L'Anse Creuse News June 2023

"No matter our backgrounds, we all have one common thread: our students and their success."

A Year in Review

It's time to celebrate the end of a successful school year! There have been so many fun events, great accomplishments, and memories to last a lifetime.

We are so incredibly proud of all the hard work the L'Anse Creuse family has done to make this school year a success. L'Anse Creuse would not be who we are without you. Please enjoy the newly revamped district newsletter, created to share with you the work, accomplishments, and education experiences throughout our schools.

Thank you to the staff, students, and their families for making this year one to remember! We hope you all have a wonderful summer vacation and look forward to seeing you back next year!

Congratulations to the 2022-2023 Macomb County All-Academic Honorees!

Angelina Burson - L'Anse Creuse High School

Samantha DeCeuninck - L'Anse Creuse High School

Ben Puzzuoli - L'Anse Creuse High School

AnnDee Geddes - L'Anse Creuse High School - North

Matthew Kiewski - L'Anse Creuse High School - North

Brian Mei - L'Anse Creuse High School – North

Congratulations to the 2022-2023 Teacher of the Year Recipients and Runners-up!

May Doppke – Emma V. Lobbestael Elementary

Gina Nowicki - Middle School - North

Keith Weiand - Middle School - South

Leslee Siefert - Middle School - Central

Jodi Rodgers – Atwood Elementary

Chandler Missig – Frederick V. Pankow Center

From the Superintendent

Dear L'Anse Creuse Community,

We are in the home stretch of the 2022-2023 school year, and I would like to thank you for your continued support throughout the year. As we approach the end of another successful year, I look forward to celebrating all of our student achievements.

As you may know, L'Anse Creuse is planning for the future and working to create a long-term Strategic Plan for the district. A Strategic Plan by simple definition is defining an organization's strategy or direction to attain goals, and I am looking forward to completing this process and developing areas of focus for our schools. As part of the development, we are gathering information on what is important to our families, students, and staff, and working to prioritize our focus based on the needs of the district and enhancements that will contribute to our overall success. The renewal of our Strategic Plan will help us become an even greater district and guide us on what matters most for our schools and families.

As we finish up this school year, I like to look back and reflect on all that we have accomplished. This newsletter is filled with district progress, student, and staff achievements, and all the great happenings occurring throughout our schools and community. Enjoy!

Thank you for your continued support and being a part of the L'Anse Creuse Family.

Welcome New Board Members!

Al Doss: Mr. Doss has been a long-time resident of the L'Anse Creuse community for over 45 years and is also a graduate of L'Anse Creuse High School - North. He is married and has three children that attend schools in the district.

John Da Via: Mr. Da Via is well-known in L'Anse Creuse as a retired educator and principal in the district. Mr. Da Via is married and has three children who have graduated from L'Anse Creuse Public Schools and have been successful in college and beyond as a result of their experiences as LCPS students.

2022-2023 Hall of Distinction Inductee

Sally De Schepper dedicated 40 years of support and leadership to L'Anse Creuse through her commitment as a parent, board of education member, and a community leader. Sally was a member of the L'Anse Creuse Board for 20 years from July 1986 – June 2006, serving as President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Trustee. Sally was known for her integrity, honesty, and the unity she created. Sally dedicated her efforts to keeping the interests of students and the community at the forefront and was a driving force at the board table. Through her highest level of personal commitment, leadership, compassion, and wisdom, Sally positively impacted the lives of both students and staff, contributing to the overall success of L'Anse Creuse Public Schools.

Did You Know? The first L'Anse Creuse Board of Education members were elected on March 29, 1954 and consisted of five members: Glen H. Peters, Albert L. Marlett, Marie C. Graham, Donald W. Stivers and Louis G. Senghas.

Learning in Action!

Solar-powered Cars

On February 16, students from Mrs. Gorney's 4/5 Grade split class at Tenniswood Elementary built their very own solar-powered cars! The project was made possible thanks to community funding through an organization called Donors Choose. At the time, students had been learning about the different kinds of energy and this project allowed them to see how it works in real time.

