



Let The Fun Begin!

The LNFI after-school programs have just begun! Our first month is geared toward getting to know our students through games and fun activities. Some of the activities included Name Banner, Who's in My Circle, Who Am I, Glitter Slime, and many more fun activities! The beginning of the year is a wonderful opportunity for our LNFI staff members to get to know each child on a personal basis. Building relationships with our students is a key aspect of LNFI and is what sets us apart from so many other after-school programs.

Besides the science, reading, math, and character curriculum, we were excited to introduce the LNFI kids to the various Extras (extra-curricular activities) they get to experience this semester. LNFI is offering basketball, running club, dance, STEM club, music, cooking, and even partnering with wonderful organizations like **Texas Ballet Theater**, **Coast2Coast Soccer**, and **Thank You Darlin' Foundation** to bring ballet, soccer, and poetry to our kids!

An amazing year has just begun!



Special Thanks

An extra special "Thank YOU" to everyone who donated, shared FB posts, completed the Love Challenge videos and/or emailed your friends & family about **North Texas Giving Day!**

Because of your hard work and dedication for children, LNFI received over \$3,000 in gifts! We are excited to see what our final total will be after bonus funds multiplies your donations. "Thank YOU" again for all your love and support for our amazing children!

Thank you to all the LNFI Family for participating and helping North Texas Giving Day a success!



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Upcoming Events



We are in need of hot dogs and buns!
If you are able to help us out, please email events@loveneverfails.com.
Thank you for loving & supporting the children of LNFI!

Harvest Festival

Location: I.M. Terrell ES
Date: October 24, 2015
Time: 10:00am-4:00pm

Family Day

Location: Eastern Hills ES
Date: October 31, 2015
Time: 11:00am- 1:00pm

Stay Involved

If you would like to keep up on LNFI events, you can go to our Facebook, Instagram, Twitter or YouTube pages located on our website



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Cultivating Community

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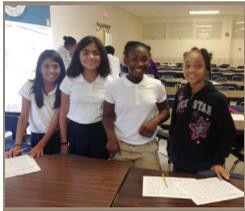
Love Never Fails After-School mentoring programs are up and running! We are very excited to add two additional programs this year and cannot wait to see their impact! LNFI is always striving to improve our parent outreach. One of our goals is to bridge the gap between parent involvement and their child's education. The community plays an important role in the life of a school and its' students. LNFI wants to be a strong link within the surrounding neighborhoods that will help improve schools and student performance. We seek to partner with both the school and community by hosting several events throughout the year. This month, LNFI will be participating in the **Harvest Festival at I.M. Terrell Elementary** and **Family Day at Eastern Hills Elementary** (details can be found on the back). Both of these events will be open to the community and we hope to see positive relationships being cultivated.

LNFI After-School Programs

The first month at **Van Zandt Guinn** has been all about getting to know the children and building relationships! The children are learning the LNFI Creed and the importance of being a World Changer. Each week our Specialists share a "Specialist Spark". One shared that a student of hers has been struggling with addition and she was working with the student. By the end of the week the student showed the Specialist that she had made a 100 on a math test! A little motivation can be very encouraging! ~**Kathleen Griffin, Site Supervisor**



The LNFI After-School Program at **Eastern Hills** is growing! The students are excited and eager to learn new things. The staff is coming in daily with big smiles on their faces. During the third week, transitions with the students were prompt. The students were rewarded with LNFI behavior bucks. We are still working on ensuring our transitions are good daily. The staff comes to work prepared and on time. Communication is the key to success and I'm thankful for a great team at EHES! ~**Katrice Reed, Site Supervisor**



The first month at **I. M. Terrell** has been great! We were super excited to see both old and new smiling faces! It has been especially rewarding to see some of our students from last year come back with improved attitudes and behavior. The kids are really listening and responding better to our program this school year! Love Never Fails After-School at IMT is really hoping to make a greater impact this year with the students, families, school and community! ~**China Tarvin, Site Supervisor**



Our first month at **J.P. Elder** has been wonderful. The students here are always enthusiastic about our program! We have developed new relationships with each of the them and our staff loves working with them. Our students always leave excited to come back for the next day!! ~**Janice Park, Site Supervisor**



Make a Difference

Casa Hogar M.A.Mi is a shelter home for girls in which they receive shelter, food, care, education, clothes, medical and emotional care and recreational activities. Every day, these children experience love and protection; all with a family atmosphere and Christian values and principals.

Most of the children in the home are referred there by the courts or social services of Mexico. They may also come from families who simply do not have the resources to care for them.

For only \$1 a day, you can make sure that they are fed, clothed, educated and medically cared for. But more importantly, you will be a part of this life-changing experience Casa Hogar M.A.Mi has to offer them.

It's not too late to help us reach our goal of 14 homes this year! For only \$4,500, one home can be built for a family living in the **Nopalera Colonia** of Mexico. So far, 7 homes and 1 business has been built for deserving families!

With your continued support and determination, our goal can be reached this year. That means more families will be blessed with not only a brand new furnished house, but a safe and warm place they can start to call their home.



We Need Your Help!

What is the impact of LNFI? Child poverty costs our nation nearly \$500 billion every year. 100% of our children live in households below the federal poverty line; 40% of our children live in families with an annual income of less than \$10,000. We realize that the statistics are *daunting*, but an investment in our programs is the start of ending the cycle of poverty in America. No matter what our children may be facing, they are the leaders of tomorrow! You have the opportunity to help change their world so that they can one day change ours!

You can help end the cycle of poverty, one child at a time!

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We thank you in advance for your support!



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