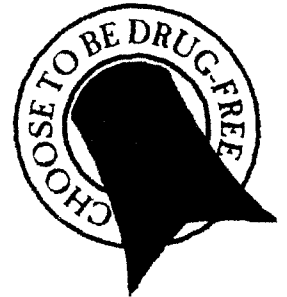


Red Ribbon Week



Monday, October 26th through Friday, October 30th is National Red Ribbon Week. During this week, millions of people join together to raise awareness regarding the need for alcohol, tobacco and other drug prevention, intervention, and treatment services.

National Red Ribbon Week began because a young man wanted to make a difference. Enrique "Kiki" Camarena became a federal agent for the Drug Enforcement Administration. Sadly, he was killed while working to keep drugs out of our communities. His friends and family wore badges of satin to remember him and as a symbol of their promise to continue his fight against drugs. Today, more than 80 million people across the country wear red during National Red Ribbon Week to show their support for a healthy, drug-free lifestyle. It is the largest, most visible prevention awareness campaign observed annually in the United States.

From October 26th through October 30th, LSE students and staff will have the opportunity to participate in National Red Ribbon Week. This year's theme is "Dream, Believe, Achieve, Succeed!" Throughout the week we will be discussing the importance of making good choices and leading a healthy life. We have also organized some spirit days. Please see the schedule below:

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| Monday:
October 26 | Sock it to drugs day!
(wear crazy socks) |
| Tuesday:
October 27 | Join the fight against drugs day!
(wear camouflage) |
| Wednesday:
October 28 | Put a cap on drugs day!
(wear a hat) |
| Thursday:
October 29 | Shoot for the stars, not drugs day!
(wear a favorite sports jersey) |
| Friday:
October 30 | Red Ribbon Day!
(wear anything red) |



If you have any questions about the purpose of Red Ribbon Week or any of the spirit days please contact Sara Figuly at 410-751-3280. Thank you in advance for your support.

Sincerely,

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