Demi, a 5th Grader, really enjoyed learning about what was in the cars. 4th Grader Layla said she enjoys building things, so she loved being able to build her own car.

With a little help from their principal, Dr. Sedick, and a couple of dads volunteering their time, this exciting project was a success!

Planetarium

On March 2, students at Middle School - North were treated with an 'out of this world' presentation from the Michigan Science Center! Mrs. Krcek organized the traveling exhibit for all the 8th Grade Science classes. The inflatable exhibit was set up in the school's gymnasium. Inside, a projector displayed the video seamlessly onto the top of the dome. Once students had been seated, the virtual Planetarium took the class on a tour through our solar system and into the far reaches of space.

At the time, students were learning about the Earth, Sun and Moon, formations and motions of galaxies, and the solar system. This exhibit applied everything they had been learning in class, while also providing a fun and entertaining light show!

Mad City Money

On March 30, students in Mrs. Culver's business class at LCHS had the chance to try out real world budgeting, thanks to Freestar Financial Credit Union's Mad City Money simulation. Students used an app to decide on a career, then visited stations to budget for various categories including housing, leisure, clothing, food, lifestyle, and electronics.

Once they were settled on a budget, they would spin a wheel filled with unexpected life happenings called The Fickle Finger of Fate. This wheel would give them either a positive or negative life event, causing them to earn or lose money. For example, students could earn a monetary bonus from work, or they could be involved in a fender bender and have to pay to get their car fixed.

"My college loan is messing my budget up," one student commented. Another stated, "The Fickle Finger of Fate gave me a speeding ticket. That was not in my budget."

Wax Museum

On March 30, 4th Graders at Green Elementary brought history to life for their Wax Museum project. The project started as a simple biography assignment, with students researching and writing about an influential figure of their choice. Once their piece was written, students let their creativity shine and turned their writing into a full presentation, complete with costumes, wigs, and posterboards.

On the day of the presentation, students donned their costumes, lined the Green cafeteria, and froze – just like a wax figure – until a guest pressed a button to bring them to life.

Some of the historical figures present were Martin Luther King Jr., Frida Kahlo, and George Washington. Other students chose to represent celebrities and athletes, like Dwayne Johnson, Cristiano Ronaldo, and Alex Morgan.

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Chalk Poetry

During the week of April 28, students at Middle School - East participated in a Playful Poetry event, taking bits and pieces of books in their media center to make fun poems of their very own! Once created, students used chalk to write their masterpieces on the sidewalks outside the school and on posters to be hung in the hallways.

The goal of this event, along with others from throughout the year, is aimed at providing students with positive experiences in the school's media center to showcase it as a helpful and enriching resource for students.

Wrapping and Taping

On May 11, Health Science students at the Frederick V. Pankow Center practiced their wrapping and taping skills on each other! As a group, students chose a part of the body and learned techniques to properly wrap and secure the limb in place. After practicing, students used their newfound skills to put together a presentation aimed at teaching their classmates the technique they learned.

As part of the Career and Technical classes at Pankow, students are learning real-world techniques they can apply in a future healthcare profession!

Science Made Fun!

In March, Rocket Ryan from Science Made Fun visited a few elementary schools to show young students how fun Science can really be! While at Carkenord Elementary, Ryan visited Mrs. Quick's 3rd Grade class to provide real-world examples for things they were learning in school. Students were put into groups and participated in several different experiments for some physics fun!

One experiment had students testing out momentum by using a spinning bicycle wheel to turn in circles. Another activity showcased the effects of friction on a toy car when it is raced down different surfaces.

Family Science Night

Bugs, fossils, and slingshots – oh my! On March 7, Higgins Elementary hosted their Family Science Night, filling the school's hallways with boundless excitement and curiosity! Provided by the Cranbrook Institute of Science, the displays all featured fun activities for students and their families to explore.

