

# Lustre Christian High School

# THE TUMBLEWEED

## Cutting-Edge Kitchen By Kaleb Hoversland

At the closing of school last year, and continuing over the summer LCHS went through a major remodel of its kitchen and floors. The previous kitchen consisted of one entrance, two serving windows, old cabinets, and many out-

dated appliances. These issues, along with lack of space, were what the remodel aimed to fix.

Carried out by community members, the remodel started by removing all of the previous appliances from

the kitchen. The remodel faced a short delay as the tile floors were entirely replaced with laminate flooring. After the floors were finished, the project was able to resume. The first change was the walls from

inside the kitchen and connecting pantry were knocked down to create space. After that, they added two entrances to the area, as well as a new serving window.

Once the walls were complete, appliances were put in. These new appliances included fridges, freezers, ovens, and dishwashers, along with a new island and cabinets. The entire remodel took about four months.

With sports starting up soon, the school is excited to welcome guests back in their

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Before: Schmeckfest 2021



After: Fall 2021

## Another New Face! By Doven Birdsbill

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Another new face joining us here at LCHS is Guidance Counselor Debby Cattell. Mrs. Cattell has traveled around the world, visiting many countries and many ethnicities. Some might say, "She has done it all."

Mrs. Cattell is from a small farm community in Perry, Ohio. She grew up enjoying card games,

board games, softball, and volleyball. Her favorite genres of music are Gospel and Motown oldies, which include Elvis, the Beachboys, and Huey Lewis and the News. She loves seafood, especially crab legs, shrimp, and lobster. She and Mr. Cattell have nine children, five grandchildren, and one coming in December! She loves working in mis-



sion outreach and enjoys beach holidays. When asked what her

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## Forgive, That You May Be Forgiven By Kolden Hoversland

On September 2, 2021, Mr. Cattell presented a chapel to the LCHS students and staff. The topic that Mr. Cattell chose to speak on was "Forgiveness."

On March 26, 2013, an ice storm hit Mr. Cattell's hometown in Ohio. The following morning, Mr. Cattell received the worst news a parent could ever get. His son Conor had been hospitalized due to a tragic car accident involving black ice left from the previous night's storm. Conor was on his way to a new job with their family friend Dan, when they hit a



patch of ice that sent them crashing into a telephone pole. Conor was now on life support in the hospital and, after surgery, would not wake up.

When the incident went to court, Dan and his family did not want to take any responsibility for the tragic death of Conor Cattell. That moment was when Mr. Cattell's sympathetic heart for Dan's family changed. Rather than wanting Dan to receive minimal charges, Mr. Cattell now wanted Dan to receive maximum charges for the death of Conor. Mr. Cattell struggled immensely with the thought of forgiving Dan. When Dan appeared at

the final court hearing, he apologized to Mr. Cattell for the first time and told him he was willing to accept any charges Mr. Cattell wished to proceed with. Mr. Cattell realized that forgiveness was necessary for him to heal.

This chapel was such an eye opener. We often struggle with forgiveness of little things in life. To see a man like Mr. Cattell go through such a hard time in life and still choose to forgive shows us that we should never refuse to forgive others. Mr.

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## Put on Your Armor By Mrs. Hilkemann

Thursday, September 9, began like any other. The students and teachers of LCHS had no idea what was in store for them on this "chapel" day. Awaiting us was a lively presentation of Ephesians 6:11, our school verse for the year, by Mrs. Connie Button. Ephesians 6:11 talks about putting on the full armor of God so that we, Christians, can stand against the devil's schemes. She emphasized that the armor we are to don is God's armor, not the armor of our own making. To further devel-

op and illustrate this point, Mrs. Button proceeded to put on faulty armor. This armor is defective because it gives us a false sense of security. It doesn't prepare us for battle against the devil, and it can also cause us to damage others through our unChristlike interactions with them.

Instead of the belt of truth buckled around our waist, we may put on the belt of pride. Pride causes us to think we are always right and then defensive when legitimate criticism comes our way. Next, Mrs. Button demonstrated putting on the



breastplate of self-pity instead of the breastplate of righteousness. The problem with the breastplate of self-pity is the dark heart of self-

ishness underneath. The third piece of armor mentioned in Ephesians are the shoes that prepare us to bring the gospel of peace. However, if we have chosen faulty armor, we are quick to bring criticism and gossip. The shield of faith, part of our godly armor, causes us to keep our eyes fixed on Jesus. A shield of self-reflection will only distract us with our own image and cause us to miss the flaming darts of the evil one. Mrs. Button then suggested that if we are not putting on the helmet of salvation, we may be putting on the helmet of the world or "lofty ideas."

