



# Central Star – KC



District 7 Chapter 29

March 2010

## Chapter Officers:

### President

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### Vice President

Lecia Pollock

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### Treasurer

Andrea Manning

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## Links:

District 7 Website

[lpadistrict7.org](http://lpadistrict7.org)

Little People of America

[lpaonline.org](http://lpaonline.org)

If you are new to LPA, this is a great place to start or contact any of the officers above.



Central Star Chapter of LPA is on Facebook. [Click here to become a member.](#)

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## We Need Your Help

Over the next few months, we would like to finalize a new newsletter format. This issue is just a preview and changes are coming.

We are seeking your help. If you have any ideas for our Central Star Chapter logo, news stories, information that could benefit our members, or suggestions on the format, please submit them to the editor, Jobeth Hay, at [hayj09@yahoo.com](mailto:hayj09@yahoo.com). This is your newsletter, so give us your input and tell us what you want to read.

Also, we want your pictures. Send in your pictures and related stories.

## Noteworthy

Nicholle Carter and her family raised \$600 in honor of her son Nate and donated the funds to the National Conference. The money was raised with donations of free haircuts and by other means. WAY TO GO CARTER FAMILY!

## Chapter Officer Positions

Our current chapter officers – Jack Pollock, President, Lecia Pollock, Vice President, and Andrea Manning, Treasurer - are willing to serve two more years from June 2010 to June 2012. If anyone is interested in running for an officer position, please let Jack or Lecia know at [jackpollock@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jackpollock@sbcglobal.net).

## Easter Egg Hunt

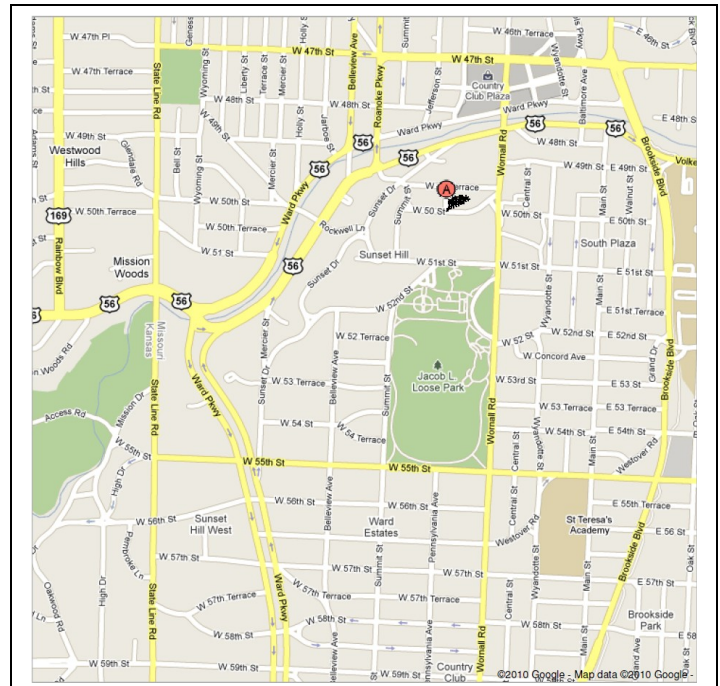
Saturday, March 27<sup>th</sup>  
10:00 a.m. to Noon  
Loose Park  
5200 Pennsylvania Ave  
Kansas City, MO 64112.

Our annual Easter Egg Hunt is sure to be fun!

Please RSVP to [jackpollock@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jackpollock@sbcglobal.net) no later than March 25<sup>th</sup>.

Coffee from Starbucks will be provided. Please bring a brunch item to share with everyone.

Kids, don't forget your Easter egg baskets for the big Easter egg hunt.



## Look Who's in the Spotlight



Recognize this kid?  
What a cutie! He's  
Jesse Pollock, son of  
Jack and Lecia  
Pollock. Picture was  
taken at the Fall  
Regional in Joplin, MO.  
Send us your pictures.

## Welcome the Newest Members of the Central Star Chapter

Please welcome Jason and Kristie Morton to the group. They join us with their precious baby girl, Jalin, who was born December 23, 2009.

## Upcoming Events

- **Monthly Meetings:** Monthly meetings are planned for March 17<sup>th</sup>, April 21<sup>st</sup>, and May 19<sup>th</sup> at Holmeswood Baptist Church from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. These meetings are informal gatherings and a great way to meet or catch up with other members of our Little People chapter. Holmeswood Baptist Church is located at 9700 Holmes Road, Kansas City, MO.
- **April 16-18, 2010:** *District 7 Spring Regional Meeting* in Tulsa, OK. See pages 3 and 4.
- **July 2-9, 2010:** *2010 National Conference* in Nashville, TN. See National LPA website for details – [lpaonline.org](http://lpaonline.org).
- **Summer:** A barbeque is planned. Date, time, and details to follow at a later date. A big thanks to Jason & Dana Hudson who will be supplying the meat. All others are asked to bring side dishes and/or desserts.
- **October:** *Halloween Festival* Date, time, and details will be announced at a later date. Thanks to Andrea Manning for planning the event.
- **December 4, 2010:** *Christmas Party* A potluck dinner is planned for the first Saturday in December. Details to follow.
- **Fall 2010:** *District 7 Fall Regional Meeting* in St. Louis, MO.
- **Spring 2011:** *District 7 Spring Regional Meeting* in Wichita, KS.
- **Summer 2011:** *National Conference* July 1-7 in Anaheim, CA.

