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From the Desk of the Superintendent

	By Dr. Aaron Plas	
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By law, public schools are mandated every five years to have an external group of educators come into the school district to assess the progress and make recommendations for improvement. These visits are referred to as the Continual School Improvement Process. During the multiple-day visit, the group will review internal assessment data, evaluate the commitment to previous goals, spend time observing schools and classrooms, and conduct interviews with several groups, including parents, students, staff, community members, and the Board of Education. At the conclusion of the visit, the external review committee will provide the district with areas they are doing well and recommendations for continual improvement goals for the next five years. This process is essentially an academic audit of the school to ensure it is working to improve and focusing on the areas of most need.

Lakeview Community Schools had their Continual School Improvement Process conducted in October. LCS was lucky enough to have nine external review members from various backgrounds including large and small schools, different roles ranging from superintendents to teachers and everything in between, and all nine with a highly regarded reputation in education. The external review committee was provided a lot of information, but a few of the highlights on progress over the last five years included:

- The student population increasing from 863 to 967
- Professional Learning Community process going from unstructured to highly functioning
- Transitioning to a higher quality reading program K-8 and teaching it with fidelity
- Moving to a district-wide K-12 one-to-one technology program
- Implementation of two preschools at both Platte Center and Shell Creek Elementary schools
- Incredible improvements to all three educational facilities

At the conclusion of the visit the external review team provides the district with both commendations and recommendations. Lakeview Community Schools proved outstanding in the following areas:

- The overall use of data
- Design of PLC process and allocation of time
- Facility improvements
- Culture of caring, community, and family
- Development of strong community partnerships
- Preparation of kids for college and careers
- Real-life application of learning
- High caliber of teachers and administrators

The recommendation for the next five years was that Lakeview Community Schools create a common vision for Tier 1 Core Instruction to provide equitable resources to close the achievement gap between various demographic groups. Potential next steps included:

- Created a more balanced assessment system
- Gather perceptual data around staff professional development
- Provide adequate time for supplementation instruction in addition to Tier One instruction
- Expand fidelity checks on all tiers of instruction
- Continually review tier two supports for students

We were excited to provide a review of all the progress made within Lakeview Community Schools over the last half-decade, and we are already beginning our mission to provide just as much progress in the next five years. The district is motivated and excited to continue our mission of striving to build a strong academic foundation with educational opportunities that develop character and the mindset needed for all students to be successful members of their community.

In & Around Lakeview Jr/Sr High



2022-2023 Junior High Quarter 1 Honor Roll

Student Name	Grade Level	Level	Student Name	Grade Level	Level
Abegglen, Jodi Ann	8	Distinction	Langan, Cale Jay	8	Distinction
Alvarez Calles, Angela Gessel	8	Distinction	Lotspeich, Mckinleigh Mae	8	Distinction
Bartos, Harris Keith	8	Distinction	Lutjelusche, Emily Erin	8	Distinction
Behlen, Brett Allen	8	Distinction	Miller, Tessa Nicole	8	Distinction
Bird, Abby Mae	8	Distinction	Mohrman, Emerson Edward	8	Distinction
Borowiak, Haylee Marie	8	Distinction	Nielsen, Addyson Beth Marie	8	Distinction
Bowen, Keagan Tomas	8	Distinction	Recinos-Tapia, Genesis Monzerratte	8	Distinction
Ceder, Jackson Lee	8	Distinction	Runge, Isabelle Ruby	8	Distinction
Chavez, Matteo Antonio	8	Distinction	Sabillon Vargas, Josse Andres	8	Distinction
Ditter, Owen Lucas	8	Distinction	Santos, Alexander	8	Distinction
Divis, Jake Martin	8	Distinction	Soulliere, Dane William	8	Distinction
Enriquez Sanchez, Genesis	8	Distinction	Tomas, Gizelle Elizabeth	8	Distinction
Enriquez Sanchez, Grace	8	Distinction	Vargas Mora, Samantha	8	Distinction
Farrell, Zane Cooper	8	Distinction	Viergutz, Rylin James	8	Distinction
Glendy, Emma Grace	8	Distinction	Wilson, Jaedin Katherine	8	Distinction
Gloria Espino, Jose Angel	8	Distinction	Finecy, Emma Marie	8	Honor Roll
Greisen, MaKenzie Marie	8	Distinction	Frauentorfer, Rylan Jay	8	Honor Roll
Helms, Calli Sue	8	Distinction	Gerrard, Taylor Rebecca	8	Honor Roll
Henk, Nash Payton	8	Distinction	Gronenthal, Kobe Ryan	8	Honor Roll
Hornung, Hadley Rose	8	Distinction	Jimenez, Victor Joan	8	Honor Roll
Hornung, Hudson Cooper	8	Distinction	Landkamer, Kaitlyn Elizabeth	8	Honor Roll
Jareske, Alyssa Marie	8	Distinction	Leffers, Izabell Mae	8	Honor Roll
Jasper, Korbin G	8	Distinction	Lorenz, Samuel Dale	8	Honor Roll
Jimenez Caballero, Joan Alexander	8	Distinction	Martinez Aguilar, Ana Esmeralda	8	Honor Roll
Kapels, Aidan Scott	8	Distinction	Ortega, Elijah Gabriel	8	Honor Roll
Killham, Karsten Ray	8	Distinction	Wellman, Luke Michael	8	Honor Roll

