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From The Superintendent's Desk — By Mr. Freeman

As I am beginning my 4th year as superintendent of the Lakeview Community School District, I would like to take a moment to thank the administrators that I work with for their dedication to their jobs and the hard work that they do to make our school system a safe place for staff to work and students to learn. Sometimes we never fully appreciate the job that our administrators do until our students graduate and our students are out of school. If you get a chance, tell your student's administrator that you appreciate the job they are doing.

As I have mentioned before, it takes a team (students, parents, support staff, teachers and administrators) working with the board of education to make our school district an outstanding school system. By working together, we can continue the excellence of the Lakeview Community Schools into the future.

The school year is off to a great start and I

would like to welcome the returning and new staff to the 2012-2013 school year. This year we have added the following individuals to the Lakeview teaching staff:

- •Nora Kmiecik High School Social Studies
- •Angela Witt High School Physical Education
- •Cole Blomendahl High School Agriculture
- Jennifer Osten Elementary Teacher at Shell Creek
- Jackie Knobbe Elementary SPED Teacher at Platte Center

If you have the opportunity, please welcome them to the Lakeview District.

As you all are aware, the construction crews are almost finished with the addition/ remodeling project at the Shell Creek Elementary. As they are finishing the project, we

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Student NeSA Reports, Coming Soon!

Steve Borer, Principal 7-12

By the time you read this article you may have already received your child's individual NeSA student report. This article is written to inform you of the report and also to include some information that I hope is beneficial as you read and interpret your child's scores.

NeSA stands for Nebraska Schools Accountability, as a part of the new accountability system every student's parents/guardian in grades 3-8 and 11 will receive an individual report on how their child or children did on the last NeSA-Reading and NeSA-Math test. Students were as-

sessed on the NeSA-Reading and NeSA-Math last spring. Students in grades 4, 8, and 11 were also assessed in NeSA-Writing .

It is important to remember that these tests are summative in nature, meaning they are taken one time at the end of the year. It is a snapshot of a student's performance, at that time. Over a longer period of time the data provides a clearer picture of how your child is performing. This year the report includes Reading and Math scores for students in 3-8 and 11th grades and a Science score for students in the 5th, 8th and 11th grade



Included in this newsletter is a sample report, on the sample report I have included numbers indicating the different parts of the report. Below is an explanation of those different parts. Match the number of the ex-

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must again ask for your patience. We also need your help with the traffic flow when dropping off and picking up students or parking at the school. For now the traffic flow will be twofold. To drop students off on the west side of the building, turn off of 280th street and take the first left turn then turn left again onto the new (right lane) concrete drive. This drive through lane is oneway going north. Students are to be dropped off on the passenger side of the vehicles near the cones (there will be a painted line in the future). Those who wish to park should use the left lane to enter the parking lot area. Parents may also drop off students on the east side of the building. Please enter the 1st drive on the east, drop off your student by the doors and continue in a circle and exit by the second drive that is located a little further east. In the near future, we will have lines painted to help guide you through this process.

Our district should always have a goal to improve the sportsmanship of our athletes, coaches and spectators. As the fall sports season gets back into full swing, please keep this goal in mind. Everyone has high hopes for their teams and individuals as we head into the season. As you cheer for your favorite team and individuals, please try to keep the whole situation in perspective. These are high school/junior high school students trying to do their best. Please be a positive fan, cheer for your team and give respect to your opponents and the officials. Keep sportsmanship in mind as you cheer your team on to victory. I would highly encourage you to join together in an effort to improve our school district's sportsmanship.

At the time I am writing this article, we are currently working on the budget for the 2012-2013 school year. Last year our total budget was set at 96 cents/\$100 dollars of valuation, which included the \$5.4 million dollar bond issue. It is the goal of the board to provide a quality education for each student while watching the taxpayer dollar. This past year has been a difficult one due to the drought-like conditions. Keeping that in mind, next year's budget will be kept to a minimum tax asking.

NCLB NOTIFICATION

Parents/Guardians in the Lakeview Community School District have the right to learn about the following regarding their child's teacher's qualifications: state licensure status, special endorsements for grade level/subject area taught, and baccalaureate/graduate certification/degree.

