



April 2014 — Issue 8

Voyager

From The Superintendent's Desk — By Mr. Freeman

It is hard to believe that the school year is winding down. Before we know it the weather will turn to spring and the focus around our area will be on planting crops, doing yard and garden work and preparing for the end of the school year. The weather has been teasing us with a few spring like days, but reminders that winter has not completely left the area have usually followed it. It is my hope that everyone has been able to survive the cold, wind and limited ice/snow and is ready to approach spring with new energy and enthusiasm. This is especially true for our students and staff. I would hope that the signs of spring will bring new effort and energy to finish the school year in a very positive way.

PROJECTS

Several projects were discussed at the last building and grounds committee meeting. A few of these projects were discussed at the March board meeting. The board decided to move ahead with entering into a service agreement with Guarantee Roofing of Norfolk to inspect, do minor repairs and advise the board on the condition of the Lakeview building roof. The board also approved the installation of a gutter and downspout at the Platte Center elementary building.



*Home of the
Vikings*

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Other possible projects will be discussed at the April school board meeting. This might include some of the following: at the Lakeview building: tile work in the concession area, remodeling of the girls' locker rooms and remodeling of one or more of the 4 hallway restrooms; at the Platte Center elementary: possible installation of a drop ceiling and new lighting in one or more classrooms. There will also be several small projects going on at all three attendance sites.

The district is also working on two projects at the Shell Creek

building that would include an improvement to help the HVAC system in the colder weather and a filtration system to improve the quality of the water, which will help the newer equipment and filters to more efficiently do their jobs.

CERTIFIED STAFF RESIGNATIONS

In the last couple of months, we have received the following resignations from our teaching staff:

~ Jen Himanga as elementary music teacher and 5-12 band instructor

~ Kathy Irish as elementary classroom teacher

Both of these individuals made a positive impact on students and staff and I would just like to take a moment in this newsletter to say "thank you" to each of them. If you happen to cross paths with either of those listed, please let them know that we thank them for their service to the Lakeview Community and wish them well in their future endeavors.

LAKEVIEW EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

The Lakeview educational foundation is working on two events to be held this spring (2nd annual Viking Venture Run/Walk) and this summer (2nd annual Big Red Night). Please check in other areas of the newsletter for more details on each event.

The Lakeview educational foundation is also a member of the Columbus Area Philanthropy Council (CAPC). This group is formed by many of the foundations in the Columbus Area and works together in promoting activities that benefit each individual foundation and the general Columbus area. Two activities that will be held in the near future is the Youth Philanthropy Contest and the Columbus Big Give event. More on each of these events will be given out as soon as it is available. Keep your eyes open for information concerning both events.

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(Superintendent Cont.)

TECHNOLOGY PURCHASE

At the March school board meeting the board voted to purchase some additional computers and ipads for our students. The approved items are as follows:

- ~ 40 ipads for the elementary students
- ~ 60 laptops for junior/senior high students
- ~ 26 desktops for the business lab

Of these machines 36 laptops and the 26 desktops are replacement items, while the ipads and 24 of the laptops are additional devices to allow more student use.

The board also approved the replacement of the two servers at the elementary schools as they are approximately 10 years old and are beginning to have issues, which affects student and staff use of technology at both elementary buildings.

Other possible technology purchase requests will be reviewed at the April school board meeting.

COMMUNICATION

If you have any questions or concerns about anything in this article or in general, please contact me either at school (402-564-8518) or on my cell phone (402-677-0567).

9th GRADE ORIENTATION is scheduled for Thursday, May 8th!

Any current 8th grade student who is attending a school other than Lakeview Jr. High is encouraged to attend this orientation.

The orientation will run from 1:40 p.m. – 3:30 p.m., at Lakeview Jr-Sr. High School. Please contact the school office at 402-564-8519 if you plan on attending. This way we can plan according to numbers.

The orientation will consist of:

1. Enrollment/registration (Mrs. Lyons & Tess)
2. Math placement exam (Mr. Helms)
3. Tour of facilities with (Mr. Borer)

If you cannot make it on May 8th, please contact the school office at 564-8519 to let us know and we can make other arrangements.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact us at 402-564-8519.

Sincerely,

MEDICAL HISTORY

Birth deformities(one kidney, ect.)

Medical conditions currently under treatment.

Preexisting injuries under treatment.

Fractures or other disability type injuries.

Allergies(drug, food, asthma, ect.)

Medical disorders of any type.

I understand that Lakeview High School and the instructors will not be held responsible for injuries or loss of property while the previously named participant is attending the camp. I do hereby release Lakeview High School, its officers, agents, and employees from liability, including claims and suits in law or equity for injury - fatal or otherwise. The signature below absolves the Lakeview athletic camp of all responsibility for loss of personal property. Furthermore, I realize the risks involved to the participant. I will pay, or cover any medical or hospital expenses, doctors bills or other expenses which could be incurred as a result of treatment given previously-mentioned participant for illness or injury while attending or subsequent to attending the Lakeview athletic camp. I hereby authorize the staff of Lakeview athletic camp to act for me according to their best judgement in any medical emergency.

PARTICIPANT _____

PARENT _____

DATE _____

COLUMBUS LAKEVIEW



CAMP DATES

JUNE 16th

JUNE 17th

JUNE 18th

JUNE 19th

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL

1-402-564-8518

or email kfrenzen@esu7.org

Kurt Frenzen

6476 Shadow Ridge Place

Columbus, NE 68601

VIKING FOOTBALL CAMP 2014



**JUNE 16TH - 19TH
GRADES 3RD - 8TH**



14th ANNUAL LAKEVIEW VIKING FOOTBALL CAMP

FEATURES

TEAM WORK

will be the focus of this camp. Each football coach is very happy that you as a player have decided to become more familiar with the skills needed to be successful in football. It shows that you are serious about becoming a better player. Each session will aid players in becoming more confident about their football skills.

