

District Update

Livonia Public Schools

March 17, 2025

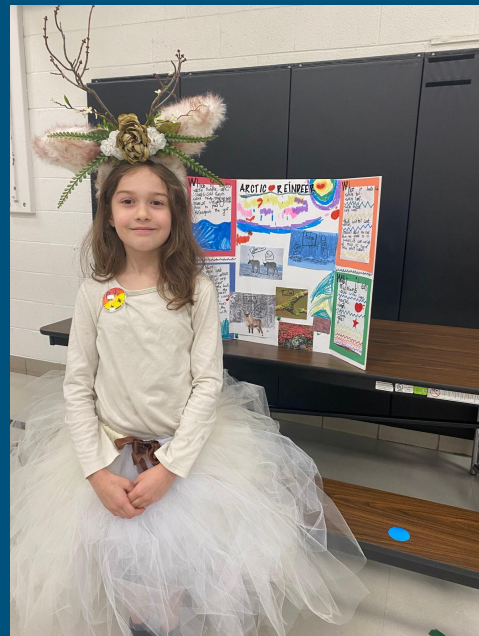


Learning and Growing...



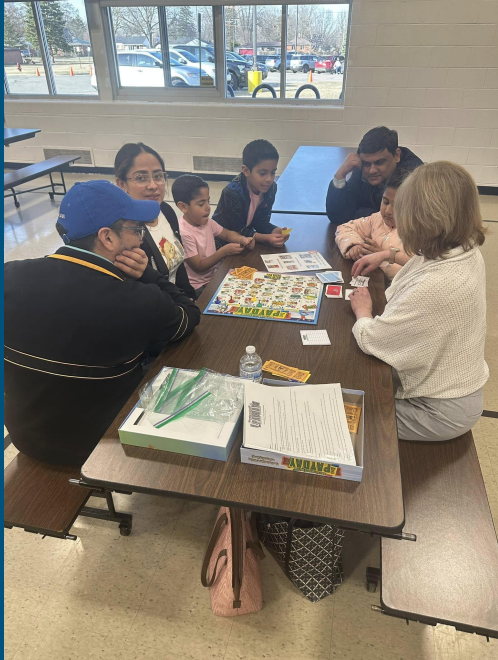
**Franklin & Stevenson held a Night at the Museum at Oakmont Senior Living Center!
Students and seniors enjoyed socializing while displaying their art!**

Learning and Growing...



Roosevelt students put together a Talking Zoo, where second-grade classrooms teamed up to present projects on animals from the ocean, the Arctic, and rainforest.

Learning and Growing...



Rosedale Elementary hosted a Title 1 Family Game Night that was fun for everyone!

Learning and Growing...



March 14th is Pi Day, and Hayes Elementary students had fun learning about Pi and also trying some tasty pies!

March is Reading Month!



Riley Upper Elementary held a Pizza, Popcorn, and Paperbacks event!

March is Reading Month!



Hoover Elementary made a sweet impression with their Candyland reading month decorations! Students were simply amazed as they entered the school!

March is Reading Month!

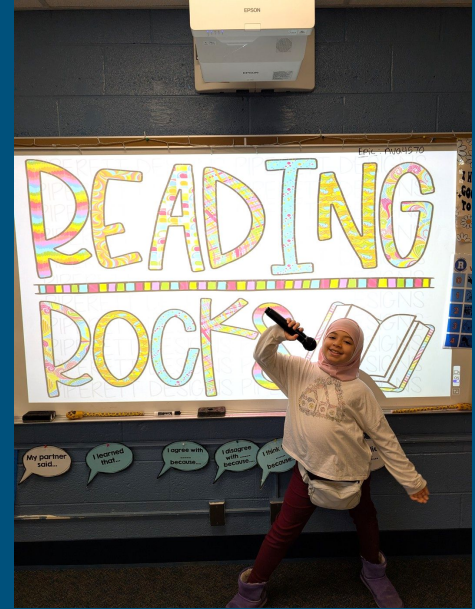
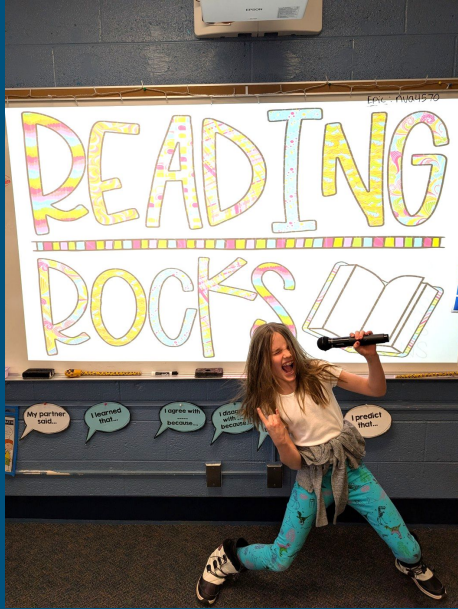


Thank you to our wonderful art teacher, Ms. Stark, and the parent and grandparent volunteers who donated supplies and spent time transforming our literacy lab into a Rainforest Reading Lounge! Classrooms will have the opportunity to use the room for reading month!



