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Vaccinations Required for Seventh **Graders/Seniors before School Starts**

Immunization requirements have changed, requiring that all incoming seventh graders and seniors receive immunizations before school starts Thursday, August 17, 2017. They are now required by Ohio school law to show proof of the following immunizations BEFORE the first day of school.

Seventh grade

- TDaP vaccine (to protect against Tetanus, Diphtheria and Pertussis)
- Meningococcal (A, C, Y, W-135) vaccine (to protect against Meningitis)

Seniors

 Meningococcal (A, C, Y, W-135) vaccine (to protect against Meningitis)

Students who do not receive required vaccinations will not be permitted to attend school until proof of these immunizations, or alternative requirements according to Ohio Revised Code section 3313.67, have been received by the school.

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Congratulations Lake High School Senior Class of 2017



VALEDICTORIAN James Bradcovich



SALUTATORIAN David Klopfer



OUTSTANDING SENIOR Conner Delahanty



OUTSTANDING SENIOR Sarah Igleheart



OUTSTANDING SENIOR SERVICE AWARD Drew DeLap

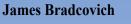


OUTSTANDING SENIOR SERVICE AWARD Holly Tobin

SENIOR AWARDS

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Sarah Byo



Conner Delahanty



Drew DeLap



Cassidy Ditchkus



Layla Fetters



Kelly Herold



David Klopfer



David Lyogky



Brynn McKenney



Emma McNamara



Macey Parker



Abigail Butler

Austin Coldsnow

Garrett Davidson

Conner Delahanty

Drew DeLap

Joel Francis

Lauren Geiger

Devin Hopkins
Justin Kelly
David Klopfer
Emma McNamara
Isaiah Norman
Holly Tobin
Nicholas Walls



Beverly Prendergast



Tyler Speer



Nicholas Walls



Holly Tobin

Lake Academic Booster Club Merit Scholarships Abigail Butler Alise Vannatter Sund Port

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Landry Carneal Alex
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Haylee Grenus Kelly Herold Alexander Johnson Emma McNamara Tyler Speer Nicholas Walls

Department Awards

Art	Evyn Caiazza
Business	
Career Tech	Ryan Kennell
English	Krissiana Ferguson
Fine & Performing Arts	Alexander Johnson
French	Caitlyn Barrett
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German	Anthony Adams
Math	
Science	
Social Studies	Jonas Short
Spanish	

Special Awards

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Principals Award	Jamilynn McCourt
Rick Porter Memorial Scholarship	Macey Camacho
Rick Porter Memorial Scholarship	Justin Kelley
Rob DiGiacomo Memorial Scholarship	Joel Francis
Ron Starkey Law Firm Legal Studies Scholarship (Cert)	Layla Fetters
Rotary Service Above Self Award	Christopher Kuhns
Sam DiBlasi Scholar Athlete Award	Conner Delahanty
Senior Class President Award	Kara McClain
The Prestige Baseball Scholarship	Matthew Radtka

U.S. Air Force Math / Science Award	James Bradcovich
U.S. Air Force Math / Science Award	Abigail Butler
U.S. Army Scholar Athlete Award	Conner Delahanty
U.S. Army Scholar Athlete Award	Emma McNamara
U.S. Marines Distinguished Athlete Award (Female)	Landry Carneal
U.S. Marines Distinguished Athlete Award (Male)	Zachary Sturmi
U.S. Marines Scholastic Excellence Award	Austin Coldsnow
U.S. Marines Semper Fidelis Award	Nicholas Walls
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SENIOR AWARDS

Lake High School seniors received the following awards during the Senior Recognition Ceremony for the Class of 2017.

Community Scholarship Awards

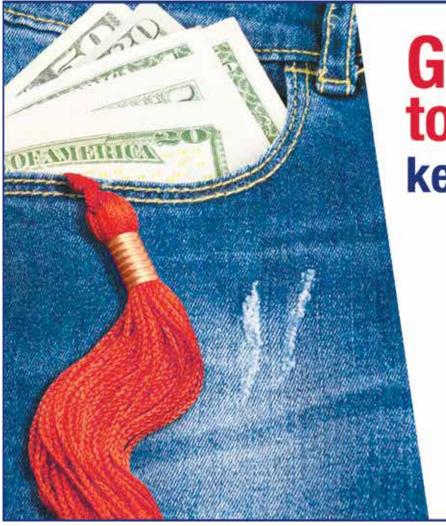
AultCare Team Spirit Award	Jacob Hutcherson
Basug Medical Career Schlp Aust	in Coldsnow, Kelly Herold, Zachary Sturmi
Bridgestone Emerging STEM Leaders Internship	ProgamConner Delahanty
Friends of Lake Orchestra Scholarship	Alexander Johnson, Caitlyn Barrett
Hartville PTO-Nancy Moffat Memorial Schlp	Brandon Hadinger, Sarah Igleheart
Howard R. Miller, Sr. Memorial Scholarship	Sarah Igleheart
James W. McPherson Jr. Legal Studies Scholarsh	
Jimmy Tawney Band Scholarship	
Kempthorn Excellence Scholarship	Jonathan Harold
LAB - Buckeye Packaging	Sarah Igleheart
LAB - Hammond Construction Inc	Tyler Speer
LAB - Hartville Elementary Kimberly Bosko Men	norial Emma McNamara
LAB - Hartville Hardware & Lumber	
LAB - Hartville Kitchen	Austin Coldsnow
LAB - Hartville Market Place & Flea Market	Drew DeLap
LAB - Lake Community Federal Credit Union	Jordan Meade
LAB - Lake High School Spanish Club	Isaiah Norman
LAB - Lake School Administrators	Kelly Herold
LAB - Lake Youth Baseball	Natasha Gaj
LAB - Meg Reid Memorial Scholarship	Brandon Hadinger
LAB - Ramsburg Insurance and Financial Service	gJames Bradcovich
LAB - Sol Harris Day	
LAB - The Bagnoli-von Gruenigen Scholarship	Heidi Genevish, Kara McClain
LAB - Zachary Doherty Memorial Scholarship	
•	Sam Bruner, Talia Pope

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Lake Athletic Booster Club - John W. "Chief" F	fetters Memorial James Bradcovich,
Lai	ndry Carneal, Conner Delahanty, Joel Francis
Lake Band Booster Schlp Sarah Iglehe	eart, Bailey Martin, Macey Parker, Nick Walls
Lake Choral Booster Scholarship	Alyssa Yonders, Haylee Grenus
Lake Elementary PTO Scholarship	Joel Francis, Kara McClain
Lake Local Education Association Scholarship	Sarah Igleheart, Holly Tobin
Lake Township Bicentennial Scholarship	Abigail Gabler
LifeShare Scholarship	Heidi Genevish, Joseph Zwick
Linda S. Hodges Scholarship	Taylor Thomas
Lion's Club Scholarship	. Haylee Grenus, Sarah Igleheart, Tyler Speer
Lion's Club Scholarship in Memory of Don & F	Sarah Byo
Morgan & Bernard Orthodontics Scholarship	Trey Robinson
National Guard Scholarship Award	Michael Lietke
OHSAA Archie Griffin Sportsmanship Award	Abigail Miller, Niko Perrin
OHSAA NFHS Ethics and Integrity Award	Drew Delap, Emma McNamara
OHSAA Scholar Athlete Award	James Bradcovich, Abigail Butler
Uniontown High School Alumni SchlpMatth	ew Radtka, Chase Sommers, Alise Vannatter
Uniontown PTO-Mary A. Myers Schlp Nati	

Lake Scholarship Recipients - Sponsored by the Lake Academic Booster Club

Evyn Caiazza Haylee Grenus Alexander Johnson Justin Kelley Steven Nutt Macey Parker Leslie Uphouse Nicholas Walls





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LAKE HIGH SCHOOL

CLASSROOM HAPPENINGS & EVENTS



(l to r): Blaine Hudak, Gabriel Erb, Juliana Fierro, and Grace Weisel.