There was something for everyone to enjoy – students could get a close up look at their favorite bugs, play around with a plasma ball, or dig for fossils and owl bones. Those brave enough were given the opportunity to eat an insect and pet a hissing cockroach!

Cardboard Regatta

The Cardboard Regatta made a triumphant return this year! The Annual event is a way for high school physics students to test their knowledge in the best way possible – by racing against their classmates! The challenge students face every year is to build a cardboard boat sturdy enough to float with two passengers, yet sleek enough to sail past competitors.

Students were encouraged to decorate their boats, resulting in a fun variety of designs, decorations, and costumes. Creativity was on full display this year, with boats ranging from Jurassic Park and Scooby Doo themes to a jumbo-sized Little Caesar's Pizza box.

All the hard work by students, staff, and volunteers paid off, resulting in the 17th Annual Cardboard Regatta being a huge success! Thank you to the L'Anse Creuse Foundation for donating the cardboard to make this event possible for students!

Shining a Light: EL Program

As many go about their day, they may not realize all the wonderful work that goes on behind the scenes to help our students thrive. This section is dedicated to "Shining a Light" on the programs, students, and staff that make our district so special. In this issue, we cover the English Learners Support Program and the amazing staff who dedicate themselves to helping students of all languages and backgrounds succeed in L'Anse Creuse.

English Learners Support Program

Students in L'Anse Creuse Public Schools come from a wide range of backgrounds. The EL Program works specifically with students who do not speak English as their first language.

The program consists of 10 paraprofessionals, many of whom are bilingual or trilingual, who support over 270 English Learners throughout the district.

The parapros, who often work with a very heavy caseload, are able to make personal connections with students and help them thrive not only academically, but socially and emotionally as well.

"The key ingredient is their compassion and flexibility," said EL Coordinator Beth Linenberg. "I would not be able to do this job without the EL paras and cannot emphasize this truth enough."

Angelica Temrowski is a parapro at the elementary level, working mostly at Higgins and Carkenord. Her students come from a variety of backgrounds, like 5th Grader Oleksandr (Sasha), who's family immigrated to the U.S. from Ukraine.

When Sasha first started at Carkenord Elementary less than a year ago, he knew very little English – now he is speaking in sentences and working on word segment combinations.

"This job is so rewarding," Temrowski said. "To see the growth of these kids means the world to me."

At L'Anse Creuse High School - North, the EL students benefit greatly from the amazing team who are there to help them through the highs and lows of high school.

Michelle Misuraca is an LCHS-N senior and immigrant from Italy. As a senior, Michelle said she is ready to be done with school, but the departure is bittersweet.

During her junior and senior year, she worked very closely with the EL staff who she said encouraged her to be a better student when she had no motivation to go to school.

"It wasn't that they were just telling me," Michelle said, "they had the patience to sit there with me and help me."

Since her parents don't know academic English, Michelle relied a lot on the EL staff to help her understand and complete her homework. She credits EL teacher Ms. Cardeccia and parapros Mrs. Cykon and Mrs. Hemphill for helping her and said she is incredibly grateful to have had them to turn to.

The staff, Michelle said, helped her with anything she had going on in her life – academic or personal – without fear of being judged.

"I had a lot of support," she said. "I don't think I would have passed anything if it weren't for all of them."

Diversity Summit 2023

On February 14, high school students in the Diversity Club attended the Macomb Intermediate School District's 8th Annual Diversity Summit. The summit is held to encourage student leaders all over Macomb County to promote more diversity in their communities and schools.

Ukranian immigrant Mariia Bondarenko is an EL student and sophomore at LCHS-N. This year, she spoke as a panelist during one of the sessions, detailing her experiences as an immigrant in the U.S. and telling her personal story.

Mariia enjoyed being on the panel and having people ask her questions. She hopes that after hearing the discussion, people will show more kindness and empathy towards immigrants.

L'Anse Creuse Athletics

There were so many great moments and accomplishments this year in L'Anse Creuse sports. All of the athletes in this district should be proud of the work they put in this year to achieve great things, not only for themselves, but for their teammates and schools. We look forward to seeing all our athletes shine again next year!

