

LONG BEACH LION'S
“ROAR”
SEPTEMBER 25, 2009

ONE OF OUR OWN!

Morgan Ehrhart was recently selected to participate in the National's 2009 Miss Pre-Teen Chicago Pageant. that consisted of 77 girls, ages 10 - 12. The pageant took place this past Saturday, Sept 19th at the Olympic Theater in Cicero. Morgan displayed modeling routines which included casual and formal wear. But most important, she had to display her personality and interviewing skills with this year's Chicago judging panel. All of the Pre-Teen contestants were asked one question on stage in front of an audience of about 700 people. After all the girls were finished, the judges tallied up the scores and the Top Ten were announced. Morgan was chosen to be in the Top Ten. They each had to pick an envelope, each one had a different question in it. After all the 10 girls answered their question the curtains closed. Again the judges tallied, and the curtains opened. The girls all held hands as the MC announced the winners...the 4th runner up...3rd third runner-up... “The SECOND RUNNER-UP, NUMBER 15...MORGAN EHRHART!!! We are very proud of Morgan...she came in 3rd place out of 77 girls!!!

STUDENT SAFETY BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL:

This is a reminder that we encourage our students that walk to and from school to be sure they walk with someone or a group of students. Safety of our kids is our number one priority and we want to be sure they are safe at all times. Please encourage your child to follow these simple steps!

DRILL ARE AMONG US!

Over the next couple of weeks, Long Beach will be practicing a series of fire, tornado, and lockdown drills. The drills are to ensure that our students and staff are safe at all times, and are aware of the steps they need to take to be safe during any of these, if they were to be real events.

STUDENT DROP OFF/PICK UP:

Mr. Lipke wants to thank all those that have followed the proper procedures that have been in place for student drop off and pick up. We have some challenges that we are continuing to work out. Please keep in mind the following tips:

- If you are dropping your child off or picking them up, please stay in the line. You can only move ahead of other cars when you pass the crosswalk by door #2.
- Please DO NOT make U-turns in front of the school. It takes only seconds to drive around to make the right turn into and out of our school parking lot. The Kendall County Police will be on patrol to be sure cars are not making U-turns to save time. Our children's safety is number one!
- If you choose to park and drop off or pick up your child, please use the crosswalk. We have staff at the crosswalk posted to be sure everyone walks safely across.

GYM NIGHT IS BACK:

Our Home and School Father's Forum is hosting the first Gym Night with Dad Saturday, October 3, from 6:00-7:30 p.m. This event is for Kindergarten through Third Grade only. The group will have a gym night each month, look for those dates on our sign or in the Lions' Pride each month.

MUSICAL NOTES:

Honor Choir will meet on Tuesday mornings at 7:45AM and Recorder Club will meet on Thursdays at 7:45 AM.

UPCOMING DATES:

September 28 Board of Education Meeting