

Lansing School District News



SUPPORT STAFF - Every general knows that an army marches on its belly. That's why High School Principal Bill Rankin and District Business Manager Tom Jones pitched right in to help the Student Exchange International Night chicken barbecue. The April 15 event, sponsored by the Lansing Faculty Association, the Lansing Lions and the Ithaca Cayuga Rotary, brought dining solace to late tax filers and filled the coffers to help finance future international student exchanges.

Lansing High School Honor Roll

Grade 9 - Receiving High Honor Roll recognition are: Baker Samuel, Burke Jesse, Burris Ryan, Connors Brad, Darfler Ben, Davidson Brett, Deans Meghan, Ducharme Richard, Frahm Benjamin, George Robert, Keating Sarah, Lucas Christopher, Morse Stephanie, Schmidt Scott, Schuttenberg Kyle, Searles Michelle, Shipos Brian, Slutty Stephen, Smith Jonathan, Smithers Heather and Zabriskie Charles.

Ninth grade Honor Roll recipients are: Bong Leda, Buck Molly, Cook Danielle, Cornelius Mark, Grooms Sheli, Grover Miles, Howe Tiffany, Howells Trevor, Jones Christan, Kaminsky Jay, Kemple Katie, Koltko Sonya, Komiak Zachery, Lovely Veronica, Morgan Scott, Rollins Aszur, Saltonstall Courtney and Sill Angela.

Grade 10 High Honor Roll scholars are: Baxter Darcy, Beck Jared, Bishop Libby, Dean Kimberly, Ely-Rubik Jonasz, Farmer Jennifer, Hardie Benjamin, Herter Jaret, Kemple Christie, LaVigne Danielle, Lugiano Jonathan, McLean Taylor, Metzger Thomas, Schuttenberg Kim, Skvarla Michael, Tucker Emily and Withiam Ana. **Tenth grade Honor Roll** students include: Booth Jonathan, Cleveland Emily, Delong Laura,

Fenton Samuel, Howell Jason, Jennings Megan, Kirk Jessica, Larsen Brianne, Little Amber, Losey Bronwyn, Lugiano Justin, Maywright James, McMillen Deanna, Pasto James, Raza Taqui, Sharpsteen Eric, Sirvent Joseph, Sweazey Melanie and VanPelt Kimberly.

Winning Grade 11 High Honor Roll awards are: Cook Laura, Davidson Philip, Hughes Tabitha, Hurt Dana, Jennings Melissa, Lippert Peter, Munson Paul, Raza Saira and Summers Laura.

Juniors noted for Honor Roll achievement are: Adams Michael, Benson Tyson, Cutting Carie, Eastman Cathleen, Frahm Matthew, Huffman David, Kilts Kevin, Okulicz Agata, Skoch Jesse, Slade Sonia, Tee Eric, Whitty Michelle and Wolfe Stephen.

Grade 12 High Honor Roll: Childers Carolyn, Dill Emily, Garrett Adam, Hibbard Lucas and McMillen Allanna.

Honor Roll: Ellis Tina, Espinosa Carlos, Henry Kenneth, Inman Emily, Linderberry Heaven, Linderberry Jacob, Putnam Kyle, Spanish Summer and Turner William.

4 Lansing Students Top BOCES Honor Roll

Kevin Kilts, Steve Wolfe and Michael Joseph earned High Honors for their work at the BOCES Vocational Center. Kilts and Wolfe are in Auto Body I while Joseph is an adult student in Heavy Equipment Technology. All sport averages of 95-100.

Wayne Leonard earned Honors for his studies in Heavy Equipment Technology. He achieved a 90-94 average in his courses and is doing an internship at the Lansing Town Highway garage.



INTENT ON LEARNING - Jeannie and Crystal study in the Middle School library.

Lansing Teachers & Firefighters Tip Off Tuesday, April 29 To Benefit Boosters

Zoning, salary negotiations, sewers, the new town hall and the school board elections are all on the back burner as Lansing holds its breath to learn whether the Volunteer Fire Department or the School District Faculty will be "kings of the hill" after next Tuesday evening's basketball game scheduled for 7:30 pm in the Lansing High School gymnasium.

