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# The Tumbleweed

### Noteworthy News:

- **March 3: PT Conferences 4-7 p.m.; call to schedule a time**
- **March 6-7: Dessert & Drama 6:30 p.m. @ LGS**
- **March 12: Cut-up day for Schmeckfest**
- **March 13: End of third quarter**
- **March 27: Schmeckfest**

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## Reasons Given for Salvation By: Mack Young & Serena Weide

"Without knowing who I am and what I'm here for, life is impossible," is how chapel began on February 5, 2015. "What is our salvation?" was a rhetorical question we had to think about during the video. Another quote from the video talked about teaching history in the form of stories so it would never be forgotten.

The presenters from Axis Plus Ministries said we spend our lives being either externally, where we are controlled by state, or internally motivated, where we find pleasure in other things to get rid of pain. A song was played in the video called 'Habits' by Tove Lo and another one called a 'Brave New World'.

The video also used the movie, Hunger Games, as a good example of our society today. The Capitol was where the rich people lived and they had everything they ever could want. They would make themselves throw up so that they could keep eating, while in other places people live in poor and horrible conditions. The video also showed a clip of "Can We Auto Correct Humanity?" by Prince EA. As some people live internally, they become addicted to sex or alcohol or may commit suicide. An actor who committed suicide was shown in the video and his name was, Philip Seymour Hoffman. He said in the video "There's no pleasure I

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## Celebrating Love By: Mawin Kulpruks

Love is in the air! Every year, the fourteenth day of February has people around the world presenting their loved ones with flowers, candy, chocolates, and other gifts. Valentine's Day is named for St. Valentine, a Roman priest who was martyred on or around February 14 in the year 270 CE. What does the name Valentine mean? Valentine comes from the Latin Valentinus, which derives from *valens*. It means, "To be strong, powerful, and mighty." The Bible describes a man with a similar title, Genesis 10:8-9, "Cush was the father of Nimrod, who became a mighty warrior on the earth. He was a mighty hunter before the Lord; that

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*"Love is patient, love is kind and is not jealous; love does not brag and is not arrogant, does not act unbecomingly; it does not seek its own, is not provoked, does not take into account a wrong suffered, does not rejoice in unrighteousness, but rejoices with the truth; bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things."*

*I Corinthians 13:4-7*

## Boys' Basketball By Mack Young and Serena Weide

Our hometown heroes faced off against the Saco/White Water's Panthers Friday, February 13, 2015. This was the last time two of the boys' players would ever set foot on the LCHS gym floor while wearing a jersey, Senior Night, and the Lions were thirsty for a victory. On a dry spell since their loss of Silas Xia, the heart and soul of the Lions, the team came out strong, with solid defense and patient offense. The Lions stayed with the Panthers the entire first half, using their defense to carry the still struggling offense. After halftime, however, the Panthers pulled ahead in the third, with the hometown Lions only scoring five points. But the slump would not last. In the fourth quarter, the Lions mustered their strength and left it all on the floor. With stellar defense as always and a more aggressive offense (including a number of big threes by Mawin Kulpruks, a senior), the Lions caught up to the Panthers. However, that last show of force was still not enough to reverse the third quarter's actions. The Lions faltered by only five points, in a 39-34 loss.

On January 30, 2015 the Lustre boys played against Hinsdale at Hinsdale. The boys did well in the first half of the game but then Hinsdale took over the second half of the game. Jacques fouled out but did a great job leading the team in the beginning to work hard. Zach Brown scored 2, Levi Brown scored 3, Jacques Ndengeyigoma scored 7, Mawin Kulpruks scored 6, and Michael Brown with 10 points.

The Lustre Lions had a tough game on February 6th against the Scobey Spartans. It was a game in which they gave everything they had. Mawin Kulpruks lead the scoring with 7 points, then Levi Brown gave his team 6 points and Jacques Ndengeyigoma had 4 points. Teagan Friesen scored 3 points and Mack Young made a 2 point bucket. Their score ended with a loss of 22-39 and the Scobey Spartans went home with a win.

## Valentine's

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is why it is said, "Like Nimrod, a mighty hunter before the Lord". The origin of this day goes back as early as 270 A.D and started with the clash between a kindly priest and a mighty ruler. In many countries, restaurants, hotels, and shopping centers may be busy around this time of the year. Hearts, the colors red and pink, roses, images and statues of cupids, and cupids' bows and arrows symbolize the feeling of romance and love on Valentine's Day. In mythology, people who fall in love are sometimes said to be "Struck by Cupid's arrow." The day focuses on love, appreciation, romance, and friendship.

We should also remember to show God's love on this day and all year long. After all God is the essence of love.

## Working Hard to Improve By: Nevin Vanderschoot

It was a busy week of games for the LCHS Lions. The Lady Lions started the week against the Scobey Spartanson their home turf January 20, 2015. It seemed as if the Lady Lions did not feel prepared for such an experienced team, resulting in a loss. The scores were Lustre (23) and Scobey (64).

The second game of the week was awat at Poplar on February 3, 2015. The Lady Lions fought and played hard which rewarded them with a win.

