

Lustre Christian High School

The TUMBLEWEED

Jasiah's Chapel By Braden Ewing

On March 30th, Jasiah Hambira gave his senior chapel. Jasiah's topic was about breaking bad habits and getting rid of recurring sins in our lives. Jasiah referenced Genesis 39, where Potiphar's wife tempted Joseph. Jasiah explained that we should strive to be like Joseph and avoid these close encounters with sin. He discussed many topics, such as addiction, and gave many tools for breaking these habits.

The steps for breaking these habits are to recognize there is a problem and admit that you have to change. Next, you need to approach your problem and come up with a plan to conquer whatever it is you are going through. Step three is to execute and follow through with your plan. He explained that even if you fail,



you are to try again, failing is part of the process.

Jasiah used many different track analogies to explain the failing process and how it is one of the most important steps in breaking bad habits. Breaking a habit requires continuous work, just like practicing any sport. If you fail, you try again until you have accomplished your goal. When you accomplish your goal, you need to keep on working on staying where you are or better yourself in other departments where you might lack something.

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Mana's Chapel By Gabe Alves

Just before we headed on our Senior trip on Thursday, March 30th, Mana Okamoto was our Chapel speaker. Mana was born and raised in Japan. She grew up in a non-religious household, but her great-grandma was a Christian. She attended a Christian kindergarten, but she did not understand much. Mana's great-grandma died when Mana was little,

so she wasn't able to get to know some of her grandma's beliefs. Mana went to a public school in Minnesota last year as an exchange student. The host family that took care of Mana were Seventh-Day Adventists, and they would attend church every Sunday. Mana found Lustre by herself and thought this school was

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Lustre Dominates Glendive's Wibaux Invitational By Jasiah Hambira

After much delay, the Lustre Lions track and field team finally got a chance to compete. Our Lions took the trip down to Glendive, Montana, and were definitely ready to compete. It was a beautiful sunny day with a cool breeze. Braden Ewing placed 8th in the 100-meter dash with a time of 12.27 seconds. In the 200 meters, Jasiah Hambira took second place with a time of 23.92 for a PR. He also took second in the 400-meter dash with a time of 53.22, which is a PR for him. Terran Joseph placed 10th with a time of 25.39. In the 110-meter high hurdles, Johnslée Pierre took second place with a time of 17.59. Pierre also got fourth in the 300-meter hurdles with a time of 44.46. The 4x1 relay, made up of Braden Ewing, Byron Ewing, Ife Aniobi, and Terran

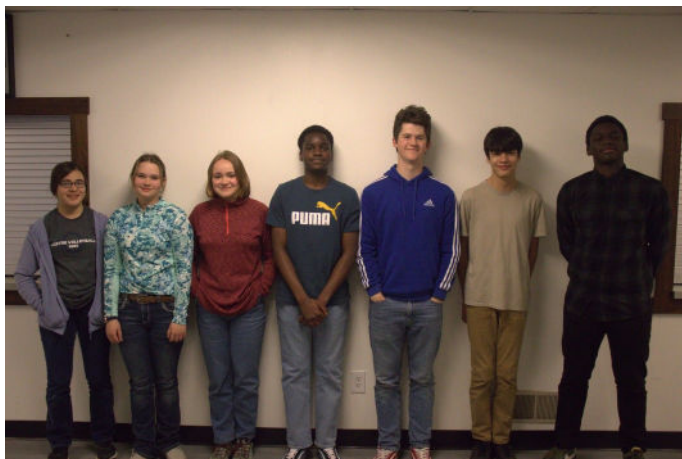


Joseph, took 8th place. In the long jump, Jasiah Hambira, Terran Joseph, and Johnslée Pierre all placed and qualified for state. Pierre took fourth with a jump of 20'3.25, Joseph placed third with a leap of 20'4.75, and Hambira took first with a jump of 21'5.75. Pierre also took 8th in the triple jump with a 37'5.5. Hambira took first and qualified for state jumping 42'8.75. Hambira also took first and qualified for state in the high jump soaring over 6'2 to win the event. The Lions placed third with 74 points behind Dawson County and Havre. The

Lustre track team is excited to improve on these marks in the weeks moving forward until state. Go Lions!

Math Contest By Bryan Chen

On March, 28th, seven students from our school attended the annual math contest. Three freshmen – Emeka, Andy, and Hannah; two sophomores – Mason and Rachel; and two juniors – Ife and Anna. The competition was held in Opheim, about 45 min from Lustre. Mrs. Meredith took them and left the school shortly before lunch and had lunch over at the concession in Opheim. After the casual meal, they were ready for the contest. Tests only took about a couple of hours and they didn't receive the score right away. They arrived back shortly before track practice ended. I in-



terviewed one of the contestants, Emeka. He said, "The test was challenging, but it was fun to work together with peers." There were tests for each sub-topic, such as dimension, shape, et cetera. They are all glad to have had the chance to be in the competition. It's always great to test your knowledge against other students and work as a team. We are looking forward to see them partake in the contest next year again.

