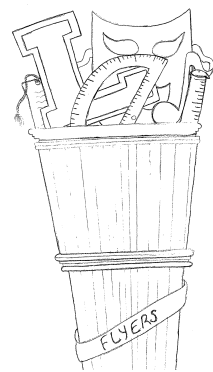


LAKE SCHOOLS FOCUS on the Flyers



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FOCUS SPOTLIGHT December

Each month, the Focus will be spotlighting a teacher or staff member of the Lake School District to assist the community in getting to know the wonderful employees of your school.

Name: Jennifer Moore

Position: 4th Grade Science teach and 7th/8th Grade Cheer-leading Coach

Building: Lake Elementary
College: BGSU

Degrees: Bachelors of Education
Middle Childhood (4-9) Math & Science

Immediate family: Parents Gordon and Kathy Moore, brothers Kurt & Craig

Graduate of what high school: Lake High School

Hometown: Northwood, Ohio

Pets: Dog – Buster

Hobbies: Spending time with family and friends, coaching and shopping

Most Memorable Experience At Lake: The first day of school!

Best part about Lake: I have enjoyed being here as a student, and now as a teacher.

Thanks for the Support

The Lake Board of Education would like to thank the following for their generous donations to Lake Local School District:

Mary Jo Bish--Set of Books

Christ United Methodist Church--Misc. School Supplies

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Keith & Traci Fountain---60 Rolls of Wrapping Paper

Donna Tajblik--Box of Dora the Explorer CDs



Trust and Staying Drug-Free

Students in the Lake Teen Institute group, a group that celebrates being drug-free, had the opportunity to attend a leadership retreat for all Wood County Teen Institute groups at Eastwood High School. During the all day Saturday event, students worked in small groups and learned what it means to trust one another while doing trust exercises.

They also attended workshops that taught them how to give effective presentations. Meeting new friends and gaining the support of other students to remain drug-free made for a fun-filled day!



Elementary Students Take Part in Red Ribbon Week



In celebration of Red Ribbon Week, Lake Elementary students nominated a "Footprint Worth Following." One student per grade level read their nominations at a Red Ribbon Walk on Friday, October 30th and presented their nominee with a gift.

Students sang a "Be Drug Free" song led by elementary music teachers Barb Blake and Kathleen Schulak. After the awards were presented and the songs were sung, students and community members took a walk around the track before heading inside for their fall parties.

Happenings at Walbridge Elementary

By Dolores Swineford

Walbridge Elementary gave back to the community this month.

The kindergarten classes completed the first community service project. Each year, the kindergartners “trick or treat” for Unicef. This project began in October and was completed the first week of November. This year’s kindergartners collected \$125.33 for Unicef. The children surpassed their goal of \$120.00. Thank you for all your help!

Next, Walbridge Elementary invited veterans and their guests for breakfast and a short assembly. Local veterans and their guests were served sweet bread, rolls, cheese cubes, fruit, juice, and coffee. After breakfast, the veterans presented the colors for the school assembly. The children gained an understanding of what Veterans

Day is, the different branches of service, and what it means to be a veteran. Near the end of the assembly, the children sang “We Love Our Flag” for the veterans. The assembly ended with each veteran being presented with a handmade “thank you” card that the children had created in art class.



Lake Township veterans enjoy breakfast at Walbridge Elementary.



VFW Commander Jim Dolan speaks about his military experience.



Veterans from the Walbridge VFW post enjoy conversation with an Honor Flight member.

December will continue with giving back to the community. The children will be collecting canned food for our annual food drive. The food drive will take place December 1st – December 11th. The classroom that collects the most food will earn a pizza party. On December 11th the Lake Township Fire Department will pick up the boxes of collected food at Walbridge Elementary.



Give It Your Best Shot!

On the evening of November 10th Jim “Basketball” Jones came to Lake Elementary to share his story of being a Special Education student who was willing to accept help and work hard to finally exceed everyone’s expectations to graduate with honors from B.G.S.U.

