



Sheridan Association of Parents and Teachers

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2018-2019 School Year

Dear New Family,

Welcome to Sheridan School and Lake Forest School District 67! We are delighted that you are joining our community!

Our New Family Committee has created this folder as a handy resource for information about school and the broader community of Lake Forest. On one side, you will find information pertaining to our school -- including important dates, a school directory, and information on how to become a member of the Association of Parents and Teachers. The other side includes information about our community of Lake Forest, including a booklet from our Recreation Center, Community Center, and much more. While neither is an all-inclusive guide nor an endorsement of any organization or activity, we hope you find it a helpful starting point as you transition your family to Lake Forest.

Certainly, the focus for your children will be Sheridan School, and a wonderful experience awaits them! Our principal, Dr. Michelle Shinn, leads a dynamic team of talented and nurturing teachers and staff. Many aspects of the school experience are enhanced by the work of Sheridan's Association of Parents and Teachers (APT.) **We invite you to attend our APT meetings, which are generally held on the third Wednesday in the Sheridan IRC. (library).** Attending APT meetings is a great way to hear more about current topics within the school and around the District, meet other Sheridan parents, and ask questions. For more information on the Sheridan APT, be sure to visit the **APT website at www.sheridanapt.weebly.com. This is a constantly updated site and tends to be a one-stop shop for information.**

Megan McCampbell (meganmccampbell@gmail.com) and Kristin Ryan (kristinvryan@me.com) are our New Family Coordinators this year and are happy to answer any questions you have about Sheridan. **Please fill out the attached contact information form and return it to the school office so we can add you to our email contact list.** From time to time, we send emails to our parent community to keep everyone informed about upcoming events and volunteer opportunities.

You can support our school by:

- **Becoming a member of the APT** Your annual dues includes a printed District directory, as well as online access to contact information for all elementary and middle school students in District 67. To join the APT and to enter your family's details go www.LFapt67.org
- **Supporting the Spirit of 67 Foundation.** The Spirit is the only educational fundraising organization in our district. Donations from families are used by the Spirit to fund crucial grants for our schools. To learn more and make a donation go to www.spiritof67foundation.org. Please contact Kristin McCain (kristinmccain@gmail.com) or Lana Raines (ljraines@icloud.com) our Sheridan Spirit Board Reps with any questions.

Parental involvement is one of the chief cornerstones that make Sheridan School such a special place and your participation has an impact on all of our children. I look forward to meeting and working with you!

Sincerely,

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