The camp will help players individual skills as well as team techniques. The coaches will be allowed time each day to incorporate and fine tune schemes that will be used in jr. high and high school. Each player will be able to participate in a team session allowing each group to generate that team chemistry that is so important.

BENEFITS

- One on one instruction by the LHS staff.
- Form running instruction.
- 7 on 7 (college and pro divisions)
- Drinks provided by HyVee
- Camp t-shirt and camp water bottle



COST - \$35.00 per participant



WHAT TO BRING

- signed reg. form
- football cleats
- tennis shoes
- athletic supporter
- t-shirt
- shorts
- socks

2014 VIKING FOOTBALL CAMP STAFF

Camp Coordinator

Coach Kurt Frenzen - 14th Year

OFFENSIVE

Offensive Line - Quentin Witt
Wide Receivers - Dan Krueger
Running Backs - Jeff Bargaen
Quarterbacks - Ryan Specht

DEFENSE

Defensive Line - Quentin Witt
Middle Linebackers - Jeff Bargaen
Outside Linebackers - Ryan Specht
Defensive Backs - Dan Krueger

Daily Schedule (TENTATIVE)

Form Run - 9:30-9:40 am
Individual Session - 9:40-10:10 am
Group Session - 10:10-10:30 am
Team Session - 10:30 - 11:00 am

NOTE: \$5.00 off for each camper that is attending the Lakeview Wrestling Camp.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME: _____

HOME PHONE: _____

CELL PHONE: _____

FATHER/GUARDIAN: _____

MOTHER/GUARDIAN: _____

HIGH SCHOOL YOU WILL ATTEND _____

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL YOU ATTEND _____

GRADE YOU WILL BE ENTERING _____

Circle one-3-4-5-6-7-8

BIRTHDATE _____

HEIGHT _____

WEIGHT _____

T-SHIRT SIZE - YOUTH S/M/L _____

T-SHIRT SIZE - ADULT S/M/L/XL/XXL _____

POSITIONS -OFF DEF _____

Please read and sign the release form on the back of this form and return with your personal info and payment to:

KURT FRENZEN
6476 Shadow Ridge Place
Columbus, NE 68601

Important Information

- ♦The Viking Venture 10K race will start promptly at 9:00 a.m. followed by the 5K race. The course will close at 11:00 a.m. Those walking the race should line up toward the rear of the starting line. Those with baby strollers will be asked to line up behind all other participants.
- ♦Bicycles, skateboards, roller skates, rollerblades, or animals are not allowed in the race.
- ♦Athletic training staff provided by Columbus Community Hospital - Mike Sloup.
- ♦Early packet pick-up will be available at the Lakeview High School office Friday, May 2nd from 8:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. Early packet pick-up is encouraged.
- ♦Race day packet pick-up will be at the Lakeview High School Stadium from 7:30 a.m. until 8:45 a.m.
- ♦Spectators are welcome and should be seated in the bleacher area of the Lakeview High School Stadium.
- ♦The Awards Ceremony will be held at the Lakeview High School Stadium at approximately 11:00 a.m.
- ♦Post race festivities will be held at the Lakeview High School Stadium Pavilion. Refreshments will be served to all race participants. Concessions available to all spectators.

<http://vikingventure.wix.com/run-walk>



Lakeview Education Foundation
Columbus, Nebraska



2nd Annual 10K/5K Run/Walk
Saturday, May 3rd, 2014 Lakeview Stadium 9:00 a.m.

The Venture for each Viking participant will begin and end at the Lakeview High School track. Both accurately measured, out & back courses will take you on mostly flat terrain to the scenic Two Lakes Trail that meanders through beautiful tree-lined Lake North Park & Loup Park. The route will be clearly marked and a plentiful supply of volunteers will guide you on your venture.

The funds raised at this event will be used for the Lakeview Education Foundation scholarship program and other special projects that will benefit all students of the Lakeview Community Schools.

Awards Age Divisions

14 & under; 15-19; 20-29; 30-39; 40-49; 50-59; 60 and over

Overall male and female race winners receive a winner's trophy. Overall 2nd and 3rd place male and female race winners receive a special winner's medal. All age division 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place winners receive a special winner's medal.



Registration Fees

- ♦Early registrations received online by April 19th: 10K - \$30 5K - \$25
- ♦Registrations received online after April 19th (no shirt)
- ♦Early mail-in registrations must be postmarked by April 17th
- ♦Registrations postmarked after April 17th (no shirt)
- ♦Deadline for all registrations is 11:59 p.m. May 1st



Register online at: GetMeRegistered.com OR complete form below and mail with payment to: Lakeview High School, 3744 83rd Street, Columbus, NE 68601 Make checks payable to: Lakeview Education Foundation.

Name (please print) _____ Age on race day _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail Address _____

Event: 10K or 5K

Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL

Gender: Male or Female

(circle event)

(circle shirt size)

(circle gender)

Emergency contact information: Name _____ Phone _____ Relationship _____

Participant Waiver

I know that running a road race is a potentially hazardous activity which could cause injury or death. I will not enter and participate unless I am medically able and properly trained, and by my signature, I certify that I am medically able to perform this event, and am in good health, and I am properly trained. I agree to abide by any decision of a race official relative to any aspect of my participation in this event, including the right of any official to deny or suspend my participation for any reason whatsoever. I assume all risks associated with running in this event, including but not limited to: falls, contact with other participants, the effects of the weather, including high heat and/or humidity, traffic and the conditions of the road, all such risks being known and appreciated by me. I understand that bicycles, skateboards, roller skates, roller blades, or animals are not allowed in the race and I will abide by this guideline. Having read this waiver and knowing these facts and in consideration of your accepting my entry, I, for myself and anyone entitled to act on my behalf, waive and release the Viking Venture, the Lakeview Education Foundation, and all sponsors, their representatives and successors from all claims or liabilities of any kind arising out of my participation in this event, even though that liability may arise out of negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons named in this waiver.

