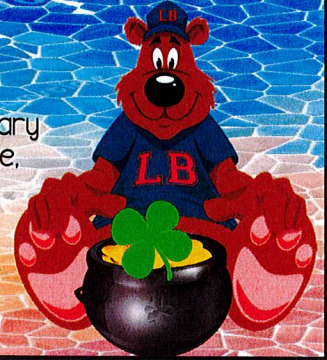


# Lettie Brown News

MARCH  
2023

lettie brown elementary  
2550 n. morton ave,  
morton, illinois  
309-266-5309

24 hr. absence line  
309-284-1000



## MARCH 2023

- 1- Early dismissal 11:45 am, Wed. 3rd-6th Art Club 11:50-1:00
- 2 - Volleyball Club , STEM Club, Student Council, MEC
- 3 - Popcorn Friday
- 6 - Sports Club, MEC
- 7 - Spring Picture Day, Challenge, Sports Club, Art Club
- 8 - Taekwondo, 3rd-6th Art Club
- 9 - MEC, Volleyball Club, LB Open House 6-7:30
- 10 - In-Service Early Dismissal 11:45, 3rd quarter ends
- 13 - Sports Club, MEC
- 14 - Challenge, Sports Club, 3rd-6th Art Club, 5th Grade Musical @ Bertha Frank 6:30pm
- 15 - Taekwondo, 3rd-6th Art Club
- 16 - Aide Appreciation Day, Volleyball Club, STEM Club, MEC
- 17 - Report cards go home
- 20 - 4th-6th Art Club, MEC
- 21 - Challenge, Sports Club, 3rd-6th Art Club
- 22 - Taekwondo, 3rd-6th Art Club
- 23 - Volleyball Club, STEM Club, MEC
- 24 - LB Carnival 5:00-8:00pm
- 27 - Sports Club, MEC, PTO 7pm
- 28 - Challenge, Sports Club, 3rd-6th Art Club
- 29 - Taekwondo, 3rd-6th Art Club
- 30 - STEM Club, MEC

## APRIL 2023

- 3-10 - Spring Break
- 11 - Challenge
- 12 - Early dismissal 11:45 am
- 13 - STEM Club, Student Council, MEC
- 17 - MEC
- 18 - Challenge
- 19 - Taekwondo
- 20 - STEM Club
- 21 - 1st grade Grahams w/ Grandparents 9am
- 24 - MEC
- 26 - Taekwondo
- 27 - STEM Club, MEC
- 28 - Science Day



Parents... please remind your children to always use sidewalks & crosswalks when coming to & going from school.

School Doors Open at 7:45am  
Thank you!



## GAMEBALL RUN



THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS DONATIONS TO GAMEBALL RUN AND THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL OF ILLINOIS!

**Lettie Brown raised \$16,425.76 & Morton CUSD (AS A WHOLE) raised \$181,861.30**

THANK YOU TO ALL OUR FAMILIES AND STAFF WHO PROMOTED THE COIN WAR, PARTICIPATED IN THE RUN, OR MADE OTHER DONATIONS.

COIN WARS WINNER: 6TH GINZEL 2ND PLACE WINNER: 5TH FINCK



## SKATING IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION



Students will be skating from March 8th to March 31st  
K-2nd will be roller-skating, and 3rd-6th will be roller-blading or roller-skating. Skatetime supplies the skates for our students.

**\*Please make sure your child wears long socks or brings them to school to wear with the skates/blades to avoid blisters on their feet and ankles.**

### Popcorn Friday

Bring a quarter, get a bag of popcorn!



Friday,  
March 3

25¢

Yearbook Orders Due  
Friday, March 3rd

[book.hrimaging.com](http://book.hrimaging.com)

\$15


Spring Picture Day  
Tuesday, March 7th





# PAW PRIDE AWARDS – given out FEBRUARY 2023

**Respect - Responsibility - Safe - Engaged**

<u>KBu</u> Preston T. Jamison G. Finley W. Chloe I.	Sadie Z. (2) Jens B. (3) Lily P. (2) Alistair G. Abel P. Palmer P. Micah K. Mary M. David W. Lilianna H. Aiden W. Eli N.	Will W. (2) Merritt P. Liam M. (2) Vaughn S. Elyse G.	Lennon O. (2) Ramsey M. Kingston G. Bradley M.	Jackson B. Anna P. Zidane G. Hobson F.	Evangelina E. Cole R. Suvi P. Brianna L. Adam L. (2)
<u>KBr</u> Army S. (2) Anna F. Vivian H. Sawyer L. Noah S. Corbin J. (2) Lofton S. (2) Camden A. Max B. Connor C. Ember C.	<u>IW</u> Gloria H. Nora M. ELLA M. Finley D. Bradley A. Luca E. Charlotte S.	<u>2B</u> Logan S. Shiloh D. (2) Aleah H. Parker S. Clarke G. (2) OLLIE H. Nico B. Cambria S. Sophia M.	<u>3Ki</u> Colton F. Trey W. Isaac R. Sam G. Olyvia G.	<u>4G</u> Adelyn Z. (2) Quan D. Maya S. Natasha R. Sugey G. (2)	<u>6W</u> Ava D. Xzavier P. Nicholas R. (2) Schroeder G. Jack B. Amelia D. Brody M. Thatcher H
<u>IS</u> Letty M. (4) Isaiah U. (2)		<u>2T</u> Kinley M. (2) Jack S. (2) Rohman T. Yash P. (2)	<u>3Kn</u> Asher M. Jackson Z. Bennett L.	<u>5G</u> Lili G. Ayla A. (2) Danny F. Camden O	
			<u>4B</u> Katie B. Lucy M. Hudson H. Pranshu P.	<u>6G</u> Blake B. Ellie R. Josiah S. (3)	

