



# LUSTRE CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL

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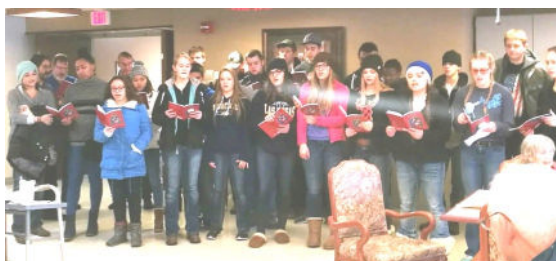


### EXUBERANT CAROLING ESCAPADE By: Kylie Kirkaldie

On Wednesday, December 20<sup>th</sup> the LCHS student body traveled afar across the fresh snow, ice and sleet to bring a few elderly men and women some Christmas cheer.

They went to Glasgow and Wolf Point to visit the residents of Prairie Ridge Home, Valley View (and their sprightly cat, Jax), Nemont Manner and the Faith Lutheran Home in Wolf Point.

They sang many Christmas songs, some



of those being "Away in a Manger," "We Three Kings" and "Angels we have Heard on High."

Emily, Ernest, Kaitlyn and Thomas sang a quite beautiful and harmonious quartet piece for "How Great our Joy" which brought many smiles to the people's faces.

After the caroling was done at each of the nursing homes, the students and teachers

would get a chance to shake hands and visit with some of the residents.

Throughout the day, the students of LCHS brought joy and merriment to the nursing homes with their singing. And as you know (or may not), *"the best way to spread Christmas cheer is singing loud for all to hear."*

#### NOTEWORTHY NEWS:

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Jan. 30 - Honors Band & Choir

### JESUS AT THE CENTER BY: KAITLYN TOAVS

Lustre's chapel speaker on December 7<sup>th</sup> walked into the assembly room and immediately brought a smile to every face. Cris Mwenes, bishop of 86 churches in Kenya, has been visiting the United States for the past two and a half months and plans to return home on the 20<sup>th</sup> of December. As a friend of Lyle Wall, Mr. Mwenes was overjoyed to be spending his afternoon with the folks of

Lustre and had a challenging topic on his heart.

After opening in prayer, Cris directed us to Ephesians 3:14-19 where Paul is urging the church in Ephesus to be "rooted and established in love". He encouraged us to love one another the way that Christ loves us. "Do your lives reflect Christ?" was the question Cris posed. He pointed out that if Christ has the #1 spot in our lives, we should

not be embarrassed to talk about Him and share His love with others. He backed up this point by going to Romans 1:16 which says, "For I am not ashamed of the gospel because it is the power of God for the salvation to everyone who believes: first for the Jew, then to the Gentile."

After spending just 45 minutes with Cris, it was apparent that his love for Christ filled him to the point

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## WOLF POINT TIP OFF BY: LEVI BROWN



The Lustre Lions participated in the Wolf Point Tip Off on Friday the 8<sup>th</sup> and Saturday the 9<sup>th</sup>. On Friday, both the Lady Lions and the Lions played the Wolf Point JV Wolves, and on Saturday, they both played Dodson Coyotes.

On Friday, the Lady Lions beat the Wolves 47 to 17: Sadie

Brown - 29, Gabriella Capasso - 14, Kaitlyn Toavs - 2 and Olivia Brown - 2.

The Lions 40'd the Wolves and came out with a 61 to 21 win: Levi Brown - 22, Zach Brown - 19, Thomas Brown - 7, Kolden Hoversland - 9, Terry Almer - 2, Josh Brown - 2.

The very next day, the Lady Lions beat the Coyotes 50 to 43:

Sadie Brown - 21, Gabriella Capasso - 20, Olivia Brown - 8, Kaitlyn Toavs - 1. The Lions lost by two 39-41: Levi Brown - 16, Zach Brown - 11, Thomas Brown - 10, K. Hoversland - 2.

Both games were the very first games to start off the tournaments. Both teams played well and we are all excited for the season ahead.

## LIONS BATTLE RIVALS, CULBERTSON, SCOBEE BY: BRAYDEN SHIMMIN



The Lustre Lions' regular season basketball tipped off Friday December 12<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> with the Lions visits to Nashua and Opheim.