Cleveland Elementary set up a March Madness bracket, featuring favorite books! Coolidge created a Rainforest Reading Lounge for their students with help from Mrs. Stark & family volunteers! Rosedale set up some fun circus decorations across the school!

March is Reading Month!



Reading ROCKS at Roosevelt Elementary... especially during March is Reading Month!

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Students at Roosevelt Elementary enjoyed a visit from LPS Chief Academic Officer Theresa O'Brien for some classroom reading!

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**Children at the Livonia Early Childhood Center were treated to a special guest reader...
Superintendent Oquist!**

March is Reading Month!



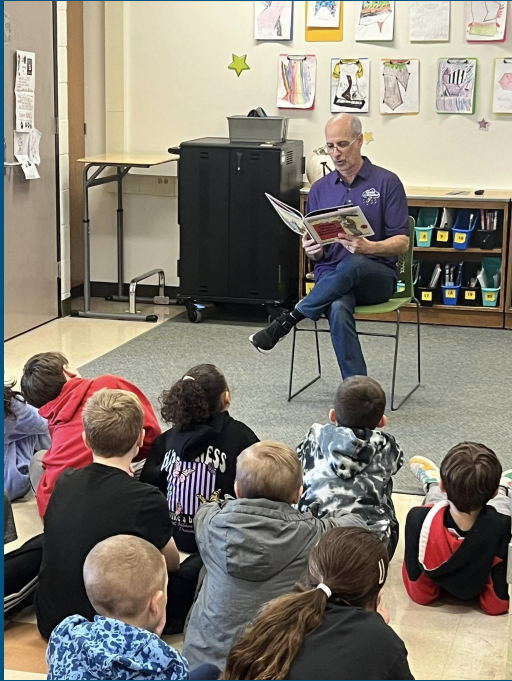
Board of Education Trustee Mark Johnson read to a classroom at Kennedy Elementary! This was one of several visits by Mr. Johnson at schools all around the district!

March is Reading Month!



Board of Education Trustee Colleen Burton was a special guest reader at Niji-Iro!

March is Reading Month!



Kennedy Elementary 3rd grade had a fantastic guest reader, WDIV meteorologist Paul Gross, who read “Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs” and answered questions about weather!

March is Reading Month!



Members of the Stevenson High School football team read to the third-grade classes at Randolph Elementary!

LPS Parent Fair



Our LPS Student Assistance Providers hosted an informative night for parents at the LPS Parent Fair! Local community partners attended and provided families with information and resources available in the area, and Walter Crider, retired Michigan State Trooper, provided an engaging presentation on OK2Say and relevant safety topics for schools.

Spring Sports Begin!



Spring Sports are lucky to have a warm start, allowing our athletes to begin practice outside on courts, fields, and more!

Unified Basketball



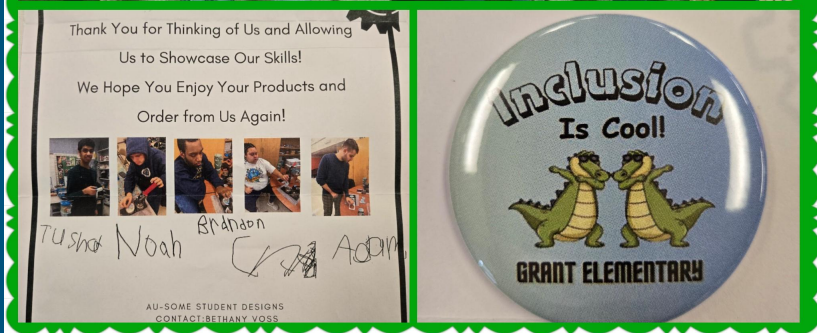
The Frost Unified Basketball team has spent some great time on the court! They've been joined by a pep band, cheering crowds and Frankie, the Frost Mascot!

Unified Basketball



CHS Unified took part in a Unified Showcase at Little Caesars Arena! Our athletes played a great game and had a great time!

