

# Little Miami E-News

August 6, 2021

2021-2022 Back to School Information Hub

## Summer Meal Pack Pick Up Continues Through Aug. 25

Summer Meal Pack Program is still going on **through August 25th!** If your family is interested in picking up meals for children 0-18, come on out to **Little Miami Primary** (7427 Zoar Road; Maineville, OH 45039) **on Wednesdays from 10 AM-6 PM**. No sign up is necessary & children **DO NOT** need to be Little Miami students to receive meal packs. We hope to see you there!

[Get more information.](#)

2021-2022 Reopening Plan

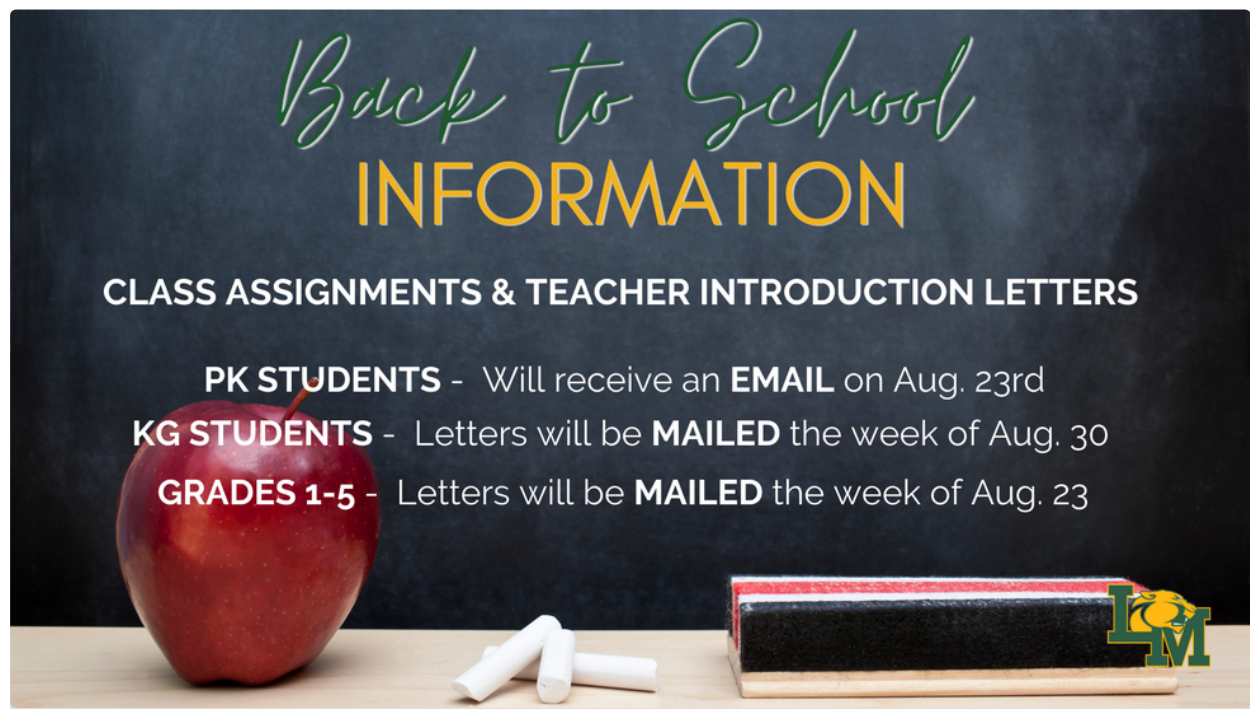
## Join Us For a New Family Welcome on August 19!

New to Little Miami? Join us at Little Miami High School (3001 E US 22&3) on Thursday, August 19th for a New Family Welcome event where you will have the opportunity to hear from & meet Little Miami administrators, get district information, and even have the chance to tour your student's building! Doors will open at 5 PM, with a brief program led by Superintendent Greg Power to begin at 5:45 PM.



Information tables regarding transportation, food services, and your student's building will be set up in the LMHS cafeteria prior to the program. At the conclusion of the program, families will be dismissed to visit their student's building, in order to familiarize themselves with the layout prior to the First Day. While teachers will not be in the classrooms to meet students prior to Open House, this event is a great opportunity for students to get acquainted with their new buildings.

The New Family Welcome is a Panther family-favorite event and we are delighted to bring it back to the district this year! No registration necessary in order to attend. We can't wait to see you there!