Speech and Debate Team Returns

How do you bring a Speech/Debate Team to your school? For two Lake High School (LHS) students, the answer was: deliver persuasive speeches to the principal and ask for it!

For the first time in years, Lake High had a competitive Speech/Debate team during the 2016-2017 school year, thanks to sophomores **Emma Heakin** (debate), and **Grace Weisel** (speech).

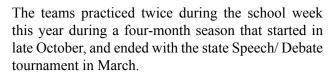
"They talked to Dan Harold, convinced him to pursue it, then he asked who could help lead it," said **Ben Marko**, high school math teacher and Debate Team coach. "I am good at arguments; I knew I would start the Debate Team," he added, with a laugh. He added that teaching math requires a logical mindset that is helpful for debate.

"I've always loved speaking in front of a crowd, and I've seen others do speeches and debate. I thought, 'Why don't we have that?,'" said Grace. "Luckily, Mr. Harold listened and was open to the idea."

Shanna Delaney, LHS English teacher, signed on next to become the new Speech team coach. Her college training as an education major at Kent State University included musical theater and speech/communications courses, providing a foundation to become the new Speech coach.

This year 15 students were involved, nine being on the Speech and six on the Debate team. Participating in

Speech were Grace, seniors Haylee Grenus and Caroline Reinhart, juniors Emma Johnson and Abigail McFarren, sophomores Blaine Hudak, Kathryn Niedermeyer, and Elizabeth ("Ellie") Jaber, and freshman Isabella Fierro. The Debate team included juniors Juliana Fierro and Jayne Yerrick, and sophomores Hunter Levan, Emma Heakin, Gabriel Erb, and Cara Bunner.



Debate tournaments are built around arguing for and against pre-determined topics (which are chosen by the National Speech and Debate Association, and change every two months). Topics debated this year included 'free speech on college campuses,' qualified immunity for police officers,' and 'the right to housing.'

"I am most definitely continuing with Debate," said Juliana. "It was an amazing experience – I became a better speaker, researcher, and debater because of it."

Meanwhile, Speech allow participants to present 10-minute monologues after selecting a topic that fits into one of the following categories: declamation (delivering a famous speech); duo interpretation (incorporating body movement); dramatic interpretation; program oral interpretation; and original oratory. "Topic choice is important," said Ms. Delaney. "Students pick their topic during the summer and use it all year at competitions."

"Speech offers something for everyone, anyone," continued Ms. Delaney. "Kids rise to the challenge and grow. It is neat to see the improvement."

Being new, the Lake team

Being new, the Lake team participated in eight tournaments this year, with both coaches and students learning a lot. "I learned so much from coaching and judging. Debate helps develop communications skills, acting, arguing a point, thinking on

your feet. Students gain skills to better articulate, and to improve logic that they can use throughout life," said Marko.

Looking back, the coaches are encouraged by their team's success this year. Three students qualified for the state tournament: Grace, for her "Trapped" speech, and Gabriel and Jayne for debate points raised on free speech. Three other students - Blaine, Ellie, and Juliana - also almost qualified for this year's state tournament.

"Debate was awesome this year. I loved the entire experience - people were awesome. It was definitely worth it. I learned a ton," said Gabriel.



Senior Earns GenYes Certification

Congratulations to Lake senior **Drew DeLap**, the third Lake student this year to be GenYes certified. He is one of only three students to ever receive this certification within Ohio. Drew is an active member of the GenYes Career Tech program offered at Lake.



Drew DeLap

GenYes Certification demonstrates students have applied technology skills they developed in the classroom, and are skilled in helping their school effectively integrate technology. GenYes certified students make substantial contributions towards meeting their school's technology priorities by maintaining computers and technology infrastructure, providing professional development, creating digital content, and more.

Drew plans to continue his educational career at The Ohio State University.



Austin Gallagher spoke to students about his shark research.

Shark Expert Austin Gallagher Pays Visit

Last February, the Chemistry and Biology classes at Lake High School were treated to an informative, interesting presentation by marine scientist and shark expert Austin Gallagher. His organization, *Beneath the Waves*, is a global research group that conserves sharks and the habitats they occupy through cutting-edge scientific research and engaging media. (Follow their exciting work on their Facebook page or their website www.beneaththewaves.org.) We hope to have him back again next year. Contact Sharyl Gregerson if you are not in chemistry or biology but are interested in attending his presentation. We also express our gratitude to the Hoover Foundation for giving us the opportunity to have Gallagher speak at Lake High School.

(High School News continued on page 6)

LAKE MIDDLE SCHOOL

CLASSROOM HAPPENINGS & EVENTS

Adam Booth is New Assistant Principal

Adam Booth graduated from Lake High School in 1996, then attended Grove City College where he earned his bachelor's degree in Mathematics Secondary Education in 2001. He taught at GlenOak High School for six years before returning to Lake Middle School in 2007 as a grades 7-8 math teacher. During his teaching career, Booth earned a Master's in Education from Marygrove College and a Master's in Educational Leadership from the American College of Education.

Booth has been head of Lake Middle School's Math Department since 2013, and has assisted the Technology Department since 2009. In addition, he has coached track, football, and basketball in various capacities while also serving on the Faculty Council and Negotiating Committee.



Adam Booth

Adam and his wife, Kelly, have four sons: Samuel, 12; William, 9; Julian, 7; and Thomas, 4. They are active in the Lake community as well as their church. The Booth family enjoys doing activities together, and traveling when schedules permit. They sincerely love the Lake community and feel blessed to call it their home.



Academic Challenge Team has Successful Season

The Academic Challenge Team, along with coach Courtney Miller, had an excellent season this school year! The middle school team finished the season with an impressive 6-4 record, beating teams from Louisville to Minerva, including an extremely tough Perry team. The team consisted of sixth, seventh, and eighth graders, with members including Jack Armstrong, Abbey Constantine, Kaidyn Cunningham, Aaron Hess, Cooper Bertschi, Robert Schrembeck, Caleb Adams, Jaden Gonzales, Daniel Hollis, Anthony Rechel, Tate Wise, and Stan Yerrick.

Modeling team unity and class on a regular basis, the team was complimented by parents and coaches for their ability to work together and respect opposing teams. The team had academic strength to answer multifaceted trivia questions and maturity to handle challenging situations in a dignified manner. Their coach, parents, and school were proud to have these fine students represent the Blue Streaks. Please congratulate these students for their amazing season!



Genius Team Wins First Place

Congratulations to all students involved in the Genius Project this year offered by ArtsinStark and advised by **Katie Arthurs**. The Genius Rally was an awesome celebration with more than 70 teams from various schools. The following challenge was presented to each team:

Your team's boating trip has gone awry. The group has been marooned on a tropical island, but where? Clean drinking water and food are in abundance, however, the island is prone to heavy rain, wind, flooding and has many wild animals. Shelter is a priority, as well as the ability to gather food and protect yourself from the sun. All are hoping for rescue, but hoping is not enough. How will people know your group is there?



