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From The Superintendent's Desk — By Mr. Freeman

The school year is officially underway at Lakeview this week. Even though some students and staff will tell you that the summer went by too fast, most all of them are ready to return to school and get back into a normal routine. As I write this article we have just completed the second student day. We have an increase in enrollment, as there have been many new students that have registered throughout the summer and during the past two weeks. Exact enrollment numbers will be given to you in the next newsletter, but it looks like we may be up 30 or more students throughout the whole district.

7-8

The school year seems to be off to a great start and I would like to welcome the returning and new staff to the 2013-2014 school year. This year we have added the following individuals to the Lakeview staff:

- Steve Eckholt as night custodian at Lakeview
- Rachel Maher as a special education para-educator at Platte Center
- Theresa Frauendorfer as administrative assistant to the superintendent
- Sarah Borgman as special education para-educator at Plate Center
- Joe Haschke as high school science teacher at Lakeview
- Kim Wollenberg as K-12 media specialist
- Kelly Schaad as high school English teacher at Lakeview
- Alicia Blumenthal as elementary teacher at Shell Creek
- Erica Zywiek as elementary teacher at Shell Creek

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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 to you as you read and interpret your child's scores. NeSA stands for Nebraska Schools Accountability, as a part of the Nebraska state 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 last year's

NeSA-Reading , Math, Science and Writing test. Students in grades 3-8 and 11 were all assessed in Reading and Math. Students in 5th, $8^{\rm th}$ and $11^{\rm th}$ grade were also assessed in NeSA-Science and students in $4^{\rm th}, 8 \rm th,$ and $11 \rm th$ were 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 grades 3-8 and $11^{\rm th}$. The report also includes Science scores for students in the $5^{\rm th}$, $8^{\rm th}$ and $11^{\rm th}$ grade and Writing scores for students in $4^{\rm th}$, $8^{\rm th}$ and $11^{\rm th}$ grades.

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- Jordan Went as family consumer science teacher at Lakeview
- Dan Kruger as high school special education teacher at Lakeview

Changing positions:

- Kim Loseke as elementary interventionist at Shell Creek (was a special needs para-educator at Platte Center
- Amy Green as elementary special education teacher at Platte Centerwas a special education para-educator at Platte Center

If you have the opportunity, please welcome the new staff to the Lakeview District and wish all of them good luck in their new positions.

A big thank you to the board of education for approving several improvements/purchases that will be put into place this school year. Some of the improvements are the addition of additional technology (computers, ipads, etc.; the financial investment in a training that will improve instructional methods and positively affect student achievement; new carpet in a couple of rooms; additional cement area south of the Shell Creek building to help with drainage; additional parking at Shell Creek; cement work on the north side of the Platte Center building; a new concession stand and press box at the baseball/softball field and a new (used) coach bus. These improvements will continue to keep our school district as a leader in educational programs, facilities and being a great place for our students to learn and grow as they prepare for the fu-

We also need your help with the traffic flow when dropping off and picking up students or parking at our schools. Each school has particular guidelines on traffic flow, parking and dropping off/picking up students. Please take time to learn and understand those procedures. Drive safely and give yourself extra time when traveling to and from school as all of us are getting use to the daily routine.

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 2013-2014 school year. Last year our total budget was set at 83 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. 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.

** ATTENTION PARENTS **

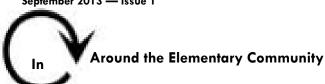
If you have a:

- Kindergartener
- 7th grader
- New student to our school

We need all required forms to be turned in. Physicals, immunizations, proof of residency, etc. Please make sure to get forms back to the office this week. We will be calling soon to follow up on files that are still incomplete.

Thank you!

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SHELL CREEK AND PLATTE CENTER STUDENTS, PARENTS, SIBLINGS, AND STAFF are invited to the Back-to-School Bingo Night

Hot Dogs, chips, cookies & drink will be provided.

Books and Back-to-School Prizes!

