

# **CONGRATULATIONS CLASS OF 2024!**

Congratulations to the nearly 1,000 graduates of Churchill, Franklin, and Stevenson high schools! This year, 214 students graduated Summa Cum Laude (3.95 GPA and above); 101 graduated Magna Cum Laude (3.75-3.94 GPA); and 104 graduated Cum Laude (3.5-3.74 GPA).

A large section of this edition of the Dialog is dedicated to the Class of 2024. We hope you enjoy reading about just a few of our many talented and accomplished students.

Class of 2024, you are Livonia Pride!

# FROM SUPERINTENDENT ANDREA OQUIST

Dear LPS Community,

Another school year draws to a close, and what a journey it has been! As we wrap up a year filled with electrifying events, memorable performances, and triumphant moments in the classrooms, on the stage and the field, the energy in our schools is palpable. Livonia Public Schools has once again proven itself to be a hub of activity, growth, and achievement.

In this edition of the Dialog, our spotlight shines brightly on our graduating seniors – the Class of 2024. Join us as we celebrate their accomplishments, their potential, and the bright futures that await them beyond our halls.

As I watched the Class of 2024 cross the graduation stage, I couldn't help but feel a tremendous sense of pride. Behind every confident step lies years of dedication from our exceptional staff, who have equipped our graduates with not just academic prowess, but with the character and values essential for success in any endeavor. Thank you to our LPS parents for entrusting your children to us for their educational journey.

Cast your mind back to 2016-2017, when our current graduates were just starting their journey into upper elementary school. It was then that we embarked on our Community with Character initiative – a bold endeavor to instill in our students the values that define not just good students, but good humans. **CONTINUED ON PAGE 3** 

# **SUMMER REGISTRATION**

### **For New Families**

New families can begin the registration process at www.livoniapublicschools.org/registration.

If you have any questions, please email registration@livoniapublicschools.org.

Not sure which school your child will attend? Go to the link https://webapps.resa.net/sa/ and type in your street address to locate your school!

### **ONLINE REGISTRATION AT A GLANCE**

- Visit www.livoniapublicschools.org/registration to begin the registration process as early as possible.
- Complete the registration forms online, and upload all the required documents. If you are unable to load your documents, you will be required to present them in person.
- After you submit your form, you will be prompted to schedule an appointment to visit and present
- identification to confirm your registration.
- If you do not have access to a computer, paper
- packets will be available for you to complete in our office. Appointments are required.

You must provide identification in person to complete the registration process.

#### • • • • • • • • • • • • **Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP)**

Michigan's Nationally Recognized Pre-K Program GSRP is a high quality, no cost, state-funded preschool • program for children who are 4 years old by September 1. • The program runs four full days per week from September • to June, but registrations are accepted year-round. Please visit www.livoniapublicschools.org/GSRP to register. If you have any questions, please call 734-744-2715, ext. 17990.

### **Specialized Early Childhood Programs**

Contact Patty Kozlowski at 734-744-2813, ext. 22902

- Early On developmental screenings for infants and toddlers from birth to 36 months; to request an early-on screening, call 1-800-EarlyOn.
- Preschool programs for children ages 2.8 to 5 years with special needs.
- Early childhood programs for students with speech

#### Young Fives Kindergarten

A full-day program that offers children who will turn age five between July 1st and December 1st the chance to develop school readiness skills. Young Fives Kindergarten • bridges the gaps between Pre-K and Kindergarten to help ensure that children are developmentally ready across all domains and not just the traditional school readiness skills. Visit www.livoniapublicschools.org/youngfives for more • information on the program. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .

# K-6 STUDENTS

Centralized Registration will be offered for K-6 students during the summer months in the front lobby of Central Office (15125 Farmington Rd.). The office is available for scheduled appointments only.

**Summer Registration Information** July through September Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**Beginning September 9, all registrations will** be completed through your child's school.

# 7-12 STUDENTS

Summer registration for students in grades 7-12 will be facilitated through the assigned school, beginning July 10. Please call the school directly to make a registration appointment.