Grant, Garfield Team Up



Grant Elementary's Inclusion Committee partnered with Garfield Skills Center to create Inclusion "swag" for Grant staff! Garfield students designed and created "Inclusion Is Cool" buttons for staff to wear proudly!

Day of Music!



Our sixth graders were excited to participate in our Day of Music, where high school music students and staff performed a concert and one-on-one instrument exploration and fittings at each of our upper elementary schools!

LECC Spotlight!



Livonia Public Schools was proud to host Governor Whitmer and her MiLEAP team at the Livonia Early Childhood Center! We were able to offer the governor a tour, a visit with Clifford the Big Red Dog and some awesome friends in the Owls room, followed by a press conference in which the governor offered a positive update on the free PreK for All initiative that began in 2023.

With Many Kudos!



kudos!

SHS Mock Trial Success!



Stevenson's Mock Trial teams competed at the Oakland Regional Competition, finishing in the top three and qualifying for State Competition!

Franklin States Bowlers!



Congratulations to our Franklin bowlers who qualified for States! Owen Sherfey qualified for states with a 1229 over 6 games, and finished 3rd in the region. Brooklyn Hannah qualified with 1297 over 6 games and finished with the title of Regional Champion!

Stevenson States Bowler!



Congratulations to Stevenson's Ava Young for qualifying for States! She placed 6th in Division 1 region 7 regionals to earn her spot.

Churchill States Bowlers!



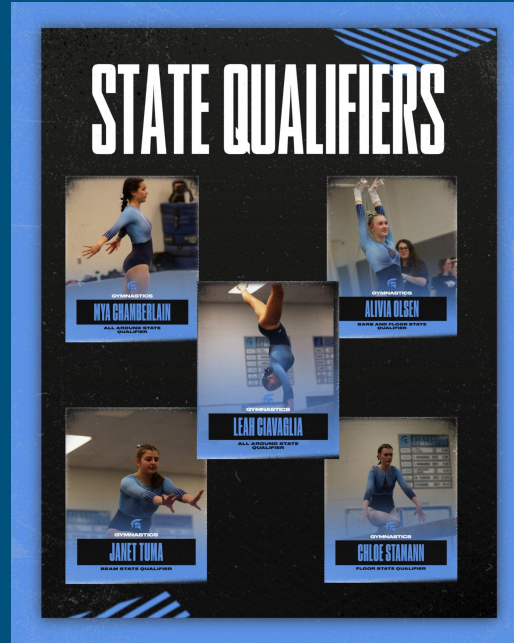
Congratulations to Churchill bowlers Joey, Isabelle, Carissa, and Sophia for qualifying for States!

Livonia Red State Gymnast!



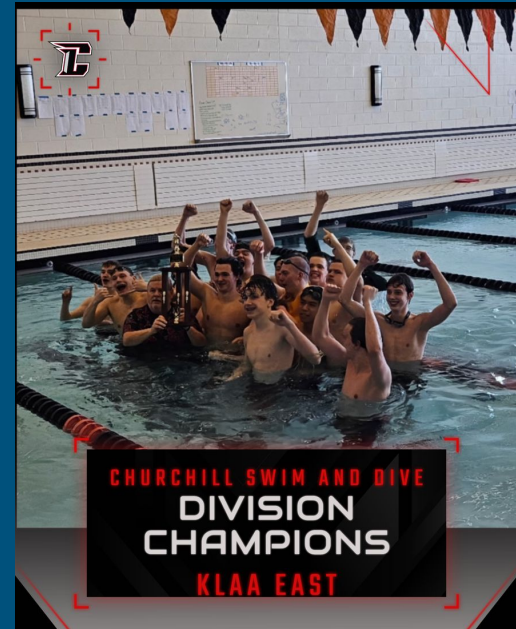
Congratulations to Churchill gymnasts Nevaeh and Sadie, and Franklin gymnast Kacie Kusnir on qualifying for states!

Stevenson State Gymnasts!



Congratulations to the Stevenson Gymnastics team at qualifying for Team State, as well as Mya Chamberlain, Alivia Olsen, Leah Giavalgia, Janet Tuma, and Chloe Stamann for qualifying for individual elements! Coach Erin Polk also finished the season with an award for Gymnastics Coach of the Year!

Churchill Swim Champs!



Congratulations to Churchill Boy's Swim for winning KLAA East Division Champions! Congratulations to Austin Stewart for winning the conference and setting both a school and KLAA record, Josh Webert for placing as KLAA Champion, and Matthew Drouillard, Aidan O'Donnell, and Alex Evanoff for making State Qualifiers!

Stevenson Swim Champs!