During the program Jim focused on character, effort and listening while demonstrating his basketball skills. Lake and Walbridge Elementary students in Title I, OhioReads and students with IEP’s were invited to attend this inspirational program.

Parents were also given an opportunity to meet with our staff while teachers shared reading and math strategies to use at home.

While our parents met with teachers our students had another treat. Our very own girls high school basketball players came and read books to the students!

The evening concluded with everyone enjoying punch and cookies.

October Little Flyer Winners

Congratulations to Jimmy Urias and Delaney Bee for being selected the October Little Flyers! They exhibited some awesome “Flyer Traits” which earned them a Flyer spirit t-shirt. There were 86 students whose names were put into the drawing and selected prizes out of the treasure box.



Honoring Our Veterans

Music Specialists, Mrs. Blake and Mgst. Schulak, directed a wonderful program that honored our veterans while also showcasing the talents of their young charges.

The program included participation from Cub Scout Pack #126 with the Presentation of Colors. Captain Judd Fisher, Lake alumna and father of fourth graders Delaney and Aubrey, served as narrator of the program.

Our students performed with honor and pride! We are proud of our veterans!

2009-2010 Lake Academic Boosters

Booster Membership - \$25 per family

The purpose of the Academic Boosters is to raise funds for student scholarships and the annual Academic Banquet.

Name (s) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

E-mail _____

Mail to: Lake High School, 28080 Lemoyne Road, Millbury, OH 43447
Please make checks payable to: Lake Academic Boosters

Thank You!

Lake Fall Sports Awards

Fall sports at Lake again produced some exciting action, good sports-manship and fun. Specific awards are as follows:

Academic Awards

Sport	GPA	Name
FB	3.30	Greg Grove
FB	3.34	Ryan Hotmer
GSO	3.37	Kristen Lehman
BSO	3.43	Tim Metz
FB	3.61	Jacob Pack
VB	3.68	Rachel Duncan
CH	3.75	Caitlyn Nichols
VB	3.83	Brianne Freeman
FB	3.85	Alex Stefan
GCC	3.88	Jessica Albright
CH	3.95	Tess Steedman
VB	3.99	Katie Everhardt
BSO	4.02	Nick Byrd
BCC	4.04	Louis Szilagyi
BCC	4.16	Zack Powell
FB	4.28	Terry Tomanski
GO	4.39	Nathan Lowe
GO	Academic All-Ohio - Nathan Lowe	
BCC	Academic All-Ohio - Zack Powell	

League Awards

Sport	All-League	Name
BSO	Hon. Ment.	Austin Hall
BSO	Hon. Ment.	Ricky Cox
BSO	Hon. Ment.	Keegan Lucas
BSO	Hon. Ment.	Zach Sarka
BSO	Hon. Ment.	John Eckenrode
BSO	Hon. Ment.	Tim Metz
BSO	Hon. Ment.	Scott Hartman
FB	Hon. Ment. Off.	Carl Brown
FB	Hon. Ment. Off.	Alan Martinez
FB	Hon. Ment. Off.	Kyle Lee
FB	Hon. Ment. Off.	Ben Sample
GSO	Hon. Ment.	Kayla Encalado
GSO	Hon. Ment.	Emily Whitmore
VB	Hon. Ment.	Brianne Freeman
VB	Hon. Ment.	Carly Huston
VB	Hon. Ment.	Rachel Duncan

