Good Day Parents and Families of Larchmont,

Fall is officially upon us. Thank you for a great week here at Larchmont. Your flexibility, cooperation, and support as we rolled out the new schedule is greatly appreciated. Please continue to read information in newsletters and communicate with your child's teacher to stay up to date. I am excited to share two pieces of information with you today. First the RAT Race is on! Here is a message from the PTA.

The PTA has launched the 39th Annual Larchmont Virtual RAT Race registration. The race is entirely virtual this year. Registration will be open until October 30th, and we are doing FUNdraising again this year if the family wants to sponsor your racers. Use the registration period to train up for your goal race time! T-shirts will be mailed out at the end of the October. The RAT Race Spirit Week will be November 9-14th, when you can run the race (5K or 1mi) on your own time and share your school spirit by wearing your brand new RAT Race t-shirt. The PTA will be posting regularly on Facebook, so stay tuned! #leopardssticktogether #LarchmontRAT

Registration Link for the RAT Race: https://ratrace.enmotive.com

I am also excited to announce that the Media Center is being opened for Online Books Holds and Curbside Pick Up. Please see the attached flyer for detailed information on how you can reserve and pick up books from the media center. Please know that all books that are being checked out have been sanitized. Returned books will not be available for at least one week so they can sanitized and prepared for circulation.

Many parents have asked about the opening of school. At this time I do not have any information to share. Once I receive information I will send it out to families as soon as possible. If you have any questions please feel free to email me at jspeters@nps.k12.va.us

Thank you again teachers, families, and students for your hard work and support of Larchmont Elementary #leopardssticktogether.

Have a great weekend and stay safe,

Dr. Peterson