## Lettie Brown Open House

**Thursday, March 9th**

**6:00pm—7:30pm**

**Visit your child's classroom and Book Fair!**

**You are welcome to come and go as you please.**

## Library News -

Just a reminder that the deadline to turn in reading logs for a Monical's coupon is Wednesday, March 29. If anyone needs a reading log form, they are available in the library.

Mrs. Zehr-Librarian



Lettie Brown Chess Club recently participated in the regional tournament!

Grade 3 & 4 - Colton S.—1st place, Collin G.—10th place, Charlie G.—12th place

Grade 5 - Drew. K.—5th place, Rylan S.—6th place

Grade 6 - Nicholas R.—4th place



**CHESS CLUB**

**Great Job Lettie  
Brown Bears!!**

## Book Fair & Lunch with a Loved One

\*Student's may purchase books Monday, March 6th -Thursday, March 9th 8:30-2:30 or at the Lettie Brown Open House.

\*Student's are invited to have "Lunch with a Loved One" on Tuesday, March 7th or Wednesday, March 8th. They will be able to shop the book fair during this time.





# LETTIE BROWN SCHOOL CARNIVAL

## FRIDAY, MARCH 24

### 5:00PM-8:00PM



\*Raffle Baskets

\*Games

\*Popcorn

\*Pizza

\*Balloon Animals

\*Face Painting

More information  
and volunteer  
sign-ups coming  
soon



### A note from our Social Worker - *Laura Steiner*

As daylight savings time approaches, it is important to ensure your child is getting enough rest. Here are some tips to help with sleep schedules this spring.

- \*Focus on going to sleep rather than waking up.
- \*If possible, put kids to bed slightly earlier the week prior to daylight savings time.
- \*Shut off screens and devices 1-2 hours before bedtime.
- \*Keep a consistent bedtime routine
- \*Open curtains or blinds to expose children to sunlight when it is time to wake-up.



Find and count the shamrocks in the newsletter. The first 20 students to report the correct number with a parent signature to Mrs. Carpenter get a prize!



Remind your student to  
check the Lost n'  
found!



Please follow our [Lettie Brown Elementary School](#) Facebook page!

We share updated school & district information, lots of classroom activities, and other fun things!

So, please search [Lettie Brown Elementary School](#)  
on Facebook, and "like" our page





# Lettie Brown PTO News



\*We appreciate all of our volunteers! We are looking to fill the positions of After School Club Coordinator now and PTO President in April. If you are interested in either of these positions, please let us know and we will get you more information.

\* The Scholastic Book Fair is March 6-10 th . Parent volunteers are still needed. To sign up, please use the sign up link on the PTO Facebook page. Lunch with a loved one will be on March 7th and 8 th . Parents or guests may join their child during his or her lunch period and shop for books.

\* Save the date for the school Carnival on March 24 th ! Many volunteers will be needed! More information will be coming soon.

\* Attend a meeting and your child(ren) will be entered to win a gift card for their class! Meetings are held the last Monday of each month at 7pm. Our next meeting is March 27 th .

\*Follow us on Facebook and email us your questions or comments at [lettiebrown-pto@gmail.com](mailto:lettiebrown-pto@gmail.com).



## You can help Lettie Brown School by participating in the KROGER Community Rewards Program

- Register online at <https://www.kroger.com/i/community/community-rewards>
- Click on Create Account or Register (you will need your Kroger card number) & create a profile
- Select your Community Rewards to go to Lettie Brown PTO (organization #70347)

Kroger sends us a check (up to 5% of our purchases) quarterly for every time you use your card at the Morton Kroger!

\*Please note - your enrollment in Community Rewards needs to be renewed each year. If you have not done so recently, go to the link above & click on [Re-enroll Now](#).

## ANOTHER WAY YOU CAN HELP LETTIE BROWN SCHOOL IS BY ORDERING FROM **amazonSmile**

- Register at [smile.amazon.com/ch/37-1270878](https://smile.amazon.com/ch/37-1270878)
- Check your profile to make sure Lettie Brown School PTO is your charitable organization
- Shop at [smile.amazon.com](https://smile.amazon.com) instead of [amazon.com](https://amazon.com)



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