Parents/Guardians may request this information from the Office of the Superintendent by calling 563-2345 or sending a letter of request to Office of the Superintendent, 3744 83rd Street, Columbus, NE 68601.

CHILD FIND

Child Find is a service to assist children with disabilities and their families. It is a law in Nebraska that educational services must be provided for children with disabilities, from birth or date of diagnosis through the school year in which the student becomes 21 years of age. If you know a child who is not currently being served, please call the Lakeview Community School District Superintendent's Office at (402) 563-2345.

In closing, we have an outstanding school district that has the potential to continue to get even better. I am looking forward to working with our staff and patrons to continue to develop and begin implementing long range plans to move our educational and activity programs to the next level of success.

planation with the number on the report to interpret your child's student report.

1. Identification Information

Student's identification information is provided at the top of the report. The students name, birth date, school district and grade are listed.

2. Scale Score and Performance Level

The student's scale score and performance level for Reading and Math is reported in this table. The range of the scale score is 0-200. An asterisk (*) next to the scale score indicates that the student received one of the not tested codes.

3. Content Standard

The first column in this table lists the content standard tested.

4. Total Number of Questions

The second column in this table lists the total number of questions and points possible for each content standard.

5. Student Percent Correct

The third column in this table shows the percent correct for each content standard. If a student was assigned a not tested code or if no attempt was made, this column is blank.

6. District Percent Correct

The fourth column in this table shows the percent correct at the district level for each content standard. This allows the reader to compare how an individual student performed as measured against district performance for the same standard.

7. State Percent Correct

The last column in this table shows the percent correct
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at the state level for each content standard. This allows the reader to compare how an individual student performed as measured against state performance for the same standard.

8. Interpretation of Chart

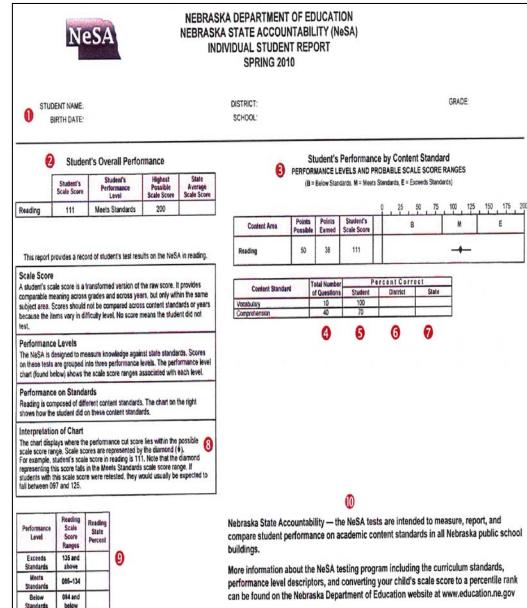
This paragraph provides an estimate of the range in scale scores the student would likely receive if he or she were to take the same test again. This statement is included only if the test had not been voided.

9. Performance Levels

The NeSA-Reading results are reported according to three performance levels: Exceeds Standards, Meets Standards, and Below Standards. Scale scores range from 0-200 for each grade. Each performance level has a correlating scale score range.

10. Status

The area at the bottom of the report lists that purpose of the NeSA tests and information regarding the Nebraska Department of Education website.





K-8 Pupil Transportation Reimbursement Forms found on Lakeview website

Reimbursement request forms were given to your child at the beginning of the 2012-2013 school year. Please complete the form <u>quarterly</u> and return to your school building office.

Mileage is paid for each actual mile traveled <u>to</u> school by the most direct route (minus 3 miles), to the parent/guardian transporting students to school

or a bus pick up site, whichever is closer. Use the calendar on the reverse side of the form to track days you actually drove students to school.

The reimbursement form is can be located on the Lakeview website (www.lakeviewcs.esu7.org) under "Parents" — "Parent Messages".

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School Meals are Changing - New School Meal Requirements

You may have heard there are new requirements for school meals. The new requirements re great news for our students! The new requirements will help Lakeview Community Schools build on the work we are already doing to provide more fruits, vegetables, whole grains and healthier entrees in our schools' cafeteria.