Platte County, Nebraska

Waiver and Release of Damages against the County of Platte, State of Nebraska for Participation in an Approved Special Event on Platte County Roads.

I, the undersigned, do hereby release, remise, waive and forever discharge the County of Platte, State of Nebraska, and the Platte County Highway Department, the Platte County Sheriff's Department, the Platte County Emergency Management Department and their volunteers, and their officers, agents and employees from all liability, claims, demands, actions, or causes of action whatsoever arising out of or related to loss, or damages and/or injuries, including death, which may result from conducting or participating in the Viking Venture 5 K and 10 K run / walk, scheduled to be held on May 3, 2014, a special event involving roads within Platte County, Nebraska.

Printed Name

Date

Signature

Date

Printed name of parent or guardian if under age 18

Date

Signature of parent or guardian

Date





LAKEVIEW COMMUNITY SCHOOLS CALENDAR

April, 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Early Dismissal (PC @ 1:00, SC @ 12:45, LV @ 1:00) 4:15pm GOLF-B/Varsity Away vs. Schuyler Community 4:30pm SOC-G/Varsity Schuyler Community 4:30pm SOC-B/Varsity Schuyler Community	2 8:00am NeSA testing	3 (FBLA) SLC - Omaha 8:00am NeSA testing 4:15pm GOLF-B/Varsity Scotus Central Catholic 6:30pm (Awards Night) Youth Wrestling @ Cafeteria	4 (FBLA) SLC - Omaha 8:00am NeSA testing 6:00pm Alumni Basketball Tournament @ Both Gyms 6:30pm SOC-B/Varsity Away vs. Lutheran High Northeast	5 (FBLA) SLC - Omaha 8:00am Alumni Basketball Tournament @ Both Gyms
6 1:00pm (Awards Night) Girls Basketball @ Cafeteria	7 9:00am GOLF-B/Varsity Away vs. Lincoln Pius X 5:00pm SOC-G/Varsity Away vs. Lutheran High Northeast	8 9:00am TR-Coed Middle School Away vs. Scotus Central Catholic 1:00pm TR-Varsity Away vs. Wayne 5:00pm Varsity (Postponed) 5:00pm Varsity (Postponed)	9 (FFA) State FFA Convention @ Lincoln (FBLA) Election of New Officers 8:00am NeSA testing	10 (FFA) State FFA Convention @ Lincoln 8:00am NeSA testing 4:15pm GOLF-B/Varsity Away vs. David City 5:00pm SOC-G/Varsity Away vs. York 5:00pm SOC-B/Varsity Away vs. York	11 (FFA) State FFA Convention @ Lincoln	12 8:00am Alumni Volleyball Tournament @ Both Gyms
13	14 4:30pm TR-Coed Middle School Lakeview vs. Multiple Schools 4:30pm SOC-B/Varsity Away vs. Mount Michael Benedictine 8:00pm School Board Meeting @ Library	15 2:00pm TR-Varsity Away vs. Scotus Central Catholic	16 8:00am Spring Blood Drive @ West Gym 8:00am NeSA testing	17 TBD SOC-G/Varsity Away vs. TBD TBD SOC-B/Varsity Away vs. TBD 9:00am GOLF-B/Varsity Away vs. Boone Central	18 No School	19
20	21 TBD SOC-B/Varsity Away vs. Holdrege TBD SOC-G/Varsity Away vs. Holdrege No School	22 9:30am TR-Coed Middle School Away vs. Columbus 11:00am GOLF-B/Varsity Away vs. Central City 2:00pm TR-Varsity Away vs. Centennial Junior-Senior 4:00pm SOC-B/Varsity Away vs. Crete 4:45pm SOC-G/Varsity Away vs. Crete	23 (FFA) Officer Interviews 8:00am NeSA testing 10:30am Reality 101 - 9th graders @ East Gym	24 9:00am GOLF-B/Varsity Away vs. Scotus Central Catholic 2:00pm TR-Varsity Away vs. Schuyler Community 4:30pm SOC-G/Varsity Kearney Catholic 4:30pm SOC-B/Varsity Kearney Catholic 6:00pm District Music Contest - Piano Entries @ CCC 8:00pm (FBLA) Officer Induction/Awards Night	25 (FFA) Plant Sale 8:00am District Music Contest - Large Ensembles @ CCC 6:00pm Volleyball	26 Prom @ Both Gyms 8:00am District Music Contest - Solos & Duets @ CCC 9:00am TR-Coed Middle School Away vs. Aurora
27	28 4:15pm GOLF-B/Varsity Madison 4:30pm TR-Varsity Columbus vs. Multiple Schools 6:30pm (FFA) FFA Banquet @ West Gym	29 10:30am TR-Coed Middle School Away vs. Schuyler Community 5:30pm SOC-G/Varsity Away vs. Seward 7:15pm SOC-B/Varsity Away vs. Seward	30 Early Dismissal (PC @ 12:30, SC @ 12:45, LV @ 1:00)			

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 **VIKING 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 a maximum of 16 characters per line (including spaces). It could be the name of your company, a special message or something more creative.