Abox of materials was provided to each team, and students were only able to use materials provided to create a shelter, hat, bag, and three musical instruments. Lake Middle School sent four incredible teams who represented our district well! In addition, we brought home the Grand

Champion Award for the best overall project! This winning team consisted of Natalie Slane, Avery Windham, Olivia Windham, Alexandria Dusman, and Grace Bachman (below). Awesome job, girls!! We are very proud of everyone involved.



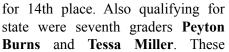
Power of the Pen

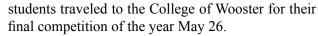
Four Lake Middle School students qualified for the Power of the Pen State Tournament based on their strong results at the regional tournament at Malone University held March 4.



Eighth grader **Emma Moorhead** (left) earned individual honors at regional, placing 11th in her grade

level. Seventh grader Trent Hobson (right) received a medal at regional competition





Additional Lake Middle School writers who competed at regional were eighth graders Paige Brophy, Olivia Conrad, Sabrina Nespo, and Kate Osmundson, and seventh graders Emily Cozine and Madison Didyk. Lake placed fourth overall for the Regional Tournament Sweepstakes Award. Congratulations to the Power of the Pen team on another great year!

Busy Year for Science and Engineering Club

During the week of April 17, 2017, we promoted Earth Day. Club members shared recycling facts during morning announcements and through an informational video made by club member Joshua Martin. To encourage students to think about being Earth Friendly, they were asked to make a pledge for Earth Day. This pledge was written on a leaf and the leaves were assembled by our club members to make a giant tree outside the cafeteria.

We also finished assembling our Soap Box Derby car for the Gravity Racing Challenge during April. Group members worked throughout the month to put the final touches together. We conducted trials May 11, 2017 when our club attended Team Day. Group members also built mini derby cars to be raced on this day. With our new paint job, provided courtesy of M D Body Corporation, our full size derby car was ready to race at Derby Downs May 20, 2017.

Our final project has been our continuous dedication to recycling through Pepsi's Recycle Rally Schools program. This program helps teach K-12 students about the importance of recycling and improving our environment. Lake Middle School recycled more than 12,000 bottles this year. Pepsi's recycling program encourages this process by offering rewards and prizes that we received throughout the year.

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HIGH/MIDDLE SCHOOL

CLASSROOM HAPPENINGS & EVENTS

Health Tech Prep Attended Scholars Day

Lake's Health Tech Prep students recently participated in Health Professions Affinity Community (HPAC) Scholar's Day at the Northeast Ohio College of Medicine in Rootstown. The program is one of the largest health professions pipeline programs for youth nationwide.

It empowers youth to identify health concerns, and invent community health programs to solve them.

Students worked on various projects during the school year, and presented these. Ninety seven different schools participated, 127 oral presentations were given, and 10 awards were presented.

Two of 10 awards in the oral presentation category were won by our Lake Health Tech students! The senior group presented their "Puppy Pit" student stress project, while the junior group presented their "Glow Again" depression awareness project. Each group won their event bracket!

Congratulations also to Alyssa Schippert, senior Health Tech student, who was one of six finalists for a HPAPC scholarship! Congratulations to our Health Tech Prep students and their instructor Chris Baker.



Finding Treasures While Learning Geometry

Matthew Westfall's high school geometry classes finished coursework and were excited to apply what they learned this year! Classes learned about how GPS trilateration is used to determine one's location with mapping software and apps. They also discussed how latitude and longitude are measured and how slight changes in each can affect one's location on the globe.

These principles were put into practice when the classes went 'Geocaching' around the high school grounds. Geocaching is a real-world, outdoor treasure hunting game introduced 17 years ago using GPS-enabled devices. Today approximately 2 million geocaches lie hidden worldwide, including some right here in Lake Township and on school district grounds!

Participants navigate to a specific set of GPS coordinates, then attempt to find the geocache treasure hidden in a container found at that location (which are listed at www.geocaching.com). A log (notebook) is included at each location with a 'treasure' (usually a small toy, trinket, fun item); people sign the log to record that they found it.

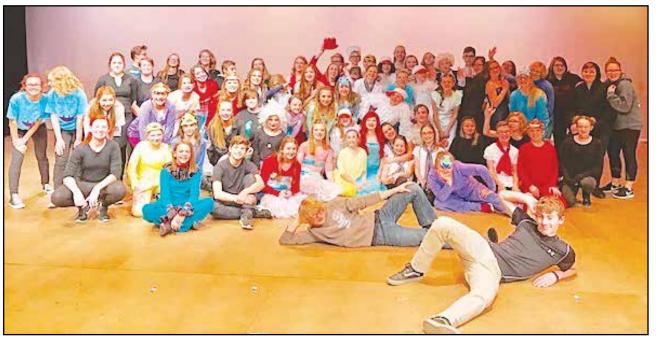
"I hid two of the geocaches (unregistered), but there were three that we found that were pre-registered



and can be found by anyone that has the geocaching app," said Westfall. "The students really enjoyed finding these caches. Many of them have plans to continue Geocaching in Quail Hollow and many other surrounding parks," said Westfall.

Westfall enjoys doing Geocaching with his family. "My kids enjoy finding them at Quail Hollow, etc. We have found them in other states while traveling. It is also a fun activity to do if you're out getting ice cream, or going on a hike. The farthest we hiked to find one was three miles in West Virginia. My son ended up finding it in a tree stump!"

Middle School News (Continued from page 5)



Middle School Drama Presented "Little Mermaid Jr."

Students presented a spectacular production of Little Mermaid Jr. The cast and crew practiced extremely long and hard for this show and it definitely paid off! They were all fantastic! We also had a Princess and Prince walk during intermission, allowing many little ones dressed in costume from the audience to walk across the stage with a cast member. Great job, students!



Just Keep Rowing!

Recently students in middle school physical education classes have been using brand new rowing machines to track how many meters they row each day. The students use the rowers at the beginning of each class for about 10 minutes, and the teachers track the total meters on a white board. Students have been rowing for the past few weeks and have collectively rowed 150,000 meters. Dan Sears, middle school physical education teacher stated, "Students having been running up to us at the beginning of class and asking to be picked to use the rower. They can use a piece of cardio equipment and feel the benefits of using it. Next year we are going to track our meters to see if we can row a distance equivlent to crossing the United States!"

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CLASSROOM HAPPENINGS & EVENTS

Meet the Teacher Night

Monday, August 14, 2017 • 5-6 PM for Fourth- and Fifth-Grade Students and Parents

The staff would like to welcome all our students and parents to Lake Elementary prior to the first day of school. Come meet your teachers, find your classrooms and locker, review your schedule, and get excited for a GREAT year at Lake Elementary! Lake Elementary is an awesome place to be! We hope to see everyone there!

*There will be "instrument pick up" for fifth graders who are in band or orchestra during this time in the cafeteria and small gym.

Fifth Grade Artists Use Ipad/Osmo to Recreate Work of M.C. Escher



New software called OSMO is being used through an annual partnership between ArtsinStark and art teachers Joni Susa and Jamie Stegner with fifth grade students at Lake Elementary School. Fifth grade art classes used the art department's new iPads to search Google and use OSMO technology.

Students engaged in conversations about symbolism in art, and how artists use symbols to express emotions or make a personal statement. Students examined several works by M.C. Escher, then focused mainly on his mezzotint titled Eye, 1946.

