

# Lustre Christian High School

# THE TUMBLEWEED

## Opening Program with a *Fast* Devotional

By: Josh Brown

To start at the school year for LCHS there is always an opening to welcome the community to come support the staff and students. This year due to Covid19 regulations there were a few differences in the way that things were done. When you first came into the school you needed a mask and a temperature check. Thank you for following these regulations.

The program was begun with prayer by Blaine Hoversland, followed by a congregational singing of "All the Way My Savior Leads Me."

After this we had an amazing devotional by Susan

Fast. She taught on Trusting God, when we doubt ourselves or are anxious or worried, we can always trust God. Mrs. Fast



she can't be there to help her along. She said that she can trust God though, because not only is God holding her daughter

in His hand, but God's son, our Savior Jesus Christ holds her in his hands also.

Next, there was the introduction of the staff, and Mr. Cole Graybill, the new Social Studies teacher gave his testimony. Next there was a number from Lustre's very own Butler Vocal Band who sang "All That Thrills My Soul." I hear that there is a spot open for them at Schmeckfest.

After this Coach Ron Reddig gave two challenges to the students; get involved in music in some way, and keep up on your grades.

Here the school chairman Bill Reddig shared

his thoughts on the coming year.

And finally, the students were introduced and Pastor Frank Lenihan prayed for the year. Thank you for your support of LCHS.



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## LCHS Welcomes Mr. Graybill

By: Tiara Whitmus

This fall we welcome Mr. Cole Graybill! He informed us that he taught for 20 years. Mr. Graybill decided to come to Lustre Christian High School from Oregon because we are a Christian High School and he has never taught at a Christian High School. He said he has taught at multiple schools including "Vermont, New Hampshire, Missouri, Oklahoma, Oregon, and now Montana".

He graduated from high school in Pennsylvania

and from Missouri State University.

Mr. Graybill is teaching, American History, World History, American Government, Physical Education, Current Events, Economics, and Speech and Drama.

When asked about what he is most excited about the coming school year? Mr. Graybill responded, "We only just started, but I enjoy the students and the small class size

the most" and that he "feels comfortable."

He mentioned that his biggest challenge this year will be "incorporating God's word into his lessons and it is just a new adjustment".

His teaching philosophy is "Do not give up on kids and show them how they can succeed. Showing kids that socioeconomics does not matter they can succeed and

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## The Mighty Lady Lions Overcome COVID By: Ashley O'Hara

For this year's 2020 volleyball season, many changes have been made due to the Corona Virus. Before the virus occurred, a player would serve and be allowed to have someone from the other side return the ball. Now, the server must go receive their own ball. Yes, that is every time someone serves!

Another change that was made, was that when a player is not in play and is sitting on the bench, they will have to wear their face mask or choice of face covering. Options like wearing a mask and/or gloves was made optional to all players and coaches as well. After hearing these changes, you could already imagine the different facial expressions on the players

faces. Many complaints and confused comments were made initially.

An additional change was thrown at the girls this year as well, two new coaches! Madison Neufeld and Angie Smith are the girl's new head and assistant coaches. All the girls are excited to see how the new year is going to go with new coaches, as well as the coaches with the players. With that being said, volleyball started August 14<sup>th</sup>.

To continue, the head coach, Madison Neufeld had a few things to say about the season! She said, "I am looking forward to getting to know the girls better and having a season." She added, "with COVID it is nice to have some sort of normality back for eve-

ryone with volleyball." When asked what the team goals were, Coach Neufeld commented, "Some team goals we have are to learn new concepts related to volleyball and to improve form on some skills. I do think the main goal, though this year, is to build a solid foundation for this year and the years to come."

The team verse this year is, Colossians 3:23 "Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord." This is not only a great verse for the team, but a good reminder for everyone else to live for Christ!

Every year there is a new group of girls, different skills players are advanced at and some they are not. With that being said, lets jump into

what practice has been looking like for these girls. "For our first practices, we really focused on breaking down form for serving and passing, which are KEY to the game. Now that we are approaching our first game, we will start turning our attention to learning rotation, communication, and more game like drills." Coach Neufeld explained.