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2022-2023 Junior High Quarter 1 Honor Roll

Student Name	Grade Level	Level	Student Name	Grade Level	Level
Alas, Aliyah Victoria	7	Distinction	Navarro, Naira	7	Distinction
Anderson, Rayetta Jo	7	Distinction	Neemeyer, Abigail Rae	7	Distinction
Badstieber, Ayla Rose	7	Distinction	Osten, Hadley Faye	7	Distinction
Badstieber, Kenley Dawn	7	Distinction	Perrin, Celine Marie	7	Distinction
Bergen, Meredith Joy	7	Distinction	Pierce, Callen Jack	7	Distinction
Brabec, Taya Patricia	7	Distinction	Ruelas Sanchez, Sebastian	7	Distinction
Caballero Vega, Deisy	7	Distinction	Sander, Weston Ross	7	Distinction
Clark, Gavin Sawyer	7	Distinction	Seda, Brecken Anthony	7	Distinction
Coughtry, Jeffrey Michael	7	Distinction	Sprunk, Kamryn Angela	7	Distinction
Czapla, William Joseph	7	Distinction	Stejskal, Lindley Ann	7	Distinction
Dicke, Perry Louis	7	Distinction	Stuthman, Hailee Mae	7	Distinction
Eberhart, Adalyn Jean	7	Distinction	Valdivia, Carlos Omar	7	Distinction
Ellsworth, Aidan Daniel	7	Distinction	Allen, Abbigail Marie	7	Honor Roll
Ferris, Caitlyn Marie	7	Distinction	Brichacek, Raelea Ludmila	7	Honor Roll
Fisher, Trinity Hope	7	Distinction	Cervantes Caraballos, Yeison Yanssel	7	Honor Roll
Forney, Ell Mya	7	Distinction	Cruz Flores, Uliser Saul	7	Honor Roll
Freeland, Hailey Eva	7	Distinction	Duarte Valles, Maria Fernanda	7	Honor Roll
Hake, Carter Lee	7	Distinction	Fendrick, Emily Ann	7	Honor Roll
Hrouda, Faith Kathleen	7	Distinction	Hajek, Kami Jo	7	Honor Roll
Hruska, Bekka Mae	7	Distinction	Leon Carrillo, Daleny Betzabe	7	Honor Roll
Jimenez, Daniel	7	Distinction	Martinez Jaramillo, Abraham Juan	7	Honor Roll
Killham, Karley Jo	7	Distinction	Moore, Talon Robert	7	Honor Roll
Killham, Kora Ann	7	Distinction	Perez Jimenez, Alyna	7	Honor Roll
Kirby, Izabella JoAnn Hart	7	Distinction	Rosales Aragon, Jonathan	7	Honor Roll
Lemus, Eva Michelle	7	Distinction	Santos, Daniel M	7	Honor Roll
Luckey, Elliot Walter	7	Distinction	Scriven, Timothy James	7	Honor Roll
Mejstrik, Jaelyn Rose	7	Distinction	Svatora, Tyler Gage	7	Honor Roll
Metcalfe, Aurorah Nicole	7	Distinction			

FBLA News

December 2022



National Fall Leadership Conference

On November 10th, forty-two Lakeview FBLA members traveled west and explored the Mile High City to attend the National Fall Leadership Conference. The conference consisted of two days where members had the opportunity to be educated on topics ranging from leadership to conflict resolution. While in Denver, members attended an Avalanche hockey game, ate and played games at Dave and Busters, and explored downtown Denver while not participating in the conference sessions. "My highlight of the trip was getting to network with 1400 other FBLA members from all across America," Junior Isaac Stromberg stated.

Food Feud

Lakeview once again took home the championship in the annual Food Feud, sponsored by the Lakeview and Scotus FBLA chapters. The Lakeview fans and supporters donated 1,501 canned items, while the Scotus fans donated 575 items. The donated items were delivered to the Columbus Rescue Mission, Lakeview Food Pantry, Platte County Food Bank, and the Simon House. Thanks for your community support.

Become a Member Today!

Lakeview FBLA currently has 108 members registered! We are one of the largest chapters in Nebraska! FBLA gives people a chance to better yourself and network with different types of people.

November Member of the Month

Congratulations to our November Member of the Month, Annie Lange! Annie has been a dedicated member of FBLA for four years. Most recently, Annie played an integral part in running the Food Feud and attended NFLC.



Upcoming Dates

December 5th: Blue Pride Cards Due
December 6th: December Meeting
Week of December 12th: Secret Santa
December 14th: Lead4Change Movie Fundraiser at Shell Creek

In & Around Lakeview Jr/Sr High

A huge thank you to all Lakeview community members who were able to donate blood on Friday, November 11th! The Anatomy and Physiology class appreciates your support. With your help, we were able to collect 56 units of blood which will save many lives.