Art teachers helped students find images that symbolically represented the "apple" of the student's eye. Using OSMO software, students converted photos into line drawings. They adjusted color gradients and used enlargement tools, then practiced contour drawing to replicate the image by handdrawing it onto a 2D surface. During the process art teachers also reviewed fifth grade Physical Science standards exploring how light interacts with objects.

Fourth Grade

Marisa Stropoli and Stacey Darrah's fourth grade classes are testing out different types of furniture to be used in our new building! The chairs are called Ruckus chairs. They are on wheels, have storage built in, and provide students with different options for seating. They can sit the traditional way, or backwards, and the lip provides a work surface. Finally, they can also be used as a stool by perching on the back of it... they are virtually un-tippable!!!



Also, other furniture being tested are combinations of work stations. There are individual student desks that look more like small tables with wheels in the front to provide mobility. The second style is a large table with locking wheels that seats 2 students. When 4 of these are put together, they provide ample space for group work. When students want to work individually, there are whiteboards that can be mounted to provide a divider. The dividers also double as dry erase boards to brainstorm or show work for math problems.



Beam Signing for 2-6 **Building**

It was a hot and sunny day in May when Hammond Construction brought a steel beam and placed it in our parking lot. Students and staff at Lake and Hartville Elementary, as well as some administrators and Board of Education members had the opportunity to sign their name to the steel beam as a keepsake for all to enjoy. The steel beam will be exposed to view in an open area in the new 2-6 building.



Emma Fulk completes a line drawing.





Thank You to Our PTO

We extend a special thank you to our Lake Elementary PTO for all of their support and programming for the students during this school year. They organized special events and activities for all students to enjoy. Our PTO also provided funds for Santa Secret Shop items, field trips, books, scholarships, DARE graduation, and the Celebration of Learning.

They are also collaborating with the other two PTO organizations to purchase roller skates for the physical education unit taught to K-5 students, so that skating can be offered free of charge in the future. Thank you, Lake Elementary PTO!



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Sunday School Sunday Worship

11:00 a.m.

Sunday Evening Wednesday Evening

We would love for you to fellowship and worship with us!

Summer Singings 11:00 a.m.

June 11, 2017 July 16, 2017 September 10, 2017 **Chestnut Ridge Chuck Compton**

UNIONTOWN ELEMENTARY

CLASSROOM HAPPENINGS & EVENTS

Counselor's Corner

Mrs. Nancy Turner, School Counselor

Our focus this year was to be kind. During the summer students can continue our focus of "kindness to all!"

Here are ideas for student activities during the summer:

- Plant a garden.
- Help a neighbor with a project.
- READ!
- Get outside and play!
- Journalize your vacation.
- READ!
- Go camping.....even if it is only in the backyard!
- Make a scrapbook.
- Go fishing.
- READ!
- Have a garage sale donate money earned to a charity.
- Ride bikes....with a helmet!
- Join the Stark County Library Summer Reading Program.
- Take a hike at Quail Hollow.
- READ!
- Go to an Akron "Rubber Ducks" game
- Go swimming, play baseball, play soccer, play tennis, play golf (use sunscreen!)
- Limit all screen time!
- · Have a lemonade stand.
- READ! READ! READ! READ! READ! READ!

Have a safe, relaxing summer!

First Grade

The Aultman Foundation visited our first grade classrooms to teach children about bike safety. Each student was presented with a bike helmet to take home. Thank you Aultman Hospital! We love the bike helmets!



Students researched wild animals, and presented it through creation of shoe box habitats and/or posters, and clay figures made in Art class. Thank you, Mrs. Hockenberry! Students enjoyed learning about animals!

Mrs. Hockenberry collaborated with the high school Art Department for another fantastic Art Partner project! First grade students drew a self portrait, and the high school students drew a fun background to complement and complete it. High school students visited Uniontown, and enjoyed meeting their first grade art partners during a lunch/recess. Thank you Mrs. Hockenberry, Ms. Knish, and Mr. Keller



for keeping this tradition alive. We look forward to doing it again next year!

Second Grade

During our Economics unit, students learned about wants and needs, goods and services, and consumers and producers. As a culminating activity, students "opened" a store, and Uniontown first graders 'shopped' in different second grade classrooms. Second grade raised \$248.17, which was donated to the Lake CARE team.

Students also learned about fossils. Mrs. Hockenberry collaborated with second grade teachers helped and students to make their own fossils. This was a



wonderful learning experience!

During May, students learned about famous Americans. Students rotated to a different second grade classroom for one week to learn about Neil Armstrong, Amelia Earhart, Molly Pitcher, Helen Keller, and Babe Ruth. After completing the rotations, students chose a famous American to research, and created a baseball card about him or her. Students eagerly shared their new knowledge with classmates.



Kindergarten

We finished our vehicle unit, which for the past two years has incorporated use of Lego WeDo. Throughout the year, students built



objects out of Legos and coded them to move. While studying vehicles, students built and coded



a race car to race against their friends. We also built different vehicles using recyclable materials. They were able to identify 2D and 3D shapes they used to build their vehicle. These vehicles even became characters during Writer's Workshop as students used them to write fictional stories.

Third Grade

Thank you to all parents who supported our homework program and helped students reach goals. Academic performance soars when parents work individually with their child. Our students have shown tremendous growth.

Students read various genres, with favorites book series/authors including *Geronimo Stilton, Magic Treehouse, Junie B. Jones, Beverly Cleary, Diary of a Wimpy Kid,* and books from the *I Survived* series. Lake Library has a fantastic summer reading program for reluctant and avid readers.

Students learned basic multiplication and division facts. Use flashcards and computer programs through the summer so students retain skills and are prepared for fourth grade. Students also learned geometry, fractions, and story problems.

May began with a Cinco de Mayo celebration. Special visitor Yamilet Fleming shared info about Spanish culture and vocabulary. She was a wonderful resource, and we appreciate her sharing her heritage. We walked through Uniontown to study its history. Mrs. Pressler and Mrs. Heisler opened their homes for a visit, and the Lake Township Historical Society shared what local life was like long ago.

Science students watched tadpoles and caterpillars complete metamorphosis into frogs and butterflies. We thank Mr. Kreitz, Mrs. Stuyvesant, Mrs. Null and others who maintain the science garden during the year; we were able to watch plants and lifeforms, including new turtles and frogs this spring. A favorite activity was dissecting owl pellets - check out local parks that provide summer night hikes allowing you to observe owls.

Finally, thank you to our PTO, our parents, and Mrs. Deckerd for a successful Third Grade Recognition Night. It was well attended, and photo boards showed growth of each child from infancy to third grade. Students shared favorite Uniontown Elementary memories, and sang patriotic songs. We wish everyone a safe and happy summer. We will miss our students, but know they are going to impress their fourth grade teachers!

RTVILLE ELEMENTARY

CLASSROOM HAPPENINGS & EVENTS

Students Enjoyed "Oh, The Places You'll Go!" Right to Read Week

Each day during this week in March there was a different theme camping, beach, sport, patriotic day, and Disney/theme park day. Students kicked off the week with a video - made by their very own



teachers - about the many places you can go when reading books. During the week students solved riddles about famous people and places, welcomed guest readers into their classroom, participated in "Stop, Drop, and Read,' had themed snacks, toured an RV, and enjoyed a library presentation about summer reading programs.

Each student also received a drawstring bag to carry books for the week. The special week ended with a school-wide movie - An American Tale - and popcorn donated by the Hartville PTO. Students had a great time with the different activities each day, and traveling many places through the stories they read!