This year's players are: Tiara Whitmus and Ashley O'Hara (Seniors), Benita Kola (Junior), Grace Brown, Sarah Dahl, Aubri Holzrichter, Alexa Reddig, and Brigid Nabulindo (Freshman) and Anna Tiechrow (8th grade) The Lady Lion's first game is Sept. 1<sup>st</sup> vs MonDak at home. We hope to see you there to encourage and support the Lady Lions!



## The 2020 Wolf Point/Lustre Football Co-op By: Braeden Toavs

As volleyball kicks up excitement for the Lustre girls, a couple boys from the Lustre student body have joined the ranks of the Wolf Point Wolves for their fall football season. Following in the footsteps of recent 2020 graduate Terry Allmer, Senior Braeden Toavs and Freshman Cayden Klatt carry on the tradition of giving the Lustre community an excuse to go and watch some good old fashioned fall football.

Due to the conflicting restrictions passed in our state, there have been many changes in the way the players

and coaches communicate and operate during practice.

So far the season is still a go, but they must follow the social distancing guidelines on the field and on the busses. Players are required to line up for temperature checks before practice begins, and players are required to wear masks while standing on the sidelines during practice and during games. Coaches must wear masks at all times.

There are still many questions to be resolved on how the players and coaches will social distance when they travel to distant towns. Head

coach Ryan Wilson says that he will divide the forty players, managers, and coaches into two buses to travel. Coach Wilson states that any player exposed to Covid-19 must follow proper quarantine protocols. If any exposed player is in contact with the rest of the team, they must all quarantine for the two-week period.

So far the schedule for games is uncertain, but the varsity team is scheduled for their typical eight game season while the junior varsity team is scheduled for five games.

The Wolf Point maroon and white scrimmage was

to be held on Friday the 28<sup>th</sup> of August at the Wolf Point Field, but has since been cancelled.

On September 4<sup>th</sup> the Wolves host the Baker Spartans to kick off the season for varsity football. For the Junior varsity team, they will travel to Glasgow on the 7<sup>th</sup> of September to take on the Scotties.

Specific times for both games are still to be determined, but will be posted on the lustrechristian.org calendar. But until then we continue to practice hard and pray for wisdom and providence from God as we navigate through this unusual season.

# Welcome Back to LCHS!

## School During the Covid-19 Pandemic

By: Kenny Shema

The world has now been facing the SARS Covid-19 pandemic for almost seven months now, and things seem to be getting better, but not fast enough to make things go back to normal. School started on the 19 of August, with what looked like a second wave going on. Numerous states didn't have the same privilege though,

like Washington, Vermont etc. Montana is one of the states that have full in-person learning, but with a cost. The state mandates face masks or shields if the county in which the school is located in reported more than 4 cases of Covid-19. Unfortunately, Valley County had more than the 4 active cases of corona virus, which auto-

matically applies the mandate on our school and Glasgow. But the measures do not only include face masks or shields, but it also includes mandatory body temperature checks every morning and afternoon before lunch. Teachers are also disinfecting tables and surfaces that are touched between each period to eliminate any risk of expo-

sure to the virus.

Teachers also try to spread out the class as much as possible to prevent the uncomfortable feeling of a face mask the whole class period. By the time this article is being written, masks or face shields were not required for now because the cases of Covid-19 in the county dropped to 3, however, a few days later they were required once again.

Although school started with a lot of new and awkward protocols, and other requirements, we should be happy and thankful that we are actually one of the rare private schools in the country that are open, and that haven't reported a case yet (which is better!).



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instill a sense of confidence in them.”

Some of his hobbies include hunting and fishing. He has a husky dog named Wookie.

When asked about his favorite season of the year? He replied that, “He has no favorite season. How could you only have one fa-

vorite season?!?” Mr. Graybill said he loves winter because of the cold and snowflakes. His least favorite season is summer due to the heat. Also, he enjoys picking up and going traveling to see new cultures and meet new people.