**STARTING JULY 10:** Monday-Thursday, 8:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. **CLOSED FRIDAYS** 

**Emerson Middle School** 734-744-2665 ext. 36102

Frost Middle School 734-744-2670 ext. 37103

Holmes Middle School 734-744-2675 ext. 38902

**Churchill High School** 734-744-2650 ext. 46913

Franklin High School 734-744-2655 ext. 47913

Stevenson High School 734-744-2660 ext. 48913

# SCHOOL TOURS FOR NEW FAMILIES

School tours for families new to the district will be offered at all K-4 schools. Tours will be held on the following date:

Thursday, August 15 At 10 a.m. & 4 p.m.

No reservations are required. Please attend the tour at your child's assigned school.



# FROM SUPERINTENDENT ANDREA OQUIST

### **CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1**

Today, these values are woven into the very fabric of our school culture. The eight character traits of Respect, Empathy, Grit, Mindfulness, Responsibility, Integrity, Confidence, and Reflection are universal in the world and particularly attractive to future employers. Through these traits, we emphasize the overarching importance of Respectful Interactions with others. Our students are encouraged and taught to embody these traits in every aspect of their lives, both within our walls and out in the wider world.



During a recent visit to a lower elementary school, students confidently referenced these characteristics while leading guests on a tour through their school. "This is our Character Trait for the month – Integrity..." one fourth-grader proudly announced while pointing to a large bulletin board filled with students' artistic and creative interpretations of the trait. A proud moment for this superintendent, to be sure! To see students confidently articulating the principles of Integrity, to witness their creativity on display as they explored these concepts was a testament to the transformative power of education.

This school year, we have intertwined our focus to incorporate our long-standing work on Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Belonging (DEIB) with our Community with Character efforts, to ensure every student feels a sense of belonging in our schools. This is embedded in our school culture here in LPS. We are a family – and every student and staff member should feel this sense of belonging as they navigate every day in Livonia Public Schools.

So, as I reflect upon the 2023-2024 school year, and on the 1,000 or so graduates in the Class of 2024, I hope that these tenets of being "a good human" will carry with each and every student after they leave LPS. My wish is that they shine their positive light on the world around them and proudly know that this village we call LPS has instilled the tools they need to venture out into the world and truly make a difference.

With gratitude and anticipation for the bright futures ahead,

Andrea Oquist

Superintendent



# **DIALOG**



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# **SPORTS HIGHLIGHTS**

**Girls Cross Country Individual State Qualifier** 

**Boys Cross Country** 

All State Athlete

City Champs **Division Champs** Team State Qualifier All State Athlete

**Girls Golf** 

**Division Champs** 

**Boys Tennis** 

Division Champs Regional Coach of the Year

**Girls Swim & Dive** 

**Individual State Qualifier** All State Div. 1 Qualifier

Football

State Tournament Qualifier

**Girls Bowling** Individual State Qualifier

**Boys Bowling** 

**Patricio Lewis** 

Air Force

City Champs Division Champs Regional Champs Individual State Qualifier Team State Qualifier

**Gymnastics** 

**Individual State Qualifier** 

**Hockey** 

Academic All State

**Boys Swim & Dive** 

Individual State Qualifiers Regional Coach of the Year

**Boys Wrestling** State Qualifier

**Boys Track** 

City Champs **Division Champs** Individual State Qualifiers All State Athlete

**Girls Track** 

City Champs **Division Champs Individual State Qualifiers** All State Athlete

**Baseball** 

STUDENTS ENTERING THE MILITARY

**Division Champs** District Champs

National Merit Winner Jaden Reji

Sophia Amann

MHSAA Scholar Athlete



"Thank you LPS for the last 13 years. Livonia has given me so many valuable opportunities to grow as a student and as a person. The Churchill staff has been incredibly supportive and have gone out of their way to ensure I succeed. I cannot thank LPS and Churchill enough for getting me to where I am and setting me up for success in the future"

-Lillian Ulmer



"I am extremely grateful and proud to call myself a LPS student. My 11 years in the district have been filled with amazing memories and people that I'll never forget. I am incredibly thankful for the teachers and staff who have pushed me as a person and leader. Their kindness and dedication to each student makes LPS a great place to learn and grow. Through unique academic and arts programs, career preparation opportunities, and amazing athletics, Livonia truly offers every type of student the chance to shine. Thank you, LPS, for supplying me and many others with the tools for a bright future."