4" X 8" Standard size, imprinted: \$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

JH Awards Ceremony and Reading Challenge Celebration!

Dear Parents:

You are invited to the 7th and 8th grade Awards Ceremony and Reading Challenge Celebration! We will begin the Awards Ceremony at 10:00 a.m. on May 20th in the East Gym. Following the Awards Ceremony, is the Reading Challenge celebration, if the Junior High Students meet their goal of reading 180,000 pages they will get the chance to duct tape Mr. Borer to the gym wall. Find out if they will meet their goal! It will be a great way to finish the year, join the fun! Students will be dismissed after the celebration and students riding the bus will be picked up at 11:30 a.m. ~Steve Borer, Principal 7-12

Lakeview Jr-Sr High School NeSA State Testing Schedule:

The following Spring dates are scheduled for the NeSA state tests. Parents please make sure your children are in attendance and are well rested and fed on these testing dates. The results of these tests are important for our school when making instructional and school improvement decisions. Thank you for working with us in the education of your child!

NeSA Reading

March 25th- 8th grade Reading
March 26th- 7th grade Reading
April 2nd- 11th grade Reading

NeSA Math

April 3rd- 7th/8th grade Math
April 4th- 7th/8th grade Math
April 16th- 11th grade Math

NeSA Science

April 9th- 7th/8th grade Science
April 10th- 7th/8th grade Science
April 23rd - 11th grade Science

Spring Blood Drive at Lakeview



**American
Red Cross**

Mark your calendars for April 16th! Lakeview's annual spring blood drive will be held in the West Gym of the high school from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. You can drop in anytime or email Nicole Miller for an appointment (nmiller@esu7.org). The whole process from check-in to the time you leave takes about an hour. We always have great support from the community and great snacks for our donors. Remember, every pint of blood that is donated can save up to three lives!

Attention Parents and current 6th grade students:

On May 1st, at the Lakeview Jr.-Sr. High School we are hosting an orientation for any students entering the 7th grade for the 2014-15 school year. If your son or daughter is entering 7th grade next year we encourage them to attend this orientation. Student's who do not currently attend Shell Creek Elementary or Platte Center Elementary will need to bring \$2.75 for their lunch. The orientation will start at 8:00 a.m. and will conclude at 12:00 p.m. after a lunch. If you have any questions please contact the school office at 402-564-8519.

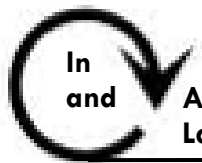
We are on the Web! www.lakeviewcs.esu7.org



Lakeview

May, 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 8:00am 7th @ Lakeview Jr-Sr High School 9:00am GOLF-B/Varsity Lakeview vs. Multiple Schools 6:30pm High School Band, Choir & Viking Voices Concert @ East Gym	2 Dismissal at Noon 2:00pm TR-Varsity Lakeview vs. Multiple Schools 4:30pm SOC-G/Varsity Away vs. Lincoln Lutheran	3 9:00am Viking Venture - 10K/5K Run/Walk
4 Senior High Band Elementary Tour TBD SOC-G/Varsity Away vs. TBD TBD SOC-B/Varsity Away vs. TBD (FBLA) Wall of Fame Induction 8:00am Lutheran School Field Day (Rain Date) @ Track 4:00pm TR-Varsity Away vs. Boone Central	5 TBD SOC-B/Varsity Away vs. TBD TBD SOC-G/Varsity Away vs. TBD (FBLA) Wall of Fame Induction 8:00am Lutheran School Field Day (Rain Date) @ Track 4:00pm TR-Varsity Away vs. Boone Central	6 TBD SOC-B/Varsity Away vs. TBD TBD SOC-G/Varsity Away vs. TBD (FBLA) Wall of Fame Induction 8:00am Lutheran School Field Day (Rain Date) @ Track 4:00pm TR-Varsity Away vs. Boone Central	7 Viking Voices Elementary Tour (FPA) K/F/D @ TBA	8 9:00am GOLF-B/Varsity Away vs. Wayne 12:00pm Tr-Coed Middle School Away vs. Norfolk 1:45pm 9th Grade Orientation @ Lakeview Jr-Sr High School	9 10:00am GOLF-B/Varsity Away vs. Northwest	10 10:00am TR-Varsity Away vs. York
11 1:00pm GOLF-B/Varsity Away vs. Scotus Central Catholic 7:00pm 5-6 Band, Jr. High Band & Jr. High Choir Concert @ East Gym 8:00pm School Board Meeting @ Library	12 1:00pm GOLF-B/Varsity Away vs. Scotus Central Catholic 7:00pm 5-6 Band, Jr. High Band & Jr. High Choir Concert @ East Gym 8:00pm School Board Meeting @ Library	13 11:30am KLIR Prep Club Athlete of the Year Luncheon @ Wunderlich's 7:00pm Honors Night @ East Gym	14 TBD SOC-G/Varsity Away vs. TBD Sertoma Awards Night @ New World Inn TBD SOC-B/Varsity Away vs. TBD 12:00pm Elementary Field Day @ Football Field	15 TBD SOC-G/Varsity Away vs. TBD TBD SOC-B/Varsity Away vs. TBD No School 7-12 - District Track 11:00am TR-Varsity Lakeview vs. Multiple Schools	16 TBD SOC-G/Varsity Away vs. TBD TBD SOC-B/Varsity Away vs. TBD TBD	17 TBD SOC-G/Varsity Away vs. TBD TBD SOC-B/Varsity Away vs. TBD TBD
18 1:30pm Commencement @ East Gym Viking Voices Viking Voices Auditions 8:30am Student Assembly @ East Gym	19 TBD GOLF-B/Varsity Away vs. York Viking Voices Viking Voices Auditions 8:30am Student Assembly @ East Gym	20 K-8 Last Day 6:00pm (Awards Night) Girls Soccer @ Cafeteria	21 In-Service/Work Day (K-8) End of 2nd Semester End of 4th Qtr.	22 In-Service/Work Day (K-8)	23 TBD TR-Varsity Away vs. TBD	24 TBD TR-Varsity Away vs. TBD
25	26 8:00am Boys Basketball Youth Camp @ Both Gyms	27 8:00am Boys Basketball Youth Camp @ Both Gyms	28 TBD GOLF-B/Varsity Away vs. TBD 8:00am Boys Basketball Youth Camp @ Both Gyms	29 TBD GOLF-B/Varsity Away vs. TBD 8:00am Boys Basketball Youth Camp @ Both Gyms	30 8:00am Boys Basketball Youth Camp @ Both Gyms	31