Students are excited to be reading, writing stories, and exploring real world problems. Teachers are proud of many accomplishments made by our classes. Being a part of these advancements is so rewarding! We completed an Earth Day unit where we learned about energy, conservation, recycling, and the many resources we have. Classes made pledges to help the earth, went on trash hikes, made recycled paper, and created posters to present. Kindergarteners love making present, so they were also excited to make Mother's Day and Father's Day gifts to take home!

In addition, we went on a walking field trip to the Hartville Chocolate Factory. They taught us what they do at the Chocolate Factory, where chocolate comes from, and we sampled delicious chocolate and an ice cream cone. THANKS to the Hartville Chocolate Factory! Our families joined us at the park for a picnic, and we were able to meet our friends' families. We ended the year with our Celebration of Learning put on by the PTO. Thanks to all of the volunteers who helped make this happen.

Along with excitement comes some sadness as the year closes. We will miss their smiling faces, exciting stories, and warm hugs! We appreciate our community and family support that we receive here at Hartville Elementary. Students received special "summer packets" to take home to review skills we worked on this year. Have a safe, enjoyable summer!

Art Students Receive Awards at SmartSplash!



Elizabeth King and her South American Alpaca.







Macoy Gullace and his primary colored cats.

The Hartville Elementary Art Department enjoyed success at the ArtsinStark SmartSplash Stark County Art Show, with several winners coming from our school! From among 96 entries of art work, three Hartville students took home big prizes. Second grader, Elizabeth King, in Miss Stegner's art class, won Best of Show for the entire grades K-5 art show. She received a first place medal and \$150 gift card to Pat Catan's for art supplies, generously donated by ArtsinStark. Two of Joni Susa's students received first place awards for their age group. Macoy Gullace, in kindergarten, received a first place from grades K-1, and Alyssa VanKeulen, grade 3, received a first place in grades 2-3. They will also receive a first place medal and a \$100 gift card to Pat Catan's from ArtsinStark. We are proud of them and their standout efforts in the county art scene!

Third Grade

An Economics Store operated in January and February. The students loved learning and buying snacks in the morning. We were able to show a profit, and it was donated to our School Therapy Dog, Mason. With money we donated items will be purchased for him, including a collar, scarf, harness, and cooling pad for the hot summer months. The remainder of the money will go into a fund for his daily living needs. We were all very happy to use the money for such a worthwhile program. Mason visits us every day and shares many wags with the kids.

Students have also read many, many books this year. We have a couple students (pictured right) who have excelled in their reading this year, including **Liz Saji**, who has more than 600 AR points, and James Caudill, with more than 400 AR points! Fantastic job to both of them! Keep reading this summer!

First Grade

Students worked hard on animal habitat projects, completing researched their animals. designing then



and constructing their animal in its natural habitat. Fifth graders helped by turning shoe boxes into perfect habitats for our animals. We next held a first grade Open House to showcase our hard work! Students also showcased their musical talents with a program coordinated by Natalie Deckerd; we thank her for preparing students for this event.

We also had many community visitors in our classroom this spring! Aultman Hospital donated bicycle helmets to every first grader, and volunteers shared the importance of bicycle safety, while students from Walsh University used different experiments to show how seeds travel. This prepared us for a field trip to Quail Hollow, where we will explore plants, animals, and insects in their natural habitats. It's fun to put our knowledge into practice!!

Second Grade

During April, students learned about economics. Producers, consumers, goods, services, needs, and wants, were terms students studied and applied. As a culminating activity, second graders participated in an economic store with first graders. Second graders were producers who made goods, while first graders

were consumers, who bought the goods. We raised \$270! All proceeds were applied to the Kimberly Bosko scholarship, which is awarded to a deserving Lake High School senior.



In May, second graders studied U.S. presidents. Each student picked a president, and researched their president using biographies and on-line websites. Students needed to research their president's early life, their contributions to society, any interesting facts, and their president's later life. Next students wrote a speech that they would need to read off of a notecard or memorize. Finally, as a culminating activity they presented their presidents at the Hall of Presidents in the Lake Elementary gym. Each student dressed in costume to resemble their president, and

read/memorized info on their notecard to share important information about him with all parents and relatives who visited the Hall.



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DISTRICT NEWS

Under Construction!

Lake Local Schools' building projects are underway and progressing on schedule at Lake High School, the new 2-6 Elementary and Uniontown Elementary.



Middle/High School

Construction is progressing at the high school site, with work focused on construction of the new two-story classroom wing located on the south side of the building. The building pad has been constructed and the necessary utility connections have been installed. All footers for the 80,000-square-foot addition and masonry perimeter foundation walls are also in place. During the month of May, the concrete slab on grade will be poured. Once the slab is complete you will see construction crews working to erect the steel frame of the addition, which will continue throughout



the summer months. There will also be interior work taking place inside the high school while students are on break. Utility connections will be improved so that sufficient water and power can be fed through the existing high school into the new addition. This multi-year project that will transform the school from a 9-12 high school into a new 7-12 campus continues to progress on schedule, and within budget.







Vaccinations Required (Continued from page 1)

Both the required TDaP and Meningitis (A, C, Y, W-135) shots can be obtained from now until the first day of school. Contact your Primary Care Physician, local pharmacy, urgent care center, or the Stark County Health Department (330-493-9914) for appointment.

When they are obtained, provide a copy of your child's shot record, with vaccination dates, to the Lake Middle School or Lake High School main office after August 1, 2017 so your student's record can be updated.

Note exception: A pupil who presents a written statement of the pupil's parent or guardian in which the parent or guardian declines to have the pupil immunized for reasons of conscience, including religious convictions, is not required to be immunized. Ohio Revised Code section 3313 67

Please contact School Nurse Therese Gilbert, BSN, RN, LSN, via e-mail at gilberttherese@lakelocal.org with questions.



DISTRICT NEWS

Grades 2-6 Elementary School

The 135,000-square-foot new 2-6 school building located behind the existing Lake/Hartville Elementary has had an active construction site since Spring. All footers have been installed and crews are currently working on constructing the masonry walls and installing underground plumbing and electric. Steel delivery to the site occurred in mid May, 2017. Over the summer months you will see contractors setting steel, pouring the concrete slab and building the masonry walls. A beam signing also occurred in mid May at the Lake/Hartville Elementary site. Students and staff signed a 20-foot steel beam that will be placed in the completed 2-6 building.











Uniontown Elementary School

The Uniontown Elementary addition and renovation project will also have some construction work scheduled for the summer months. Hammond is currently bidding a site utility relocation package. This package of work will move the domestic water and gas lines and provide a water line for the fire sprinkler system which will be installed throughout the building. The large project, which includes the addition of a new classroom wing, media center and gymnasium as well as renovations of the existing school are set to begin in the Spring of 2018. When completed after winter break of the 2018-2019 school year, Uniontown will reopen as a PK-1 school.

DISTRICT NEWS



District Staff **Accepted Fitness** Challenge

Beginning February 1, 2017, nearly half of the Lake Local School District staff began walking, running, biking, swimming, dancing, and moving their way toward achieving a fitness goal of moving 200 miles in 100 days. The key to this challenge was that these 200 miles were only to be counted if they were additional, above-and-beyond movement outside an individual's typical day.

Lake Local School District's Wellness Committee implemented a challenge called "The 200 Miles in 100 Days Challenge" and encouraged employees to move their way toward 200 miles. The employees used a conversion chart for activity outside of walking to ensure that all of their movement counted. The district created an online tracking log for employees to keep track of their mileage.