Sponsored by TITLE I

WHEN: Monday, September 9, 2014

WHERE: Platte Center Gym

TIME: 6:00 - 7:30 p.m.

A short parent meeting will be held to explain NeSA testing





SHELL CREEK Y PLATTE CENTER ESTUDIANTES, PADRES, HERMANOS, Y PERSONAL Están invitados a la

Noche de Bingo De-Regreso-a la Escuela

Hot Dogs, papitas, galletas & refresco será proveído.
Libros y Premios de regreso a clase!
Patrocinado por el Titulo I

CUANDO: Lunes, 9 de septiembre, 2014

DONDE: Gimnasio de Platte Center

HORA: 6:00 - 7:30 p.m.

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What's Happening in 9th Grade Language Arts?

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

An exciting addition to our curriculum this semester 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 freshmen have every Friday to read AR.

This year, the freshman will be creating a project each quarter sharing one book they read. They have a choice between four projects. It is a fun and exciting way to share the great books the students are reading. The project allows students to earn an additional five points for A.R. It will also be graded separately.

A reminder to all parents that A.R. is worth 15% of each quarter grade. Please encourage your child to read when they have some free time at home!

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)
- A research paper (team taught with Mrs. Blaser)
- AR along with a project and presentation about one book read during each quarter.

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

Freshman AR

A = 30 or more points $B = 18$ or more points		C = 9 or more points		DUE DATES:	
100% 37 or more points 99% 36 pts. 98% 35 pts. 97% 34 pts. 96% 33 pts. 95% 32 pts. 94% 31 pts. 93% 30 pts.	91% 90% 89% 88%	29 pts. 28 pts. 26-27 pts. 22-23 pts. 20-21 pts. 18-19 pts.	85% 84% 83% 82% 81%	16-17 pts. 14-15 pts. 12-13 pts. 10-11 pts. 9 pts.	Quarter 1: Oct. 18th Quarter 2: Dec. 19th Quarter 3: Mar. 13th Quarter 4: May 15th

^{*}A copy of the Nebraska Language Arts Standards can be found on my teacher webpage.





PUNCH CARDS AND ACTIVITY PASSES

PICTURE RETAKES

for grades 7-12 at Lakeview Community
Schools will be on Tuesday, Sept. 24th! Bring your entire order packet back if you wish to have retakes. If you weren't here the first day of school, stop in the office ahead of time and pick up an order packet.

Save time and money and purchase your punch cards and activity passes now before all the Fall action begins!!

- 10 punch cards for sporting events \$35.00, can be purchased at the high school office or at the games.
- Activity cards will be get students into all activities all year and can be purchased at the school offices.

Sr. high activity cards - \$35.00

Jr. high and Elementary - \$25.00

· Varsity games

Adults - \$5.00

K-12 - \$4.00

• JV, 9th grade and Jr. high games

Adults - \$3.00

K-12 - \$2.00







Calling all Lakeview Alumni!!! We need addresses and updated phone numbers!!! If you have recently moved, or you know of alumni that has moved, drop us a line, shoot us an e-mail, pick up the phone and shout it out to us!!! We'd love to have the information so we can keep our files current, and keep you on top of the latest happenings at Lakeview Community Schools! Send the information to Theresa @ Lakeview Community Schools, 3744 83rd Street, Columbus, NE 68601 or call us at 402-564-8518. Would you rather E-mail? Send it to tfrauend@esu7.org!



Lakeview

Go Vikings!

