



THE LEAFLET

A weekly newsletter for Learning Tree students, families, and supporters



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January 13, 2017

CALENDAR

- January 14
B-ball Coble 7:00 girls & 8:15 boys at LTES
- **January 16 MLK Day—No School**
- January 18
Parent-Teacher Conferences 3-7PM
- January 19
B-ball Avondale 5:00 boys & 6:15 girls
- January 20
Inauguration Day
- January 21
B-ball Standifer Gap 7:00 girls & 8:15 boys
- February 4
Learning Tree choirs singing at Cohutta Adventist church
- February 5
3rd Annual WinterFest & Food Fair 1-4PM

LEAF OF LIFE

“Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. ‘Honor your father and mother,’ which is the first commandment with promise: ‘that it may be well with you and you may live long on the earth.’”

—Ephesians 6:1-3

Announcements

Pre-K-8th Choirs will sing Feb. 4 at the Cohutta Adventist Church. More details Feb. 5-March 3. 50% off application fee, or if \$400 registration is paid during this time coming soon. Thank you for your support of Learning Tree’s fantastic music program. We are so blessed to have Mrs. Knowlton!

Sunday, February 5 is the 3rd Annual WinterFest & International Food Fair from 1-4PM. Please let us know at the school office if you would like to reserve a table representing your country. We already have Sweden serving some delicious delicacies!

Calling all Pre-Kindergarteners We are ready to have more Pre-K students join this precious little class! For strong roots in life, plant the seeds early with quality Christian education. Students must have turned 4 years old by September 1, 2016. Call today, [706-278-2736](tel:706-278-2736). Plan now to attend Pre-k/K Roundup day Friday, **February 10, from 9-11 AM.**

Pre-registration for 2017-2018 kicks off on Super Bowl Sunday, February 5! Early registration incentives run from

Thank you for your prayers for the Reuschling/Davis family. Eva is one of our 8th graders. Their house caught fire over the holidays and was severely damaged. It will take several months to repair it. While they lost many of their material possessions, they all made it out alive, praise the Lord! If you would like to know how you can help, please call Glenda Whisenant at [\(706\) 483-7614](tel:706-483-7614).

Coach Cleghorn is on the road to recovery. Thank you for your continued prayers. While his new sidekick is a colostomy bag, it is helping him heal so he can have surgery in a few months to mend his colon. We love you Coach!

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HOT LUNCH

- Jan 18 — Pizza
- Jan 20 — Haystacks

Learning Tree PREP School by Twila Brown, Principal

Did you realize your students are attending a PREP SCHOOL? We teachers are working with Divine agencies to shape characters into the likeness of Christ. “Those who cooperate with the divine purpose in imparting to the youth a knowledge of God, and molding the character into harmony with His, do a high and noble work. As the teacher awakens a desire to reach God’s ideal, s/he presents an education that is as high as heaven and as broad as the universe: an education that cannot be completed in this life, but that will be continued in the life to come; an education that secures to the successful student his passport from the preparatory school of earth to the higher grade, the school above.” excerpt from *Education* p. 19. Parents, the investment you are making by sending your child to Learning Tree Prep School is literally out of this world! Thank you for entrusting your most valuable treasures to us. This work isn’t merely a job; it is a calling from God!

Serving the Lord with Gladness

A Page From the Past, by *Minerva Perez*

From 1948 to 2017, from “Educational Center” to “Learning Tree Elementary School”, there has been a continuous pursuit of excellence in Seventh-day Adventist Christian education here in Dalton. Here are some interesting facts:



♥ Since the Dalton Adventist Church purchased their first building in 1946, at the corner of Crawford and Capps, education was key on it’s members’ minds.

♥ “After some work on the building..., Sabbath services were held there, and in the fall of 1948, the first Dalton church school was organized...”* with six students.

♥ In the spirit of their pioneers, in 1968, the church/school at Crawford was sold and the present school (pictured) was completed before the addition of the sanctuary, which took place ten years later. In the meantime, church services were held in the present 7th & 8th grade classroom.

**The Dalton Seventh-day Adventist Church, A History in Process, by Don Dick, 1989*

Lightning Basketball News, by *Randy Dorn, Coach & 7-8 Teacher*

Last night the girls’ and boys’ teams traveled to play Covenant Christian School for our final away contest. Our Lady Lightning, led by Jarecsy Martinez, overcame a half-time deficit to score a victory and remain in first place in our league. Despite numerous injuries, our boys’ team played valiantly, making several comebacks only to fall just short of victory. This weekend features home games against Coble on Saturday night and against St. Mary’s on Sunday afternoon.



Scoring:

Jarecsy—10	Nancy—5	Abraham—4	Kenneth—2
Gami—5	Kenya—4	Robby—3	Hannah—2
Linette—5	Diego—4		

Congratulations to all who received 2nd Quarter Awards!!!

Good Citizenship

(no detentions!)

- Vanessa Hammond
- Alessandra Lopez
- Danelie Martinez
- Brentley Matthews
- Marcus White
- Hartley Cleghorn
- Maddie Cleghorn
- Anthony Garrido
- Marley Graham
- Ariel Martinez
- Ethan Thompson
- Gami Campos
- Abraham Hernandez

- Immanuel Hernandez
- Kason Isenhower
- Reid Knowlton
- Landen Leming
- Ximenna Lopez
- Thornton Marshall
- Jensen Martir
- Sophia Miller
- Abigail Swann
- Nelly Teran
- Justyn Urizar
- Fernando Arredondo
- Leah Brown
- Star Hernandez
- Lizzy Lanham
- Andy Salgado
- Alex Salgado
- Kenneth Blandon
- Frances Lanham
- Caleb Martinez
- Kerim Martinez

- Maya Martinez
- Maddie Miller
- Hannah Suttles
- Sophia White
- Lisett Blandon
- Luis Hernandez
- Jackie Martinez
- Jarecsy Martinez
- Eva Reuschling
- Corbin Schlisner
- Dylan Thompson
- Jenny Urizar
- Trey White

Honor Roll (3.5-3.79 GPA)

- Fernando Arredondo
- Ethan Thompson
- Kenneth Blandon
- Gami Campos
- Kerim Martinez
- Maya Martinez

- Lisett Blandon
- Eva Reuschling
- Nancy Teran

High Honors (3.8-4.0 GPA)

- Diego Barcelo
- Leah Brown
- Maddie Cleghorn
- Anthony Garrido
- Marley Graham
- Frances Lanham
- Caleb Martinez
- Maddie Miller
- Sophia White
- Jackie Martinez
- Jarecsy Martinez
- Corbin Schlisner
- Jennifer Urizar
- Trey White

Outstanding Citizenship

(no refocuses or detentions!)

- Jayden Blanco
- Jeremiah Clarke
- Alexander Garrido