The match was cooked up in the cold of winter by firemen Jamie Spencer, Scott Hollister and Chris Purcell as a way for the firefighters to thank the community for its support. "We're fit to do fire-fighting," said Purcell. "Running up and down a basketball court; well, I don't know."

The three intrepid smoke-eaters will be joined on the hardwood by teammates Ken Hancharik, Butch Crozier, Chris Burris, Scott Pronti, Dale Oplinger, Todd Mix, Doug Mix, Tom Dorwood, Tom Sill, Mitch George, Brad George and Dave French.

Coach Ed Redmond doesn't take the challenge lightly and has put out an "all points bulletin" to show the spunky firemen who really knows how to dribble.

Redmond's coed team will feature Stuart Dean, Dave Wolf, Steve Buchanan, Robin McColley, Carolyn Connors, Jason Eade, Dennis Eade, Cathy Haight and Hank Neubert. "We've got a Heck of a game plan," said Redmond, but he wouldn't spill the beans.

[Phil Miller and his EMS cronies will have plenty of oxygen on hand for the breathless players and onlookers.]

The toughest job may be that of the refs. Chuck Crandall and Gary Christopher are reportedly spending their spare time boning up on NBA conflict resolution techniques.

Booster Club President Linda Drew and her merry-makers are delighted. In addition to already getting the firemen's donation, the Boosters will keep all admission and refreshment sales proceeds. In the past, the Booster Club has purchased tee-shirts, hats, red clay for the baseball field, an ice machine and basketball warm-up suits for the boys and girls.

To spice things up, the firefighters' cheerleading squad will be led by Jake (the famous dalmation who also writes a column in your favorite newspaper). If treated with adequate respect, Jake may deign to give a live fire safety personal protection demonstration.

Youngsters will also cheer Lansing's robot fire dog demonstration. If you haven't seen this mechanical marvel teach kids about fire prevention, it's worth the trip.

So come on out to join in the fun. Give your family an inexpensive night out; support the Booster Club; and build a better Lansing. Admission is only \$2 for adults and \$1.50 for students. Be there!

AN EXCERPTED TABLE FROM THE FEBRUARY, 1997

A Report to the Governor & Legislature

On The Educational Status of the State's Schools

	LANSING			TOMPKINS CITY			NYS RURAL			NYS TOTAL		
	9394	9495	9596	9394	9495	9596	9394	9495	9596	9394	9495	9596
% Attendance Rate	95.7	96.0	95.8	95.1	94.8	94.4	94.9	94.9	NA	90.9	91.4	NA
% Regents Diploma	44.8	47.5	53.2	45.0	55.2	51.9	41.0	45.0	45.0	40.0	40.0	40.0
% In College*	86.4	81.8	82.3	78.0	85.0	82.3	70.0	70.0	71.0	80.0	81.0	81.0
Pup/Teacher Ratio	11.0	12.0	12.0	13.3	13.0	13.0	13.6	13.5	13.5	14.3	14.3	14.4
% Teacher Turnover	6	2	12	7	9	9	7	7	8	8	8	9
% Teachers with Perm Certification	89	89	83	80.3	81	78	83	83	82	78	77	77
Median Yrs Exp**	17.0	18.0	16.0	15.2	16.0	16.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	16.0
% MA+30 ***	35.0	34.0	33.0	16.2	18.0	18.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	31.0	31.0	32.0
SK Median Salary **	42.4	43.8	42.2	NA	38.6	39.6	38.6	39.4	41.0	45.8	47.6	48.1
% Budget Instruction	75	75	76	73	75	74	73	73	72	75	76	76
% Budget Admin	2	2	2	2.3	2	2	3	3	2	2	2	2
SK Per Pupil	8.5	9.4	9.7	7.7	8.3	8.7	7.5	8.0	8.4	8.5	8.9	9.2

* = previous year's stats. ** = Median is midpoint, not average *** = Masters degree + 30 credits or PhD

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93 Chevy S-10 Pickup 2.8 liter V-6, 5 speed, 31K, 2-tone blue and silver.....	\$7,995
92 Chevy Silverado 1/2 ton 350 V-8, loaded, maroon & silver, 46K miles.....	\$11,995
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