Some of the New Requirements include:

- Increasing the amount of fruits and vegetables
- Reducing the sodium in meals over the next 10 years
- Setting calorie limits
- Increasing whole grains
- Limiting the amount of meat/meat alternative and grains

Students will now be required to have ½ cup of fruits and/or vegetables on their tray for it to count as a full meal. Anything less than a full meal will be charged as individual items. We plan to offer a variety of fruits and vegetables daily to give students more options hop-

ing their choosing fruits and vegetables will be easy.

Schools are now limited on how much meat/meat alternate and grains can be offered. This means, some of the main dishes may not be as large as they have been in the past. Remember, there will be more fruits and vegetables available to fill out the meal and ensure students have plenty to eat!

In Lakeview Community Schools, we have already made progress toward meeting the new meal pattern requirements.

What We Are Doing

- Fresh fruits and vegetables are served every day.
- Sandwiches are served on whole wheat buns.
- All pasta served is whole grain.
- Milk is available as low-fat or fatfree
- Main dishes have been changed to reduce sodium.
- Dark green and orange vegetables are served on a weekly basis.

- Dried beans have been incorporated into some of the recipes.
- Salad bars are available every day that include romaine lettuce and spinach.

We will face some challenges to meet the new requirements on a tight budget, but our school nutrition program will work hard to made these healthy changes for our students and make each meal something our students will enjoy!

How You Can Help

The school nutrition program needs the support of the parents to succeed! Parents can support his effort by encouraging your child to give the healthier meals a try, joining your child for lunch, talk about the healthy options, or simply introduce your child to these healthy changes at home. You are you child(ren)'s primary role model. When they see you chose healthy foods, they are more likely to choose them as well.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact us. We are here to help!

Lakeview Library News...

The library is already buzzing with activity as the new school year starts. One of the new things offered this year is Twitter. Follow the library @LVlibrarian!

We will tweet out new books, booktrailers, research tips, and other fun stuff. We may even have a couple of contests designed just for our followers. I have found Twitter to be a powerful tool as an educator. I have connected with and learned from so many amazing librarians and educators through Twitter.

I also use Twitter with our students to discuss the power of

social media and digital citizenship in our ever changing world. I also find that with only 140 characters (including spaces) available, tweeting keeps us focused and concise in our communication - and sometimes we have to be creative to get it all in one message!

No matter what type of social media our students use, these are great opportunities to have a conversation about responsibility and kindness to others. A great website for parents, teachers, and students on social media and digital citizenship is Commonsensemedia.org. Check it out! - Mrs. Stogdill

STATEMENT OF NON-DISCRIMINATION

The Lakeview Community School District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, gender, marital status, disability or age in admission or access to, or treatment of employment, in its programs and activities. The following person has been designated to handle inquiries regarding complaints, grievance procedures or the application of these policies of non-discrimination. Superintendent Russ Freeman

Lakeview Community Schools 3744 83rd Street, Columbus, NE 68601 402-564-8518, rfreeman@esu7.org

BIG RED NIGHT

On Friday, July 20, the Lakeview Educational Foundation held the first "Big Red Night" fundraising activity to raise funds for scholarships and funds to enhance the educational opportunities for all students.

The night turned out to be a major success where in excess of \$20,000 was raised from the auction. A big thank you goes out to everyone who made this night a success

including those who attended, provided auction items, cash donations or supplied their time and efforts.

The Foundation would especially like to thank those individuals that donated items for the auction, services to make the night possible and donated cash to the Foundation.

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Support Lakeview Viking History...

BUY A BRICK!

For all those fans who wish to become a permanent part of Lakeview High School history and continue to building the Viking tradition, we offer a unique opportunity. Be a part of the most distinctive feature of the Lakeview Athletic Complex...the "VIKING WALK OF PRIDE". The entrance to the newly renovated stadium will consist of personalized bricks which will form a walkway for our fans. The walkway, to be named the "VIKING WALK OF PRIDE", will capture the LHS tradition of excellence. Viking athletics have produced some outstanding athletes. Now, the "VIKING WALK OF PRIDE" provides a unique opportunity to leave an enduring symbol of your support for Lakeview High School Athletics.

f YES! I want to be a part of Viking History with a personalized VIKI	NG WALK OF PRIDE brick!
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Maximum of 14 characters per line (including spaces) - 3 lines. If you wish to order more than one brick or would like your bricks placed next to a friend's brick or with a group of bricks, your orders MUST BE PLACED TOGETHER! All contributions are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.

