



# Tiger Tales

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## Calendar of Events

**8 October**  
Columbus Day-NO School

**9 October**  
Professional Day-NO School

**10 October**  
PTO Meeting

**24 October**  
Picture Day

## Liberty's Mission Statement

The mission of Liberty Intermediate School is to create an environment, which respects the dignity of individuals, promotes highest student achievement, and provides educational opportunities and challenges for all students to increase their global knowledge.

If your child is going to be absent from school you must notify the school by 0800 hrs.

**Attendance:**  
[LibertyIS.Attendance@eu.dodea.edu](mailto:LibertyIS.Attendance@eu.dodea.edu)  
**01638 522258/2867**

## PTO NEWS

LIS PTO President

Spirit Fridays - Students wear your school T-shirts on Fridays. The class with the most participation will get a treat. Black T-shirts are fine for the first grading period.

PTO membership drive is on until Monday, October 1st. The class with the most parents joining the PTO by Monday will get an ice cream party.

## BOX TOP Competition

The class with the most box tops will win special prizes and treats. So, collect those box tops!!!



SALE on Liberty T-shirts and sweatshirts for \$5 They're available in the parent center when it's staffed or send an email to the PTO president at [lcharles@uwclub.net](mailto:lcharles@uwclub.net).

**HealthyPointers:**  
**Immunization Reminder!!!**  
LIS School Nurse

We are still catching up to make sure our students are up to date with all their shots. We are reviewing all the records and sending a letter home to those students who are still missing shot/s. However, we could accomplish our goal a lot faster, if the parents would look at their child/ren's shot record and see if they have had all the shots or not. We are mainly looking for the following:

- Td/Tdap and Meningococcal Vaccines is due for any child who turns 11.
- Hepatitis A Vaccine
- HPV (not a requirement)



**ACIP recommended to all 11-12 year old girls** to prevent cervical cancer

If your child/ren are missing one of the immunizations mentioned above, please bring them to the Immunization Clinic as soon as possible and bring a copy of the updated shot record to the school. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me @ 226-2258 or 01638-532355

**Immunization Clinic Opening Hours: No appointment is needed.**

Monday 07:30-14:30  
Tues-Weds 07:30-16:00  
Thursday-Friday 09:00 - 16:00



Mrs. 's Class working as a cooperative group to make the tallest self-sustaining structure possible given the resources available.

## AAFES Auto/Lunch Program



Cafeteria Supervisor

- Parents who are initially applying for the school lunch program must apply at RAF Lakenheath.
- If you will pay full price for school lunch you may set-up an account at the BX.
- Parents who have qualified for the Free/ Reduced eligibility must utilize the system. They need to complete an application with the School Liaison Officer located in the MPF Building(Pass & ID). For those parents who have not applied for free/reduced lunches this year they will automatically be categorized as full pay.
- After you have set-up your account you may go to either Feltwell or Lakenheath to monitor your account.
- Parents who do not wish to participate in this system may still send their child/children to school with money to purchase their lunch.
- If your child forgets their lunch, they will be provided a lunch and the lunch will be charged to their account.

**Parents, please check your account for your child's school meals to ensure it doesn't have a negative balance. You can contact at 01638-52-5589 from 7:30-1:15 or email [ketteringhamj@aafes.com](mailto:ketteringhamj@aafes.com). Your assistance in this matter is greatly appreciated. Thank you.**



# WELCOME TO OUR STUDENT TEACHERS!!



My name is \_\_\_\_\_ and I am a senior at Oklahoma State University. I am from Hobart, OK, which is a very small town in the southwest part of the state. I am really excited to be in England and here at Liberty!



My name is \_\_\_\_\_. I am a student teacher from Washington State University...Go Cougs! After my student teaching I plan on going to back to WSU to work on my Master's Degree and start my teaching career



My name is \_\_\_\_\_. I am from Northern Arizona University in Flagstaff, Arizona. I am a double major, majoring in is Elementary and Special Education. As a double major I have the privilege of doing my student teaching in two classroom environments. I am currently doing the first half of my student teaching in Ms. \_\_\_\_\_'s 4<sup>th</sup> grade Spanish Immersion class. In a couple weeks I will be moving on to work with Dr. \_\_\_\_\_. I am very excited to be here at Liberty Intermediate School!

## READING NEWS

Information Specialist



### Lexile Level Website

Parents and students often inquire about the lexile levels of books while visiting the library because they are an important part of the Scholastic Reading Counts Program. The lexile level is a way

to match readers to books by measuring the reader's ability to text difficulty.

To find the lexile level of a book, you can go to [www.lexile.com](http://www.lexile.com). You can then begin your search by clicking into the appropriate category, which all basically lead you into the "Welcome" page. Then you can click into the Lexile Book Database to search for lexile levels by title, author, keywords, lexile range or ISBN number. The ISBN number means the International Standard Book Number, which is used by publishers to distinguish one book from another. If you cannot find the book you are searching for, try the Lexile Analyzer link, which looks at a piece of text to determine the lexile level.

## SCHOLASTIC READING COUNTS

*Scholastic Reading Counts! Is a flexible, literature-based reading motivation and management program that is designed to get students to read and to help educators manage and monitor their students' reading progress. The program can easily be integrated into any curriculum and used with all learners, in all grades, and in all learning environments. The Reading Counts program is an interactive reading achievement program designed to supplement the basal reading program.*

The software program features a student component of books and quizzes and an educator's tool called Scholastic Achievement Manager. In the student program, the high-quality selection of thousands of best-loved, award-winning books, spanning all grades, topics, themes, and cultures, fosters a rich reading environment. The quizzes make students accountable for what they read and let them experience the thrill of reading success. The educator's

tool makes management and monitoring an independent reading program easy to do.

The Reading Counts Committee has determined the following awards based on Reading Counts points earned:

- 25 points Reading Counts pencil
- 50 points Ice cream treat
- 100 points Book mark/100Club\*
- 150 points Ice cream treat
- 200 points 5 book library card/200 Club\*
- 300 points RC badge/300 Club\*
- 400 points RC water bottle/400 Club\*
- 500 points Free books/500 Club\*
- 600 points Lunch with Mr. Fletcher/600 Club\*
- 700 points RC bookbag/700 Club\*
- 800 points RC T-shirt/800 Club\*
- 900 points Guest Librarian with Mrs. Virtue/900 Club\*

\*Picture taken and placed on appropriate bulletin board.

## CONSTITUTION DAY



The group reading/reciting of the Preamble of The Constitution of The United States of America led by Mr. Fletcher, Principal of Liberty Intermediate School on September 17, 2007.



# **SCHOOL ADVISORY BOARD**

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**The next open session of the School Advisory Board is coming up!!!**

**WHEN: September 20 @ 1600**

**WHERE: The Bob Hope Community Center on RAF Mildenhall**

**Why: To discuss DoDDSchool issues**

**Who: All RAF Lakenheath, Mildenhall and Feltwell Community Members.**

**For more information contact the School Liaison Office at 226 -5077 or 01638 -52-5077**