VB	Hon. Ment.	McKenzie Whiteman
BCC	Hon. Ment.	Nathan Scanlan
BCC	Hon. Ment.	Riley Breese
GCC	Hon. Ment.	Hunter Johnson
GCC	Hon. Ment.	Stormi Roelle
GCC	Hon. Ment.	Amber Soncrant
GO	Hon. Ment.	Jacob Materni
BSO	2nd Team	Nick Byrd
FB	2nd Team Off.	Jacob Pack
FB	2nd Team Def.	Jacob Pack
FB	2nd Team Def.	Ryan Hotmer
FB	2nd Team Def.	Kurt McKee
FB	2nd Team Def.	Nathan Pennington
FB	2nd Team Off.	Josh Tantari
GSO	2nd Team	Hannah Cox
GSO	2nd Team	Ashley Timmons
GSO	2nd Team	Lindsay Hoffman
VB	2nd Team	Kaysie Britenham
GO	2nd Team	Nathan Yeager
BSO	1st Team	Bryant Philo
BSO	1st Team	Nick McCarthy
BSO	1st Team	Drew Metz
FB	1st Team Off.	Brandon Tantari
FB	1st Team Def.	Brandon Tantari
GSO	1st Team	Shelby Antonacci
GSO	1st Team	Drew Plummer
GSO	1st Team	Tara Preble
BCC	1st Team	Louis Szilagyi
BCC	1st Team - SLL Champ.	Zack Powell
GO	1st Team	Casey Witt
GSO	SLL Player of the Year	Shelby Antonacci
BSO	SLL Player of the Year	Bryant Philo
BCC	SLL Athlete of the Year	Zack Powell

District Awards

GSO	Hon. Ment. - NW Coaches Assoc.	Ashley Timmons
GSO	Hon. Ment. - NW Coaches Assoc.	Hannah Cox
GO	Hon. Ment. - NW Coaches Assoc.	Casey Witt
GO	Hon. Ment. - NW Coaches Assoc.	Nathan Yeager

GSO	2nd Team - NW Coaches Assoc.	Shelby Antonacci
VB	2nd Team - District 7	Kaysie Brittenham
GSO	1st Team - NW Coaches Assoc.	Drew Plummer
BCC	1st Team - 4th Place Finish	Louis Szilagyi
BCC	1st Team - District Champion	Zack Powell
School Records		
BCC	9th Best All-Time 5K Time - 16:58	Louis Szilagyi
GCC	8th Best All-Time 5K Time - 21:29	Hunter Johnson
BCC	Best All-Time 5K Time - 16:03	Zack Powell
FB	Most Sacks or Tackles for Loss in a Season - 19	Brandon Tantari
FB	Most Sacks or Tackles for Loss in a Career - 32	Brandon Tantari
GO	Tied 8th Best All-Time (9)	Hole Average - 40.2
BSO	Casey Witt	Tied Most Goals in a Game - 5
BSO	John Eckenrode	Tied Most Goals in a Game - 5
BSO	Bryant Philo	Most Assists in a Game - 6
BSO	Drew Metz	Most Assists in a Game - 4
GSO	Shelby Antonacci	

GSO	Most Assists in a Season - 17	Shelby Antonacci
GSO	Most Goals in a Game - 4	Hannah Cox
GSO	Most Saves in a Game - 20	Ashley Timmons
VB	Most Aces in a Season - 39	McKenzie Whiteman
VB	Most Digs in a Season - 395	Rachel Duncan
VB	Most Digs in a Career - 619	Rachel Duncan

Most Improved/Most Valuable

Sport	MIP/MVP	Name
CH	M Spirited	Abby Isch
CH	MVP	Kylie Walters
CC-B	MIP	Trevor Walsh
CC-B	MVP	Zack Powell
CC-G	MIP	Alex Momany
CC-G	MVP	Hunter Johnson
FB	MIP	Nathan Pennington
FB	MVP	Brandon Tantari
GO	MIP	Casey Conine
GO	MVP	Casey Witt
SO-B	MIP	Tim Metz
SO-B	MVP	Bryant Philo
SO-G	MIP	Jessica Abbey
SO-G	MVP	Shelby Antonacci
VB	MIP	Lauren Densic
VB	MVP	Kaysie Brittenham

A summary of our fall program:

172 Fall Athletes- up from 148 a year ago.

19 Seniors receiving All-Academic status, up from 14 a year ago.

50 Athletes receiving All-League honors, up from 42

9 Athletes receiving All-Dist. honors.

16 School Records tied or broken, up from 12

3 SLL Player of the Year Awards, instead of 2

2 SLL Championships. (Girls Soccer, 7th Grade Football)

3 teams participating in the dist. tourn.. (Volleyball, Girls Soccer & Golf)