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Enclose your check or money order along with this form in an envelope and mail to:

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COLUMBUS, NE 68601

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What's Happening in 9th Grade Language Arts?

The freshman are off and running in English 9! We began our year with Accelerated Reader (AR) and the five paragraph essay. Currently we are working on grammar, weekly vocabulary, and John Steinbeck's Of Mice and Men.

An exciting addition to our curriculum this year is *The 7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens*. This will be taught by Lisa Kaslon once a week until December. The freshmen will really benefit from this and are very excited!

Every week, the students take a vocabulary quiz on Thursday and an occasional grammar quiz on Friday. The freshman have every Friday to read AR.

Below is a list of materials we will be covering this year:

Weekly Vocabulary

Weekly Grammar

Essay Writing

The 7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens Of Mice and Men (a novel)

Our Town (play)

Shakespeare's *Romeo and Juliet* (poetry and play)

Homer's The Odyssey (epic poem)

Short Story Unit

AR

Below is the grading scale for freshman AR. The first due date is October 18th. Remember that AR is worth 15% of the quarter grade.

Junior-Senior Prom Fundraiser

Junior magazine and gift sales will kick off on September 12th. Our sale will run until September 30th.

Juniors will have packets with brochures and order forms....however....you can also order and pay online by visiting www.gaschoolstore.com, "Parents Students" and "Shop Now." You can enter our school code 2515005. You may complete your entire order online and credit to the junior of your choice. If you have any questions about how to order online, let knowvia email cstogdill@esu7.org. You are also welcome to leave a message for me at the high school at 564-8518.

Thank you in advance for supporting our juniors in preparing for the 2013 Junior Senior Prom!

- Mrs. Stogdill

Due Dates: Qtr. 1: October 18^{th} , Qtr. 2: December 19^{th} , Qtr. 3: March 13^{th} , Qtr. 4: May 15^{th}

Freshman AR

A = 30 or more points		B = 18 or	r more points		
100%	37 or more pts.	92%	29 pts.		
99%	36 pts.	91%	28 pts.		
98%	35 pts.	90%	26-27 pts.		
97%	34 pts.	89%	22-23 pts.		
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<u>REMINDER</u>

7th Grade Physicals and up to date immunizations need to be turned into the office!

From the Great ance Office

Welcome to MyEducationQuest!

EducationQuest is excited to announce MyEducationQuest a new portal on our website that will make it easier for you to access ScholarshipQuest and Activities Resume. MyEducation-Quest will be available August 20.

Here are some changes you need to know:

You will need an email address to log into *MyEducation-Quest*. If you don't have one, check out free services such as <u>Gmail</u>, <u>Yahoo</u> and <u>Hotmail</u>.

If you had a *ScholarshipQuest* profile, you will need to create a new one.

Your current Activities Resume will be saved during this transition. After August 20, you can access your resume by logging into MyEducationQuest.

ScholarshipQuest being redesigned

EducationQuest is redesigning *ScholarshipQuest* to make it more user-friendly. The changes will allow you to:

- build your profile more quickly and get faster results
- receive emails about deadlines and new scholarships
- sort and manage your scholarship search results

To stay updated on *MyEducationQuest* and other free EducationQuest resources, <u>sign up</u> for our monthly Countdown2College emails, and...follow us on <u>Facebook</u> and Twitter!

Norfolk Area College Fair is September 23!

The Norfolk Area College Fair is Sunday, September 23 from 1-3 p.m. at Northeast Community College. The fair will feature representatives from colleges across the state and region – and will also include financial aid presentations.