Middle School (pictures from left to right): Middle School – East track athlete running with baton in her hand. Middle School – North girls volleyball team watching as teammate prepares to set the ball to opponents. Middle School – South football player running with football, while Middle School – Central player attempts to stop him. Middle School – Central swimmer taking a breath during the butterfly stroke. Middle School – North Swimmer taking a breath during the butterfly stroke. Middle School – North football players running towards a thrown football. Middle School – South basketball player dribbles a basketball underneath the net, while two Middle School – North players attempt to block him.

High School (pictures from left to right): L'Anse Creuse High School – North tennis player swinging his racket at tennis ball. L'Anse Creuse High School wrestler trying to get out of a hold from opponent. The opponent has both arms wrapped around the LC wrestler and the LC wrestler has one arm around the opponent's leg. Four L'Anse Creuse High School Varsity football players celebrating together. L'Anse Creuse High School Varsity basketball player dribbling the basketball away from opponent. A L'Anse Creuse High School Varsity Soccer player attempting to steal the soccer ball away from opponent. L'Anse Creuse High School – North baseball team gathered together. L'Anse Creuse High School softball player in the back of her swing, preparing to hit the ball being pitched to her.

College signings!

Congratulations to our 46 athletes who signed to continue their athletic career at the collegiate level! We are so proud of you and look forward to seeing your many successes!

(Pictures from left to right): L'Anse Creuse High School – North athletes sitting at a long table with their coaches behind them. All the coaches and students are smiling for a picture. Four L'Anse Creuse High School athletes sitting at four separate tables, each one adorned with a banner of the college they are signing to. Each student has a paper in front of them, and the four students are getting ready to sign it.

Highlights:

LCHS-N's Wrestling team were the 2023 MAC Silver Conference Champions, marking the first time the Crusader team has held the title since 2003!

Addison Talampas (7th Grader at MSE) is the first swimmer to score any points from MOST (Macomb Octopus Swim Team) at the MAGS swim meet!

The LCHS-N Cheer team had the top score in the State of Michigan this year! In the process, the team also set a new school record!

For the first time in school history, the LCHS Varsity football team became district champions!

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Our Super Staff! Pg 1

Day and night, the staff of L'Anse Creuse Public Schools dedicate so much time and effort to this district and community. We are so grateful for this amazing staff and want to recognize them for all they do. These next two pages highlight our 'Super Staff,' who make L'Anse Creuse a great place to work and learn!

Macomb County School Bus Driving Championship

On Saturday, May 6, nine L'Anse Creuse bus drivers got behind the wheel to compete in the 51st Annual Bus Rodeo Driving Championship. The event was held at the Frederick V. Pankow Center and hosted bus drivers from various Macomb County school districts — all of whom were equally eager to show off their skills to judges and the cheering audience. The course drivers were competing on included parallel parking and backing up within a specific area, as well as taking tight turns and maneuvering through small spaces.

Drivers took time outside of work to hone their skills and practice going through the course. On the day of the competition, LCPS drivers came to win and gave an awesome showcase of their skills. At the end of the competition, L'Anse Creuse teams took 1st and 3rd place in the team event, with Russell Holdwick representing L'Anse Creuse on the individual level by taking home 1st place! The drivers who placed in the top three will move on to the state level to prove their skills on an even larger scale. Congratulations to all our LCPS drivers and good luck to those moving on to the State competition!

Food and Nutrition Services

Food and Nutrition Services works hard year-round to provide tasty and healthy meals to the students of L'Anse Creuse. At certain points during the school year, Nutrition Services hosts different events to make mealtime more fun for students of all ages.

For St. Patrick's Day on March 17, students at Middle School - North were treated to a special Irish-themed lunch! The lunch included a Reuben sandwich, redskin potatoes, sauerkraut, and cabbage. On March 31, Middle School - East hosted a special breakfast for students to celebrate their hard work. Students were served eggs and sausage, along with pancakes that had been hand-flipped by teachers, administrators, and board members.

