

Hello from Lino!



Greetings Kids of St. Louis,

Allow me to introduce myself, I'm "*Lino the Lead Safe Dino*" and as the City's Lead Safe Superhero, it's my job to help keep you from getting sick from lead poisoning.

Last year, the Lead Safe St. Louis program called out to St. Louis Kids and Parents to create a name for me; and boy, we did we ever hear from you! We received lots of really cool names from kids all over the City and although it was hard for our judges to decide, I think they gave me a great name. I was so happy to know that teachers in the public schools, private schools, daycare programs, and Moms & Dads at home helped you think of names for me. Please tell them all "Thank You" from the Lead Safe team. The grand prize winner and 3 runners-up all received some terrific prizes and Mayor Slay even had a "Naming Party" for us in his office in City Hall.

Soon, you'll be seeing me decked out in my red Superhero cape and mask at City events where kids and parents go to learn about healthy living. Some of the places that I'll visit are:

- Health Fairs
- Neighborhood Festivals
- Block Parties
- The St. Louis Science Center

Be sure to check our Calendar Page every month for the location of testing events. The Lead Safe team will be handing out stickers, buttons, magnets and other goodies with my picture on them, so stop by and say Hi!

That's all for now, so until next time...Have fun, be safe, and become a Lead Safe Hero!

Your Pal,

Lino the Lead Safe Dino