

# District Update

## *Livonia Public Schools*

September 23, 2024



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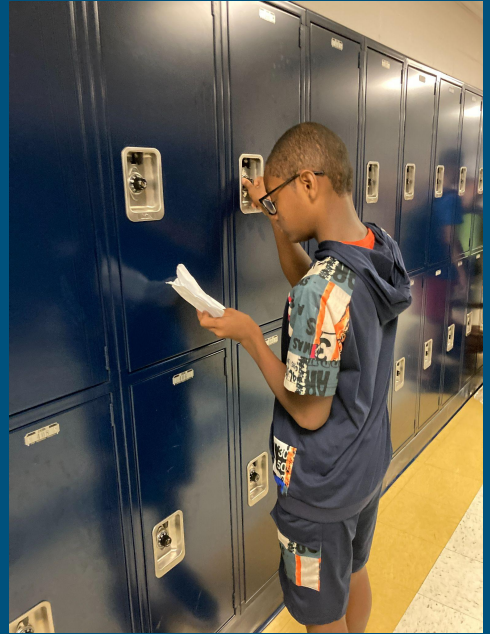
It's hard to believe, this is already our fifth week of the school year! Here are some fun photos from around the district on the BIG DAY!

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**Patriots Relate led freshmen through their first morning of high school at Franklin High School! Great job!**

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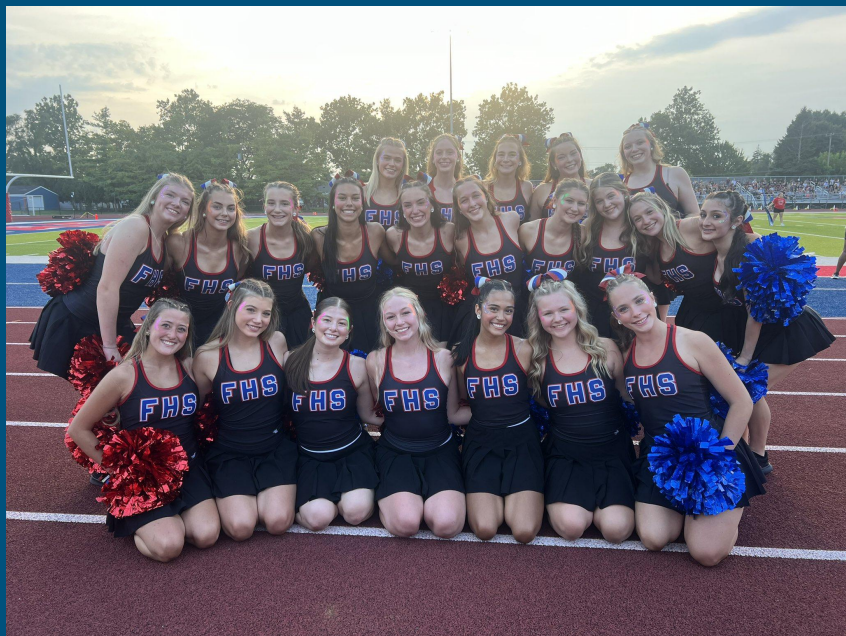
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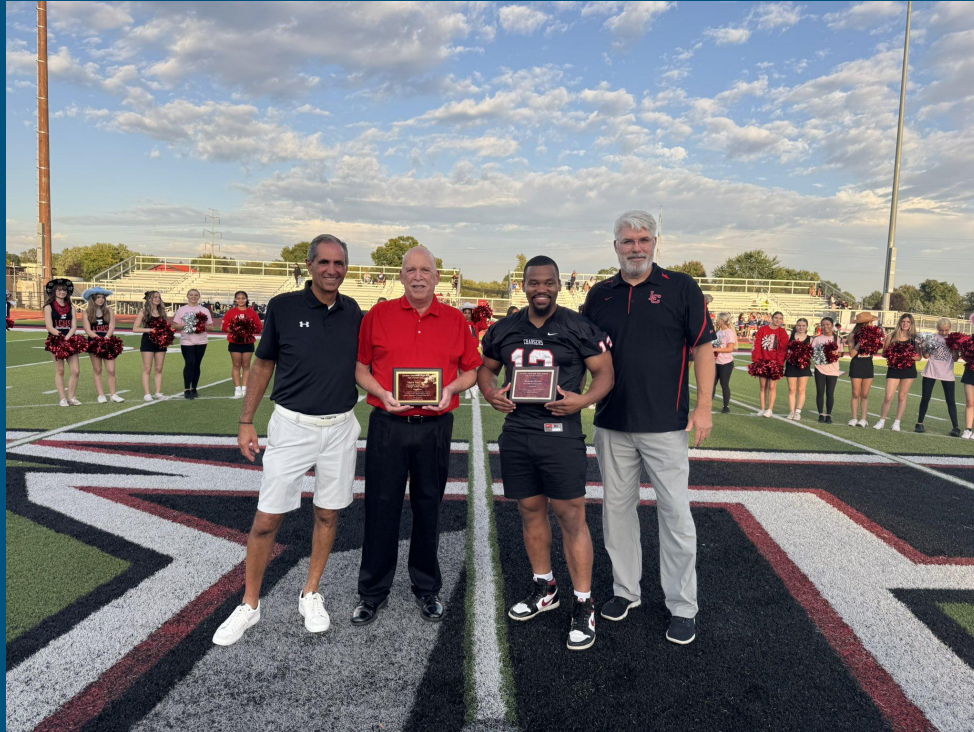


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# CHS Hall of Fame!