-Julia Griese

# **HONORS & HIGHLIGHTS**

**WXYZ** Brightest and Best Samantha Sullivan

James P. Carli Memorial Scholarship Mahi Garg

**National Merit Finalists** Milan Charlakolu **Malhar Khisty Arvan Patel** Jaden Reji **Benjamin Schuessler** 

Scholarship Recipient Jaden Reji



FRANKLIN HIGH SCHOOL

### **SPORTS HIGHLIGHTS**

**Girls Cross Country** City Champs KLAA East Champs

**Football** 

City Champs

**Pompon** High Kick State Champs Mid-American Div. 1 State Champs

**Boys Basketball** City Champs

Wrestling City Champs 2-Time All-State Champ

**Girls Bowling** 

City Champs **KLAA East Division Champs** KLAA Conference Champs MHSAA Regional Champs

**Girls Track** Multiple State Qualifiers

Softball District Champs



"I have been a part of LPS from kindergarten through my senior year. No district can compare to the amount of support and opportunities given by the staff and faculty throughout all of the schools. Students are provided with ways to be involved, stay connected, and make the most of life while also being shown how important education is. I am forever grateful to have been able to be a part of this incredible school district.

-Madeline Shiner



"Livonia Public Schools makes sure that their kids have long lasting and fun memories while providing them with a safe and comfortable learning environment. On top of that, LPS offers endless opportunities that will ensure kids are having fun and being successful while attending school. I have enjoyed my time, and will miss all the great memories and friends that I made along the way.

-Jon Jasionowski

# **HONORS & HIGHLIGHTS**

WXYZ Brightest and Best **Katie Thiele** 

James P. Carli Memorial Scholarship **Trevor Nichols** 

LEA Scholarship **Emerson Nordbeck** 

PTSA Service Scholarship **Madeline Shiner** 

FHS Congress Leadership Scholarship **Lily Poisson** 

Franklin M.A.D.E. Award **Gino DiPonio** 

Fraklin Key Award Winners Joseph Schoch **Paige Egner** Lily Poisson **Trevor Nichols** 

