



## LPS Foundation Spotlight April 2024

### 2023 Stride Grants Help Students Focus on Well-being

Health and wellness is one of Littleton Public School Foundation's six strategic focus areas. We believe that students do best when they are mentally, physically, and academically well. As part of our health and wellness efforts, we award 13 \$1,000 grants to schools during The Stride, our Fall 5K/10K, Kids Fun Run, and Wellness Expo. Today, we're sharing how two of those schools used their 2023 Stride health and wellness grants.

#### Better Basketballs at Goddard Middle School

Goddard Middle School bought high-quality size 6 and size 7 basketballs with their Stride grant. Students use the basketballs during PE and as a part of Goddard athletic programs. Older basketballs are used during outside time. Having new basketballs also means that students can check out older basketballs and use them at home to practice their skills.



#### Curved Treadmills at Littleton High School

By combining Stride funds with another school grant, Littleton High School was able to purchase a set of curved treadmills. Running on these self-powered treadmills engages more muscle groups in comparison to the traditional heel strikes, increasing fitness levels. Students have access to the newly furnished equipment, both during the school day and after school, for athletic team workouts.

Thank you to our Stride presenting sponsor [\*\*McDonald Automotive - Audi Denver\*\*](#), and our health partner, [\*\*AdventHealth Littleton\*\*](#), for making these grants possible.

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### Upcoming Community Nights

#### LPS Night with the Colorado Rockies

We're taking you out to the ballgame this spring! Join fellow LPS families at Colorado Rockies games as we root, root, root for the home team, and make a difference for students and staff. Tickets start at \$15.

Primary Fundraising Game:

**Friday, May 10, at 6:40 pm vs. Texas Rangers**, LPS elementary school students are singing the National Anthem at this game, so arrive early to cheer them on.

Alternate Fundraising Games:

**Sunday, May 12, at 1:10 pm vs. Texas Rangers**

**Monday, May 27, at 2:10 pm vs. Cleveland Guardians**

**Saturday, June 15, at 7:10 pm vs. Pittsburgh Pirates**

A portion of each ticket sold goes back to the LPS Foundation.

[Buy Tickets Here](#)

**Saturday Soccer with the Colorado Rapids**

Experience the thrill of live soccer, connect with other LPS families, and help students thrive when you purchase tickets to our LPS Nights with the Colorado Rapids. Tickets start at \$25, and a portion of each ticket sold goes back to the LPS Foundation.

Game Options:

**Saturday, May 25 at 7:30 pm, Colorado Rapids vs. Minnesota United FC**

**Saturday, June 22 at 7:30 pm, Colorado Rapids vs. CF Montreal**

**LPS Foundation Grant Brings Unique Storytelling Workshop to Littleton High School**

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