Before you attend, visit <u>NebraskaCollegeFairs.org</u> to register for a barcode. Print the barcode and take it to the college fair. College reps will scan it to retrieve your information - and you won't have to complete their information cards.

For a list of participating colleges, see the College Fair article at <u>EducationQuest.org</u>.

Other college fairs scheduled for this fall are:

- **Grand Island Area College Fair**, Sunday, Sept. 16, 1-3 p.m. Exhibition Building, Fonner Park
- Scottsbluff/Gering Area College Fair, Sunday, October 7, 1-3 p.m. Gering Civic Center

- Tri-State Area College Fair, Sunday, October 14, 12:30-3
 p.m. Marina Center, South Sioux City
- Lincoln Area College Fair, Sunday, October 21, 1-3 p.m. Southeast Community College
- Omaha Area College Fair, Sunday, October 28, 1-4 p.m. –
 University of Nebraska at Omaha

College Fairs also slated for next spring

EducationQuest will conduct College Fairs next spring in the following communities. If you printed a barcode for a fall college fair, you may use it at a spring fair.

Kearney – Sunday, April 7, 2013, University of Nebraska at Kearney

Lincoln - Sunday, April 14, 2013, Southeast Community College

Omaha – Sunday, April 21, 2013, University of Nebraska at Omaha

Meet with college reps at an Educational Planning Program

If you can't attend a College Fair, attend an Educational Planning Program (EPP) at an area school. These "mini college fairs" feature state and regional colleges along with college planning information.

If you plan to attend an EPP, visit NebraskaCollegeFairs.org to register for a barcode. Print the barcode and take it to the event so that college reps can scan it.

Senior students and parents...

Start preparing for college admission!

Admission deadlines will start hitting later this fall. Follow these steps to stay on track:

- 1. Contact your top colleges NOW and ask about application deadlines for admission, college-based scholarships and financial aid.
- 2. Visit with college representatives at College Fairs, Educational Planning Programs, during campus visits, and when they visit your high school.
- **3.** Apply to your top 3-4 colleges before the deadline. Along with your application, the colleges will require your high school transcript, class rank, GPA and ACT/SAT score. They may also request a list of your extracurricular activities, letters of recommendation, an essay, and an interview.

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September "To Do" List

Juniors and seniors ... complete these college planning tasks during September:

- ____ Attend a College Fair or Educational Planning Program (EPP) in your area.
- ____ Before you attend a College Fair or EPP, register for a barcode at NebraskaCollegeFairs.org
- ___ Seniors, register by September 7 for the October 6 SAT.
- Seniors, <u>register</u> by September 21 for October 27 ACT.

_ Juniors, ask your guidance counselor about PSAT registration deadlines and test dates.

For free help with college planning, contact EducationQuest Foundation:

Kearney	Lincoln	Omaha
308-234-6310	402-475-5222	402-391-4033
800-666-3721	800-303-3745	888-357-6300

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FBLA: Let's get fired up!



Welcome to an exciting new school year!! Starting the year off with a positive attitude is the first step to making your year go well. Put forth your best effort in classes and strive to do your best. Your academic career is why you are here, but extracurricular activities are what make your time here fun.

Beyond all of the academics, you need to make an effort to become involved in activities offered here at Lakeview. Organizations, athletic teams, and participation in the arts are great ways to get to know other people.

One organization we would like you to consider is the Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA). FBLA is for all students, because regardless of the field you are considering after graduation, it will no doubt have something to do with business.

In the past, members have gone on exciting field trips to Lincoln, Kearney, and Omaha; National Fall Leadership Conferences in Ohio, Wisconsin, and Colorado; National Leadership Conferences in Florida, Kansas, Texas, California, Colorado, Missouri, and Indiana; State Leadership Conference in Omaha; and social events such as sock hops, hayrack rides, and many fun-filled homeroom activities.

How involved you become in FBLA is entirely up to you. The only commitment is a payment of \$12 dues, and participation in our only fundraiser-the popular BLUE PRIDE cards.

Have an awesome year and remember to always put forth your best effort. Please consider joining FBLA so that we can "Ignite Innovation" together. Your membership will be definitely worth-

while, and most importantly, we will benefit from having you as one of our members! Watch for posters, listen for announcements, or talk to your officers for further information. The informational meeting for FBLA is Wednesday, August 29th during Viking Time in the West gym.