The next blood drive will be held on January 7th at Shell Creek Elementary.

Please visit www.redcrossblood.org/
to sign up today!

thank you



The Lakeview Booster Club will have a rack of Lakeview apparel set up in the High School office. Come shop countless styles and sizes for all of your Christmas shopping needs.

Senior Pictures Due Now!

It's time to submit senior pictures for this year's yearbook! Please submit headshots to Mrs. Schatz at kschatz@lakeview.esu7.org. Specifications for submission are below. If we do not receive a picture for your senior student by January 31, we will use the headshot taken for school pictures. These pictures will be used for the yearbook, for the senior slide show, and for the Columbus Telegram.

Senior Photo Submission Requirements:

- CD or email the image to be used (kschatz@lakeview.esu7.org)
- JPG Format
- Minimum 200 DPI
- Cropped vertically
- No special effects (soft focus, b/w, sepia, etc...)
- Submission due by January 31, 2023

****Note**** Headshots are required for the Telegram. If you wish to use a different photo for the yearbook, you may, but the above requirements still apply. If you are sending 2 different pictures, please specify where each picture is to be used.

If you can't afford senior pictures, we have a professional photographer who will do a brief session for FREE! Contact Mrs. Schatz at kschatz@lakeview.esu7.org for more information.

Senior Ads for your Special Senior - Get yours before it's too late!

Attention Parents of Seniors! Graduating from high school is such a wonderful milestone in your child's life. We would like to offer the opportunity for you to mark this occasion by ordering a senior advertisement in the yearbook. These "ads" will contain your child's senior picture already submitted and a baby picture if that was also submitted. You can then personalize the ad by writing a note to your child. Past notes have been ones of encouragement and love. The limit is 150 words. You can submit these ads to kschatz@lakeview.esu7.org. The cost is \$50 per ad. Please make payment to Lakeview High School with "Senior Ad" marked in the memo. All ads and payments must be submitted by January 31. We have VERY limited spots available, so get your senior ad today! These ads will be first come, first served. Once our space is filled, we will not be able to take any more ads.

Viking Way Student of the Month



Rori Reese

Congratulations to Rori Reese for being selected as a Viking Way Student of the Month for October! Rori is an excellent student, and she is very respectful, responsible, and caring toward others. Awesome job Rori!

MaKenna Lutjelusche

Congratulations to MaKenna Lutjelusche for being selected as the Viking Way Student of the Month for October! Makenna is a hard worker and a great student who strives to do her best. She participates well in her classes, is very respectful and serves as a good leader for her peers. Great job Makenna!



In & Around Shell Creek



Shell Creek Student Council has been busy the past month. We kicked off October with a sock drive called, Socktober. Our school collected over 665 pairs of socks, and we donated them to the Columbus Rescue Mission and YFFC. Our student council also had our Shell Creek students make cards for the veterans in our community. We hand-delivered the cards on Veterans Day to local veterans who enjoyed a meal at the Eagles Club in Columbus.



In & Around Shell Creek

SHELL CREEK STUDENTS PARTICIPATE IN KIDS HEART CHALLENGE!

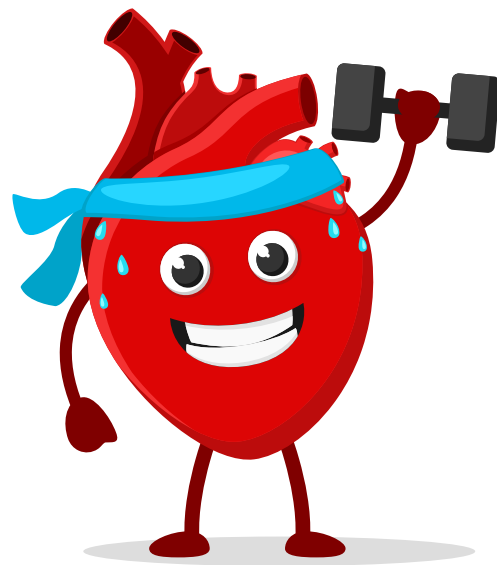
By: Chris Thoms - Health and Physical Education Teacher

On November 7-11, 2022 Shell Creek Elementary students, grades 1st -6th participated in the annual Kids Heart Challenge, also known as Jump Rope for Heart. This program is sponsored by the American Heart Association in schools throughout the nation. Each year the American Heart Association asks each school nationwide to participate in this program to help fight heart disease and stroke. The students at Shell Creek Elementary have shown a great interest in this program and worked hard to raise funds to help in the fight against heart disease and stroke. This year Shell Creek Elementary had 271 students participate, with 64 of those students turning in money donations for the American Heart Association. This year Shell Creek Elementary raised \$3,854.87 to help fund research and programs in and around our community fighting heart disease and stroke.