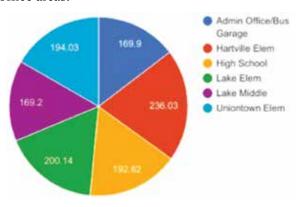
The challenge ended on Wednesday, May 10, 2017. By the end of the challenge, after 100 days, 117 people reached the 200-mile goal, accumulating 38,849.45 miles in the process. Each received a medal for their goal setting efforts.

Four employees achieved "top mover" status, by moving the most individually. Ron Haught (Hartville Elementary) moved 715.49 miles, Jenna Boyes (Uniontown Elementary) moved 611.26 miles, Travis Stein (Hartville Elementary) moved 526.43 miles, and Jeff Wertman (Lake High School) moved 579 miles. Other top movers were Jason Keller (Lake High School) totaling 454 miles, Greg Scott (Hartville Elementary) 506.04 miles, and Nathan Klein (Hartville Elementary) 441.49 miles.

Some Lake administrators were also among those with the highest mileage counts: Dan Harold -300.73 miles, **Jeff Breit** – 351 miles, **Donna Bruner** - 272.15 miles, and **Brian Reed** – 408 miles.

A competition was also held between the district's school buildings during this challenge; Hartville Elementary came out on top with each of Hartville's participants averaging 236.08 miles per participant!

The pie graph below shows all the final average miles of movement completed by district buildings/ office areas.



Tobin and Bailey Co-Grand Marshals of 2017 Lions Parade

Guess who will be leading this summer's annual Uniontown Lions' Festival Parade?

Lake Superintendent Kevin Tobin and Board of Education President Derrick Bailey will be co-Grand Marshals. Both appropriately reflect the 2017 parade theme, "Rebuilding for Education," according to Lions member Bob Moffat.

Tobin and Bailey were chosen due to the respective roles they play in serving students, staff, and residents of the school district, and their ongoing efforts relative to the districtwide construction project currently underway.

"I am excited to be a part of this festival, especially as our school district continues a multi-year construction project of new and remodeled school facilities," said Tobin. "When completed, our facilities will provide a flexible, student centered learning environment promoting collaboration and the integration of technology."



"I have immense respect for Bob Moffatt, Mark Troyer, and members of the Hartville/ Uniontown Lions Clubs. I am incredibly humbled by the invitation. They are such supporters of Lake Township and Lake Local Schools - even being considered is an honor. We are so excited the taxpayers of Lake Local Schools have given us this opportunity to build and rebuild not only our buildings, but also the way we deliver a quality education. The phrase 'great at Lake' is true, and means so much," said Bailey.

The annual parade is one component of the Festival, set for August 16 -19, 2017. It will again be staged totally within the grounds adjacent to the Hartville MarketPlace, and will begin at 5 p.m. Saturday, August 19, 2017.

The later start will allow merchants at the Marketplace to close and exit their shops before parade crowds

During the first several days of the Lions Festival, visitors will be able to enjoy scheduled live entertainment (local entertainers, bands, and dance groups), buy food from local vendors, see displays regarding Lions projects and local businesses/organizations, enjoy carnival rides and games, and more.

The festival's popular fireworks display will also be held at the MarketPlace Saturday evening, August 19, 2017.

Funds raised by the Lions from Festival proceeds will support various service projects throughout our local community.

Prizes, graciously donated by local businesses, were awarded to staff participating in the competition through drawings held midway (as an incentive to keep going) and upon completion of the challenge.

"Thanks to EVERYONE for participating. Your dedication to your health is inspiring! It was an amazing 100 days!," said Becca Schusler, member of the Employee Wellness Committee) all, I think this challenge presented an opportunity for healthy living to become part of the daily conversation for many of the staff. I heard so many words of encouragement, status checks amongst staff members, and people excited about moving more."

The Employee Wellness Committee is a newer district initiative, completing its second year of promoting employee fitness and well-being.

Next year the Committee is considering implementing a challenge in the fall focusing on stress reduction and overall mental health.



Lake Middle School 200-Milers



Uniontown Elementary 200-Milers

Please call (330) 877-9975 to register or go to starklibrary.org

Check Out These Lake Library Events!

Friends of the Library Book Sale

Wed, June 14......5:30 – 7:30 pm (friends only) Fri, June 16..... BOOK SALE CLOSED Sat, June 17 9 – 5 pm Mon, June 19.....9 – 1 pm Bag Sale Monday Clean Up will begin at 1 pm

ATTENTION Friends of Library **MEMBERS:**

Due to current construction at the Lake High School complex, electricity will be turned off FRIDAY, June 16, 2017 for all entities. Therefore the Lake Community Library adjusted times for our upcoming book sale. Please tell your friends, neighbors, relatives about this change.

Adult Programs

Knitty Gritters Knitting Club

Mondays, 11 am - 1 pm

Jun 5, 19; Jul 3, 17, 31; Aug 7, 21

12th Annual Lake Community Branch Photo Contest

In Partnership with Quail Hollow Camera Club

Begins Jun 5 during Library Hours; submit photos by July 29. Ages 8 and up.

Photo Judging: Tuesday, Aug 1, 6 - 8 pm

Book Club: Mystery Book Club Tuesdays, 2 - 3 pm Jun 6; Aug 1

Blockbuster Wednesdays

Wednesdays, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Jun 7, Jul 5, Aug 2; enjoy a fun day out and watch a newly released video.

Social Security: Your Questions Answered

Tuesday, Jun 20, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

Nate Hershman from Edward Jones will discuss how Social Security fits into your retirement income plan, when to start taking benefits, and tax considerations.

Book Club: Booked on Tuesdays

Tuesdays, 6 - 7:30 pm

Jun 27; Jul 25; Aug 22

Meet Mystery Author Linda Castillo

Thursday, July 13 6 pm

New York Times bestselling author Linda Castillo will discuss and sign her newest book Down A Dark Road. Interview with Dan Kane of The Repository.

Time Matters: A Women's Outlook on Retirement

Tuesday, Jul 18, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Nate Hershman from Edward Jones will discuss financial concerns facing women transitioning to retirement.

ALL-AMERICAN TOTAL SOLAR ECLIPSE

Thursday, Aug 3, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

The Wilderness Center Astronomy Club will provide eclipse information on where/when to safely see a total eclipse of the sun occurring Monday, August 21, 2017.

Computer Classes

eBay

Saturday, Jun 3, 10 am - 11:30 am

Facebook

Saturday, Jun 17, 10 am - 11:30 am

Back up Computer

Saturday, Jul 8, 10 am - 11:30 am

Shutterfly

Saturday, Jul 22, 10 am - 11:30 am

Excel Basics

Saturday, Aug 12, 10 am - Noon

Word Basics

Saturday, Aug 26, 10 am - Noon

Children's Programs

Lego Club

Saturday, June 3; July 8; August 5 | 2:30 – 3:30 pm

Summer Reading Kickoff

Monday, June $5 \mid 1 - 4 \text{ pm}$

Build a better world with Jenga, Kev blocks, Twister, ice cream, and more! Special guest – origami expert Cirque du Paupier.

