

Announcements Week of January 27, 2020

First Semester Awards- will start 1/28 through Friday 1/31.

Laing Chess Team Chick-fil-a Spirit Night- Come out and support our Laing Chess Club on 1/28 at the Mt. Pleasant Chick-fil-a North from 5 pm - 8 pm.

Laing Tennis Tryouts- will be at 4:30 pm at Mt. Pleasant Rec. Courts on Whipple Road on Friday, February 7th. You do not need to sign up ahead of time. Just show up dressed and ready to play.

Kona Ice and Pelican's Snoballs will be here Friday, Jan. 31 during lunch and recess. Students can bring \$3 to \$5 to enjoy and support our Laing PTO fundraiser.

Yearbook Deadline- If you have not already purchased your yearbook deadline is Feb. 2. Also if you would like to purchase a 8th grade recognition ad deadline is Feb. 2. All purchases for yearbooks are made online and as well as ad submissions at jostens.com. If you are unsure if you have purchased a yearbook please email me to verify for you.

On Thursday February 6th, the **National Junior Honor Society** will be hosting a Blood Drive in our cafeteria from **3:30 P.M. until 8 P.M.** with the help of the American Red Cross. Our students will be working diligently to publicize this event as all blood types are needed from healthy donors during this cold and flu season!

PLEASE consider signing up to donate blood! Not only are you supporting our National Junior Honor Society students who will have worked hard to set-up and publicize this event, but you are also helping those in need of blood every single minute!

1. Go to <http://www.redcrossblood.org/give/drive/driveSearch.jsp>
2. Type in Laing
3. Sign up! It's that easy!

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