I would also like to recognize this year's top money-raisers at Shell Creek Elementary. Normally it is a pretty close race when it comes to determining the top money raiser and this year was close again. Isabella Palomares, a 3rd grader in Mrs. Rodehorst's class turned in the most money with \$290.30.

Isabella will receive the FINN Dragon figure for her backpack and a recognition certificate from the American Heart Association for her hard work and efforts to promote healthy lifestyles. Congratulations Isabella!

As this year's Kids Heart Challenge coordinator, I would like to thank all of the students for their hard work and efforts. It's a total school effort and these students showed a lot of excitement and enthusiasm about participating in this year's Kids Heart Challenge. I would also like to thank all the teachers and parents for all your help in getting the money back to me so quickly. By doing this I was able to get the money sent off to the American Heart Association as soon as possible so the student's additional prizes (Jump Rope, T-Shirts, Playground Balls) can be received to reward their efforts. I look forward to next year's Kids Heart Challenge and teaching the students to be physically fit and healthy for a lifetime.



In & Around Shell Creek

Red Ribbon Week

By: Mrs. Paben - 1st Grade

First graders enjoyed Red Ribbon Week, October 24-28.

- Monday-Follow Your Dreams, Don't Do Drugs! (pajama day)
- Tuesday-Drugs are Getting Old! (clothes from a different decade)
- Wednesday-Your Future is Bright Without Drugs! (neon day)
- Thursday-Drug Free is the Way to Be! (red day)
- Friday-Support Each Other to Stay Away From Drugs! (twin day)

Special thanks to our student council for a fun week!



6th Grade Happenings

By: Mr. Bentz - 6th Grade

The 6th grade at Shell Creek have had a busy beginning to the year. We have been getting to know each other and getting back into the swing of school. We have just completed our 2nd unit in our Wonders reading series and are getting ready for our 2nd novel study. The kids enjoy the novel studies a lot and are looking forward to getting started!

In math we have been working with decimals and fractions mostly up to this point but are beginning work on writing and evaluating numerical and algebraic expressions. This is a fairly new concept to 6th grade students and usually is our most challenging chapters of the year.

In science we learned about the solar system and our planet and are currently learning about renewable and nonrenewable energy resources and what we can do to protect our planet.

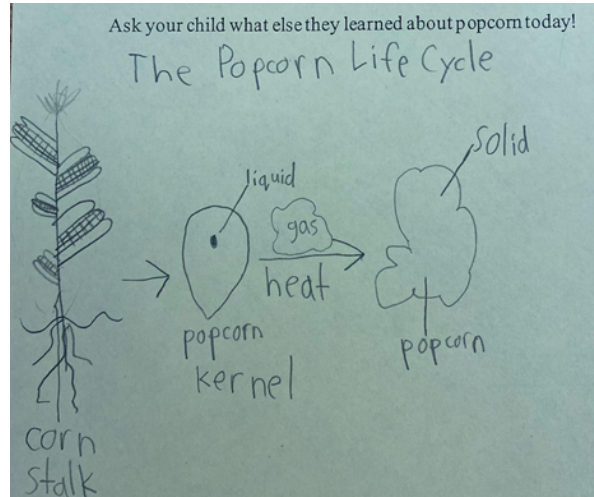
We have also been discussing our 2nd semester project of raising trout in the classroom. The students are super excited for this project and cannot wait for our trout eggs to arrive. As of right now, our trout eggs will be delivered sometime in the middle of January. Watch my twitter page (@BentzDon) for future videos and pictures of our trout.

In & Around Shell Creek

Positively Popcorn

By: Mrs. Osten - 2nd Grade

Did you know that Nebraska is one of the leading states in producing popcorn? Nebraska grows nearly 250 million pounds of popcorn per year! Sheila Hoppe from the Platte County Extension Office came to help the students describe the physical properties of matter and how it changes through... POPCORN! She read a book to the students, let them watch it pop (and of course eat it!), watched a video of popcorn popping in slow motion, and finally they drew the life cycle of popcorn. The students learned how the three stages of matter: solids, liquids, and gases are all present when we pop popcorn!



2nd Grade Field Trip

By: Mrs. Osten, Mrs. Plemons, Mrs. Wilcynski- 2nd Grade

The 2nd graders from Platte Center and Shell Creek went on a field trip to the Omaha Children's Museum on Friday October 14th. The students enjoyed the special exhibit upstairs called Moon to Mars. The children were transported to a world inspired by space travel where they could build their own rocket, try on a space suit, and even climb a rock wall.

There were many other areas in the museum that the students enjoyed exploring; like the Halloween exhibit, art smart center, tinker lab, and the science and technology center.

A special thanks goes out to the parents that came with us on the trip, the lunches that were provided by the school, and all the staff at the museum that made it a great day!



In & Around Shell Creek

5th Grade Happenings

**By: Mrs. Blumenthal & Mrs.
Wurdeman - 5th Grade**

1st Quarter:

-In Science students explored how organisms depend on one another and form an interconnected ecosystem. Students investigated food chains, food webs, and the importance of producers, consumers, and decomposers.