September, 2013

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 (FFA) NE State Fair @ Grand Island	2 Labor Day - No School (FFA) NE State Fair @ Grand Island		4 (FBLA) Organizational Meeting	vs. York	6 (FBLA) Early Bird Ice Cream Social 6:00pm 7th and 8th Volleyball Practice @ West Gym 7:00pm FB-Varsity Fairbury	7 B:00am VB-Varsity Away vs. Scotus Central Catholic
School Board Meeting 8:00 pm Monday	Schools	10 4:15pm VB-7th Away vs. Columbus 5:00pm VB-9th York 5:00pm SB-Varsity Away vs. Wayne 5:30pm FB-9th Away vs. Columbus 5:45pm VB-8th Away vs. Columbus 6:00pm VB-JV York 7:00pm VB-Varsity York	Days @ Grand Island (FBLA) Monthly Meeting	9:00am GOLF-G/Varsity Lakeview vs. Multiple Schools 4:15pm XC-Varsity Away vs. Wahoo 5:00pm SB-Varsity Lincoln Pius X 5:00pm VB-9th Central City 6:00pm VB-JV Central City 7:00pm VB-Varsity Central City	(FBLA) Early Bird Ice Cream Social 6:00pm 7th and 8th Volleyball Practice @ West Gym 7:00pm FB-Varsity Sandy Creek	9:00am SB-Varsity Lakeview vs. Multiple Schools 9:00am VB-Varsity Away vs. Boone Central 9:00am GOLF-G/Varsity Away vs. Aurora
15	4:30pm VB-7th Away vs. Scotus Central Catholic 4:30pm XC-Varsity Away vs. Logan View Junior / Senior 5:30pm FB-JV David City 6:30pm VB-8th Away vs. Scotus Central Catholic	10:00am Student Assembly 4:30pm GOLF-G/Varsity Boone Central vs. Multiple Schools 5:00pm SB-Varsity Away vs. Aquinas /	18 Early Dismissal (PC @ 12:30, SC @ 12:45, LV @ 1:00)	19 10:00am GOLF-G/Varsity Away vs. Hastings (NE) 4:30pm FB-7th Schuyler Community 4:30pm XC-Varsity Away vs. Scotus Central Catholic 5:00pm SB-Varsity Away vs. Schuyler Community 5:45pm FB-8th Schuyler Community 6:00pm FB-9th Away vs. Norfolk Catholic 6:00pm 7th and 8th Volleyball Practice @ West Gym	6:00pm 7th and 8th Volleyball Practice @ West Gym 7:00pm FB-Varsity Away vs. Wayne	9:00am VB-8th Away vs. Scotus Central Catholic 9:00am VB-7th Away vs. Scotus Central Catholic 10:00am SB-Varsity Lakeview vs. Multiple Schools 10:00am GOLF-G/Varsity Away vs. Boone Central
22	23 5:00pm SB-Varsity Away vs. Seward 5:30pm FB-JV Away vs. Columbus 6:00pm 7th and 8th Volleyball Practice @ West Gym	4:30 pm GOLF-G/Varsity Stanton High School HS vs. Multiple Schools 5:00 pm FB-7th Away vs. Boone Central 5:30 pm FB-9th Away vs. Aquinas / St. Mary's Catholic 6:00 pm SB-Varsity Fairbury 6:15 pm F8-8th Away vs. Boone Central 6:30 pm VB-7th Boone Central 6:30 pm VB-8th Boone Central	(FFA) Greenhand Leadership Day (FBLA) Fail Leadership Conference - Omaha	9:00am GOLF-G/Varsity Away	4:30pm XC-Varsity Away vs. Boone Central 6:00pm 7th and 8th Volleyball Practice @	7 28 8:00am Drivers Ed @ Rm 30 (Thoms) 5 9:15am VB-Varsity Away vs. Aurora 7:30pm Homecoming Dance
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Lakeview