Mr. Graybill became a teacher because he enjoys learning, history, and talking about history. He also enjoys

spreading the knowledge and he loves knowledge! He intends to pass this knowledge on so that young people are well rounded with a good education. His favorite quote is “Those who don't remember the past are condemned to repeat it” by George Santayana.

We welcome Mr. Cole Graybill with an open heart and arms.



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September 3 Mr. Bob Burkhart  
September 8 Mrs. Lynette Froiland  
September 27 Grace Brown

LCHS Calendar

- Sept. 1 VB - 5 pm - (H) vs. MonDak
- Sept. 7 Labor Day - No School
- Sept. 8 VB - 6 pm @ Wolf Point JV
- Sept. 9 School Pictures
- Sept. 11 VB - 5 pm @ Savage
- Sept. 15 Parent/Teacher Conferences - 4-7 pm  
VB - 6 pm - (H) vs. Glasgow JV
- Sept. 17 VB - 5:30 pm - (H) Fairview
- Sept. 19 VB - 5 pm @ Richey/Lambert
- Sept. 22 VB - 5:30 pm @ Culbertson
- Sept. 25 VB - 5 pm @ Med Lake
- Sept. 26 VB - 6 pm @ Nashua
- Sept. 29 VB - 5 pm @ Glasgow JV

*Note: For updated game times and school information, please visit the LCHS Facebook page. All are welcome to attend LCHS Chapel Services.*



Tuesday, September 15  
Parent/Teacher Conferences - 4-7

**PARENTS ...**  
*Remember to call the office to schedule a Parent-Teacher Conference for your student!*

Notice Regarding Fall Sporting Events at LCHS

Due to the existing COVID-19 pandemic, attendance to LCHS athletic events has changed dramatically. Each school will have a designated seating are separate from the other school for each sporting event.

To be eligible to attend an event, you must be designated by an authorized school official to do so.

Each player from both schools may choose two (2) people to attend on their behalf. This to stay within the guidelines of our state mandates.

All fans, players, coaches and others will be temperature checked and have a mask to enter the LCHS facility. Masks can be a disposable or fabric mask, handkerchief, gator or face shield.

All fans who aren't selected to attend our sporting events in person, can take advantage of the live coverage on the NFHS telecast. Info on how to watch will be on the LCHS Facebook page.

These parameters are subject to change at anytime.

Ron Reddig - LCHS AD

# Lustre Christian High School

## Lunch Menu & Activities:

### SEPTEMBER:

1 - VB - 5 pm - (H) vs. MonDak

7 - Labor Day - No School

9 - School Pictures

11 - VB - 5 pm @ Savage

15 - Parent/Teacher Conferences - 4-7 pm

- VB - 6 pm - (H) vs. Glasgow JV

17 - VB - 5:30 pm - (H) Fairview

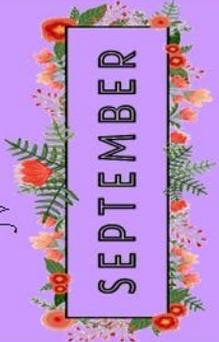
19 - VB - 5 pm @ Richey/Lambert

22 - VB - 5:30 pm @ Culbertson

25 - VB - 5 pm @ Med Lake

26 - 6 pm @ Nashua

29 - 5 pm @ Glasgow JV



# September 2020

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1 Ham & Cheese Hoagies	2 Chili Cheese Fries	3 Chicken Alfredo	4 Pizza	5
6	7 No School	8 Sloppy Joes	9 Chicken Nuggets	10 Spaghetti	11 Hot Dogs	12
13	14 LABOR DAY	15 Beef Stir Fry	16 Corn Dogs	17 Tuna & Noodles	18 Hamburgers	19
20	21 Meatball Subs	22 Tacos	23 Chicken Burgers	24 Breakfast	25 Chicken Nachos	26
27	28 Curry Chicken	29 Mac & Cheese	30 Chicken Strips			