Wayne Kelbert Memorial Scholarship **Gino DiPonio** 

Angela Hillman Memorial Scholarship **Abigail Adams** 

Edward J. White Scholarship **Chloe Kemp Anna Williams** 

Patriot Family Scholarship Joseph Schoch

# **STUDENTS ENTERING** THE MILITARY

**Christian AmOrde** Army

Phillip Clark Jr. Air National Guard

**Jhon Salazar** Marines

**Victor Villalobos** Navy

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# STEVENSON HIGH SCHOOL

# **CLASS OF 2024**



### **SPORTS HIGHLIGHTS**

**Girls Swim & Dive** 

City Champs KLAA East Division Champs

**Girls Volleyball** 

City Champs KLAA East Division Champs

**Girls Golf** 

City Tournament Champs

**Boys Soccer** 

City Champs KLAA East Division Champs

**Girls Gymnastics** 

City Champs

**Girls Basketball** City Champs

Hockey

City Champs MHSAA Regional Champs

**Boys Swim & Dive** 

City Champs **KLAA East Divison Champs**  **Competitive Cheer** 

City Champs KLAA East Division Champs

**Pompon** 

MHSAA Div. 1 State Qualifier

**Boys Baseball** 

City Champs

**Girls Soccer** 

City Champs **KLAA East Division Champs** KLAA Conference Champs

Softball

City Champs KLAA East Division Champs

**Girls Tennis** 

City Champs **KLAA East Division Champs** MHSAA Division 1 State Qualifier

**Boys Golf** 

City Champs City Tournament Champs **KLAA East Division Champs** 

STUDENTS ENTERING THE MILITARY

Szymon Wasztyl

**United States Naval Academy** 

Cara Bishop

NROTC



"At Stevenson I can say that I have grown the most. at Stevenson I have been I was able to evolve as a student, leader, athlete, and classroom, which can be person because of the environment and opportunities that met me at the doors of Stevenson High School. I am proud to have been affected by and contributed to the culture of being a Spartan, Formsma award."

-Marissa Rushlow, Jay W. **Formsma Award recipient** 



"Throughout my four years successful in and out of the attributed to my incredible educators and peers that inspired and supported me on my journey. I am fortunate to be a part of this amazing community and to help build it into what it is today. I am honored to and honored to receive the receive the Formsma award and I will forever look fondly upon my time as a Spartan."

> -Szymon Wasztyl, Jay W. **Formsma Award recipient**

### **HONORS & HIGHLIGHTS**

WXYZ Brightest and Best **Brynlee Hass** 

James P. Carli Memorial Scholarship **Abraham Jaafar** 

Jay W. Formsma Award **Marissa Rushlow** Szymon Wasztyl

Gabe Award **Riley Adams Kyle Kless** 

**Bob Massey Award Halle Hunter Michael Nowell** 

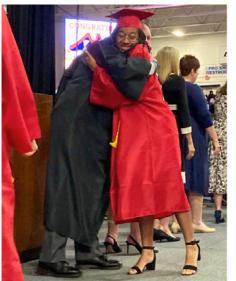
James F. Brieske Award Layla Krayem **John Toth** 

LEA Scholarship **Faith Monroe** 

MEA Scholarship **Michael Nowell** 









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# PROGRAM RECOGNITIONS

### MATH/SCIENCE/COMPUTER (MSC) **PROGRAM GRADUATES**



The Livonia Math/Science/Computer (MSC) Program was founded in 1984 and is housed at Churchill High School. MSC is celebrating the conclusion of its 40th year. MSC graduates have completed a minimum of 23 semesters of coursework in mathematics, science, and computer science. The foundation of the MSC curriculum is the College Board Advanced Placement exams. Students apply for the MSC program during the fall of their 8th grade year, and selection is based on academic test scores, student essays, and teacher recommendations. The MSC program is open to students from all three LPS high school attendance areas. This year's MSC graduates were collectively awarded \$6.5 million in scholarships.

### MSC CLASS OF 2024

- Sophia Amann
- Morgan Brown
- Milan Charlakolu Benjamin Dalton
- Dimitri Dudek
- Pablo Foster
- Morgan Fraley
- Mahi Garq

- Anirudh Iver

- Sanjula Karunaraj Jacob Koziel
- Pradham Kuchipudi
   Laya Satish
- Nathan Lithgow
- River Lucier
- Miles Lueck
- Purva Mhatre
- Samuel Moore
- Wesley Himelhoch Ethan Newberry
  - Christopher Ohtake Ben Zurawski

### **CREATIVE & PERFORMING ARTS PROGRAM (CAPA)**



The CAPA program builds the skills, passion, creativity, and supportive artistic community that performers need in order to continue their formal education in the creative arts. CAPA provides a safe, imaginative, and caring place for young people to land and learn. The program includes intense studies in the areas of acting, dance, and vocal music. For any questions, or to set up an audition for the program, please email gwiklans@livoniapublicschools.org.

