

The Tumbleweed

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Music fuels worship session By: Etien de Gruiter

In the midst of divisional tournament for the girls and the business of basketball season, the worship team squeezed in a chapel session on the 21st of February to honor and worship God with songs and praises. The worship team performed the entire chapel, something that has been done earlier this school year not too long ago. Singing “No One Like You,” “After All,” and “Great Are you Lord” to start things off, soon afterwards Mr. Marasco gave the worship team a time to rest and join the congregation in worship. Mr. Young, came up and talked to us about being thankful and how we should praise him as a way to

express our thanksgiving as the school year comes to it’s home stretch. Prayer concluded and Mr. Marasco resumed things with “Refiner’s Fire” and “Knees To The Earth,” for the rest of the session, the worship team came back up and continued to lead the student body in worship, singing “Your Grace Is Enough” until, the bell rang. The chapel session was a reminder to God’s providence and love for us, and ultimately, what he has done for us, all out of love.



March Holidays Arrive by Michael Brown

Like all other months, March has holidays that are special to it, and a few that are a little bit strange. Ash Wednesday is March 1. A strange holiday, but one with a good idea, is I Want You To Be Happy Day, which is pretty self-explanatory. Purim, which starts at sundown on March 9, is a Jewish holiday celebrating the story of Queen Esther. Though it’s not techni-

cally a holiday, Daylight Savings begins at 2:00 a.m. on March 12. For those of you that don’t own green, you will want to get some before March 17, which is Saint Patrick’s Day. March 21 is National Agriculture Day, a holiday that was started in 2012 by Tom Vilsack as a way to honor ag producers and spread awareness of ag. One of the strangest is Na-

tional “Joe” Day on March 27, a day specifically for people named Joe. And if you aren’t named Joe, but want to be, it’s a great day to have your dream come true. If you wanted to twist the meaning a little bit, it could also be a holiday to drink everyone’s favorite drink, a cup of joe.

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Lions Fight to the Finish by Shelby Reddig

As some people would say, it was the most wonderful time of the year. It was tournament time!



On Thursday at 3:30 pm, the Lustre Lions played their first game against the Porcupines. Lustre came out strong, scoring 17 compared to Nashua's 3 in the first quarter.

The game started as well as it ended, with the Lions winning 48-31. Game two arrived Friday morning at 11

am against the Scobey Spartans. This proved to be a tough match, with the Lions losing 16-63. That night at 5 pm, the boys took on Dodson. The Lions came out victorious over the Coyotes, winning 51-42. Game four was next. It was Saturday night, 5 pm, and tensions were high. Lustre would be facing North Country. This would determine who would go on to divisionals the following week. The Mavericks were up 17-10 after eight

minutes. At halftime, Lions were down 18-33. Third quarter ended with us still down, 29-40. Fourth quarter was quite intense. Unfortunately, our season ended as North Country won 54-48. Despite the loss, the Lions put up a good fight. We are proud of you guys for all you accomplished during the season!

Lady Lions Come Roaring To Districts By: Michael Brown

It was that time of year again. District basketball tournaments were happening in Glasgow, and the feeling in the air was electric. The Lustre Lady Lions kicked off the tournament facing the Dodson Lady Coyotes where the final score was 46-26, Gabriella led the team with 24 points, followed by Sadie with 7 points, Kaitlyn and Kassie with 6, and Kylie with 3 points. The semifinal game lead to a heated matchup against the Scobey Lady Spartans, fighting with fire with fire, the Lady Lions fight with all their might, however, was defeated by the Lady Spartans 56-37,

thus sending them to game 5 against Nashua-Opheim Rivals later in the afternoon. The girls started hot, scoring 18-8 in the first quarter. The second quarter they did even better, pushing their score to 43 while only letting the Rivals get to 10. After downing another quarter, the Lions had pushed their lead to 53-18. By the time the final buzzer sounded, the Lions owned a commanding 68-32 lead, advancing them to the Consolation game against the Frazer Lady Bearcubs, where they faced the Scobey Spartans. Sadie led Lustre with 28 points, while

Kassie had 13, Gabriella 12, Kaitlyn 6, Kylie 5, and Olivia and Megan 2 apiece. Consolation game is a heated match against the Frazer Lady Bearcubs for third place, and ultimately a trip to divisional at Wolf Point. The Lady Lions started out with a 25-22 lead at the half against the Lady Bearcubs, at the end; the Lady Lions beat the Lady Bearcubs 68-46, advancing to divisional the following week.

Lustre Girls Advance to Divisionals by Michael Brown

After fighting hard at the District 3C basketball tournament in Glasgow, Lustre Lady Lions established themselves as the third best team in the district. With that title, they advanced on to the Eastern C Girls Divisional tournament in Wolf Point. The first game pitted the Lady Lions against the Plentywood Wildcats. Plentywood jumped out to an early lead and the halftime score showed 19-7 in favor of the Wildcats. Lustre didn't quit, though, and tried to fight back. The final scoreboard showed Plentywood 34, Lustre

18. Gabriella Capasso led Lustre with 8 points, followed by Kylie Kirkaldie with 5, Sadie Brown with 3, and Kaitlyn Toavs with 2.