-In S.S. students reviewed the geography and regions of the United States, learned about the early people groups in the Americas (Inca, Aztec, Olmec, Maya), and looked at the different Native American tribes in North America.

-In Writing students learned about nouns, prepositions, types of sentences, proofreading sentences, and subjects and predicates.

- In Math students have reviewed and worked on foundational math skills. As we continue the year we will be building on fractions, decimals, place value, and real life story problems.

-In Reading students studied Narrative Nonfiction text and looked at how experiencing nature changes the way you think about it. We also studied Realistic Fiction and how we get the things we need. As well as Argumentative Text and the positive and negative effects of technology. Another genre studied was Informational Text and what good problem solvers do, along with a Folktale and when has a plan helped you accomplish a task, and poetry and what motivates you to accomplish a goal.

-We had an AR party for our 1st Quarter AR Achievers.

2nd Quarter:

-In Reading we will be studying Realistic Fiction and learning about different cultures. As well as Informational Text and benefits that come from people working as a group. We will also study Argumentative Text again and how we explain events that happened in the past.

-We will also be focusing on verbs in Writing class.

-We will have an AR party before Christmas break for our 2nd Quarter AR Goal Achievers.

-In Science students consider the profound importance of water as a natural resource. Students investigate the distribution of water, how it cycles through Earth's systems, and how it affects human societies. We also discuss the Dust Bowl and effects of having little to no water had on the farmers and communities during the time.

-In S.S. students learned about The Age of Exploration and started to look at how and why the first 13 colonies were established.

Look Ahead at 3rd Quarter:

-We will be reading a novel called Esperanza Rising after Christmas break. In this novel we will be learning and studying about the Mexican Revolution, Cesar Chavez, and the California Labor Strikes.

-Students will be studying Figurative Language in Writing class.

-After Christmas, we will be shifting our focus to the topic of space in Science.

-In S.S., we will finish up learning about the 13 colonies and start diving into the causes and effects of the American Revolution.

Check out the 5th Grade Teachers Twitter pages for lots of pictures and videos:
[@michalawurdeman](#) & [@blumenthal_5](#)



In & Around Platte Center



As part of a social studies unit, third graders traveled around the Platte Center community and learned about the importance of teamwork, volunteering, and community involvement. This year we walked to J & L, Bank of the Valley, Virg's Garage, and Platte Center Fire & Rescue. Honeycomb Salon & Boutique and Cornhusker Public Power came to the classroom for a visit. Some of the biggest takeaways from the 3rd graders include: being in a small town we rely on each other to come together during good and bad times, volunteering helps unite a community, and being a part of multiple communities helps you meet people and learn from them.



In & Around Platte Center



We are extremely happy to be a part of an amazing community at Platte Center Elementary and even luckier to have the community of Platte Center at our fingertips.

A huge thank you to Linda and Judy at J & L, Jamie Meyer and staff at Bank of the Valley, Kelsy Greisen at Honeycomb Salon and Boutique, Jay Wemhoff from Cornhusker Public Power, Randy Pilakowski from Virg's Garage, and Amber Pilakowski with Platte Center Fire & Rescue. Your generosity and knowledge was so greatly appreciated! We are PC proud!!



On October 14th, K-6 Grade students showed their School Spirit at Cheer Camp at the Lakeview High School football game.



Platte Center students with October birthdays were recognized at our monthly Birthday Assembly.



Kindergarten won the Pipe Puppy and the Traveling Pineapple for winning the October dance off competition at Platte Center Elementary's monthly Birthday Assembly.



In & Around Platte Center



On October 14th, 2nd grade had the opportunity to visit the Omaha Children's Museum. While there, they were able to explore various exhibits. Each exhibit had hands-on activities that helped the students learn about that subject. It was a great opportunity to learn through exploration!



Cornhusker Power visited 5th Graders at Platte Center Elementary on Tuesday, Oct. 14, to teach the students about electrical safety. The students learned what not to do in various situations around the home and school. Jessica and Jay did a great job sharing the information and making it interesting! Thanks CPPD!



In & Around Platte Center



Platte Center K-6th Grade Students got to take a fun trip to the Nantkes Performing Arts Center to watch a play performed by the Wichita Children's Theatre on October 6th.



Platte Center Awards



Viking Way Students of the Month

Congratulations to Addisyn Sutton (5th grade) and Lance Hake (4th Grade) for winning the October Viking Way Award.



In & Around Christ Lutheran School



Eden, the Comfort Dog, visited Christ Lutheran School. In each classroom her handlers, Mary and Warren Hellbusch, shared about Eden's tour to Uvalde, TX. Of course, Eden received lots of hugs while visiting each classroom. Eden will be visiting Christ Lutheran once a quarter where students will do a variety of activities with her. We can't wait to see you in December, Eden!



In & Around Christ Lutheran School

Preschoolers have been learning all about Fall. They have done several fun projects with leaves and pumpkins. They love their hands-on projects!! They are excited to sing in church and to lead Chapel for the school.