### CAPA PROGRAM AWARD OF **EXCELLENCE RECIPIENTS 2024**

Callum Johnston - Excellence in Acting Alex Cyncewicz- Excellence in Dance Brandon White - Excellence in Vocal

# CAREER TECHNICAL CENTER TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION AWARDS

Aryan Patel

Jaden Reii

Nickolas Shahin

Elizabeth Sullivan

Samantha Sullivan

Atticus Townley

Emma Vucelic

Benjamin Schuessler

The Livonia Career Technical Center offers career and technical training in all of the career pathways established by the Michigan Department of Career Development. LCTC honorees were selected based on their academic achievement in their LCTC program; their responsibility as it relates to attendance and completing all assignments with exceptional ability; their leadership skills as they relate to working with peers; and their interest in pursuing a career in the field they have selected. The following students were honored in the 2023-24 school year:

### **STEVENSON**

Skylar Szimanski Criminal Justice & **Advanced Sports Medicine** 

**Riley Long** Fashion Merchandising II

**Marissa Rushlow** Criminal Justice

Mia Shaw Advanced Medicine

### **FRANKLIN**

**Charlotte Adkins** Advanced Graphic Design

**Madison Irey-Aniol** Advanced Medicine

Lilliana Alcala **Advanced Sports Medicine** 

**Aubree Allie** Hospitality Management

# **CHURCHILL Cole Booth** Game Design & Animation/Web Design

**Zachary Reid** Engineering Design II

**Jaylen Knight** Game Design





# **NEW LPS EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER -**'A WORLD OF EXPLORATION'

A joyful and engaging place for young children to learn and grow. That's the idea and the dream behind the Livonia Early Childhood Center.

Rising from the 55-year-old former Dickinson school site on Newburgh, north of Six Mile, the ECC will open this fall as an all inclusive, state-of-the-art facility that will house early childhood programs including childcare and preschool as well as multiple special education programs for preschool-aged children.

"Every element of the design is child- and family-focused," said Superintendent Andrea Oquist. "From the 'mud room' areas at each entry, designed for ease of families during arrival and pickup, to the demonstration kitchen where children can develop their culinary curiosities, the new ECC will be a beautiful world of exploration for our youngest learners."

The 72,000-square-foot facility, designed by TMP Architects, has 28 classrooms for instruction, a library area, large motor skills area, a demonstration kitchen, mud rooms with cubbies and benches, built-in visual and sensory features throughout the building, four entry points, conference spaces for parents and staff meetings and, of course, outdoor play areas.

"This is a vision that our district has had for quite some time," said Oquist. "To see it come to fruition is just amazing and truly exciting for us. We know that this is a significant investment in our community, our school district and most of all, the children we serve."

The ECC is made possible through the 2021 bond issue that was approved by voters in May 2021. It is the first new-build in Livonia Public Schools in more than five decades.

As a "thank you" to the community, we invite residents to come and explore the new center during a Community Open House on Monday, July 15 between the hours of 10 - 11:30 a.m. or 5 - 6:30 p.m. Self-quided tours between these open house times.

Current programming housed at the Jackson Early Childhood Center will move to the new facility and the district will maintain the Jackson Center for other purposes.









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# **SERVING THE COMMUNITY**

# Taking the Polar Plunge!



Franklin High School's Transition Program raised \$800 for Special Olympics by holding a "Polar Plunge" on a recent chilly day!

### SHS Hosts Fleece & Thank You



This year's Stevenson High School Fleece & Thank You event was once again a huge success! Girl Scouts and other groups made 140 fleece blankets for children who are in hospitals around

# Holiday Charity





Churchill High School's annual canned food drive for the Livonia Goodfellows was again a huge success... CHS crushed its goals by 7,000 cans of food! Way to go!

### Principal on a Mission!



ifetouch in Guatemala! He was able to help build a schoolhouse and also take student. portraits for the children of the area. Awesome work!

# A BIG THANKS TO OUR BOARD OF EDUCATION

Livonia Public Schools Board of Education is one of few in the State of Michigan to be named an Honor Board – meaning that all seven members are certified through the Michigan Association of School Boards. Our Board has received this high distinction for several years in a row. This is indicative of their willingness to go far above and beyond in their own professional learning and development as Board members.