2 teams participating in the reg. tourn.. (Girls Soccer & Boys Cross Country)

Scott Brittenham -=Middle School Boys Cross Country SLL Champion

1 individual participating in the state tourn. (Boys Cross Country - Zack Powell)

FALL SPORTS SCHEDULE

Lake Basketball

Boys 9th, JV and Varsity					
Day	Date	Team	Opponent	Place	Time
Tues.	12/15	JV/V	Oak Harbor	H	6pm
Sat.	12/19	JV/V	Lakota	A	6pm
Tues.	12/22	9/JV/V	Northwood	A	4:30pm
Sat.	01/02	9/JV/V	Delta	H	4:30pm
Tues.	01/05	9/JV/V	Otsego	H	4:30pm
Fri.	01/08	9/JV/V	Woodmore	H	4:30pm
Thurs.	01/14	9/JV/V	Gibsonburg	H	4:30pm
Sat.	01/16	9/JV/V	Swanton	H	4:30pm
Tues.	01/19	9/JV/V	Eastwood	A	4:30pm
Fri.	01/22	9/JV/V	Genoa	A	4:30pm
Thurs.	01/28	9/JV/V	Elmwood	A	4:30pm
Sat.	01/30	9/JV/V	Rossford	A	4:45pm
Fri.	02/05	9/JV/V	Otsego	A	4:30pm
Sat.	02/06	JV/V	St. Wendelin	H	6pm
Thurs.	02/11	9/JV/V	Woodmore	A	4:30pm
Tues.	02/16	9/JV/V	Gibsonburg	A	4:30pm
Fri.	02/19	9/JV/V	Eastwood	H	4:30pm
Fri.	02/26	9/JV/V	Genoa	H	4:30pm

Activities:
Parent's Night: Thurs., Jan. 14 (after JV Boys Game)
Jr. Flyer Cheer Clinic: Thurs., Jan. 14 (Halftime of VBoys Game)
Hall of Fame Night: Sat., Jan. 16 (Halftime of Varsity Boys Game)
(If selections chosen)
Coming H Game:Thurs., Jan. 21 (after JV Girls Game)
Boys Basketball Spaghetti Dinner: Fri., Feb. 26
OHSAA Sectional Tourney: Week of March 1

Boys 7th & 8th

Day	Date	Opponent	Place	Time
Mon.	12/14	Eastwood	A	4:15pm
Sat.	12/19	Genoa	A	9am
Mon.	01/04	Otsego	A	4:15pm
Mon.	01/11	Woodmore	H	4:15pm
Thurs.	01/14	Timberstone	A	4:15pm
Sat.	01/16	Gibsonburg	A	9am
Wed.	01/20	Elmwood	H	4:15pm

Mon.	01/25	Eastwood	H	4:15pm
Mon.	02/01	Genoa	H	4:15pm
SLL TOURNAMENT				
Sat.	02/06	7th SLL Tourney	Woodmore HS	TBA
Sat.	02/06	8th SLL Tourney	LAKE HS	TBA
Mon.	02/08	7th SLL Tourney	Woodmore HS	TBA
Mon.	02/08	8th SLL Tourney	LAKE HS	TBA
Sat.	02/13	7th/8th SLL Finals	LAKE HS	TBA

Girls JV and Varsity

Day	Date	Opponent	Place	Time
Tues.	12/15	Otsego	A	6pm
Fri.	12/18	Woodmore	H	6pm
Mon.	12/28	Whitmer	A	6pm
Wed.	12/30	St. Wendelin	H	6pm
Thurs.	01/07	Gibsonburg	A	6pm
Tues.	01/12	Eastwood	H	6pm
Fri.	01/15	Genoa	H	6pm
Thurs.	01/21	Elmwood	H	6pm
Tues.	01/26	Swanton	H	6pm
Fri.	01/29	Otsego	H	6pm
Thurs.	02/04	Woodmore	A	6pm
Tues.	02/09	Gibsonburg	H	6pm
Fri.	02/12	Eastwood	A	6pm
Sat.	02/13	Rossford	A	11:30am
Mon.	02/15	Clyde	H	6pm
Thurs.	02/18	Genoa	A	6pm