2012-2013 Lakeview FBLA Officer Team

President- Carol Crabtree
Vice President- Melissa VanDerslice
Secretary- Megan Humlicek
Treasurer- Shania Griffiths
Reporter- Candy Jimenez-Caballero
Historian- Wayde Rodehorst
Parliamentarian- Brittany Blaser
Web Master-Chase Gronenthal
Adviser-Mrs. Jan Went



FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS OF AMERICA ~ CALENDAR OF EVENTS - 2012-2013

26-Blue Pride Ad Sales - 9:00 a.m. June July 5-Freshmen Orientation Planning - 4:00 p.m. Wall of Fame Selection 6-Junior High Orientation -6:30 9-Monthly meeting **August** January 7—Freshmen Orientation/Pizza Party-6:30

> 29-2 Recruitment 29—Organizational Meeting

> 31—Early Bird Ice Cream Social

September 7-2nd Chance Early Bird Ice Cream Social Blue Pride Card Sales

12-Monthly Meeting

20-Freshmen Assistance

26-Fall Leadership Conference - Omaha (Officers

Officers present Membership Recruitment Workshop

FBLA T-Shirt Selection

<u>October</u> 1—Coloring Contest for a Culinary Cause - Jr. High/Sr.

5—Movies for Membership (Free to paid members)

6-Jr. High Dance

10-Dues due - \$12 - Monthly meeting 10-4th Edition Cookbook Kickoff 11—Tip Night at Pizza Ranch TBA-Volleyball Concessions

17—Out of Town Industry Tours 20-Hayrack Ride/Pizza/Relays - 5:30 p.m.

TBA-Meal Packing for Orphan Grain Train

7-Monthly meeting November

8 - 11—National Fall Leadership Conference - Denver,

TBA-UNL Business Competition

17—"Dodge the Cancer" Dodge Ball Tourney

3-7—Secret Santa Project December

12—Monthly meeting

16-20-Money \$mart Week

17-State Officer Speaker/Area Meeting

21—Harbor of Hope Meal Service

21-25—Helping Hands Campaign for Center for Survi-

28 - 8—FBLA Feeding Families Food Drive (Joint CSO

Activity)

February 6—Local Industry Tours

TBA-FBLA Week

- Membership Appreciation/Student Body Raffle

 Breakfast - Cupcake Wars 13-Monthly Meeting

TBA—Helping Hands Presentation

Sweetheart Raffle for the March of Dimes TBA-PBL Path to Success Conference-UNL

7—Coloring Contest for a Culinary Cause - Grade

Schools

7-9-Grade School Fire Safety Presentations

14-Monthly meeting 15-Tip Night at Dairy Queen

4 - 6—State Leadership Conference - Omaha

10-Election of New Officers

Officer Interviews

25—Induction of New Officers/Member Awards - 8:00

- WSC Business Competition -TBA

7—Wall of Fame Induction (Evening of Honors Night) May June-July June 25-July 1—National Leadership Conference - Ana-

March

<u>April</u>

Language Club News...

In June the Lakeview Language Club traveled to seven European countries on a fascinating 11 day trip. The tour started in Paris, where students enjoyed a scenic boat trip down the River Seine and visited the Eiffel tower at night. They then passed through Belgium, where they enjoyed a lunch of Belgian waffles. Then they traveled on to Amsterdam where they spent an emotional evening visiting the Ann

Frank House and marveled at a city built on canals.

Next they were off to Germany, where they visited the ancient medieval city of Lübeck. The bus then drove aboard a ferry and the group made the crossing to the country of Denmark. Students were amazed by the number of bicycles on the streets of Copenhagen. There they visited Elsinore, the home of Shakespeare's Hamlet.

After a quick morning visit to Sweden the group boarded a cruise ship and headed for Oslo. A visit to the Viking Museum with three intact Viking ships was amazing. They were lucky enough to in Norway at the time of the midnight sun and were actually able to swim in a fjord at midnight with the sky still light.