Beyond being certified, our board members have continued their education and training through the MASB to achieve the following designations, based on the level of course work they have completed:

Board President Karen Bradford and Trustee Tammy Bonifield have achieved the level of Master Board Member. Board Vice President Mark Johnson and Board Trustee Colleen Burton have achieved the level of Master Diamond Board Member status, while Board Trustee Crystal Frank has earned the Award of Merit; and Secretary Madeline Acosta and Trustee Liz Jarvis have earned the Award of Distinction. Mrs. Jarvis also earned the Data Skills Specialty Award.

The result of their dedication to continuing these certification levels is school district oversight which focuses on strong fiscal stewardship, high expectations for student achievement and a deep commitment to the safety and well being of our students and staff.

We would like to thank each of our Board members for their truly dedicated volunteer service to our students, staff, and the community!







# **MORE CONGRATULATIONS**

### **LIVONIA TRANSITION PROGRAM**

Congratulations to the students who received their Certificate of Completion from the Livonia Transition Program! The following students wrapped up their LTP experience at their listed community business or organization. We thank all of our community partners!

- Dylan Brandt Embassy Suites
- Michael Chuey Cedarbrook Senior Living
- Brian Gilbert Cantoro Italian Market
- Kaylie Johnson Trinity Health
- Rolando Kennedy Embassy Suites
- Vasilios Billy Kuffner Cantoro Italian Market
- Gavin La Forest MOD Pizza
- Joseph Rays Cantoro Italian Market
- Phillip Sewell Embassy Suites
- Allissa Werk Livonia Civic Library
- James Wilson III Brookdale Senior Living



### FRANKLIN TRANSITION PROGRAM

Congratulations to the students who received their Certificate of Completion from the Franklin Transition Program!

We wish you all the best!

- Jane Gordon
- Kevin Haynes
- Joshua Lenze
- Hannah Owens
- Alexis Polk
- Kaylee Stillwagon





### **GARFIELD SKILL CENTER**

Congratulations to the following students who have achieved their Certificate of Completion from the Western Wayne Skill Center at Garfield Community School! We are so proud of you!

- Yazan Al-Dasougi
- Bryan Amin
- Dallys Anderzak
- **Kylee Aurand**
- Shannon Babcock
- Alexandrea Barnes
- Ruben Carrillo
- Christopher de Lorme

- Zoe Farr
- Romon Johnson
- Darrion Lyas
- Margret Serda
- Mario Silvestri
- **London Ussery**
- Dorian Valley



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# MORE THAN 1,000 STUDENTS MADE A DIFFERENCE!

There's nothing quite like seeing young students reach into their big hearts to help others in need.

The annual Livonia PTSA Council's Youth Making a Difference program enables hundreds of LPS students to do just that! This year, more than 1,000 students, on their own time, committed to a project that would help others -- whether it was raising funds for a local charity, making soft blankets for children who are in the hospital, or simply creating homemade greeting cards for local senior citizens. All of the projects were amazing and impactful throughout our community!

A big Thank You to the PTSA Council, for keeping this tradition alive and well in Livonia Public Schools!







# STUDENT & STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS

### Music Educator of the Year!



Congrats to Eric Bottorff, our Music Content Area Leader and Music Teacher at Randolph Elementary!

Eric has been honored as the 2023 Michigan Music Teacher of the Year by the Michigan Music Education Association (MMEA).

This prestigious award, a result of ominations from his peers and a unanimous ecision by the award committee, celebrates Eric's unwavering commitment to his students and community.

### Exceptional Educator Award!



Congrats to Mrs. Wehner, who is the Elementary Support Teacher at Randolph Elementary for being named an Exceptional Educator by WXYZ-TV Channel 7! She was awarded \$1,000 for the school and a

Happy's Pizza gift card!