In and Around
Lakeview Junior-Senior High School



DISTRICT LHS SPEECH TEAM CHAMPS!!!



The Lakeview Speech Team is closing the 2014 season in strong fashion. After competing in ten meets throughout the months of January and February, the team won the District B-4 Championship in Wayne on March 18th. The team sent 13 competitors into finals and finished with 7 state qualifiers. Among the top finalists were Dolan Delano (5th in Serious), Brooklynne Southworth (5th in Extemp), Samantha Hoadley (5th in Informative), Melissa Vanderslice (4th in Persuasive), and Josie Grimes (4th in Poetry). Placing in the top three and qualifying for state include Elisabeth Cunningham (3rd in Persuasive), Emily Casanova (3rd in Humorous), Brian Crabtree (Extemp Runner-Up), Samantha Hoadley (Poetry Runner-Up), Whitney Coop (Informative Runner-Up), Austin Casselberry (Entertainment Champion), and Tony Blaser (Entertainment Runner-Up and Humorous Champion). They will look to continue their success at the State Speech meet in Kearney on March 27th. **GOOD LUCK VIKINGS!!!**

Eating Healthy When Eating Out!



Making healthy choices when you go out to eat can often be a challenge. If you find yourself at a fast food restaurant at the end of a busy day, try making healthier choices such as sandwiches without cheese, salads with low-fat or fat-free dressings, replace french fries with sliced fruit, and swapping fried meats for grilled options.



To cut back portion sizes, consider splitting an entry or putting half in a doggie bag to take home. Stick with drinks like water, fat-free or low-fat milk, or unsweetened tea that have fewer calories and added sugar.



GuidanceNotes...

Seniors ... it's decision time!

It's time to decide which college you will attend. Follow our advice to find the right fit for you.

First, gather and compare your college acceptance letters, financial aid award notifications and campus visit notes. Consider items such as:

Location – Is the college too close? If you come home every weekend, you won't experience true campus life. Is the college too far away? If so, you may not make it home as often as you'd like.

Cost – Can your family afford the school? What can you expect for financial aid beyond your freshman year? Did you receive renewable scholarships? How much in student and parent loans will you need to cover expenses?

Academic program – Does the college offer the program that interests you? What happens if you change majors? Does the college offer other programs that interest you?

Student life – Does the school offer activities you will enjoy? Do you like the living arrangements provided by the school? Will you have an opportunity to work on or near campus?

Visit EducationQuest.org for college selection tools including the [Award Letter Comparison Calculator](#), the [College Comparison Calculator](#), and information about [student and parent loans](#).

Juniors ... start looking for scholarships

Follow these tips to begin the scholarship application process:

Start searching! In addition to your guidance office, visit free online sites including [ScholarshipQuest](#) at EducationQuest.org with over 2,000 local and state scholarships. Other sources might include your parent's employer, your employer or local service organizations.

Create files and place scholarship applications in deadline order.

Get involved in extracurricular activities and community service. This is a critical component for many scholarships. Track your involvement with EducationQuest's [Activities Resume](#).

Do your best to get good grades in school and good scores on ACT/SAT exams. These factors are especially important for college-based scholarships.

Determine if you will qualify for need-based scholarships by completing the [College Funding Estimator](#) at Education-

Quest.org.

Learn about scholarships and tuition assistance programs offered by colleges that interest you. Programs such as [Collegebound](#) at the University of Nebraska and [Advantage](#) offered by the Nebraska State College System cover the cost of tuition if you meet income and academic criteria.

College Fairs coming up in Kearney, Omaha and Lincoln

If you plan to be in Kearney, Omaha or Lincoln on the following dates, attend a college fair!

The **Kearney Area College Fair** is Sunday, March 30 from 1-3 p.m. at the University of Nebraska at Kearney, Nebraskan Student Union.

The **Omaha Area College Fair** is Sunday, April 6 from 1-3 p.m. at the University of Nebraska at Omaha, Sapp Fieldhouse.

The **Lincoln Area College Fair** is Sunday, April 13 from 1-3 p.m. at Southeast Community College in Lincoln.

April "To Do" List

Seniors

- ___ Continue applying for scholarships.
- ___ Start purchasing dorm essentials now to avoid sticker shock in August.
- ___ Start looking for a summer job.

Juniors

- ___ [Register](#) by April 4 for the May 3 SAT.
- ___ [Register](#) by May 9 for the June 14 ACT.
- ___ Schedule campus visits while colleges are still in session.
- ___ Start looking for scholarships.

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

Scholarship warning... If you receive offers for scholarship and financial aid services, investigate them if they charge a fee. EducationQuest will help you complete financial aid forms **for free** and will guide you to free [scholarship resources](#). To learn more, talk to your school counselor or contact EducationQuest.

