

LRUE BOARD REPORT

Teri Jernigan, Principal
September 2011

5TH GRADE TEACHER RECEIVES MSTA GRANT

Angie Garner applied for a grant through MSTA to purchase two new literature sets for all 5th grade teachers to incorporate into their reading curriculum. Angie received confirmation last week that she was awarded the \$500 grant. The new literature sets will help foster an understanding of diversity and promote acceptance of various cultural groups.



6TH GRADE STUDENT COUNCIL 2011-12

Jimmy H, Trey R, Sheldon W, Nolan B,
Marianne M, Elleigh S, Katelyn E, and
Kenzie S.

5TH GRADE CRIME INVESTIGATORS

Fifth grade students became crime investigators when Wanda Wonka had her blueprints stolen for a new candy shop. Read on to hear how a group of 5th graders described an activity they did to figure out who committed the crime: "We used the scientific method to identify the type of marker used on a letter. When we used the scientific method we also used chromatography, which is just a big fancy word for testing a marker to find out who wrote a letter. The scientific method is used in every day life. All it is, is steps used in an exact order."



September Character Kids: 4th Grade-
Savannah W and Dexten R, 5th Grade-
Sarah T and Evan R, 6th Grade-Molly B
and Braydon S.



Upcoming Events:

Sept. 12-PTA meeting 6:30 at Upper

Sept. 16-Watch D.O.G.S. Kickoff

Sept. 21-Picture Day

Sept. 28-4th and 6th grades OLSAT test

Throughout the month of September students will be taking the first round of DEA testing. This test provides teachers with information on what our students already know and what needs to be focused on to help them achieve at a higher level.

Too often we give our children
answers to remember rather
than problems to solve.
Roger Lewin

Character Ed Word of the Month: **RESPECT**