### FCS Teacher of the Year!



Congrats to Stevenson High School Family & Consumer Sciences Teacher Martha Ware for being named Michigan Family & Consumer Sciences Teacher of the Year! Ms. Ware has been involved with the Michigan Family and Consumer Sciences (MIFCS) organization since 1999 and has over 20 years of classroom experience She was cited for her many contributions to the industry and for serving as a mentor for her fellow educators.

# CHS Game Ball ...



LPS Bus Driver Cheryl Caskey showed her bravery and skills while safely transporting the Churchill High School football team during a severe thunderstorm, flash flooding and a tornado watch.

To show appreciation, the team gave Cheryl the "game ball" from that evening's game!

# LPS Student on GMA!



Congratulations to Stevenson High School and LCTC senior Zionne McAdory, who is a member of the Detroit Youth Choir and had the opportunity to perform on "Good Morning America!" Way to go, Zionne!

# Outstanding Support!





Congratulations to Jacob, a student in the Livonia Transition Program, for receiving the Outstanding Support Team Member Award from St. Mary's Hospital! Way to go, Jacob!

# Celebrating Excellence!

to Churchill High
School senior
Mahi Garg on
being named
DECA
International
Champion in the
category of
Automotive
Services
Marketing!





Congratulations
to Churchill
High School
senior Jaden Reji
on being named
a Michigan High
School Athletic
Association
(MHSAA)
Scholar Athlete!

### **Animation** Awards!



Congratulations to LCTC's Animation and Design students who placed in the state Top 10 of the Michigan Industrial Technology Education Society for Animation and Gaming Classes. Great job everyone!

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### MEMORY LANE FOR THE CLASS OF 2024





































The mission of the LPS Education Foundation is to enlarge the resources available to the school district, which will foster and expand educational opportunities for programs impacting students by building effective collaborations.



### **STAR AWARDS!**

A great fundraising idea has quickly become a new tradition in Livonia Public Schools! The Star Awards program allows anyone to make a \$25 donation to issue a custom-made Star Award to someone who they appreciate at their school or office. The certificates are personally delivered by Foundation members, and photos are circulated on social media for all to see and share in the appreciation!

It has been so much fun, watching the excitement and feeling the joy that a Star Award can bring to brighten someone's day! The best part? All proceeds go toward the Foundation's Grant Program, so funds go directly to enhance learning in LPS!



We'd love to have you join our team of wonderful volunteers! Please scan QR code or use link below to fill out this short form. https://bit.ly/LPSEFVolunteer



### 2023-2024 FOUNDATION CORPORATE DONORS

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- DFCU Financial
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- French Associates
- Henry Ford Health Systems
- Interior Environments
- Lake Michigan Credit Union
- Larry's Foodland
- Livonia-Westland Chamber of
  - Commerce

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- LPS PTAs/PTSAs
- Lutz Roofing Co. Inc.
- MacFarland and Co. Home Sales
- MacFarland Painting
- McGlinch & Sons
- Miller Johnson
- NTH Consultants
- Perfection Vending
- Plante Moran Realpoint
- Robin M. Persiconi, PC
- Roofing Technology Associates
- Rotary Club of Livonia AM
- Roush Industries
- Scherz Insurance Group
- Sellinger Associates
- Simone Companies
- TMP Architecture
- TIVIF AICHILECTURE
- True Community Credit UnionUnified Building Systems
- Engineering, LLC
- UPS Store #3011
- Urgent Care 365

2ND ANNUAL



Saturday, July 13 Fox Creek, Livonia

SPOTS FILLING FAST - REGISTER NOW!



BUY OR LEASE A VEHICLE AND \$200

**FOUNDATION** 

Feldman Chevrolet of Livonia 734-425-6500

Bring this coupon to Bill Brown Ford or Feldman Chevrole

of Livonia when purchasing or leasing a new or used vehicle. Does not include prior sales. Coupon must be present at time of purchase.

LPS EDUCATION

For more information, call the LPS Education Equipolation.

For more information, call the LPS Education Foundation at 734-744-2510.

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# We have a spot for you!









# JOIN OUR LPS TEAM!

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