LAKEVIEW FFA:



By Wayde Rodehorst, Chapter Reporter

District Livestock Judging Results

Recently, Lakeview visited Northeast Community College to participate in District Livestock Judging. Both teams performed well as individuals and qualified for state as teams.

Junior Team – First Place Purple

Lane Egger – 2nd Purple
Kaleb Lusche – 8th Purple
Austin Maurer – 10th Place
Kyle Grotelueschen – 13th Purple
Trevor Schultz – Blue
Caleb Franzen – Blue
Layne Janssen – Red
Austin Foltz – Red

Senior Team Third Place Purple

Tim Kummer – 2nd Purple
Sam Morse – 12th Purple
Braden Wilke – 14th Purple
Emily Critser – Blue
Wayde Rodehorst – Blue
Caylie Egger – Blue
Torie Egger – Red
Cole Lutjens – Red

District Career Development Events Results

On March 4, the Lakeview chapter traveled to Central Community College Columbus to compete in the District 2 Career Development Events. Members performed well and results can be found below:

Ag Sales – 2nd Purple

Drew Schaad – Purple
Land Egger – Purple
Blake Langmack – Blue
Dillon Sprunk – Red

Ag Mechanics – 3rd Purple

Tim Kummer
Cade Behlen
Taylor Engel
Sam Morse
Agriscience – Blue
Ciera Cemper – 8th Purple
Erika Loseke – Blue
Addie Wilke – Blue
Bailey Sloup – Blue
Darien Voecks – Red
Cole Lutjens – Red
Caleb Franzen – Red
Reyes Soltero – White
Biotechnology – 1st Purple
Melissa VanDerslice – 1st purple
Rena Garretson – 2nd purple
Jon Rowher – 2nd purple (tie)
Monica Gotschall – 4th purple

Envirothon – Red

Chase Jaster
Colton Wilke
Haydon Holmberg
Taylor Engel
Dalton Saltz

Farm Business Mgt – 1st Purple

Sam Morse – 1st Purple
Nick Harms – 4th Purple
Braden Wilke – 3rd Purple
Kyle Grotelueschen – Red

Food Science – 1st Purple

Melissa VanDer. – 2nd purple
Rena Garretson – 3rd purple
Whitney Coop – 4th purple
Amanda Humlicek – Blue
Lindsey Jaixen – Blue
Abbey Humlicek – Red
Marcus Holmberg – Red

Baylee Barber – Red

Livestock Manage. – 3rd Purple

Braden Wilke
Emily Crister
Trevor Schultz
Austin Foltz
Austin Maurer
Layne Janssen

Livestock Management – Red

Levi Bakenhus
Haydon Holmberg
Torie Egger
Caylie Egger
Lindsey Jaixen

Meats – 3rd Purple

Austin Foltz – 8th Purple
Austin Maurer – Blue
Trevor Schultz – Blue
Kyle Grotelueschen – Red
Nursery and Landscape – Blue

Jordee Korte – Blue

Bailey Sloup – Blue

Mandy Jaixen – Red

MaKayla Coan – Red

MIG Welding

Layne Janssen – Red

Darrin Dubas – Red

Plant Science

Jordan Morse – Blue

Emily Critser – White

Vet Science

Wayde Rodehorst – Blue

Monica Gotschall – Red

Horticulture Class Tours Greenhouse

At the end of February, this years horticulture class took a trip to Stuart's Flowers & Produce in Central City. Students got a chance to tour the facilities and also got some practice in potting plugs and seedlings. Students who attended were; Tim Kummer, Jon Rohwer, Nick Lutjens, Melissa VanDerslice, Torie Egger, Blayke Pillen and Monica Gotschall.

FBLA – Excellence in Action

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Computer Skills Competition

On March 18, students completed their computer skills events if they signed up for it as a state event. Tests included Word Processing, Computer Applications, and Spreadsheet Applications. Students completing computer events were Morgan Peters, Nick Renteria, Rylee Stevenson and Cole Tessendorf.

WSC Business Competition

The 2014 Wayne State College Business Competition Day will be held April 10 on the WSC Campus. Members will be competing in a variety of competitions. Last year our team placed 1st overall! We are hoping for as good or better results this year! This year competing will be Austin Casselberry, Dolan Delano, Nick Renteria, Melissa VanDerslice, Chase Gronenthal, Alex Lange, Lucas Briggs, Joel Kasik, Preston Hammons, Tevin Higgins, Cole Tessendorf, Maria Juarez, Tony Blaser, Lena Tautscher and Makayla Coan

SLC Approaching

FBLA delegates are anxiously awaiting and preparing for the 52nd annual State Leadership Conference to be held April 3-5 at the Ramada Plaza Hotel and Convention Center in Omaha. In addition to individual and team events, chapter awards and scholarships have been applied for. We are also very excited to see the results of Brittany Blaser and Brooklynn Southworth's campaigns for state officer. Brittany is running for State Reporter and Brooklynn is running for State Treasurer. Stay tuned for upcoming month's newsletter for results from this exciting conference.

Elections to Be Held

Unbelievably, it is that time again! Members need to consider running for a local chapter office for the next school year. Seven offices will need to be filled and elections will be held at the monthly meeting in April. Are you officer material? Applications are due April 7!

Senior Scholarships Available

Each year, Lakeview FBLA sponsors up to three scholarships for members planning on attending college and majoring in a business-related field. Seniors interested need to pick up an application from Mrs. Went, get a copy of their transcript from Mrs. Lyons and get one letter of recommendation. These applications are due by April 27.