October, 2013

Sunday	Monday .	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	·	(FFA) Impact Workshop K-12 P/T Conferences (1:00-7:00) 4:30pm VB-7th Central City 4:30pm VB-8th Central City 5:00pm SB-Varsity Away vs. Grand Island Northwest 5:30pm FB-9th Scotus Central Catholic 6:00pm VB-9th Away vs. Scotus Central Catholic 6:00pm VB-9th Away vs. Scotus Central Catholic 6:15pm VB-VA Away vs. Scotus Central Catholic 7:15pm VB-Varsity Away vs. Scotus Central Catholic Central Catholic		(5:00-9:00) 4:30pm XC-Varsity Away vs. Aquinas / St. Mary's Catholic	Away vs. Fairbury No School K-12 6:00pm 7th and 8th Volleyball Practice @ West Gym 7:00pm FB-Varsity	58:00am Drivers Ed @ Rm 30 (Thoms) 9:00am VB-Varsity Lakeview vs. Multiple Schools 10:00am SB-Varsity Away vs. Holdrege
6 All State Band Auditions Due 8:00a m Drivers Ed @ Rm 30 (Thoms)	4:00pm VB-7th Away vs. Scotus Central	8 (FFA) District Livestock Judging 5:00pm VB-9th St. Paul 6:00pm VB-JV St.	9 (FBLA) Monthly Meeting	TBD SB-Varsity Wayne vs. TBD (FBLA) Tlp night @ Pizza Ranch 4:30pm XC-Varsity Away vs. Seward 5:00pm V8-9th Away vs. Crete 5:30pm FB-9th Wayne 6:00pm VB-3V Away vs. Crete 6:00pm 7th and 8th Volleyball Practice @ West Gym 7:00pm VB-Varsity Away vs. Crete	11 TBD SB-Varsity Wayne vs. TBD (FBLA) Movie Night 6:00pm 7th and 8th Volleyball Practice @ West Gym	12 (FBLA) Jr. High Dance 9:00am VB-JV TBD 9:00am VB-9th TBD
13 6:00pm Girls Golf Awards Night	14 TBD GOLF-G/Varsity Away vs. TBD 5:00pm FB-JV Away vs. Scotus Central Catholic 6:30pm VB-7th Schuyler Community 6:30pm VB-8th Schuyler Community School Board Meeting 8:00 pm	15 TBD GOLF-G/Varsity Away vs. TBD 4:30pm FB-7th Away vs. Northwest 5:00pm VB-9th Lutheran High Northeast 5:45pm FB-8th Away vs. Northwest 6:00pm VB-JV Lutheran High Northeast 7:00pm VB-Varsity Lutheran High Northeast Northeast	All-State Vocal Auditions TBD SB-Varsity TBD vs. TBD (FBLA) Out of town industry tours	17 TBD VB-Varsity TBD vs. TBD TBD SB-Varsity TBD vs. TBD TBD XC-Varsity Norfolk Catholic vs. TBD 4:30pm VB-7th Away vs. Aquinas Middle School - High School 6:30pm VB-8th Away vs. Aquinas Middle School - High School	18 TBD SB-Varsity TBD vs. TBA End of 1st Qt. 7:00pm FB-Varsity Away vs. Boone Central	19 10:00am VB-Varsity TBD vs. TBD 5:30pm (FBLA) Hayrack Ride/Pizza /Relays
20	21 In-Service/Work Day (80/20) 5:00pm VB-9th Columbus 5:30pm FB-9th Central City	5:00pm VB-Varsity Bishop Neumann vs. Multiple Schools 5:00pm VB-JV Bishop Neumann vs. Multiple Schools 5:00pm FB-7th Wahoo 6:15pm FB-8th		24 5:30pm (FBLA) Cookbook Sales Blitz 7:00pm FB-Varsity Scotus Central Catholic	25 TBD XC-Varsity TBD vs. TBD	9:00am VB-9th Away vs. Scotus Central Catholic 9:00am VB-JV Away vs. Scotus Central Catholic
27	28 6:30pm Cross Country Awards Night @ Cafeteria	29 5:00pm VB-9th	(FFA) National FFA Convention @ Louisville, KY	31 TBD FB-Varsity TBD vs. TBD (FFA) National FFA Convention @ Louisville, KY		

Home of the Vikings

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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.