The Lady Lions' season started on the 12<sup>th</sup> with a win over Opheim of 56 to 22, followed on the 15<sup>th</sup> by the boys JV and Varsity wins over Nashua, with the varsity's win of 77 to 59. Following their victory in Opheim, the girls were on a roll heading into Saturday for their first home game and win on the new wood floor.

The Lady Lions beat the Culbertson Cow-

girls, which they won with a final score of 41 to 22. The boys were less successful, leading through the first half, but eventually losing to the Culbertson Cowboys 38 to 55.

Moving on to Tuesday, November 19<sup>th</sup>, both the boys and girls teams faced off against the Scobee Spartans. These games mark the first athletic competition to be televised from Lustre's home court after the installation of the new gym floor.

The Lady Lions, despite a valiant effort, ended up losing to the Spartans with a score of

48 to 27.

The boys team suffered the same fate, eventually falling to the Spartans with a score of 63 to 23.

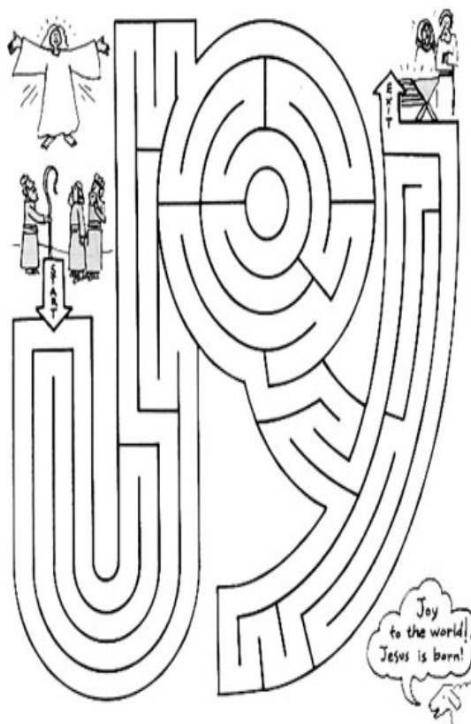


(CENTER continued from page 1) of overflowing. His joy for Christ alone was enough to challenge

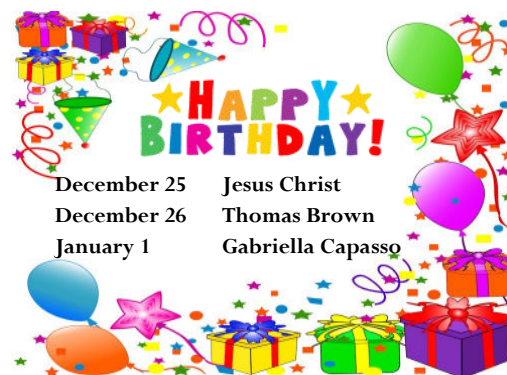
his listeners to stop focusing on the trivial matters that distract us and start focusing on the One who can bring us joy amidst every circumstance. As Christmas approaches, are we so filled with joy over Christ's

birth and gift of salvation that we literally cannot help but share it with others? As we go about our busy lives, may our focus be to reflect Christ's endless love to the hurting world around us.





### Church Mice



## LCHS, LGS ANNUAL CHRISTMAS CONCERT

BY: THOMAS BROWN

Once again, the Lustre Grade School and High School came together to put on a Christmas concert for the Lustre community.

As the time drew near for the performance to begin, parents and students alike crowded into the gym.

As more and more people arrived, someone made the comment that this was the most people that they had ever seen in that gym.

The grade schoolers kicked things off with the 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade band playing an assortment of Christmassy songs.

Next up were the K-4<sup>th</sup> graders, singing songs and playing - hand

bells.

The grade school portion of the night closed with a humorous play called the Last Stop Till Christmas, which was put on by the 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade.

Following the intermission, the high schoolers made their way down to the floor to take their turn watching the conductor.

The band played a wide variety of pieces, closing with a classic, a Charlie Brown Christmas. During the offertory, Emily Eggar sang a solo of Mary Did You Know.

Following this, the choir dutifully marched up the risers to their desig-

nated positions and belted out several Christmas songs, ending with Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas.



Many thanks to all of the Lustre community who turned out to support the schools!

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

*All are welcome to attend LCHS Chapel Services .*

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