The 1st-2nd Graders would like to announce that they are the proud parents of an adopted calf through the Adopt a Cow Program. Their calf's name is Lark. They will get to follow along with Lark's growth and development over the next six months. They will also participate in lessons and activities related to her growth, how she is cared for on the farm, and how milk is produced on the farm. Lark is sure to bring lots of smiles and memories to the students.



The 3rd-4th Graders are launching into Storyjumper, a program Mrs. Murray learned about at Tech 21. Each student is writing a fairytale with a moral at the end of the story. The stories will be posted on the school's Facebook page when finished. In Science they are learning about the human body more specifically reflexes, sight, muscles, and the skeleton. They are also learning about the national parks in the U.S.A. They are doing reports to learn about the uniqueness of each park.

The 5-6-7th Graders have started working on two projects for the Christmas catalog fundraiser. Students are creating a soft-bound book called C is for Christian and a 2023 calendar. Through these two activities, students will learn about economics, marketing, saving, spending, and more. Money made from the sales of these two projects will be spent on supplies for their guinea pigs, community service projects, a Christmas party, and possibly more. The 5-6-7th Graders are also doing a service project. They are collecting baby items to be donated to the Simon House in Columbus and Gabriel's Corner in Omaha.

A Veteran's Day Program was held on Nov. 11. Veteran's were invited to come. Students led the program by singing a medley of each of the branches of the military's anthems. Grades 1-2 led the group in the pledges while the Grades 3-4 read the haiku poems they wrote. Grades 5-7 wrote letters to veterans thanking them for their service. Some of these were read during the program. Lunch was served after the program. Thank you veterans for your service in protecting our country!



In & Around St. John's School



St. John's Lutheran School thanks God for all the good gifts He has showered on us! We have been blessed with so many opportunities to learn about our world and our Lord. Here are a few examples:

Our preschool children are learning about the season of Fall and Thanksgiving. Our letters have included Qq-for Queeny Quail. The children colored a quail and fed it corn by gluing corn to the paper. We've made scarecrow faces to hang in the school gym. We have learned about Moses and God's people. The children completed an activity about Manna using Frosted Flakes as an example. Yum!

The Little Room and Preschool classes had a visit from the Creston Fire Department. The Fire Department taught them about all the equipment and procedures used to keep everyone safe. The students even got to honk the horn.

The class also had a visit from NPPD, who taught about different types of energy sources and how they make things work. They played a fun demonstration game where they completed the circuit to control the game. During the regular days of school, Kindergarten has been learning about pennies and nouns. First Grade has been working on adjectives and subtraction. Second Grade has been working on fractions and declarative sentences.

In & Around St. John's School

The Middle Room is enjoying two historical fiction novels in literature class. The 3rd and 4th graders are reading Sarah Plain and Tall; while the 5th graders have been reading Number the Stars. In Art class we have been practicing drawing 3-D shapes and creating flat pictures that look 3D. 3rd and 4th grades are studying United States Regions in Social Studies. 5th grade completed Egyptian pyramid models will be studying that region, and are now doing posters on India's religions.

The Big Room just started the novel The Watsons Go to Birmingham. In math, they are studying angles and measure with protractors. For science, they learned how Scientists study and measure the world, specifically focusing on the common universal language scientists use to measure things. They enjoyed putting their knowledge to use as they dissected owl pellets. In social studies, they are learning about ranchers, miners, and railroads. They created a project, and then taught their classmates and tested their knowledge.

All students enjoyed the Fall Festival. The students were dressed in their costumes all day. They had a great time on the hayrack ride in the afternoon, singing songs and chanting away. We are grateful to our fathers who drove our children around many sections!



The students hosted a special Veteran's Day breakfast on Friday, November 11th. The Big Room students served cinnamon rolls and egg bake prepared by our parents. The children spent time learning from our guests during the meal. They presented songs about our flag, then read and demonstrated information about the American flag. The 6th-8th Grade bell choir played "America". We are thankful for all who served our country!



Clothing Drive

Columbus Rescue Mission



BRING YOUR GENTLY USED CLOTHES!

our goal: 1,500 items

FBLA students will be hosting a clothing drive and a bake sale on December 1st at the Lakeview vs. Crete basketball game. There will be a table set up near the entrance of the school. Clothing and cash donations will be accepted the week of and at the game. All proceeds will go to the Columbus Rescue Mission.

2022-2023 LAKEVIEW CLUB WRESTLING

The 2023 Lakeview Club Wrestling season pre-K-8th grade is right around the corner. A parent meeting will be held in the Lakeview High School cafeteria and the first club practice will be on Tuesday, **January 3rd 2023 at 6:30 pm**. Topics will include: wrestling attire, tournament schedule, fundraisers, practice dates and times, Lakeview Club Tournament, coaching and wrestler expectations, as well as any questions you may have. **Don't miss this thrilling opportunity to expose your child to one of the oldest sports known to man!**

Check it out and see if the Lakeview Wrestling Club is right for you! All skill levels are invited. We have **designated December 5th, 12th, 19th as dates that will have pre-season practices that will focus on fundamentals of the sport**. Practice will run from 6:30- 7:30 PM. Bring your child up whether he's experienced or new to the sport of wrestling.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to call Coach Borgen. If you are interested in taking a bigger role such as club coach, please contact Coach Borgen.