Girls 7th and 8th

Day	Date	Opponent	Place	Time
Mon.	12/14	Eastwood	H	4:15pm
Sat.	12/19	Genoa	H	9am
Mon.	01/04	Otsego	H	4:15pm
Sat.	01/09	Danbury	H	1pm
Mon.	01/11	Woodmore	A	4:15pm
Wed.	01/13	Elmwood	A	4:15pm
Sat.	01/16	Gibsonburg	H	9am
Fri.	01/22	Timberstone	H	3:30pm
Mon.	01/25	Eastwood	A	4:15pm

Mon.	02/01	Genoa	A	4:15pm
SLL TOURNAMENT				
Sat.	02/06	7th SLL Tourney Otsego	HS	TBA
Sat.	02/06	8th SLL Tourney Gibsonburg	HS	TBA
Wed.	02/10	7th SLL Tourney Otsego	HS	TBA
Wed.	02/10	8th SLL Tourney Gibsonburg	HS	TBA
Sat.	02/13	7th/8th SLL Finals Gibsonburg	HS	TBA

Lake Wrestling

Varsity Wrestling				
Day	Date	Opponent	Place	Time
Wed.	12/16	North Baltimore	North Baltimore	6pm
Tues.	12/29	JV-St. John's Inv.	St. John's HS	11am
Wed.	01/06	Northwood/Fostoria	Northwood HS	6pm
Fri.	01/08	Woodmore Inv.	Woodmore HS	5pm
Sat.	01/09	Woodmore Inv.	Woodmore HS	10am
Sat.	01/09	JV - Start Inv.	Start HS	TBA
Wed.	01/13	Port Clinton	Port Clinton HS	6pm
Fri.	01/15	SLL Duals	Eastwood HS	TBA
Sat.	01/16	SLL Duals	Eastwood HS	TBA
Sat.	01/23	JV - LAKE INV.	H	9:30am
Sat.	02/06	St. Charles Inv.	St. Charles	7:30am
Sat.	02/13	SLL Meet	H	11am
Fri.	02/19	Sectional Meet	Elmwood HS	TBA
Sat.	02/20	Sectional Meet	Elmwood HS	TBA
Fri.	02/26	District Meet	Owens C.C.	TBA
Sat.	02/27	District Meet	Owens C.C.	TBA

7th & 8th Grade Wrestling

Day	Date	Opponent	Place	Time
Wed.	12/16	Genoa	A	4:15pm
Wed.	01/06	Eastwood/Otsego	H	4:15pm
Mon.	01/11	Rossford/Springfield	Rossford	4:15pm
Wed.	01/13	Woodmore/Genoa	Genoa	4:15pm
Sat.	01/23	SLL Meet	Genoa	TBA
High School Activities:				
Parent's Night: Thurs., Jan. 14 (after JV Boys Game)				
Hall of Fame Night: Sat., Jan. 16 (Halftime of Varsity Boys Game)				
(If selections chosen)				
Coming H Game:Thursday, Jan. 21 (after JV Girls Game)				



Success From Staying Drug Free

Recently, Joel Penton spoke to Lake Middle School and Lake High School students about the importance of keeping your commitment to be Drug-Free. He shared his personal story about how difficult it was to keep his commitment to be drug-free while in high school, but how that ultimately paid off when Coach Jim Tressel came to his high school in Van Wert to present him with a scholarship to play football for Ohio State. Five Championship rings later, Joel stated “when I put on this Championship ring, I don’t think back at how difficult it was to keep my commitment. I think of all of the success that came as a result of keeping my commitment to re-

main drug-free.” During the assembly he demonstrated how peer pressure plays a role in making decisions by having students choose side on whether they “agreed” or “disagreed” with the statements he presented. Ryan Holiday performed for students and sang a song he wrote for the “Stand Your Ground” tour. Students came on stage to perform alongside Ryan. Joel also came to speak to parents during a parent dialogue night. He encouraged parents to love their children through all of their mistakes, and to remain a positive example in their children’s lives.