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# Welcome to LCHS!

## Who is New? Rachel Pew By Arun Ramnarace

Recently, Lustre Christian High School acquired a student from Wolf Point, Montana, named Rachel Pew. Her cousin, Emily Eggar, is an LCHS 2019 alumni.



In Rachel's free time, she likes to listen to music. When I asked her favorite choice of music, she said she does not specifically listen to one group. When I asked her what she listens to get pumped up for a game, she said anything

with a quick tempo and a solid beat.

Her favorite class is Choir. Her favorite verse is Job 41:1 "Can you draw out the leviathan with a hook, or snare his

tongue with a line which you lower?" When I asked her what brought her to Lustre Christian High School, she said that she didn't want to go to Wolf Point and really liked the idea that Lustre is a Christian school. She wanted to come to Lustre because of the smaller class size, which was appealing to her.

Rachel's favorite color is teal. She also enjoys watercolor, which is a form of art. When I asked her what her

goals for this year were, she told me to get all A's. I truly enjoyed getting to know Rachel. If you see her around, tell her hi.

## Sally Arai: A New Face in Lustre By Sean Uy

The start of the 2021-2022 school year brought many new people to Lustre. We got a handful of new students, a new principal, a guidance counselor, and an RA for the residence hall. One of the new students attending our school is Sally Arai. She joins us as a Junior and will graduate with the class of 2023. So far, she said she's enjoying the small community, saying, "I've been able to focus on my studies, sports, and other school activities." When I asked Sally what her favor-

ite classes were, she responded by telling me that she likes the Bible classes because of how big of a role they play here compared to Japan, which is where she's originally from. Her favorite school lunch so far is curry and rice, like other students. I also asked her about things she's getting accustomed to, and Sally told me that it's quite hard getting adjusted to the rural nature of the US (she spent a year in rural Missouri last year.) She said that it's also a challenge not

being able to eat traditional Japanese food. Sally's favorite Bible verse is James 1:3, which says, "[Knowing that] the testing of your faith produces patience." Her favorite hobbies include figure skating, lacrosse, cheerleading,



softball, and swimming. Sally is looking forward to challenging herself at new things this year, such as sports and other extracurriculars. As for college plans, she's still uncertain where she'll continue her education, but Sally knows for sure that she plans to graduate and attend college.



## Go, Fight, Win! By Sally Arai

On September 2, the Lady Lions played their second game of the



Rebekah, Alexa, Sarah, and Grace are poised to receive the serve from Glasgow.

year against Glasgow JV. They worked very hard and clearly improved from their last tournament. The scores for the first,

second, and final sets were as follows: 12-25, 13-25, and 21-25. The Glasgow JV was hot in this game and kept the Lady Lions trying to keep up the



The Lady Lions celebrate an awesome play!

best they could. The team did an excellent job of adjusting.

They unfortunately lost, but as you can see from the score, the flow of the Lions' game got better and better with each set. The shouting, serving and receiving all improved from the last tournament. Come and watch them play in their next home game against the Plentywood Wildcats this Saturday, September 18, at 5:00 p.m. I know they will continue to work hard and strive for a win!

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dream job is, she said, "When I grow up, I want to be an actress off-Broadway in NYC."

She and her husband came to Lustre because they wanted to work at an international Christian school. She said, "We prayed about the school, and God laid on our hearts that this is where we should go. We are happy we came to Lustre."

Being in the career that she is, Mrs. Cattell loves the fact that she can

meet new people, work with different students, share her life experiences, and open up to her passion for learning. She has a bachelor's degree in Middle Childhood Social Studies and English and a minor in Music and Fine Arts. She will be graduating from Liberty University with a Masters of Art in Special Education.

Mrs. Cattell has lived in many places, including Ohio, Montana, Wuhan, China; and Ras Al Khaimah (RAK) in the United Arab Emirates

(UAE). She has also visited many, including Qatar, the Philippines, and Thailand.