At the elementary level, a Hawaiian themed Luau event was put on in February to introduce students to a new tropical taste. Over the course of a week, the Luau visited each elementary school, providing students with music, decorations, and a tasty rice and pineapple meal.

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Macomb County 'Make a Difference Awards'

Toni Davison, a Paraprofessional at Middle School - North, was honored at the 17th Annual Macomb County "Make A Difference" Awards for her work in supporting the Special Education students in L'Anse Creuse. The ceremony was held thanks to the Macomb Intermediate School District Parent Advisory Committee and recognized six individuals from across Macomb County. Davison was nominated by the Chaptini family, who chose to nominate her due to the help and recognition she gave their daughter. On a normal school day, Davison assists her students with their day, helps students regulate their behaviors in a positive manner, and provides support for a variety of academic subjects. Her work has helped so many middle school students, including Miss Chaptini, to thrive at school and in life.

2023 Outstanding Biology Teacher Award

Chandler Missig is an MST Biology teacher at the Frederick V. Pankow Center and has recently received the 2023 Outstanding Biology Teacher of Michigan Award (OBTA) from the National Association of Biology Teachers (NABT). The award is given out each year at the State level to recognize teachers for their expertise, leadership, and dedication to educating their students. Missig is a sixth-year teacher in L'Anse Creuse and believes not in lecturing her students, but in providing them with hands-on learning experiences to foster a love and understanding of Science.

She currently serves on the Michigan Association of Biology Teachers' Board of Directors where she advocates for her students and their interests at the State level. "It all comes down to the kids," Missig said, "they're the ones who inspire me." Her passion for her students and for Biology is clear and has been recognized not only here in L'Anse Creuse, but now at the State level by her peers.

Staff Appreciation

The L'Anse Creuse family is made up of wonderful staff members throughout the district who play an instrumental role in educating and supporting our students and buildings. Through their dedication and hard work, our district provides a first-class education for our students in an environment that is a great place to learn and work.

Staff Appreciation Days:

Custodial Appreciation Day: October 2, 2022

Techie's Day: October 3, 2022

School Lunch Week: October 9-15, 2022

Principal's Month: October 2022

Maintenance Day: January 18, 2023

Administrative Professionals ' Day: April 26, 2023

Nurses' Week: May 8-12, 2023

Teacher Appreciation Week: May 8-12, 2023

Transportation Week: May 15-19, 2023

L'Anse Creuse Community Service

The L'Anse Creuse Public Schools students, staff, and community has done some fantastic work this year to help build up those around them. Year-round, there have been donations made to various non-profit organizations and local businesses, as well as contributions made to help boost the immediate L'Anse Creuse staff, students, and families. Take a look at some of what we did this year!

Charity Week

This year, Charity Week ran from March 13-17 and garnered support from around the district. Money was raised in a variety of ways, but every cent went back to the community. Fun events included ice skating at Mt. Clemens Ice Arena, Pet Wars, and even a staff volleyball game! In total, the LCPS community raised \$22,203! The money was donated to several worthy causes, including Special Olympics, the Macomb Charitable Foundation, and Rejoiceful Animal Rescue.

We are so proud of the LCPS community for all their dedication to so many causes during this fun week. This amazing feat also would not have been accomplished without the amazing work of the organizers from the various buildings.

L'Anse Creuse Foundation

On May 15, the L'Anse Creuse Foundation held their first Annual 5k to raise money for the community! The L'Anse Creuse Foundation is a non-profit organization dedicated to giving back to the students and teachers of L'Anse Creuse Public Schools. This 5k raised money that goes right back to the LCPS community in the form of student scholarships, teacher grants, and special project funding each year. There was a great turnout for the event, with runners of all ages racing to the finish — as well as Superintendent Erik Edoff and Board Member John Da Via! The L'Anse Creuse Foundation is already working on the event for next fall, so stay tuned for more information to join in the fun!