The third game was against Opheim on February 7, 2015 and was also an away game. Since the Lady Lions had more experienced players on their team, they beat the Opheim Lady Vikings by 23 points. The final score was 51-28. The scorers were Monica Brown with an impressive 24 points, Sadie Brown with 10, Dimon Sullivan had 8, Geneva Rauch 4, and Kylie Kirkaldie 5.

The Lady Lions played Scobey on Friday, February 6, 2015, in our den. Unfortunately the Lady Lions lost. The final score was Scobey 60, Lustre Christian 29; the scorers were Monica Brown 7, Sadie Brown 19, and Geneva Rauch 3.

The fourth game was the Dodson game on February 14, 2015. The girls played their hardest, but didn't pull through. Even so, the game ended with only a three point difference at 50 to 47 in Dodson's favor. As the girls look ahead to tournaments, there is a great deal of hope. Go Lady Lions!

## Reasons

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haven't made myself sick on." As the video talked about addictions, they also mentioned slavery to scarcity, slavery to sickness and orphans in the world today.

Then the video went back to ask us 'What is our purpose?' We can only go through the motions for a while. They gave us some bible verses, Luke 6:46 and Matthew 7:20. We should do what God says to do in His Word. From this the ministry *Heart Work* came to be. Their thought is first we should experience a 30 day sympathy challenge, secondly we should get together to create change, and lastly we should rescue those in need. This is Christ working through us to rescue the destiny of others.

To keep chapels interesting, February 12, 2015 saw Pastor Mike Kauffold, an old friend of LCHS, return to present a second chapel. He stressed working to a goal – having a purpose, vision, or something to help you strive and work your hardest. He talked about a young friend of his who strove to be the best to achieve admission to West Point. This young man worked his hardest to be the best in academics, as well as athletics, and more.

Pastor Mike also spoke on his own experiences in high school (where he did not do his best), and how that has even affected his hunting to this day. He also talked about how, by his college years, he was doing his best, working his hardest, and still did not perform well in either biology or Greek – but he was okay with that. He had given his all, and poured his heart into the subjects, and that was enough.

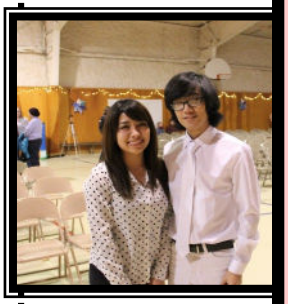
His message and desire for us is that we would work our hardest and give it all no matter what we do in life. Then we can be confident in who we are and please God.

*"There's no pleasure I haven't made myself sick on."*

*Philip Seymour Hoffman*

# Senior Star

## Maya Cruz



**Full Name:** Maya Cruz Sotomayor

**Nickname:** Maya Absolut, Mayita

**Birthday:** May 15th, 1996

**Activities:** shopping, talking with my friends

**Favorite Place You Have Been:** L.A.

**Favorite Subject:** Drama

**Favorite Movie:** *Pulp Fiction*

**Favorite TV Show:** "That 70s Show "

**Favorite Memory:** none yet

**Favorite Food:** Mexican food :)

**Favorite Drink:** Piña Colada

**Hero:** my mom

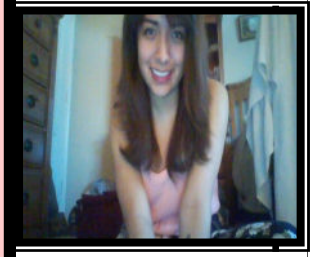
**Pet Peeve:** foolish people

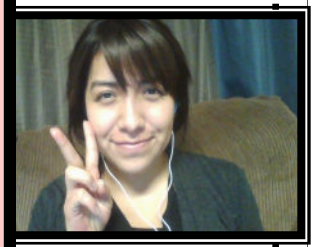
**Favorite Sports:** None. I don't like sports.

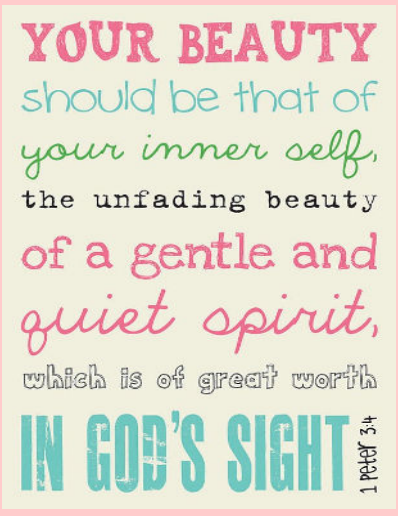
**Summer Plans:** have fun

**Goals:** be an actress, win an Academy Award (Oscar), open dogs and cats refugees in every city in Mexico, marry in Greece, take my mom to Greece, own a Forever21 store, buy a pair of Jimmy Choo and Christian Louboutin's shoes with my own money, and more goals I haven't dreamt about.