YES! I want to be a part of Viking History with a personalized VIKIN	IG WALK OF PRIDE brick!
Purchaser's Name	
Address	
City, State, Zip	
This is a SURPRISE gift. (Do not send acknowledgement letter.)	
Send acknowledgement letter to:	
Purchaser's Name	
Address	
City, State, Zip	
Print information exactly as you would like it to appear, noting there are spaces). It could be the name of your company, a special message or so	
4" X 8" Standard size, imprin	ted: \$100.00

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.

All profits from this sale will be used for the construction and maintenance of a new track. ALL STATE PLAYERS! There will be a spot reserved for you along the main entrance.

ORDER YOUR BRICKS TODAY!

CHECK OR MONEY ORDER

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

LAKEVIEW HIGH SCHOOL FOUNDATION (TRACK)

3744 83rd Street

COLUMBUS, NE 68601

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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 office at 402-564-8518 for more information.

Sr. High - \$35.00

Jr. High/Grade School - \$25.00



On Sept. 24th, the Varsity cheerleaders held a cheer clinic for all students K-6. They taught 10 cheers to those who attended and played games. Snacks were served in between times. Thirty ViKettes attended the clinic and look forward to cheering for you during one quarter of a varsity football, volleyball, and girls and boys basketball game this coming school year!!

STATEMENT OF NON-DISCRIMINATION

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The Lakeview Community School District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, religion, marital status, sex or disability in employment, vocational programs or activities as set forth in compliance with federal and state statues and regulations. Any persons having inquiries concerning Lakeview Community Schools compliance with Title II, Title IV, Title VI, Title IX and/or Section 504 may contact:

> Russ Freeman Superintendent Lakeview Community Schools 3744 83rd Street Columbus, NE 68601 402-564-8518

REMINDER

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



GOLF TOURNAMENT 4- PERSON SCRAMBLE



SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 8, 2013

noon shotgun start



ELKS COUNTRY CLUB

ENTRY FEE: \$50 per person, \$200 per team Includes: 18 holes of golf, cart, flag prizes, lunch and prizes after the round.

ALL GOLFERS ARE WELCOME!

We will be selling "Mulligans and string".

Join the fun and support the

Foundation's Scholarship Program!

Return the bottom portion of this sheet by September 1st to:

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Lakeview Community Schools, 3744-83rd St., Columbus, NE 68601 or email registration to rfreeman@esu7.org and mail entry to above address. Contact Dick Kamm at 402-270-4138 with questions.

Our Team members for the Lal	keview Foundation Tournament are:	
1)	Team Contact Person:	
2)	Name:	
3)	Address:	_
4)	Phone:	
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LEF Goff Tourney Details!

Entry Fee is

\$50/person, or \$200/team.

This fee includes 18 holes of golf, a golf cart, flag prizes, many other prizes and a hamburger dinner. Trophies will be awarded to all flights. In addition to mulligans, we will be selling team envelopes for \$20 which will include two mulligan tickets per folder (one for each nine holes), a length of string to use on the

greens to improve hole total stroke score, and drink tickets.

There will be many other fun and challenging contests as a part of the tournament. Contact Dick Kamm at 402-270-4138 with any questions. We look "FORE"ward to seeing you there!

PARENTS:

If you have not yet returned the forms that were due at the start of the school year, please do so ASAP! It's important we have the information for your child(ren)s file. Thank you!



LUNCH PRICES 2013-2014

Grades K-6 \$2.50 Grades 7-12 \$2.75 Adults \$3.35 Main Seconds K-6/\$1.25; 7-12/\$1.50 Other Seconds/Extra Milk \$0.50 Morning Milk \$0.30

REMINDERS-PLEASE NOTE:

- Our School Hours: The doors will open at <u>7:30 a.m.</u> and school will begin at <u>8:00 a.m.</u> School will dismiss at <u>3:33 p.m.</u> We encourage parents whose children do not ride the bus to pick up students promptly at <u>3:33 p.m.</u>
- 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.)