The following night, Lustre faced Scobey girls in loser-out action. The Scobey girls were defeated by the future divisional champions, the Savage Warriors. The game opened up with Lustre keeping pace, and at half time, the scoreboard showed 11-8 in favor of Scobey. After halftime, however, Scobey found their groove, and outscored the Lady Lions 13-4. The final score showed

30-15 in favor of Scobey. Gabriella led scorers with 7 points, and Sadie, Kaitlyn, Kassie, and Halle all scored 2 points apiece. As the tournament was double elimination and this was the Lustre girls' second loss, their season was over. Good work this season, girls, and keep working to do even better next year.



Fun Page By: Etien de Gruiter

Q: Did you hear about the basketball team that doesn't have a website?

A: They can't string three "W's" together.

Q: What is the difference between baseball and law?

A: In baseball, if you're caught stealing, you're out.

Q: Why does someone who runs marathons make a good student?

A: Because education pays off in the long run!

Q: What tea do hockey players drink? A: Penaltea!

1. March is named after Mars, the Roman god of war as it was the month in which the military campaigning season got under way after winter.
2. In Old English one name for the month of March was "Hlyda" meaning "loud" possibly because of the roaring March winds.
3. March is the only month with three consecutive consonants in its name in English.
4. An old proverb says that "March comes in a like a lion and goes out like a lamb", which means that winter is ending and spring is beginning.
5. In ancient Rome before Julius Caesar's calendar reform, March was the first month of the year.
6. The expression "mad as a March hare" dates back to 1529. It refers to the wild behavior of male hares during the mating season in March.
7. Fredric March twice won an Oscar for Best Actor. *Main Street On The March* (1941) and *March Of The Penguins* (2005) also won Oscars.
8. MARCH is an acronym for the Medically Aware and Responsible Citizens of Hyderabad.
9. The birthstone for March is aquamarine and the flowers are the daffodil or violet.
10. More 20th century UK Prime Ministers had birthdays in March than any other month

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March 24, 2017

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We really appreciate all the willing workers, thank you!

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Schmeckfest Bake Sale

For pre-orders please call: 392-5727, text 392-7926, or email ismfast@nemont.net

As always the great sellers are: **verenika**, zwieback, peppernuts, cherry perishke, pecan pie, and raspberry jam. Other good items are fancy breads, freezer jams, jellies, syrup, homemade mustard and pies. Please do not bring cream pies, which includes pumpkin. This year we ask that a sampling of each item, especially pies be brought to the bake sale chairman for a taste test 😊

We never have too many frozen verenika. With the preorders, many are already spoken for before the night of Schmeckfest. We can always use more.

Plastic bags and foam trays for items are available at the MB and EMB churches or by request.

Please be sure to label the type of item in each package as well as the quantity.

Thank You for all the baking and labeling!!

YOU ARE INVITED!

Belated Wedding Reception and
Housewarming

For Brad and Abby Traeholt

Saturday, March 18

11:00 -4:00

At their new home-the former

George Funk farm

Bridal registry at

Shopko.com

Colors are earth tones
and turquoise.

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*One out of 10 two-year-olds already has one or more cavities.

*By age three, 28% of children have one or more cavities.

*By age five, nearly 50% of children have one or more cavities.

BABY TEETH MATTER, TOO!

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Cut-up Day is on Thurs., March 9th at the Brown's shop. Please remember to bring any large stainless steel bowls (labeled with your name) for use that day. Also, remember your COOLERS with ice packs to pick up your sausage!!! Note that this year we will provide aprons, gloves, and hair/beard nets for suggested use.

For Sausage Sales, please call Mike and Nicky Hilkemann at 392-5559, Sarah Brown at 392-5301, or Jason and Stephanie Brown at 392-5201. (Feel free to leave a message at any of these numbers.)

Prices: until Mon., March 6th is \$5 for bulk and \$6 for cased; after March 6th is \$6 for bulk and \$6 for cased.

March 12 Mrs. Mintz



LCHS Calendar

March 7	Parent/Teacher Conferences
March 9	Chapel 1:16 p.m.
March 13	1st day of Track practice
March 17	End of 3rd Quarter
March 17	Sophomore Class Pizza Dinner (RSVP by March 13th)
March 23	Schmeckfest program rehearsal @ 7PM
March 24	Schmeckfest

Note: For updated game times and school information, please visit the LCHS Facebook page.

All are welcome to attend LCHS Chapel Services .

"Important! Important! Important!"

Schmeckfest Quilts/Displays/Vendors:

If you have a quilt to be displayed at the 2017 Schmeckfest, or would like to have a display or vendor table, please contact:
Kimberly 392-7395, Becca 392-7963, or Brooke 650-6199.

Attention Parents!!!

LCHS Parent/Teacher Conference on March 7 4-7 p.m.

Call the LCHS office to set up a time to meet with teachers @ March 6th

Sophomore Class Pizza Dinner

@LCHS Cafeteria

March 17th

5:00-7.30 PM

Pay by Donation

Please make reservations with a sophomore, call Mr. Marasco @
392-5302, or call the LCHS office

Auction Items Needed

Do you have any items for the live auction or the silent auction that you are willing to donate? Please let us know

Marlin or Bonnie Reddig 392-7175 or 525-3456

Al or Connie Leland 650-0891 or 392-5399

Thank You