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Senior Trip by Braden Ewing

Last week the Lustre Christian High School seniors went on their annual senior trip to Rapid City, South Dakota. They were chaperoned by their class advisor, Mr. Dan Marasco, and his wife, Mrs. Melissa Marasco. They planned to do activities such as Go-Kart riding, ATV riding, Scape rooms, paintballing, and much more. The seniors would start their trip off with Go-Kart riding at Flags and Wheels Indoor Racing Facility. On the second day of their trip, they went to a church in downtown Rapid City. That following evening they went to ride the mountain coaster and zipline. To end off



their Sunday, they went to go do Re-ball at Flags and Wheels Indoor Racing Facility. On Monday, they headed back to downtown Rapid City to do their service project, which was helping out at a local thrift store. For the next two days, the seniors were trapped in their cabin due to the snow. Although they were inside, they still managed to have fun and enjoy each other's company. We enjoyed our senior trip even though the weather kept us in doors for a few days. We as seniors would

Life Is Not Fair by Alexander Chen

On Thursday, 4/13/2023, Bryan Chen shared his senior chapel with us. He began by talking about how life is sometimes unfair and sharing some everyday examples. In the Bible, we can see a lot of unfairness too. For example, David is the youngest son in his family but he got chosen as the king of Israel. Jonathan helped David escape many times, but he got killed. Why is that? Bryan explained that it is not because God is not fair. God is fair. He is the only just and fair One.

Since human understanding is so small and we can only see each moment at once, we will always feel unfairly treated. But God is all-knowing! Sometimes we think it is not fair but in the eyes of God, it is perfectly fair, he can see everything and every time at the same moment. Sometimes if we

don't understand why something is unfair, maybe we should try to understand that it is for God to know, not us, since God is beyond our understanding.

After this, Bryan asked how a Christian should handle "life is not fair." He said we should rejoice in anything that happens to us because it is from God, and there is His purpose for it. The only thing we need to do is remain faithful. Also, he pointed out that God died for us, and it was not fair for a perfect God to die for our sins. For as long we are still living on earth, things are going to be unfair and our job, as Christians, is to stay faithful and glorify God.



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How to Live a Life Significant by Sally Arai

On Thursday, April 13th, Elijah Lenihan shared his senior chapel with the students at LCHS. His chapel topic was “living a life significant.” He started off by telling a story about one boy. Ever since he was a little kid, he wanted something different. His family was never wealthy, so he started working and kept reading books. When he got to high school, he started learning about economics and finances. Later, he attended college and took a degree in business, and got a job. Even though everybody else thought that he wouldn't be successful when he was little, he became a success. One day, the doctor found out that he had cancer. He estimated that he only had a few months to live. Why is this happening to his life? He would've done even more things in his life and still had memories to make. This is not the life everyone would want to live. Elijah then went on to speak about how it is important to live a life for Jesus Christ, which is the biggest purpose in our life. People are not satisfied with anything else but Jesus Christ. It is the only way that you can be



satisfied. Matthew 16:24-26 “Then Jesus said to My disciples, whoever wants to be My disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross and follow Me. For whoever wants to save their life will lose it, but whoever loses their life for me will find it. What good will it be for someone to gain the whole world yet forfeit their soul? Or what can anyone give in exchange for their soul?” This verse is powerful because even though you have all power and money, you will fail if you don't have Christ in your heart. Having success is one of the biggest parts of life, such as loving a spouse and getting a nice car and house, but if those are the only reasons you are living for, you are living for the wrong reasons. Elijah gave us five steps to remember to live for Jesus Christ. The first one is to build a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. The second one is to serve others with humanity and compassion. The third one is to live a life with integrity and authenticity. The fourth one is to share the good news of Jesus Christ with others. Finally, the last one, which is the most important, is to trust in God's plan in your life.

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meant for her. She has learned a lot about Christianity since she started here. She started to read the Bible in English but then Pastor Frank gave her a Japanese Bible. Mana has been reading the Bible regularly, and her goal is to read the entire Bible in a year. She is trying to figure out Christianity, and she enjoys being in Lustre because she has met a lot of incredible people.



Before coming here, she did not know what Sin-Nature was but now she does. She is not in a hurry to become a Christian, but she is moving forward. Some Bible verses that motivate her to read the Bible are Psalms 86:11, Proverbs 1:5, and Proverbs 2:2.