Another senior scholarship available is the Lorenz A Rodehorst FBLA Scholarship. This application requires a letter of recommendation and brief essay. Applications are due May 2.

Blaser Places at Business Competition



Brittany Blaser placed 2nd in the FBLA Principles and Procedures competition at the UNL PBL Business Competition Day. Congratulations Brittany.

Fourth Edition Cookbook Available "Get Fired Up About Cooking"

The fourth and final edition cookbook, "Get Fired Up About Cooking" is here! Cookbooks sell for \$12 and are available at the school. You will want to purchase this final cookbook filled with 296 delicious recipes. Also included are the coloring pages that won and are the pages dividing the recipe groups.

Upcoming Events

State Leadership Conference	April 3-5
Officer Applications Due	April 7
Election of New Officers/Interview	April 9
WSC Business Competition	April 10
Induction/Awards Night	April 24
Senior Scholarship Apps. Due	April 27

w/Mrs. Gustafson

"FRIENDS"

by Jordan Vogt

• friends are like plants
• they grow, and grow, and
• grow. Even when they get
• cut off they tend to grow back.

• your secrets that you hold
• within, are like the roots
• that grow deep in to the ground.

• their personality is like the
• plant's pedals; it is beautiful
• inside and out.

• a small seed starts your friendship,
• and it grows and
• blossoms for years and years.

• just like a plant needs water,
• your friendship needs nourishment
• in order to be a good friendship.

**"A Rubiks Cube of a Life"**

by Dylan Johnson

Life is like a rubiks cube
it can be complex to any
or simple; down to the bone.

There are many pieces
some out of order,
and some in place
at times you need to ruin it all to get closer to the end.

The different pieces are like the different people.
Many won't mix, but some are perfect
each one fits with another,
but only perfections is one way.

Your cube can break
like bones or hearts,
but a few pops here and there
and "bam" it's back to normal.

Each turn can be wrong,
in this life and cubing
however, you can never give up
there is always a move to the finish.

**"Loss"**

by Rachel Shadley

Loss is like an open road,
Nowhere to look; nowhere to go.
It seems to be lost forever.
When will the road end? Never.

Whether it's gravel or pavement,
Narrow or wide, it's not too hard to find.
That endless road, can make you lose your mind.
You walk because you no longer, care, on that endless road to nowhere.

You walk the path
Not knowing where to go
Too many thoughts
that make you think, "no."

On that road
you're all alone.
Lost in your thoughts,
trapped in your mind.

It's just an illusion,
a trick of the mind.
On the open road,
what will you find?

Loss is like an open road,
Nowhere to look; nowhere to go.
You fear this road will last forever,
When is this true? Never.

**Keep up to date with the
Lakeview Activity Website**

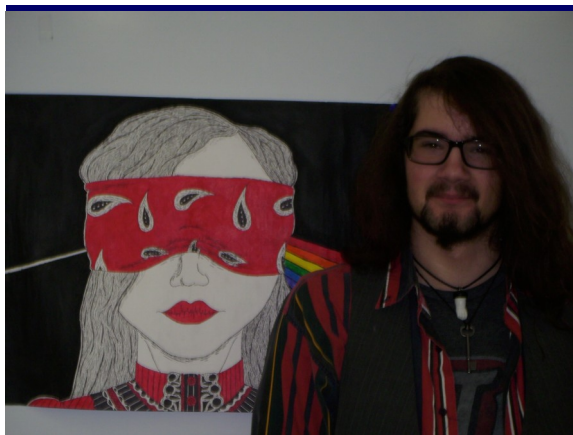
Keep up-to-date with our sports and activity schedules at r-school Today. This site is easy to navigate and is very user friendly. Go to the Lakeview website, www.lakeviewcs.esu7.org, click on the Activities tab on the left and go to Sports Schedules on the drop-down menu. This will take you to the r-school Today website.

Once on the r-school today website, you can sign up to be notified of any schedule changes. If you have any questions, please call the Athletic Office at the high school.



National Honor Society

On March 11, 25 members of the Lakeview National Honor Society took their annual field trip to Lincoln. The group visited Duncan Aviation, where they had an interesting tour given by Tad Luedtke, former Lakeview student and member of the National Honor Society. Tad is currently working as Web Manager for Duncan and showed them some of the many planes that Duncan refurbishes for wealthy customers. Next the group visited the Channel 8 TV station where they watched a live broadcast of the noon news. Finally they visited the Nebraska State Penitentiary where they had a chance to visit with an inmate and learn about prison life.



Artist of the Month!

The Artist of the Month this time around is Jarrett Mohrmann (pictured left). Jarrett is a Junior in the Advanced Art class. When asked what he'd like to say about his art, this is what he came up with: "I do art because that's the only thing I feel I'm really good at."

TIME FOR CHANGE Announces Winners

The T4C Anti-Gang Coalition had a billboard design contest. The billboard contest was to provide a positive message that promotes the anti gang mission and vision of T4C. All entries were judged on

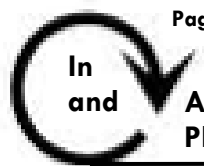
creativity, content of the message and quality of the work. The Time for Change coalition is happy to announce the winners of the 2013-14 T4C Billboard Contest.

First place winners are: 7th grader, Gabrielle Manak; 10th grader, Macy Bakenhus and 11th grader, Baylee Barber. These students will get a \$25.00 gift card to the Center 7 Theater in Columbus and have their design posted on a billboard and on place mats at a local restaurant.

Second place winners are: 7th grader, Emily Van Cleave and 10th grader, Lena Tautscher These students will get a \$25.00 gift card to a local restaurant and have their design posted on place mats at one of the restaurants.