Food4Kids

Once a month, L'Anse Creuse partners with Gleaners to offer food to our community through the Food4Kids Mobile Food Pantry. The program is run by the Food and Nutrition Department, along with volunteers from the business office, curriculum, and other departments throughout the year. The food

drive is available all year-round, including over summer, and is a wonderful resource for families. The drive is not just exclusive for in-district families – it is an open-site for anyone in need. There is a wide range of food items, including different kinds of protein, fresh produce, and all kinds of canned goods. Anyone in need is able to register at any time, and the distribution dates are available online under the Food and Nutrition page on the district website at www. lc-ps.org.

Congratulations Class of 2023!

As our 2023 Seniors walk across the stage, we celebrate their accomplishment of meeting or exceeding the rigorous graduation requirements and join them in their excitement of what they have achieved. The Class of 2023 has completed 45,490 hours of community service and been awarded over \$4.2 million in scholarship funds. We are truly proud of their hard work, leadership, integrity, and dedication to their future. It is their time to discover themselves, set new goals, and focus on their dreams. As they travel through this journey called life, their L'Anse Creuse friends, family, and community are standing behind them and wish them the very best! – Superintendent Erik Edoff.

Congratulations to our 754 graduates this year!

Valedictorians: Angelina Burson, L'Anse Creuse High School; Avery Kushel, L'Anse Creuse High School – North

Salutatorians: Ben Puzzuoli, L'Anse Creuse High School; AnnDee Geddes, L'Anse Creuse High School – North

Did you know? The first L'Anse Creuse graduating class was in 1959 with 106 Seniors. Elly Jo Van Dyke was the Valedictorian and Ruth Picken was the Salutatorian.

Staff Retirements

Thank you to all our retirees for your years of dedication to the students and families of L'Anse Creuse Public Schools. We are so grateful you chose to call this district your home for so many years. The work you have done has greatly benefitted this community and the effects of your time here will be seen for many years to come.

Keith Aman – Custodian; 21 years. William Bartman – Supervisor, Transportation; 13 years. Kirk Erickson – Teacher, Performing Arts; 15 years. Amy Evola – Paraprofessional; 23 years. Carol Farnsworth – Paraprofessional; 36 years. Kimberly Frantz – Teacher, 6th Grade; 32 years. Linda Gryzbowski – Technology Secretary; 27 years. John Haas – Director; 30 years. Kelly Haas – Counselor; 27 years. Deanna Hammes – Teacher Interventionist; 25 years. Janis Hein – Speech Pathologist; 32 years. Michael Hintze – Teacher, Graphic Design; 22 years. Don Hurley – Custodian/ Painter; 30 years. Lorrie lafrate – Food Service Worker; 29 years. Fionna Kasuba – Speech Pathologist; 26 years. Dawn Kessler – Teacher, 7th Grade; 22 years. Susan Kirsch – Paraprofessional; 20 years. Jennifer Kowal – Learning Consultant; 30 years. Kimberly Krupp – Paraprofessional; 28 years. Kelly Michajlszyn – Teacher, 6th grade; 29 years. Lisa Munn – Secretary to the Principal; 26 years. Kelly Oldham – Teacher, 6th grade; 37 years. Tammy Pozzi – Food Service Worker; 15 years. Loretta Rasmussen – Teacher, 2nd grade; 21 years. Elaine Richardson – Teacher, 4th grade; 25 years. Robyn Rivard – Teacher, 2nd grade; 25 years. Suzanne Rubba – Teacher, 2nd grade; 30 years. Christina Schurig – Teacher, 7th & 8th grade; 34 years. Lynn Sobczak – Homeless/ Foster Liaison; 26

years. Diane Sommer – School Bus Driver; 20 years. Molly Tompkins – Teacher, 4th grade; 29 years. Heidi Vonetinger-Reed – Teacher, 7th grade; 30 years. Gregory Vroom – Groundskeeper; 19 years. Dawn Wissman – Teacher, Science; 22 years. Mark Wojciechowicz – Teacher, 6th grade; 29 years.

