



THE ROAR

The Legacy Parent Association Monthly Update

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THE POWER OF ASSETS: PARENT INVOLVEMENT IN SCHOOLING

According to the Search Institute's survey and research of more than 200,000 students in grades 6-12, "40 developmental assets are powerful influences on adolescent behavior. The more assets youth report having, the more likely they are to thrive and make healthy choices throughout their life." One asset is Parent Involvement in Schooling, when parent(s) are actively involved in helping a young person succeed in school. The study showed that only 34% of students reported experiencing this asset. It's a reminder to be involved with our children and Legacy Christian Academy.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THE LEGACY PARENTING CONFERENCE

On April 11, 2015, the Legacy Parent Association's Spiritual Emphasis committee will sponsor a parenting conference as part of its Equipping Families program to partner with you in discipling your children. The "Leaving a Legacy" event will be held from 8:30 am - 4:30 pm and will include worship, large group sessions and several breakout sessions whereby parents may choose between 5-6 different topics.

[This could be some of the best parenting advice you'll receive!](#) More details to come on this invaluable parenting conference!

LPA 2014-2015 FUNDRAISING STATS

GoodSearch: \$68.91

BoxTops: \$389.50

Labels for Education: 950 points

GRANTS FOR TEACHER NEEDS EMBARKS ON ITS SECOND YEAR

The LPA will soon be accepting applications from Legacy staff members for Grants For Teacher Needs, a grant program created and funded by the LPA that is designed to cultivate an atmosphere of teaching and learning, encourage enthusiasm in education, and enrich the school experience for teachers and students. [Last year, the LPA awarded \\$2050 to fund four grants:](#) a wireless weather station that posts live data on wunderground.com (use the code KMNANDOV13 for the LCA post), an outdoor adventure course, a dramatic-play loft for pre-K, and "Listening to Reading Time" electronic support. If you would like to enrich the Legacy school experience by contributing directly to GFTN, please contact the LPA at lpa@lcamn.org. Every dollar makes a difference.

SEARCHING ON-LINE, SHOPPING ON-LINE EARNS MONEY FOR LEGACY!

GoodSearch.com, the Yahoo-powered search engine that gives back to charitable organizations (including LCA!), has HUGE potential to donate lots of MONEY to LCA when users (LCA parents, relatives and friends) use GoodSearch.com to search on-line or go through GoodShop.com to purchase on-line. To date, LCA supporters have generated more than \$800 just by going about their business on-line. All you have to do is sign-up on GoodSearch.com and GoodShop.com and **REMEMBER TO USE the GoodSearch.com** search engine. It's FREE MONEY for LCA and goes toward LPA initiatives, including our Grants For Teacher Needs program. What better time to try it?! Sign up now at [GoodSearch.com!](http://GoodSearch.com)

LPA CALENDAR & UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES

Monday, Jan. 12, 6:30pm: LPA meeting, location TBD. All are welcome! Please join us.