## Fundraiser

"LOVE A little" bracelets are still for sale. These bracelets are green with the words "LOVE A little" on them and are sold for \$3.00 each. Proceeds go directly to our chapter. Please contact Jack Pollock, [jackpollock@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jackpollock@sbcglobal.net), if you're interested in purchasing bracelets and helping out our chapter.



The Central Star Chapter of the Little People of America serves residents of the Kansas City Metro area and provides support and information to people of short stature and their families. For more information, contact the chapter officers listed on the front page.

## SPRING DISTRICT MEETING 2010

**DATE:** APRIL 16 & 17 IN TULSA, OKLAHOMA

**WHERE:** Double Tree Hotel – Warren Place Business Park  
6110 South Yale Ave. Tulsa, OK 74136

Low Standard room rate of \$79. Please make your reservations directly with the hotel by calling 1-800-801-1317 and mention the LPA, as a group of rooms are blocked off for the district meeting.....by April 1st.

Get ready to see what Tulsa has for you !!!!

### Friday, April 16th

•4 pm- 7pm Registration at the hotel. Meet and greet reception with finger foods and drinks. Hotels has an indoor pool, exercise room, whirlpool, sauna, and a onsite Starbucks.

\*Will have a Silent Auction for a fund raiser for the District bidding will start at 4pm Friday night and end Saturday at Noon.....winner will be announced at dance Saturday night.

### Saturday, April 17th

•9am-10am Registration at the Hotel

•10-11am Meeting .....All Sate and district officers, a time of brainstorming and sharing ideas.

•11am-Noon Business Meeting.....everyone is encouraged to come!

•Noon Balloon Release in Memory of Oklahoma's Little Giant Mitchell Cupps at Lafortune Park (right outside the hotel)

•Afternoon Activities on Your own

\*Maps and directions to all theses destinations below will be available\*

#### *Teens/Young Adults:*

- All Star Sports Complex-mini golf (\$6 per game), batting cages
- Woodland Hills Mall

#### *Family Friendly:*

- Jenks River walk Crossing.....along the the Arkansas River was the beginning of Tulsa's river development. Located the at the west end of the 96th Street river bridge at Jenks America. The facilities include an Amphitheater, Restaurants, Shops, River Walk Trail, and live entertainment. Located nearby is the Oklahoma Aquarium and Antique Shops, River Parks, Bicycle and Walking Bridge across the River, shopping and restaurants.

- Oklahoma Aquarium (Adults \$13.95, seniors & Military \$11.95, Children 3-12 \$9.95, and children 2 and under free)

- Gilcrease Museum. One of the country's best facilities for the preservation and study of American art and history. The museum's charm, beauty and art collections (\$8 for adults, \$6 for seniors (62 and older), \$6 for active duty members of the U.S. Military, \$6 per person for groups of 10 or more, \$5 for college students with valid ID, Children 18 and under admitted free)

- Incredible Pizza

- Tulsa Zoo (Adults \$8, seniors \$6, Children 3-11 \$4, children 2 and under free)

#### *Adults:*

- Riverspirt Casino: Shuttle runs to and from Hotel

- Bass Pro Shop

- Lafortune Golf Course

- Phil Brooks Art Center (\$7.50 General Admission; \$5.50 Seniors (Age 62+), Youth 18 years and under are free)

•5 pm Choice of 3 Restaurants please sign up at registration so we can call in advance to give them a number of people for sure (Delta Café..Like your moms cooking, Charlestons...American food, Chopsticks...Chinese/Korean)

•7pm-11pm It is time to get out the Sun glasses and leather jackets.....The theme for the night is "Rock & Roll" DJ, Karaoke & Wii Rock Band.....will be giving away Sonic coupons for participating so plan on joining in. Water & Lemonade Station as well as snacks will be provided. \*Will announce the winners of Silent Auction at 8pm

Spring Regional details obtained from [District 7 Facebook page](#).

**REGISTRATION**

Single: \$15 for LPA Members; \$20 for nonmembers or registration at the door.

Family: \$25 for LPA Members; \$30 for nonmembers or registration at the door.

**Please make checks payable to Oklahoma LPA**

Mail Registration **by April 5<sup>th</sup>** to:

Krista Gesche  
4006 Woodmark Dr  
Harrah, OK 73045

District 7 Spring Regional Registration

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

First Names: \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Fees:

Single Member \$15, Nonmember \$20           \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Family Member \$25, Nonmember \$30       \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Optional Donation to District 7 of LPA       \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to **Oklahoma LPA**

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