Three Lakeview students and eight adults made the trip, under the direction of Lakeview Spanish teacher Mrs. Lila Brock.

We are on the Web! www.lakeviewes.esu7.org

^{*}Meetings are held monthly, usually the second Wednesday of the month during Viking Time. Listen to announcements and check the bulletin board for meeting information and other updates. This calendar is subject to change.

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As we all know, school has started again and that means activities will be starting up. Lakeview Power Drive is one of those activities and we are looking forward to having a great year! In order to have this great year, we will need the hard work of our students and also the generous donations from parents, fans, and whoever else would be willing to help out our crew.

Principles of Technology is a class where we construct and build cars with our own ideas and manpower. When we are done building these cars, we meet up with other schools and compete. It is very fun and also a great learning experience. We are excited to see the results of our hard work that will be taking place in the near future.

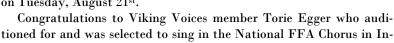
Lakeview Power Drive is sponsored by OPPD and NPPD and instructed by Mr. Chad Kula and Mr. Dave Green. We currently have three teams and each team is assigned to a car. Two of the teams will be constructing two brand new cars. In order to achieve what we want, we will need financial support from anyone who wants to help out on our projects. We also are looking for anyone who would help out with welding, constructing, and the fabrication of materials. Any help with our team will be greatly appreciated.

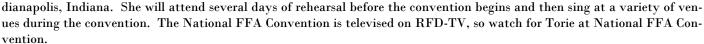
Submitted by Austin Urkoski



Music Notes from the Vocal Department

The vocal music students are off to a great start this year preparing for numerous upcoming performances. The Viking Voices began the year singing the National Anthem for the "Back to School" pep rally on Tuesday, August $21^{\rm st}$.





Upcoming dates for the vocal students are:

October 13 – All-State Auditions

November 1 - UNK Honor Choir Auditions

November 8 - Hastings Honor Choir Auditions

November 14-16 - All State Clinic



Sr. High - \$35.00

Jr. High/Grade School
- \$25.00

Student Activity Cards, which will get students into all Jr. and Sr. High events at Lakeview for the entire year can be purchased at the high school office.

Call Rachael at the high school at 402-564-8518 for more information.



Welcome!

Welcome to all our new and returning staff: Mrs. Jody Jarecki — Kindergarten, Mrs. Kathy Irish — Grade 1, Ms. Debbie Bryan — Grade 2, Mr. Ryan Specht — Grade 3, Mrs. Cindy Wurtz — Grade 4, Ms. JoAnn Cremers — Grade 5, Mrs. Kim Schmidt — Grade 6, Ms. Sylvia Walters and Ms. Jackie Knobbe — Special Education, Mrs. Annette Barcel — ESL/Title 1, Mrs. Jill Goedeken — Music Grades 2-6, Mrs. Jen Himanga — Band 5&6/Music Grades K-1, Mrs. Shannon Honold — Counselor, Mr. Chris Thoms — PE/Health, Mrs. Amanda Stuthman — Speech, Mrs. Cece Dohmen, Mrs. Mary Classen, Mrs. Kathy Luebker, Mrs. Kim Loseke, Ms. Amy Green — Para-educators, Mrs. Sheri Wessel — Library/Para, Mrs. Sheri Schure — Computers, Ms. Guadalupe Nieto — Parent Liaison, Mr. Steve Boyd, Mr. Glen Skiles and Ms. Helen Jazwick — Custodians, Mrs. Chris Greisen — Secretary , and Mr. Daryl Schrunk — Principal.

The **Platte Center Library** is collecting **Sunny Delight UPC labels** again this year. Please give your labels to the classroom teacher! Each classroom earns 20 free books if enough labels are collected.

Platte Center Elementary is collecting the following: Super Saver Receipts, Best Choice UPC labels (from Super Saver), Campbell Soup UPC labels, Box Tops for Education, Land-O-Lakes Milk lids, Coke "Rewards" Bottle Caps, and used printer ink cartridges. Bring them to school any time. Thanks!