These students and their family are invited to attend a small T4C meeting scheduled for Monday, March 24 at 6:00 PM at the Juvenile Services Center – 1465 27th Street; Columbus NE 68601. They will hand out awards and take pictures of all the recipients that day.

The seventh graders submitted a design in their Creative Arts class with Mrs. Noonan and the 10th and 11th graders submitted their design in their Information Technology class with Mrs. Went.



**Around
Platte Center Elementary School**

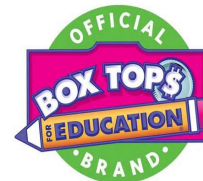


Accelerated Reader Gold Medal Winners

for February were: Kaley Gilsdorf,
Luke Sliva, Andres Rosales Valles,
Kenny Morales, Grace Berkeland,
Alyn Estrada Morales, Levi Hrouda, Will Becker, Daniel
Borgman, and Johann Chavez. Congratulations! Keep

“Box Tops for Education”

contest winners for February are:
1st Place~ 2nd Grade class (97)
& 2nd Place~1st Grade Class (95)
Total Collected: 274. The win-
ning classroom will receive a
special treat from Mr. Schrunk!



4th Grade News!

Omaha to the Holland Performing Arts Center. Our 4th graders as well as a theater of other schools were privileged to play their recorders for a few selections with the symphony. After the performance, our students enjoyed a behind-the-scenes tour. Thank you, Mrs. Goedecken, for providing the opportunity to experience a live symphony!

4th Grade Perform with Symphony Platte Center and Shell Creek
4th Graders along with Mrs. Goedecken and classroom teachers en-
joyed a day at the symphony!

On March 5th, they traveled to



is scheduled for Friday, April 4th. New Kindergarteners and their parents can join us
for lunch at 12:00 noon followed by Registration and Round up from 12:30p.m. – 2:00p.m.
Parents, please bring your child's birth certificate, immunizations, and proof of residency
with you. Parents will be filling out registration information while the children are busy in

Million Word Club!

5th grade student, Zach Schafer and 6th grade
student, Luke Sliva (pictured below) are the
first students of the year to join the Million
Word Club. Luke read approximately
1,200,000 words with Zach coming in at about
1,100,000! Amazing!!! Keep Reading!!



the classroom. If you did not receive a “welcome” let-
ter and you have an incoming Kindergartener, please
call Platte Center Elementary at 402-246-3465.
There is no school for this year's Kindergarten April 4th.



**You have until April 3rd
to help our PTO raise
money through Schwans-
Cares.com. Visit
Schwans-Cares.com ,
click on “Find a Cam-
paign” on the home**

**page. Enter our campaign ID: 6916. Click
Fundraisers tab at the top and find “Platte
Center Elementary”. Click “support now”.
Start shopping!!! Schwan's will deliver your
order direct to your door.**

**You can also call 1-855-870-7208 and provide
the ID : 6916 AND Fundraiser ID: 17996.
Thank you for your support!!**



Around Shell Creek Elementary School



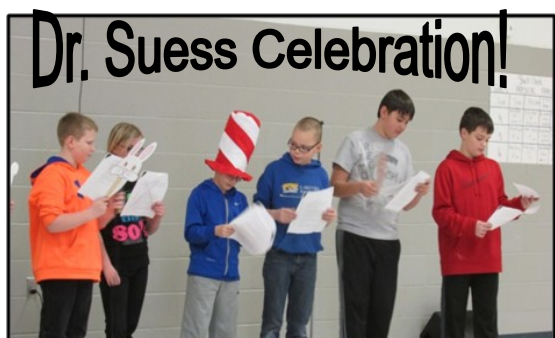
5th Grade Field Trip! Hastings Museum

The 5th grade classes took a field trip to the Hastings Museum on February 28th. The students started out with a Planetarium show entitled "Earth, Moon, and Sun" where

they were able to see the relationships between the three.

Then we quickly rushed over to the theater and watched

"Kenya 3D." The 3D movie experience took the students to the heart of Africa to discover the region's fauna and the natural habitats of many different animals including lions, leopards, and elephants. Then we returned to the Planetarium to watch "Nine Planets and Counting" which took the students on a journey throughout our solar system. To bring the field trip to a close, the 5th graders had time to eat lunch and then break up into four groups and explore the museum's exhibits. "The large collection of historical weapons was pretty neat," said Caleb. A big thank you to Bill Hancock and Audrey Blaser for accompanying us!



Dr. Suess Celebration!

On Monday, March 3, Shell Creek celebrated the birthday of Dr. Suess with a play presented by the Student Council members. Dr. Suess, who is also known as Theodor Seuss Geisel, was an

American writer, poet, and cartoonist. He was most widely known for his children's books written and illustrated as Dr. Seuss. Students were read various Dr. Suess stories and ended the day with blue ice treats in the cafeteria. Thanks Student Council!



STUDENTS "BEE" AMAZING!!



The following students participated in the National Honor Society spelling bee held at Lakeview High School on March 24th:

- 1st Grade: Lexi Blaser, Grace Brockhaus
- 2nd Grade: Taylor Helms, Cora Stamm
- 3rd Grade: Sidney Jaixen, Elly Luchsinger
- 4th Grade: Emily Schaad, Mya Saxton
- 5th Grade: Ethan Wewel, Keagan Reeves
- 6th Grade: Aaron Morse, Cole Langmack

KINDERGARTEN ROUNDUP & REGISTRATION!!

Shell Creek will have their Kindergarten registration and Roundup on Friday, April 4th from 8:15-10:30 am. Call school at 402-564-8008 if you have questions! **SEE YOU THERE!**