Pennies Produce Pies

Greg Grove and RJ Schultz give Tom Clapsaddle from the Toledo Rescue Gospel Mission, 25 pies for his shelter this Holiday season. Lake High School and Walbridge Elementary participated in a “Pennies for Pie” contest, to raise money to purchase pies through Market Day. A total of 60 pies were purchase to feed the hungry this holiday season at area shelters.



Shown above are: Johnny Guyton and his dad John Guyton, Bryce Riddle and her mom -Hollie was ill (grandpa stepped in for mom James Riddle), Chloe Umbaugh and her sister Grace Umbaugh, and Emily Meier and her mom Vicki Meier.

LAKE LOCAL SCHOOLS 2009-2010 CALENDAR

Dec. 21	Last Day Of School For Students
Dec. 22	Teacher Work Day – ½ Day (Floating Day)
<i>Winter Break Dec. 23 – Jan. 1</i>	
Jan. 4	Teacher In-Service – No School
Jan. 5	Teacher In-Service – 1 Hour Delay
	1st Day Of 3rd Quarter
Jan. 18	MLK Day – No School
Feb. 15	President’s Day – No School
Feb. 25	Teacher In-Service – 2 Hour Delay
March 17	Teacher In-Service – 1 Hour Delay
March 19	End Of 3rd Quarter
March 22	1st Day Of 4th Quarter
<i>Spring Break April 2 – April 9</i>	
April 12	Teacher In-Service – 2 Hour Delay – School Resumes
May 13	Teacher In-Service – 1 Hour Delay
May 31	Memorial Day – No School
June 2	Last Day Of School For Students
June 3	Teacher Work Day
June 6	Commencement

Scheduled Calamity Days: June 3, 4, 7, and 8



The Verdict Is In – Drinking Doesn’t Pay

Students in Mrs. Self’s Government classes participated in an alcohol prevention program entitled “Class Action.” Students presented alcohol related cases such as Drinking and Violence, Alcohol and School Policy, and Date Rape. Students worked in groups to prepare their cases before their classmates, the “jury.” Law Professor Pat Paukins, from BGSU, came in to discuss law and public policy to help prepare students for their cases.

Red Ribbon and Recognition

Lake High School participated in the Wood County Red Ribbon kick-off. This year’s theme was “Creating Footprints Worth Following.” Community members had the opportunity to nominate students that exhibit great leadership skills. At Lake High School, Jayna Kubuske and Kaysie Brittenham received plaques at the banquet and were recognized as two of the top “Footprints Worth Following” nominees.

Art work for the banquet was provided by students from Lake Elementary and Lake Middle School. Special thanks to Lisa Bookenberg-er and Laura Lohmann, the elementary and middle school art teachers, for their assistance

This October marked the 21st anniversary of Red Ribbon Week. In 1985, Federal drug enforcement agent, Enrique Camarena, was killed by drug traffickers in Mexico. In response to his death, angered parents across the country began wearing Red Ribbons to symbolize their

commitment toward the creation of a drug-free America. In 1988, October 23-31 was proclaimed National Red Ribbon Week. Over 100,000 schools and organizations nationwide celebrate Red Ribbon Week.

Research shows that children care more about their parents’ expectations for using alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs, than they do about what their peers are saying. As a parent, please use this encouragement to take time to talk to your child about your expectations regarding risky behaviors. Contrary to popular belief, they want to hear what you have to say!

This year’s Red Ribbon theme was “Create Footprints Worth Following.” I want to encourage you to watch where you are going, because there may be little feet following closely, little eyes watching intently, and little ears listening eagerly. Have you reminded your child how much you love them today?

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