

Lustre Christian High School

The Tumbleweed

Fresh Staff Joins LCHS By: Etien de Gruiter

Noteworthy News:

- Sept. 16: VB @ LCHS vs. North Ctry
- Sept. 20: VB @ LCHS vs. WP JV
- Sept. 27: PT Conferences, 4-7 p.m.

On the Sunday before the opening program, the dorm invited Mrs. Mintz for supper, an interview, and to just have some time to get to know her better outside of school.

Mrs. Mintz grew up in a small fishing village in Northern Wisconsin. After she had graduated from her public high school, she attended the University of northern Wisconsin. She later met and married her husband and they started a dental office, which they decided to sell earlier this year in March. However, before she helped with paper-

work around the dental office she had been teaching since 1974. She started teaching in a suburb school in Milwaukee, teaching 1200 students in three grades (10-12) after three years in Milwaukee, she moved to teach in Western Montana in Lincoln County High School (LCHS). In 1991 she changed to be a home-school teacher when her daughter was dealing with Evolution in 6th grade. Now,



she is our substitute teacher who takes care of History, Current events in the first semester and economics for the second semester, and Physical Education.

Those are the humble origins of Mrs. Mintz. When you see her, take some time to give

her a nice warm welcome to Lustre.

School Begins with Opening Program By: Shelby Reddig

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The Lustre community gathered in the high school gymnasium for the annual opening program on Sunday, August 28th, 2016. When the clock hit seven, Mr. Michael Butler began the program by leading us in the opening song of "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty." Pastor John then gave a devotional. He concluded with our school verse of Colossians 4:6. Tak-

en from the New King James Version, it says, "Let your speech always be with grace, seasoned with salt, that you may know how you ought to answer each one." Following the introduction of the staff by Mr. Wes Young, Mrs. Nancy Mintz and Mrs. Trisha Reddig gave their testimonies. It was now time for special music by the LCHS choir. The choir had been

practicing the song, "Come to Jesus", since the end of last year in preparation for this. Mrs. Melissa Marasco then played piano for the offertory. The class advisors went on to introduce our small student body. Mr. Kelly Toavs provided chairman's comments, and Pastor John ended the night with a closing prayer.

NEW FRESHMEN HIT LCHS

Kyle Pederson By: Michael Brown



Fresh out of the Lustre Grade School is freshman Kyle David Pederson. As one of the few new faces around the high school, he was an obvious target for this reporter's "new face interview."

Mr. Pederson was born on February 9, 2002, in Franklin, North Carolina. If you do the math, that puts him at

14 years of age. Six years ago, Kyle and his family moved to Wolf Point, Montana, where he currently lives. Kyle's favorite class is history, which is unfortunately the one class he doesn't have this year. If you want to know what his favorite sports team is, just look at his t-shirt, which, with a few exceptions will

display a North Carolina Tar Heels logo. As for sports, Kyle enjoys basketball, and his favorite food, though he explained that he liked all food, is pizza. It was great to get to know this freshman better, and I look forward to getting to know him better as the year goes on. Ladies and gentlemen, Kyle Pederson!

Terry Allmer By: Shelby Reddig



Terry Allmer is a freshman this year at LCHS. Born on July 27th, 2002, in Houston, Texas, he has also lived in Dallas/Fort Worth, Texas; Milpitas, California; and now Wolf Point, Montana. Before coming to Lustre, he had attended school at HEB District, Ramona Bang Elementary, Anthony Spangler, Frontier, and South Euleless Elementary. Terry has two siblings: Charlene Elizabeth Allmer, who is a senior at Wolf Point High School, and Victoria Anne Alejos, who

lives in Texas. Terry has previously been out here a couple of times for Schmeckfest, so he knew what to expect. When I asked him what his thoughts were on the first day of school, he replied, "I loved it." His favorite class this year is P.E. He enjoys football and baseball, and the Texas Rangers are his favorite team. A few of his favorite songs include "Homegrown" by the Zac Brown Band and "She's Got a Way with Words" by Blake Shelton; he is also a

fan of Dierks Bentley. When I asked Terry what his favorite childhood memory was, he answered, "I used to go into tubs of butter that were out, thinking that it was yogurt, and I would scoop the butter out and eat it." When he grows up, Terry wants to go into the Army and then become a Civil Engineer. He is a fun and friendly kid, and I'm glad I've gotten to know him. We welcome you to our school, Terry!