**Favorite Bible Verse:** 1 Peter 3:3-4.







# Schmeckfest

The Schmeckfest Committee is looking for still pictures, movies or videos from the past 50 years of Schmeckfest. If you have any of the above we are planning to make a DVD for sale on the 27th. Your help would make this a real treasure for now and the years to come for our families.

Contact one of the following if you can help:

Dean or Julie (392-7788)
Bob or Yvonne Brown (392-5778)
Martin or Karen Fast (392-5722)
Roy or Jodi Neufeld (725-3325)

We are looking for quilts to display and also if people could save any tin cans 24 oz or larger (just no gallon cans) for us to use for decorating.

Get them to Brooke, Becca or Kimberly!

**Cut-up day for Schmeckfest is Thursday, March 12th.**

Meat orders, call by March 10, 2015

**Sarah Brown 392-5301**

**Tony & Amy Fast 392-5792**

Bulk Sausage $5.00 until March 10 and $6.00 after

Cased $6.00

Remember to bring a lunch and a cooler for meat; pick up early on March 12th.

**ATTENTION ALL MALE SINGERS:**

There will be a community Men's chorus number at Schmeckfest on March 27. Practices will be at the LCHS assembly room at 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 4 and Wednesday, March 18. Program practice will be at 7:00 on March 26 at the LCHS gym. Dan Marasco will be the director and "Wonderful Grace of Jesus" will be sung. We would like as many men as possible to participate.

**Auction Items Needed!**

Would you be willing to donate an auction item for this year's Schmeckfest or be interested in setting up a display table? If so, please contact Landon & Mindy Olfert at 392-5733 or Brant & Lynn Unrau at 650-0049.

**Schmeckfest Bake Sale Reminders**

All pre-orders need to be in by March 23.
Please bring at least three items for the bake sale. Everything sells so if you can bring more items it would be appreciated.
Please package items as follows:

Peppernuts – 4 cups/ package
Sweet rolls and maple sticks – 12/package
Perishke, buns, zwieback – 12/ package
Frozen verenika – 6 or 12/ package

Some items that are always requested 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.

**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 for items are available at the MB and EMB churches.

**Be sure to label the type of item in each package as well as the quantity.**

Thanks for baking and labeling!!!

This year for Schmeckfest, we will be selling tee-shirts. We have a limited number of tee-shirts available at this time.

To ensure you get one, please place an order ASAP. Sizes available are adult S,M,L,XL.

Prices will be $15. XL will be $17
Please contact

Kimberly - 392-5271
Becca - 392-5592
Brooke - 392-5530

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LCHS PT conferences will be on Tuesday, March 3rd 4:00-7:00 p.m. Call the office at your earliest convenience to schedule a time to meet with your student's teachers

Senior Class Pizza Dinner, March 21st, 5pm-7:30pm. Pay by donation. LCHS cafeteria

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

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| February 28 | Nathan Forgan |
| March 13 | Dimon Sullivan |
| March 20 | Aleyna Lewis |
| March 30 | Joyce Li |

Join us for a **Dessert & Drama**
Presented by the LCHS Drama class

# TRIAL BY ERROR

*A WESTERN MELODRAMA BY BETTE DALE MOORE*

**March 6-7, 2015**
**6:30 p.m.**
**Lustre Grade School Gym**

- **Adults $10**
- **Students (K—12th grades) $5**
- **Preschool—free with no dessert (with dessert, $1.00)**

*Audience participation is encouraged. There will be $1.00 off admission if wearing full western/cowboy apparel.*

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## LCHS Calendar

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| February 25-28 | Divisional Basketball Tournament in Wolf Point |
| March 3 | Parent-Teacher Conferences 4:00–7:00 p.m. |
| March 6-7 | Trial By Error drama presentation and dessert 6:30 p.m. @ LGS |
| March 9-11 | Spiritual Emphasis Week |
| March 12 | Cut-up Day |
| March 13 | Third Quarter Ends |

## Loving the Weekend **By: Chen Zefeng**

A four day weekend was on the calendar for February 13-16, which meant it was dorm weekend out. All the dorm kids went to host families' houses. Maya went to the Lenihan's for the weekend; She went to the basketball game with the girls and hung out with Mckaylah all day long. Serena stayed over at the Unrau's; She also went to the basketball game, but didn't do anything else for the whole weekend, because she was sick. Mawin went to the Friesen's house; He went to the basketball game and to Billings with Teagan and his mom. Chen stayed over at Uchtman's and went to Billings to take his TOEFL test. Silas said all he did was lay on his bed at Jared and Susan Fast's, and either watch movies or play games for the weekend. Nevin went to Jean and Daryl Toews' home with Etien. They played card games with the family and computer games. Jacques spent time with the Hilkeman's and he also went to the game. Joyce and Katie stayed with Landon and Mindy Olfert. Joyce went to the basketball game, talked to her family and didn't do any homework; Katie said she slept a lot and did her homework. Aleyna went to the Klaasens's house. They watched movies and played games. Her brother, Alek, went to Martin and Karen Fast's house. He went to the basketball game and worked for Martin and Jerry Fast. All the dorm kids had an awesome weekend out, thanks to all the host families.