A graphic with a black chalkboard background. At the top, 'Back to School' is written in green cursive, and 'INFORMATION' is in bold yellow block letters. Below that, 'CLASS ASSIGNMENTS & TEACHER INTRODUCTION LETTERS' is written in white. Three lines of text follow: 'PK STUDENTS - Will receive an EMAIL on Aug. 23rd', 'KG STUDENTS - Letters will be MAILED the week of Aug. 30', and 'GRADES 1-5 - Letters will be MAILED the week of Aug. 23'. At the bottom, there is a red apple, two white chalk sticks, and a black eraser with a yellow and green 'LM' logo on a wooden surface.

*Back to School*  
**INFORMATION**

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## Little Miami/Mercy Health Clinic is Ready to Serve You!

Are you or your child are in need of medical care, a vaccination, or just an annual wellness check? Nurse Practitioner Mary Compton is ready to help! Conveniently located at Little Miami Primary (7247 Zoar Rd.), the staff at the Mercy Clinic are available 7:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. weekdays to serve residents of all ages. Same-day appointments are AVAILABLE, so please call if you have questions or need medical care. Schedule an appointment by calling (513) 215-9277.

[Click for more info.](#)

Your Local Health Clinic is Here to Help!



2021-2022 Building Hours

**YOU'RE INVITED!**  
COMMUNITY BUILDING PREVIEWS  
AND EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER DEDICATION

**AUGUST**

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**08.29.2021**  
1:30 PM  
EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

## New Fee Payment Platform for '21-'22 School Year

As we gear up for the start of a new school year, changes & improvements are being made for your family's convenience. This year, Little Miami Schools will be migrating from the EZPay payment processing system to **PaySchools Central** as the method to load school lunch accounts and pay fees.

Little Miami will move to the PaySchools Central system on August 2nd, turning off access to EZPay on August 1st. No action needs to be taken in order to shut down your family's EZPay account or to transfer remaining funds from EZPay to PaySchools. To create a PaySchools Central account, visit: [www.payschoolscentral.com](http://www.payschoolscentral.com).



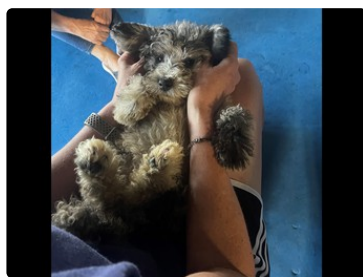
With PaySchools, you are able to manage your student's accounts & fees in one platform, even allowing you to set up an auto-replenish option to automatically refill lunch accounts when they are running low.

[Click here for a step-by-step Setup Guide & additional information.](#)

## Welcome Winston! LMES Gets Therapy Dog

The staff at Little Miami Elementary School is getting a little cuddler this year! LMES Counselor Dawn Gasper will be teaming up with her furry new colleague, Winston, to support the emotional well-being of Little Miami students in a unique way. Winston, a six-month old Aussie Doodle, has been given the important job of helping to deescalate students' emotions if they become upset, anxious, or scared during the school day.

[Click to learn more about Winston & Mrs. Gasper.](#)



**Ron McWhorter**  
Food Services Director

**Welcome to Panther Nation!**

A large graphic with a green background and a white, torn-paper-like border. On the left, there is a large, stylized yellow and green logo of a tiger's head. On the right, there is a portrait of a man with a balding head and a friendly expression. Below the portrait, his name and title are written in white text. At the bottom, the text "Welcome to Panther Nation!" is written in a large, white, serif font.

# Warren County to Host Immunization Clinic

Now is the time to schedule annual wellness visits, sports physicals & to ensure your student's health records are up to date! For your family's convenience, the Little Miami Health Center is OPEN Monday-Friday 7:30 AM to 4:30 PM. Schedule an appointment by calling (513) 215-9277.

In need of a required vaccination? The Warren County Health District is hosting an Immunization Clinic on Saturday, August 21 at their office (416 S. East St. Lebanon). If you are interested in making an appointment, contact the Warren County Health District at one of the following numbers (513-695-1468, 513-695-1229, 513-695-1262).



[View the list of required vaccinations for Ohio school attendance.](#)

## Community Events, Links & Flyers

### Important Dates

Aug. 19: New Family Welcome, 5 p.m., LMHS

Aug. 26, 27: Kindergarten Screenings (by appointment)

Aug. 29: Community Building Previews, 1:30 - 4 p.m. @ LMEC

Sept. 1: LMHS Open House 5-7 p.m.

Sept. 2: LMMS Open House

- 3:30 PM - Last Names A-I
- 4:45 PM - Last Names J-Q
- 6:00 PM - Last Names R-Z

Sept. 3rd, 7th, 8th: Grades PK-5 Individual Conferences (by appointment)

Sept. 7: First Day of School, Gr. 6-12

Sept. 9: First Day of School, Gr. PreK-5



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