Story Times | June 12 - 29; July 10 - August 24

Baby: Tuesdays, 11 am-noon

Toddler: Wednesdays, 10 –10:30 am

Preschool: Wednesdays, 11:00 am-noon OR Thursdays, 10-

11:00 am

Pajama: 6:30-7:00 pm | Wednesdays

Mother-Daughter Book Club

Thursdays, 6:30-7:30 pm

June 15; July 27; August 25

Pups and Pages

June 24 | 10:30 am - 12 pm

Practice reading to a licensed therapy dog.

Build a Family Fort

Saturday, July 29, 2:30 - 3:30 pm Bring your own flashlights.

Teen Programs

Teen Create

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BAND & ORCHESTRA NEWS

HAPPENINGS & EVENTS

High School Band Students Recognized at Annual Spring Awards Banquet

The Lake High School Band students were recently recognized at their annual Spring Awards Banquet at Guy's Party Center April 24, 2017. The following awards were presented:

- Macey Parker received the John Philip Sousa Award. She was selected as the best representative of the band program in overall leadership and performance ability.
- Cassidy Ditchkus was also awarded the Louis Armstrong Jazz Award. This award represents the person who has contributed in both leadership and performance to the jazz program.
- Nick Walls received the Semper Fidelis award sponsored by the United States Marine Corps. This award is given to a musician who has first chair performance abilities and corresponding leadership skills to positively impact the performing group.
- The Director's Award was given to junior Alex Ramos.
 Alex demonstrated outstanding leadership and growth on
 her instrument, contributing to the successful year for the
 Symphonic Band.
- The Wind Symphony Leadership Award was given to Logan Crozier. Logan demonstrated outstanding leadership within the Wind Symphony this year, contributing to their successful year.
- The Outstanding Concert Band Members were awarded to Allison Chance - freshman, Blaine Hudak - sophomore, Michael Dickens - junior, and Sarah Law - senior.
- The Outstanding Marching Band Member Awards were presented to Lauren Klodt - freshman, Nathaniel Clevinger - sophomore, Nathan Beine - junior, and Tyler Speer - senior.
- Outstanding Soloist Awards in jazz were given to Lucas Spencer, Emily Schrembeck and Logan Martin.
- V.I.P. (Very Improved Player) Awards for jazz were given to Billy Brown, Caleb Hooper and Adam McCloskey.
- The "Steady as a Rock" Award was given to senior Derek Gullett. This award is given to a jazz band member that exhibits the most dependability with their actions and on their music.
- Justin Ivan, Sarah Law, Macey Parker, Jonas Short, Taylor Thomas, and Jason Zwick. These are students that have gone above and beyond the requirements of band to help out in different ways.

Each of the senior band officers were presented with an engraved key chain for their service to the band: Nick Walls – President, Holly Tobin – Vice President, Talia Pope – Treasurer, Sarah Igleheart – Secretary, Abigail Starkey & Taylor Thomas – Historians, Bailey Martin – Tech Officer, and Sarah Law – senior representative.

- Four \$1000 Band Booster Scholarships were awarded to seniors Sarah Igleheart, Bailey Martin, Macey Parker, and Nick Walls. These students were chosen based on scores from essays, interviews, and activities.
- The Jimmy Tawney Scholarship was awarded to senior Samantha Davis. This scholarship goes to a band student who continually show unconditional kindness to others.
- The Zach Doherty Award and Scholarship was presented to seniors Sam Bruner and Talia Pope. Because of the generosity of the Doherty family and friends, these two students received this award and scholarship in memory of 2014 Lake High

School graduate and Lake Band member, Zach Doherty. This award is presented to band students that strive to do their best in all tasks in band without expecting any recognition in return, just as Zach lived his life.

All students enrolled in the band program for their first year were recognized by receiving a letter, those with one or more years also received a participation bar, or plaque based on the number of years they have participated.

Lake Middle School Band students achieve top ratings at OMEA event

All Lake seventh and eighth grade band students performed Saturday, April 8, 2017 at the **Ohio Music Education Association (OMEA) District 8 Adjudicated Event** held at Alliance High School. All students participated in at least one small ensemble, and some students also performed solos. Each performance was given a rating and comments by a judge based on tone, intonation, interpretation, and technique. Ratings were given based on the following scale: I – Superior, II – Excellent, III – Good, IV – Fair, and V – Poor.

Lake's 44 adjudicated performances (involving 30 different band ensembles and 14 individuals performing solos) received an outstanding 36 Superior (I) ratings, 7 Excellent (II) ratings, and 1 Good (III) rating.

The following ensembles received a "superior" rating: 7th Flute Trio A: Tyler Preda, EmmaLouise Earles, Megan Silvis; 7th Flute Trio B: Mackenzie White, Lizzie Yoder, Audrey Kirk; 7th Flute Choir: Audrey Kirk, Lizzie Yoder, Tyler Preda, Mackenzie White, EmmaLouise Earles, Madisyn Broyles, Keeley Sample, Megan Silvis; 7th Double Reed Quartet: Robert Schrembeck, Gabby Gazdacko, Madison Didyk, McKenzi Brinkerhoff; 7th Clarinet Choir A: Jacob Lacey, Kylie O'Sullivan, Jacob Behrend, Grace James, Logan Batchik; 7th Clarinet Choir B: Logan Miller, Marina Horton, Bella Schlabach, Olivia Carr, Melinda Hench, Zachary Mace; 7th Woodwind Quartet: Audrey Kirk, Gabby Gazdacko, Grace James, Madison Didyk; 7th French Horn Trio: Robert Eberz, Ian Calcei, Tysen Leib; 7th Low Brass Choir: Alyssa Lavy, Michael Harris, Wyatt Metz, Ian Clevinger, Sam Rabal, Robert Capron, Eli Mirkovic; 7th Percussion Ensemble: Wendy Tobin, Joshua Kuhn, Tony Stepic, Adam Burkett, Marissa Oblisk, Grace Snodgrass; 7-8 Oboe Quartet: Robert Schrembeck, Gabby Gazdacko, Zach Cutting, Ranita DiMarco; 8th Flute Trio A: Jade Hamrick, Anna Labbe, Sydney Moore; 8th Flute Trio B: Aubrey Lengel, Kennedy Willis, Sarah Pindel; 8th Flute Choir: Jade Hamrick, Anna Labbe, Aubrey Lengel, Sarah Pindel, Sydney Moore, Kennedy Willis; 8th Double Reed Trio: Zach Cutting, Ranita DiMarco, Austin Emery; 8th Clarinet Trio A: Claire Fuller, Amanda Kaser, Paige Brophy; 8th Clarinet Trio B: Tyler Milush, Nick Bradcovich, Calvin Milush; 8th Clarinet Choir A: Claire Fuller, Amanda Kaser, Tyler Milush, Nick Bradcovich, Calvin Milush, Tasha Tarter, Paige Brophy, Lauren Cunningham; 8th Saxophone Ensemble: Connor Wertman, Stanley Yerrick, Nathan Ross, Daniel Lyogky, Nathan Grega; 8th Trumpet Ensemble: Tannor Boston, Dillon Walls, Tate Wise, Henry Ditchkus, Eli Bragg, Gage Briggs, Collin Talkington, Hannah Spicer, Tyler Eakin, Sujeeth Muruganandam, Tommy Clark, Zach Robinson, Cody Endinger, Matt Troyer; 8th French Horn Choir: Aaron Martin, Matthew Desjardins, David Whitacre, Sydney Linsky, Jake Bishop; 8th Low Brass Choir: Ethan

Gullett, Paul Jentes, Garrett Marshall, Rhys Patrykas, Joey Despina, Andrew Wagner, Sabrina Nespo, Jakub Edwards, Ethan Kraft, Ashton Ninni, Jaden Gonzales, Julian Hackel, Michael Walls; 8th Percussion Ensemble: Drew Bailey, Logan Zetts, Colton Zeitler, Alexandra Gordon-Waite, Niki Mirkovic, Olivia Conrad.

