

Our Science ALIVE Week for this school year will be held on February 27th through March 3rd with a Family Fun Night on Monday as a kick off to a fabulous week. This whole school event is great fun for the kids and provides a perfect opportunity for parents to be involved in their kids' classroom activities.

We are looking for **VOLUNTEERS** who want to be a part of this year's Science ALIVE week. There are three opportunities to volunteer (sign up genius links below):

Laboratory Experiments - To volunteer to assist with experiments during your child's class lab time. <u>SCIENCE ALIVE LGI LAB PARENT</u> <u>VOLUNTEERS</u> (No Experience necessary) (We need at least <u>six</u> volunteers per class)

To **Donate Supplies** for Experiments, <u>Science Alive Donation Request</u>.

2 - Classroom Presentations (Friday March 3rd or other date TBD by teacher and presenter) - To volunteer to come into your child's classroom and present a science topic of your choice (a work, hobby or special interest), <u>SCIENCE ALIVE FRIDAY PARENT PRESENTER</u>. Sign up to be added shortly

For those of you who are new to Bridge Valley, here's what Science ALIVE is:

- It is a week- long event for our students to explore and have FUN with science!
- Each morning we begin with Science Trivia on the morning announcements with the answers being provided on the afternoon announcements.
- On Monday, February 27th, we have a Family Fun Night for the school community to come with their families and enjoy a science presentation and perform experiments together. This year, the Family Fun Night presentation is by the DaVinci Science Center "Grossology" Show where students will be grossed out by the impolite science of the human body in an interactive show. One show will be held at 6:30PM, followed by an opportunity to perform the magic experiments seen in the show. The cost is \$8 per family and advanced registration by February 20th is required. Registration form to follow.
- We transform the 1st floor LGI room into 2 Science Labs: one for primary grades (K through 2 and Autistic Support) and one for the secondary grades (3 - 6). The classes each take a 40-minute turn throughout the week to visit their respective science lab. Within each Science Lab:
 - The group of students is led through a warm up experiment to get them thinking about science.
 - Then it's the students turn! They have 2 or 3 hands-on experiments that they get to perform/experience. (Parents help out with these)
- We also have classroom or grade level presenters who teach or present a science topic of their choice (a work, hobby or special interest) to students. The goal is to teach students that science is fun and how it can apply to their everyday life or job.

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