Our retirees have a combined total of 905 years of service to L'Anse Creuse! We wish you all the best in your retirement!

Did you know? June Hill, retired Secretary in the Superintendent's Office, has the greatest total years of service to the L'Anse Creuse district with over 49 years total starting in 1963! June worked under former Superintendents Frederick Pankow, Francis Higgins, John Armstrong, and DiAnne Pellerin.

Community Education

L'Anse Creuse Community Education is back! This program offers a wide variety of youth and adult enrichment programs including trips & tours, fitness classes, arts & crafts classes, and more. Scan the QR code below to register for trips or to enroll in one of the many classes available!

Adult programs: Interested in starting a new hobby or trying fun exercises? Community Education offers a wide range of programs for teens and adults to get active and try new things. Offerings include water exercise, basic yoga, beginner guitar and piano, and so many more!

Youth programs: Is your child interested in learning a new skill this summer? Community Education offers a wide variety of programs and classes for kids to stay busy over the summer and learn something new in the process! Offerings include competitive swim, yoga, beginner music lessons, and much more!

Trips and Tours: August 4th — "Hello Dolly" and Dinner at the Boardwalk Theatre. September 7th — Cranbrook House Tour & High Tea. October 6th — "Let's Groove Tonight" at Detroit Symphony Orchestra. October 27th — "Latin Fire" at Detroit Symphony Orchestra. November 28th — Christmas Lunch Show in Frankenmuth.

"The tour was informative and the docent knowledgeable. The highlight for me was making the tile. Great fun! It's a place I'd enjoy going again and taking a group to share this experience." — Kathleen Karschnia, regarding Pewabic Pottery and Brunch trip.

What's Coming in LCPS

In the beginning of March, we launched our plan to develop a new district Strategic Plan with the goal of connecting with the L'Anse Creuse Community to learn what was important to focus on in creating a long-term plan for the district. Through the work of several focus groups consisting of all stakeholders in the community, we are currently working to develop the plan for our future and how best to enhance our schools. We will share more information on the new Strategic Plan as progress develops.

Summer Activities

There are so many fun things happening this summer in LCPS! No matter your age or your interests, there is something for everyone to check out!

Summer Day Camp: The School Age Child Care Programs strive to provide the best care for your child in a safe, friendly, and comfortable environment. The camp will run from June 21- August 18 and is available

at two locations. Spots are limited, so register today! Contact the SACC Office at (586) 493-5660 or piejatr@lc-ps.org.

Math Mindset: This middle school math program aims to help correct misconceptions and build confidence in mathematics. Students will develop a better understanding of concepts needed to be successful in Algebra. Enroll today!

Summer Explorers: Summer Explorers is a four-week tuition-based program for L'Anse Creuse elementary students. Offerings include academic and enrichment courses. Classes meet at Atwood Elementary, Monday - Thursday, 9:00am - 12:30pm.

Have You Heard?

L'Anse Creuse is hiring! Are you or someone you know interested in joining the L'Anse Creuse family for the 2023-2024 school year? There are a wide range of positions available, with many that are in high demand for the next school year. If you have questions, please call the Human Resources Office at (586) 783 6300 ext. 1213 between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

We have a need for the following positions: Substitute Teachers, Bus Drivers, SACC Aides, Custodians, Crossing Guards, Maintenance, Grounds, Paraprofessionals, and Food Service. For more information, scan the QR code or visit https://www.lc-ps.org/departments/human-resources/.

We're enrolling K-5! Enrollment is currently open for kindergarten through 5th Grade! For more information or to start the enrollment process, contact your school or call (586) 783-6300 Ext. 1246.

Traditional Kindergarten: Comprehensive, full day program. Offered at all elementary schools. Focus on reading, writing, math, science, and social studies. A child may be enrolled in kindergarten if the child is at least 5 years of age on September 1, 2023. For more information, scan the QR code or visit https://www.lc-ps.org/parents/enrollment/

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