The following soloists received a "superior" rating: Audrey Kirk, Flute; Sydney Moore, Flute; Sarah Pindel, Flute; Kennedy Willis, Flute; Lizzie Yoder, Flute; Robert Schrembeck, Oboe; Nick Bradcovich, Clarinet; Jacob Lacey, Clarinet; Kylie O'Sullivan, Clarinet; Stan Yerrick, Alto Saxophone; Tate Wise, Trumpet; Amanda Caudill, Trombone; Ian Clevinger, Tuba.

The following ensembles received an "excellent" rating: 7th Trombone Choir: Amanda Caudill, Nathan Miles, Nick Teeple, Garrett Sullivan, Anderson Neidert, Nick Tarter, Kalen Caris; 7th Trumpet Choir: Joshua Martin, Cooper Bertschi, Nolan Pascu, Austin Hockenberry, Cameron Ryan, Kendra Werstler; 7th Trombone Quartet: Nathan Miles, Nick Teeple, Garrett Sullivan, Anderson Neidert; 7th Percussion Ensemble: Nicholas Gordon-Waite, Sean Turner, Colton King, Ryan Thomas, Ryan Moorhead; 8th Clarinet Choir B: Tasha Tarter, Cooper Smith, Hannah Bolton, Nelia Smith, Ray Risden; 8th Brass Quintet: Tate Wise, Tanner Boston, Aaron Martin, Ethan Gullett, Jaden Gonzales.

The following soloist received an "excellent" rating: Aubrey Lengel, Flute.

The following ensemble received a "good" rating: 7th Baritone Trio; Alyssa Lavy, Michael Harris, Wyatt Metz.

"We continue to be proud of the talents our band students consistently exhibit at this event. It is a testament to the importance that Lake Local Schools places on our Arts programs. We are very fortunate to have administrators and a Board of Education that understand and appreciate the importance of the Arts," said Lake's Director of Music Rich Kibler.

Congratulations to all these students, and all the Band instructors leading them at Lake Local Schools!

Lake Orchestra Update

The orchestra program at Lake Local Schools is strong and growing, with 230 students participating in grades 5-12! The orchestras, directed by Arleen Scott and Kathryn Griesinger, presented fall, winter, and spring school concerts. Members of the High School Orchestra also performed for Lake's annual Veteran Day Assembly, the Lake Township Historical Society Banquet in December, and LHS Graduation on June 3, 2017.

In pursuit of further excellence in music, many Lake Orchestra students are also members of local youth orchestras. Nora Haddon (grade 7), Mackenzie Donahue (grade 8), and sophomore Abbie Neo play in the Canton Youth Symphony. High school students Alex Johnson, Sophia Yoder, Emily Weil, and Alex Xuan perform with the Akron Youth Symphony. This year, sophomore violinist Alex Xuan achieved the high honor of earning a chair in the first violin section of the Cleveland Orchestra Youth Orchestra, a select ensemble of northeast

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ATHLETIC NEWS

HAPPENINGS & EVENTS

Lake Orchestra Update

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Ohio's most talented music students that performs in Cleveland's renowned Severance Hall.

Lake High School Orchestra students performed at OMEA Solo & Ensemble at GlenOak High School on Saturday, January 14, 2017. They represented Lake Schools well, earning Superior ratings in every category. Students and their events were: Sophia Yoder (viola solo), Alex Johnson (cello solo), Caitlyn Barrett (violin solo), Nicholas Desjardins (cello solo), Emily Weil (viola solo), Abbie Neo and Madelynn Hobson (violin duet), Aris DiGiacomo (violin), Andrew Miller (violin), Sophia Yoder (viola), Alex Johnson (cello) performed as a string quartet.

Lake High School Chamber Orchestra and Lake High School String Orchestra performed for OMEA State Contest at Hudson High School on Friday, February 24, 2017. Both orchestras earned a Superior overall rating for their performances.

Lake Middle School Seventh/Eighth Grade Orchestra students performed at OMEA Solo & Ensemble at Alliance High School on Saturday, April 8, 2017. Every solo and ensemble earned a Superior rating:

Grade 7: Cole DeLuca (violin solo), Grace Milhoan (violin solo), Mary Billman (violin solo), Nora Haddon (violin solo), Janessa Wallbrown and Madison Lisy (violin duet), Ava Miller and Audrey

Warnick (cello duet), Trent Hobson and Lauren Warder (bass duet), Regal Overture String Choir, and Regal Procession String Choir.

Grade 8: Caleb Adams (violin solo), Mackenzie Donahue (viola solo), Serenity Knopp (viola solo), Daniel Hollis (violin solo), Aryn McCaslin (cello solo), Gavin Yoder (violin solo), Aryn McCaslin and Arianna Bloom (cello duet), Lake 8th Grade String Quartet (Daniel Hollis, Caleb Adams, Mackenzie Donahue, Aryn McCaslin), Attila String Choir, and Velocity String Choir.

Lake Orchestra Director **Arleen Scott** also was acknowledged this year for her excellence as a teacher. A finalist for the Canton Symphony Music Educator of the Year Award, she was among the finalists honored during a Canton Symphony Concert and program held at the Zimmerman Symphony Center February 25, 2017.

Athletics

Football Tickets

Football Season tickets are available to new season ticket holders beginning June 26th. Tickets may be purchased online at the athletics web site by following the link, or by going directly to www.lakelocal.org/LakeTicketing.aspx. Season ticket renewals for last year's ticket holders has already begun and runs until June 21st. Tickets will be mailed or be available for pick up in August.



Federal League Tickets

New ticket pricing for the Federal League: All varsity sports are now \$8 reserved, \$7 general admission, and \$4 students and senior citizens. Please note there are no \$4 tickets sold at the gate for varsity football games. All freshmen and middle school contests are \$3 adult and \$2 students/senior citizens.

Sports Schedules

Most Fall Schedules are now posted on the web site. There will likely be small changes, but they are accurate as of now and will change very little. Other schedules will be posted as they are finalized. Keep up with any last minute changes by joining the **Lake Athletics Remind Group**. Text @lakesports to 81010 on your mobile phone and never miss a schedule change or cancellation again.

Congratulations!

Congratulations to **Dawson Drummond** for being named the Federal League Player of the Year in Boys Tennis.

Stadium Parking

During construction, please be aware of the limited amount of Stadium Parking we will have for the next two football seasons. Look for information and reminders concerning the best available places to park when attending our games.



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T-Ball/ Youth Baseball

AGES: 3-4 Tue., Thu., or Sat. AGES: 4-6: Tue. Or Thu.

Games on Sat.

GRADES: 1st/2nd - Coach Pitch: Tue. Or Thu., Games on Sat. Contact Sports Director: Rob Dent rdent@ymcastark.org

Rob Dent rdent@ymcastark.org 5 week session **begins: July 17**



"SAVE THE DATE"

Lake Community YMCA

Golf Outing

WHEN: Saturday, July 22
TIME: 8:30am Shotgun Start
PLACE: Sable Creek Golf Course
Contact the YMCA for details.

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Youth Running

Grades: 1-3: Tue. At 4:30pm Grades: 4-6: Thu. At 4:30pm Contact Sports Director:

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