Student Shenanigans at Fort Peck By: Etien de Gruiter

The beginning of every school year, as if it is almost a tradition, the Lustre Christian High students go to Fort Peck and have fun during R&R day.

But, before we dive into this, just what exactly is R&R day and where did the slang come from? Well R&R is a military slang for either Relaxation and Recuperation or Rest and Relaxation. However, at LCHS it stands for Recreation and Renewal with a focus on the spiritual theme for the year. When the students arrive at Fort Peck, they all diverge into small groups; there was

the volleyball group, the guys that played basketball, a couple of guys that played some frisbee with some teachers (that eventually played basketball) and the last four went to the Interpretive center.

Later, before we had lunch, chapel was in order and our guest speaker was Pastor Mike Kauffold. Pastor Mike's sermon was centralized around our school verse which is Colossians 4:6 and explaining how our words can only have weight if they are backed up by our actions. After the sermon was done, everyone stuffed

themselves with hamburgers and hotdogs, and all the stuff one would expect in a high schooler's diet.

As tradition would have it, the day must be ended in a game of softball. Classmates are pitted against classmates, and some of the staff partake in the softball game as well. This year's R&R seemed to be a fun day for all those present as they left with smiles on their faces. The more one thinks about it, the more one can't wait for the next R&R day to come along.



LCHS Volleyball Begins Again By: Michael Brown

As summer drew to a close, students began anticipating the arrival of school and the activities that it brings. However, for the seven Lady Lions volleyball players, the school season began on August 12 with the beginning of volleyball practice. After two weeks of preparation, the Lady Lions got their first chance to play in Culbertson. Two of the Lady Lions opponents did

not show up, so their only game during pool play was against Bainville. This first match was a chance to get their nerves out, but the final score saw Bainville beating the Lady Lions in two sets.

Next came the tournament play. Because of the way the bracket was set up, the ladies from Lustre played Culbertson in the first round. While both sets were

close, Culbertson came out on top.

August 30 was the next match, bringing the Glasgow JV squad into the Lion's Den. This time, the Lady Lions found their groove and easily beat Glasgow in three short sets with scores of 25-16, 25-14, and 25-15. Over all it has been a pretty good start for this young team.

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classes have
joined forces
to bring pizza
kits to the community!

Please contact one of these young
people if interested.

All orders are due by September
22nd and kits will arrive at LCHS on
October 4, 2016.



Sept. 5 Daniel Marasco, Jr.

**Sept. 18 Mrs. Toews
Lucas Lorenz**

Sept. 30 Kylie Kirkaldie

LCHS Calendar	
September 13	College Fair @ GHS for Juniors & Seniors
September 15	Chapel 1:16 p.m.
September 16	Volleyball @ LCHS vs. North Country
September 20	Volleyball @ LCHS vs. WP JV
September 22	Chapel 1:16 p.m.; VB @ Glasgow
September 27	Parent-Teacher Conferences 4-7 p.m.
September 29	Chapel 1:16 p.m.
September 30	Volleyball @ Froid-Lake

Office News Coming to You By: Diane Unrau

You may not have traveled to the moon or stepped foot on Mars, but you are able to visit Jupiter any day! We encourage all parents to log in onto the jupitered.com website to see how their students are doing in their individual classes. Teachers enter assignments, test and quiz scores as well as attendance. We have the monthly menu posted as well. You are able to see individual scores on assignments (or if an as-

signment is missing) as well as the cumulative grade for the semester in each class. This program is very secure and your child's information is seen only by you and your student. You are also able to communicate directly with the teacher on this website.

Freshmen students who came from LGS will have the same login name and password as they had at the elementary school. New students were

given a notice with their login and password along with an instruction sheet for their parents. If you don't remember your log in or haven't received the information, please contact the high school office and we will make travel arrangements for you to visit Jupiter! Thanks for taking an active role in your student's education at LCHS!!