**Churchill had the honor of inducting Mark McCusker and Romello Brown into the Churchill Hall of Fame. Congratulations to our athletes for their accomplishments and recognition!**

# SHS Homecoming Floats!



Featuring a “Once Upon a Time” fairytale theme, our Stevenson students built some magical floats to celebrate Homecoming!

# Open Houses!



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# Picture Day!



**Students dressed in their best in preparation for school photos! On the left, spiffy students at Cleveland Elementary and on the right, students take their turn in front of the camera at Coolidge Elementary!**

# Tools for Schools!



**LCTC was treated to a visit from Tools for Schools, a mobile hands-on classroom in which students could learn about various trades and try skilled trades simulations!**

# Career Center!



**Students at the Career Center have had hands-on experiences in various classes like Animation/Web Design, Pre-Med, and Automotive Technology!**



# Connecting with the Community!



# Old-Fashioned Corn Roast



The annual Corn Roast was once again a great event in our community! We were happy to have some LPS representatives as honorary corn roasters!

# Touch a Truck was Roaring!



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**Kudos to the Livonia AM Rotary, President Tammy Bonifield and the Churchill Interact Club for another highly successful community event!**

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# Bentley Marker Dedication



**We were proud to represent LPS at the recent historical marker dedication for Bentley High School, organized by the Livonia Historical Society! A great event to commemorate our first high school in Livonia Public Schools!**

# Greenhouse Community Build Day!



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*With Many Kudos!*



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# Congrats, Coach Phill!



**Congratulations to Stevenson High School Girls Swim Coach Greg Phill on being named National High School Swim Coach of the Year by the National High School Athletic Coaches Association! Way to go!**

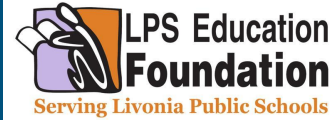
*Mark Your Calendar!*



# Competitive Edge Sign-Up!

It is time to sign your kindergarten student up for the Competitive Edge Savings Program! This is a FREE program offered to families of LPS kindergarten students. The Foundation will designate them as beneficiaries of the Foundation's educational savings account. The Foundation contributes seed money and those funds grow throughout the student's LPS educational career. Upon graduation from an LPS high school, the funds may be used for any accredited post-secondary education or skills training program.

The 2024-25 LPS kindergarten students have until February 1, 2025 to register!



## 2024-25 Kindergarten Parents!

Is your child signed up for the Competitive Edge program yet?  
If not, scan this QR code and register today!



# Cemetery Walk!



**LPS Education  
Foundation**  
Serving Livonia Public Schools

## **Cemetery Walk 2024** **at the Briggs-Union Cemetery**

38840 Six Mile Rd, Livonia 48152

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6**  
**1-5 P.M.**

The tour will feature visits to several historic Livonia residents with commentary offered by volunteer reenactors at selected gravesites.



Scan QR  
code for  
more  
info or to  
sign-up

**Tickets are \$15 per person  
or \$10 per student (pre-pay  
with link in sign-up).**

<https://bit.ly/LPSEFCemeteryWalk>

This event is in partnership with the Livonia Historical Society

Join us in a historic Cemetery Walk hosted by the LPS Education Foundation, partnering with the Livonia Historical Society! The tour will feature reenactors who will tell the stories of historic Livonia residents at their gravesites at the Briggs-Union Cemetery on Six Mile, east of Haggerty.

# FFHS Hall of Fame!

Franklin Athletics will induct their second class into the Franklin Athletics Hall of Fame on Friday, October 4th.

The Hall of Fame Ceremony is scheduled for Halftime!

A poster for the Franklin Athletics Hall of Fame Inductees Fall 2024. The poster is white with a dark blue top and bottom border. On the left side, the word 'FRANKLIN' is written vertically in large, red, serif letters. At the top, 'FRANKLIN ATHLETICS' is written in red and white. Below that, 'HALL OF FAME' is written in large, black, serif letters. A red banner across the middle of 'HALL OF FAME' contains the text 'FRANKLIN ATHLETICS'. Below this, the text reads 'INDUCTEES • FALL 2024'. The inductees are listed as follows:

- 1964 Football Team
- 2009 Girls Basketball Team
- Coach Terry Jobbitt
- Administrator(s) Dan and Jolene Freeman

Below a list of individual inductees:

- Jim Casey • 1976 Grad • Football
- Bob Stebbins • 1983 Grad • Football & Basketball
- Chris Baker • 1979 Grad • Baseball
- Jordan Atienza • 2014 Grad • Wrestling
- Nathan Atienza • 2017 Grad • Wrestling
- Kevin Kaseta • 1974 Grad • Basketball
- Mary Kay McNall • 1982 Grad • Basketball
- Kayla Douglas • 2011 Grad • Swimming
- Tim Olschanski • 1987 Grad • Hockey

At the bottom right, there is a small logo of a bulldog's head wearing a red cap with a white 'F'. To the right of the bulldog logo, the date 'OCT. 4th' is written in white.

#LivoniaPride

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