We look forward to serving our communities again during the 2018-19 school year. Feel free to drop by any of the meetings listed below.

## Leave your mark!



**Lions Really Care Club**  
La Canada Elementary

### **2018-19 Meeting Dates:**

Thursday, September 27th  
Thursday, October 11th  
Thursday, October 25th  
Thursday, November 8th  
Monday, December 3rd  
Thursday, January 10th  
Monday, January 28th  
Thursday, February 21st  
Monday, March 4th  
Thursday, March 21st  
Monday, April 22nd  
Thursday, May 9th

### **Carline Safety**



**LCE Carline- Please take note of these important rules!**

- Please be knowledgeable about the approved drop off routes which are posted on the [LCE PTA website](#).
- Please have your child ready before you pull up, with backpacks ready to go.
- Pull forward as far as possible in the pick-up/drop-off areas AND keep pulling forward in order, to fill in the gaps.
- Please do not cut into the line at any time, even if there is a large space.
- There are no drop off allowed in the crosswalks or the staff parking lot
- Never leave your car in the loading zone during any of the drop-off/pick-up times (8:10, 9:10, 11:50, 1:50, 2:50 and 4:00)
- Consider putting your car in park while your child is exiting the car.
- Look in front of you before exiting the line.
- Do not place items in the trunk for your children to remove.
- Drivers should not exit their car at any time.
- If your children require extra assistance, you should wait and pull to the very front of the carline, or park and walk them into school.
- Students should enter and exit on the passenger side of the vehicle only.
- Do not park across the street and motion to your child to cross or send them across the street to school.
- No U turns.
- Please put away your cell phones during carline.
- Please consider parking and walking to pick up or drop off your kids. This can actually be much faster for pick up.

**Please remember "Safety Above Convenience!"**

The carline volunteers are fellow caring parents who want to help. For more information or to volunteer to help us out please contact [carline@lcepta.org](mailto:carline@lcepta.org).





## 4th Grade Boys: New Cub Scout Den Forming!

**Attention 4th grade boys:** There is a new Den of Junior Webelos forming. Junior Webelos do all kinds of adventures including: camping, science, community service, Pinewood Derby and Raingutter Regatta races. In 5th grade, Junior Webelos become Senior Webelos and bridge to Boy Scout Troops in January.

4th Grade is a great time to get started in Scouts! If you are interested in joining or just want to learn more about Cub Scouts, please contact Shannon Karlich at [slkarlich@mac.com](mailto:slkarlich@mac.com).

## Tinkering School



tinkering school  
los angeles

**Think. Make. Tinker.**

**8 week Tinkering Workshop at LCE Sept. 21 - Nov. 2018**



Come make awesome stuff with us! Students will gain the skills they need to work confidently to design and build creations as wild as their imaginations. reDiscover Center facilitators (using the approach honed at Tinkering School LA camps) teach a mix of design, art, engineering, and woodworking activities. Classes include skills building and safe tool use in a hands-on workshop setting that is fun and creative!

reDiscover Center provides creativity education using real tools and sustainable materials to over 10,000 children per year.

**La Canada Elementary School Outdoor Science Center**

## Fridays 9/21-11/9

**3:00-4:00PM** on 9/21, 10/5, 10/12, 10/19, 11/2, 11/9

**11:45 AM-12:45PM** on 9/28 and 10/26

\$160 for grades 2-5.

Register at [www.rediscovercenter.org/LCE](http://www.rediscovercenter.org/LCE)



### Lion Times Policy and Deadline

The Lion Times is sent Sunday evenings. The deadline for submissions is 3pm on the Tuesday prior to the publication date. Email items to [liontimes@lcepta.org](mailto:liontimes@lcepta.org) as an **MS Word Document attachment**. If you wish to include graphics, do **NOT** put them in the document. Instead, send them as a graphic file attachment, or they will not be used. Please do not include minors' last names, and only use last initials. We are unable to publish minors' surnames for legal reasons. Items may be shortened and edited for space limitations and content clarity. The mention of any business or service in this publication does not imply endorsement by the LCE PTA.

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