High School Coach:

Jeff Borgen- 402-440-2039



HS & JH Wrestling Coaches:

Logan Rodehorst - HS

Codi Jarosz - HS

Ed Kinzer - HS

Aaron Wilson - HS & JH

Tanner Balfour - HS

Brandon Glendy - JH

Registration fee per child is \$50. This will include:

- USA or AAU Wrestling membership which will carry insurance
- Entry fee to all club wrestling tournaments
- Lakeview Wrestling T-shirt
- Rental of Lakeview club singlet for the season

Dates to Remember:

- **Friday, December 2nd** – Come cheer on the high school boys and girls wrestling teams at the Lakeview Invite.
- **Mondays in December 5th, 12th, 19th – Pre-season practices 6:30-7:30 PM**
- **Tuesday, January 3rd at 6:30 PM** in Lakeview cafeteria. This is the organizational parent meeting. Bring your child along for the first practice during the meeting.
- **Mondays and Thursdays** evenings will be designated practice nights after the first meeting. We will have a beginner (Pre-K -2nd) practice from 6:15 – 7:00 PM and an advanced (3rd-8th) from 7:00 – 8:00 PM.
- **Sunday January 22nd** will be our club invite. We host a large tournament and this is a big fundraiser for our club. We will need everyone's help to make this a success again.
- **Monday, Jan 23rd – Feb 6th** - This is our trash bag fundraiser. Please collect the \$ on the front end of the sale. People love these bags and we have a lot of return customers each year.



LEAD4CHANGE



AFTER SCHOOL MOVIE DAY

\$3 ADMISSION!

**Wednesday
December 14th
1:45 - 3:30 PM**

CONCESSIONS WILL BE AVAILABLE
FOR PURCHASE

**LAKEVIEW FBLAMEMBERS ARE HOLDING
A MOVIE DAY AFTER SCHOOL IN THE
GYM FOR ALL STUDENTS ATTENDING
SHELL CREEK. MONEY RAISED WILL BE
DONATED TO NAMI, AN ORGANIZATION
DEDICATED TO HELPING NEBRASKANS
WITH MENTAL ILLNESS. THE MOVIE
PLAYING WILL BE INSIDE OUT. MORE
INFORMATION WILL BE SENT HOME
WITH YOUR CHILD.**




Community Resources

[Columbus Area Mental Health and Counseling Services](#)

[Community Response](#): to assist children, youth and families to be healthy and resilient through a prevention network of community resources.

[Community Response contact information:](#)

Email: rmiksche@columbusunitedway.com

Office: 402-564-5661 

Locations:

1119 B Street
Schuyler, NE

3214 25th St, Ste 2
Columbus, NE

[Columbus Area Service Directory](#)

Lakeview Resources

- Need to talk to someone? Does your family have any basic needs that are not being met?

➔ Mrs. Mollie Rambour, Junior High & Platte Center School Counselor

➔ Mrs. Hellbusch, Shell Creek School Counselor

➔ Mrs. Paige Rambour, High School Counselor

[99 Coping Skills](#)


[Mindfulness Practice Cards](#)


[101 Positive Things to Say to Myself](#)

[Your Life Your Voice Website](#)


Hotlines/ Helplines

Your Life Your Voice- Boystown National Hotline:


 1-800-448-3000

 Text "Voice" to 20121


Crisis Response- use in case of an emergency or mental health crisis:

 (402) 564-3264


National Suicide and Crisis Hotline:
988


 800-273-8255 (TALK)

DHHS Child Abuse and Neglect:

 800-652-1999

211 Helpline:

 2-1-1 or 402-444-6666

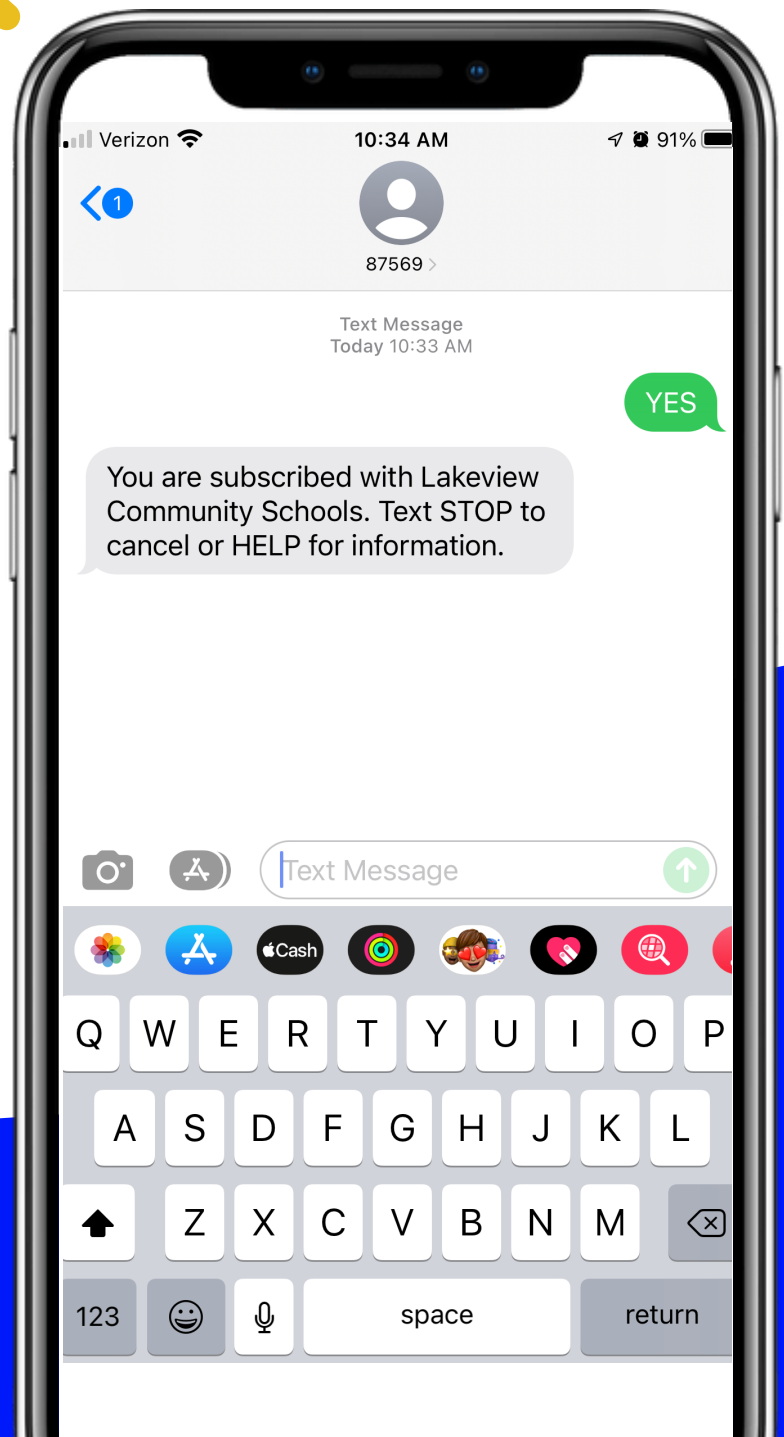
 Text your zip code (68601) to 898211

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**Lakeview Community
Schools wants to
ensure everyone is
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**To receive important
updates regarding
school closings,
schedule changes,
school events, lunch
account information,
and more text "YES" to
87569**





LAKEVIEW COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- After-School Program Coordinator
(Platte Center & Shell Creek)
 - Elementary Special Education Para
Educator (Shell Creek)
 - ESL Para Educator (7th - 12th)
 - Bilingual Para Educator (7th - 12th)
 - Activities Bus Driver
 - Night Time Custodian
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EXPLORE YOUR FUTURE TODAY!

For more information about these
opportunities, please visit our website at
www.lakeview.esu7.org

Lunch Menu

December 2022						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Chicken sandwich Scalloped potatoes Mixed veggies	2 Pizza Tri-potatoes Carrots	3
4	5 Hamburgers Chips Baked beans Cookie	6 Breaded beef steak Mashed potatoes, gravy Corn Roll	7 Chicken nuggets Smile fries Carrots	8 Beef nacho Refried beans Fruit cup	9 Corn dogs Mac & cheese Peas	10 Veggie/fruit bar offered daily Milk&water offered daily
11	12 Chicken Quesadilla Tri-potato Green beans	13 Sloppy joes Sun chips Baked beans	14 Holiday meal	15 Pulled pork Au grain potatoes Strawberry apple sauce	16 Chili soup Crackers Frosted cinnamon roll	17 Menu are subject to change
18	19 Chicken fajita Rice Broccoli	20 Hot ham & cheese Baked beans Chip Cookie	21 Pizza Tri-potato Green beans	22 No School	23 No school	24 UADA an equal opportunity Provider and employer
25	26 No school	27 No school	28 No school	29 No school	30 No school	31

Activities Calendar

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Support Lakeview Viking History...



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Purchaser's Name	
Address	
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Phone	

☐ Send acknowledgment letter to the above address

☐ This brick is a surprise, no need to send an acknowledgment letter

Bricks are a Standard 4"x8" Size and cost \$100.

Print information exactly as you would like it to appear, noting there are a maximum of 14 characters per line (including spaces). If you wish to order more than one brick or would like your bricks placed 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.

Line 1														
Line 2														
Line 3														

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

Lakeview Education Foundation

3744 83rd Street

COLUMBUS, NE 68601