National Honor Society by Alexander Chen

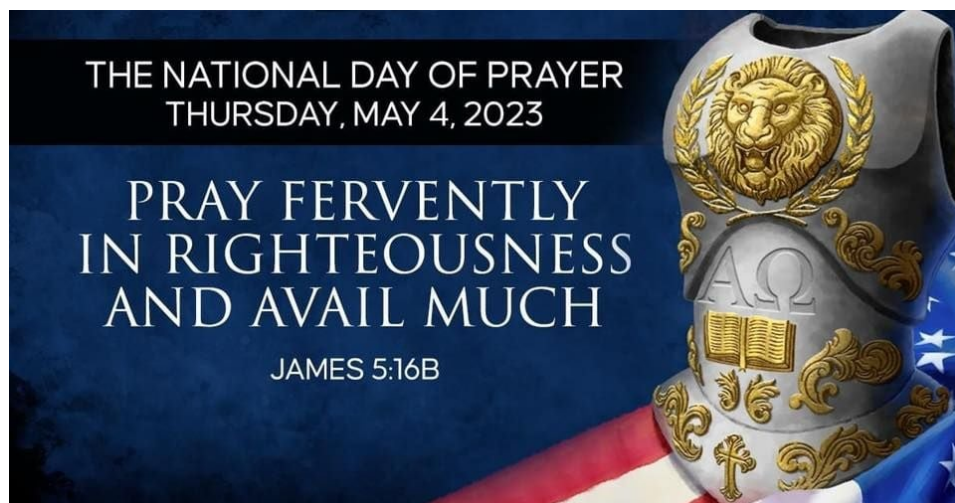
On March 26th, 2023, Sunday afternoon, we had ten students that were selected to be a part of the LCHS National Honor Society. Becoming a part of the NHS is very hard. You need to be approved by all the teachers that agree that you have met all four pillars, which include scholarship, service, leadership, and character. These students are Alexander Chen, Bryan Chen, Gabe Alves, Mana Okamoto, and Elijah Lenihan from the senior class; Grace Brown, Alexa Reddig, Sarah Dahl, Cassidy Griderand Naveen Pilar from the junior class.

To kick off the event, Cayden Klatt, as the only member of the National Honor Society, lit the gold candle, which represents the torch of the honor society. After that, Gabe Alves lit up the red candle representing the scholarship, and Cayden Klatt explained what scholarship meant, according to the



NHS; Mana Okamoto lit up the blue candle representing service, and Alexander Chen explained what service meant; Alexa Reddig lit up the green candle representing leadership and Bryan Chen read the about it. Finally, Sarah Dahl lit up the white candle representing the character, and Elijah Lenihan read about character. All the inductees received their National Honor Society certificate and signed their names

on the book to officially become a member of the LCHS chapter of the NHS. After we got the certificate, Pastor Frank Lenihan prayed for us and blessed the food. So, whenever you see our new members of the NHS, please stop and congratulate them.

* The article has been published again as one of the students names was missing in the previous article. A special mention to Cassidy Grider.



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Thank you for all you did to make Schmeckfest 2023 a success! Your hours spent baking, serving, planning, and crafting are a blessing to LCHS. As a community, we were able to raise over a \$100,000 for the school. Praise the Lord for His goodness!

**Curt & Lisa Neufeld, Bill & Trisha Reddig, Bob & Yvonne Brown,
Brant & Lynn Unrau**

LCHS Dorm

The LCHS dorm has 2 fundraising events coming up

Garage Sale

The Dorm is hosting a garage sale on April 25 and 26 from 6-9 p.m.

The second night will be a bag sale!! -Anything you can stuff into a bag for \$5.

If you would like to donate items, that would be great.

If you would like to put something in the sale, to sell for yourself - Please label the item with your name and price you are asking.

Also, contact Deb 810-688-8762

See you there!

Mother's Day Package

Get your Pictures taken for Mother's Day.

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LCHS Calendar

27 April	Scobey Froshmore / Wolf Point
28 April	Lambert Invite
29 April	Saco - Whitewater Invite / Glasgow
2 May	Top 10 / Glasgow
3 May	Spring Concert - 7 pm - EMB Church
4 May	Whitewater Invite / Whitewater
5 - 6 May	State Solo & Ensemble Festival
6 May	Gene Nelson Invite / Wolf Point
6 May	Jr./Sr. Banquet - 6 pm



23 April	Brown, Hannah
2 May	Cayden Klatt
13 May	Angie Fontus
26 May	Ife Aniobi
31 May	Hannah Marasco
31 May	Courtney Teichroew



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**Lunch Menu
& Activities:**

APRIL:

- 5 - Early Dismissal - 2:30 pm
- 6 - Wibaux Invite / Glendive
- 6-10 - Easter / Spring Break
- 11 - StuCo Meeting - 7:45 pm
- 14-15 - District Music Festival (Poplar)
- 15 - Scobey Invite/ Wolf Point
- 20 - One Real Day (Spiritual Emphasis)
- 20-21 - LCHS Musical / Dinner Theatre
- 22 - Sidney Invite / Sidney
- 27 - Scobey Froshmore / Wolf Point
- 29 - Saco-Whitewater Invite / Glasgow



April 2023

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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2	3 Chicken Nuggets	4 Tacos	5 Hamburgers	6	7 Easter / Spring Break	8
9	10 Easter / Spring Break 	11 Walking Tacos	12 Hamburger Gravy & Mashed Potatoes	13 Enchilada Casserole	14 Meatball Subs	15
16	17 Chicken Burgers	18 Tacos	19 Chili Cheese Fries	20 Breakfast	21 Pizza Casserole	22
23	24 Chicken Alfredo	25 Nachos	26 Biscuits & Gravy	27 Chicken Strips	28 Pizza Burgers	29
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