Platte Center Elementary T-Shirts are being sold to help support our Student Council. Please stop by the school to see the selection of styles and colors!! A T-Shirt design contest was held last spring. Landon Vogt's winning design is featured on the shirts.

Help support the Platte Center Elementary Student Council by ordering your T-Shirt today!!





Meet our New Teachers....

Ms. Kjergaard ~ 6th Grade:

My name is LeAnn Kjergaard and I am pleased to join the staff at Shell Creek this year. I have been a part of the Lakeview Community School team the last three years working at Platte Center in a variety of positions. Previously I taught sixth grade at the Columbus Middle School for many years. I began my teaching career in my home state of South Dakota. My college years were spent at Northern State University, Aberdeen, South Dakota and I later received my master's degree from the University of Nebraska at Kearney.

My roots are deep in an agricultural Scandinavian community in Southeastern South Dakota where my interest in teaching began by working with children in my church. I enjoy reading biographies and historical fiction, playing piano and bells, and cheering on my favorite baseball team, the Minnesota Twins. I look forward to sharing these interests and my love of learning with the sixth grade students.

Mrs. Terry ~ 5th Grade:

My name is Nikki Terry, and I am one of the 5^{th} grade teachers at Shell Creek. I have been part of the Lakeview Community School for 23 years and have taught 2^{nd} and 5^{th} grade. I have also been a Title 1/ESL teacher.

I was raised in south central Nebraska and attended the University of Nebraska at Kearney. My husband and I have two grown children, Erin and Ian. We are blessed with two vivacious grandchildren, Ava and Alex. I am a "Ragin' Cajun" football fan and enjoy reading children's literature.

I look forward to a year filled with exciting learning experiences. Communication, consistency, and positive reinforcement are the keys to success for every child. Education is a group effort with teachers, students and parents working together as a team.

Meet our New Teachers...

Mrs. Osten ~ 1-2 Grade:

Hello! My name is Jennifer Osten. I am the new teacher

here at Shell Creek Elementary. I will be teaching 1st grade in the morning and 2nd grade in the afternoon. I spent 10 years teaching 2nd grade in Leigh and am very excited to be here.

My husband and I live near Lakeview High school with our three children. Eli is 8 years old and a 3rd grader. He loves to farm with his dad and play all kinds of sports. Parker is 4. His nickname is "Bob" and he is our wild child, always on the move. Hadley is 2 years old and has curly brown hair.

My husband is a farmer and hired hand on a farm north of Columbus.

I am looking forward to meeting everyone and especially teaching in a brand new school!

LUNCH PRICES 2012-2013

Elementary
K-6 Paid \$2.25
Adults \$3.00
Adult Salad \$2.00
Main Seconds \$1.25
Other Seconds/Extra Milk \$0.50
Morning Milk \$0.30

PARENTS:

Please fill out and return the following forms as soon as possible: Student Emergency, Medication Permission, Internet Usage and forms found in the back of the Student Handbook.



SCHOOL PICTURES

School pictures are scheduled for Thursday, August 30th. The photographer will begin taking preschoolers' pictures at 8:30 a.m. We will offer the pre-

paid plan, which offers lower prices. Choose the package that you want and send the money to school by Wednesday, August 29th. *The picture company requests that if you have more than one child, each child must pay separately in separate envelopes. It is important to remember that all picture packages must be prepaid.*

REMINDERS-PLEASE NOTE:

- Our School Hours: The doors will open at 7:50 a.m. and school will begin at 8:05 a.m. School will dismiss at 3:15 p.m. We encourage parents whose children do not ride the bus to pick up students promptly at 3:15 p.m.
- Please call school before 8:30 a.m. if your student is ill or has an appointment. Parents will be called if their children are absent without an excuse.
- Please read the Handbook with your child and return the loose leaf pages in the back of the handbook. Please remember to sign and have your student sign.
- Emergency form information is very important especially who the school is to call if we are unable to contact a parent. Please keep the information current. Return the yellow Emergency sheet as soon as possible.
- Medication forms must be filled out completely before medications will be given by school personnel. Please indicate if your student is able to take cough drops, Acetaminophen or Ibuprofen. (All medication must be turned in to the office to be stored.)