While in the UAE, she taught at the WellSpring School in Ras Al Khaimah. For three years she taught middle school social studies, English, drama, musical theater, and family and consumer science. English was the main language due to the high level of expats working in the country. She said, "I loved the Arab people but did not like the heat of the desert most of the

year. Arabic was a hard language to study for me."

However in China, she taught music and drama to grades K-12 at an international school in Wuhan for two years. She took one year of Mandarin Language study with one of her Chinese teachers from the school.

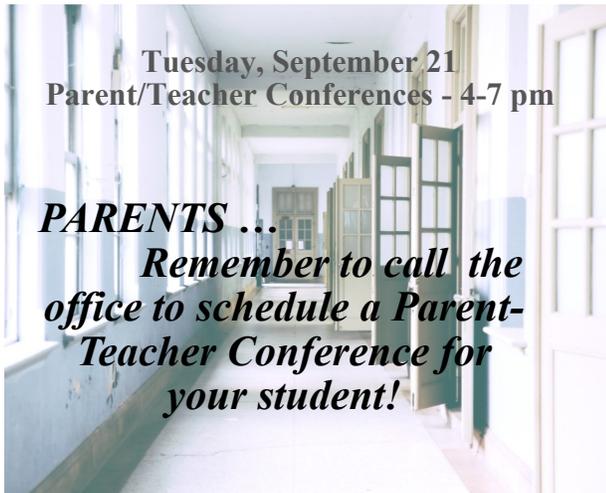
Welcome to LCHS, Mrs. Cattell!

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LCHS Calendar

- Sept. 17 VB - TBD @ MonDak
- Sept. 18 VB - 5 pm - (H) vs. Plentywood
- Sept. 21 Parent/Teacher Conferences - 4-7 pm
- Sept. 24 VB - 5 pm @ North Country
- Sept. 25 VB - 5 pm @ Bainville
- Sept. 28 VB - 5 pm @ Culbertson
- Oct. 1 VB - 5 pm @ Frazer
- Oct. 2 VB - TBD @ Lambert Invite

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



September 8	Mrs. Lynette Froiland
September 27	Grace Brown

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doors. LCHS is beyond grateful for all the people who worked so hard on this project, and they are delighted with the results!

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Cattell is a very strong man, and we are very thankful that we were able to hear his message about forgiveness.

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Finally, the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God, is a Christian's only offensive piece of godly armor. A faulty sword of emotions and opinions will only hurt others and damage our witness for Christ.

We enjoyed seeing Mrs. Button all dressed up in her worldly armor. It helped to visually

demonstrate her point that the armor of our own making won't protect us from anything. Mrs. Button's memorable presentation of Ephesians 6:11 gave us a lot to think about!

# Lustre Christian High School

## Lunch Menu & Activities:

### SEPTEMBER:

- 2 - VB - 6 pm (H) Glasgow JV
- 6 - Labor Day - No School
- 7 - VB - 6 pm (H) Wolf Point JV
- 8 - School Picture Day
- 10 - VB - 5 pm (H) Savage
- 11 - VB @ Scobey Invite
- 14 - College Fair - Glasgow
- VB - 6 pm @ Wolf Point JV
- 17 - VB - TBD @ MonDak
- 18 - 5 p.m. (H) Plentywood
- 21 - 4-7 p.m. - Parent / Teacher Conferences
- 24 - VB - 5 p.m. @ North Country
- 25 - VB - 5 p.m. @ Bainville
- 28 - ASAVB Test (Juniors) - VB - 5 p.m. - Culbertson

# September 2021

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1 Chicken Burgers	2 Hot Dogs	3 Chili Cheese Fries	4
5	6 No School 	7 Chicken & Rice	8 Hamburger Gravy over Mashed Potatoes 	9 Nachos	10 Pizza	11
12	13 Breakfast Casserole	14 Hot Ham & Cheese	15 Chicken Strips	16 Spaghetti	17 Tater Tot Casserole	18
19	20 Hamburgers	21 Loaded Potato Oles	22 Meatball Subs	23 Curry Chicken	24 Grilled Cheese	25
26	27 Tuna and Noodles	28 Sloppy Joes	29 Corn Dogs	30 Chicken Alfredo		