Congratulations to Stevenson swimmers Luke Sosnowski and Luc Ciuffetelli for being awarded All-Conference honors!

Stevenson Hockey at States!



A huge congratulations to the Stevenson Hockey Team, making their way up to States! We are so proud of our Spartans for this accomplishment!

Phantom of the Opera Success!



**A huge congratulations to our Churchill CAPA production of "Phantom of the Opera!"
Crowds were wowed by the outstanding talent and effort put into the production!**

Addams Family!



Congratulations to The Franklin Players on this past weekend's performance of "The Addams Family"! Audiences loved the show, and the effort put in by staff, students, and volunteers contributed to a hugely successful and memorable performance!

STHS Senate Success!



Stevenson Student Senate brought home the Award of Excellence from the MASC State Conference! A special shoutout to seniors Sofia, Lily and Tucker, who were chosen to present at the conference after scoring in the top three at regionals.

LPS Chamber Awards



LPS was honored to be awarded a Community Enhancement Award for the beautiful new Livonia Early Childhood Center by the Livonia-Westland Chamber of Commerce. A huge congratulations to Churchill's Hayden Hahn for being named Livonia's Outstanding Youth! Our Educators and Support Staff of the Year were honored as well during a special dinner event at the Italian-American Banquet Hall!



Student Activities Advisor of the Year!



Congratulations to Franklin High School's Mrs. Esparza! She was honored as the Michigan Student Activities Advisor of the Year for 2025!

MLK Essay Contest!



Congratulations to the winners of the Livonia Human Relations Commission's MLK Essay Contest! Each student received a \$200 gift card!

PTSA Founder's Day!



The Livonia PTSA Council put on a fantastic Founder's Day celebration!

MSBOA!



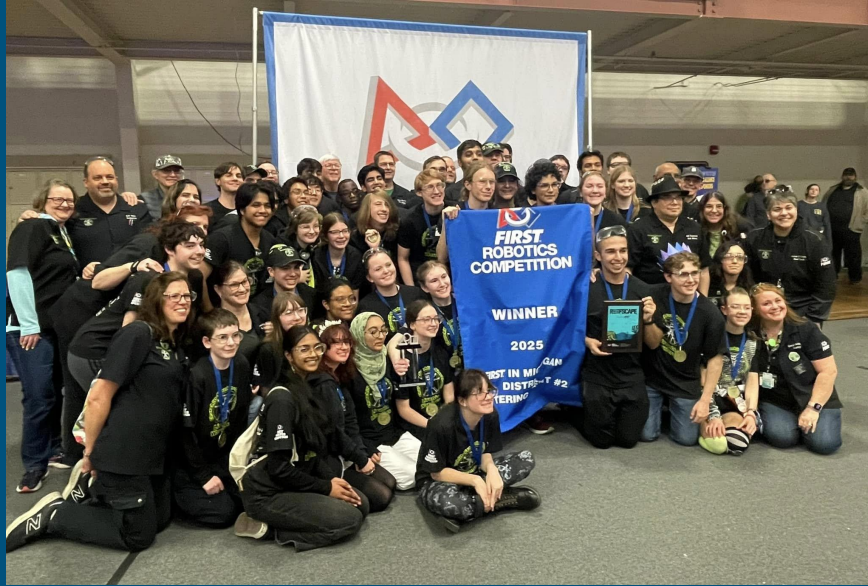
Stevenson's Symphony Band, Orchestra, and Wind Ensemble all received straight 1's in performance, sight-reading, and overall scores! Holmes' Symphony Band and Chamber Orchestra also received straight 1's across all categories!

MSBOA!



Churchill's Chamber Orchestra and Wind Ensemble earned straight 1's on their ratings, and Symphony Band earned a 1,2,2, and 1 rating placing them just shy of a Superior rating! Frost's Symphonic Band and Chamber Orchestra both received straight 1's on all ratings!

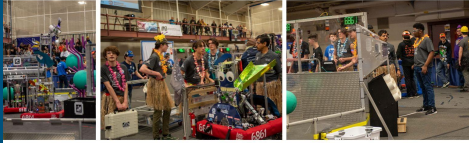
Warriors Compete!



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Congratulations Tyros!



Imagery Award Recipient



Congratulations Warriors!



Competition Winner & Autonomous Award Recipient



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Global Ed Champions!



Stevenson's Global Education took Highest Honor and Best Prepared School home at MAMUN this year! Student delegates also brought home awards from the conferences. Huge congratulations to the staff, students and parents who put in hard work and dedication to support the program!

DECA Competition!



Congratulations to our students for their participation in the State DECA Championships, and to those who are advancing! We look forward to seeing our students compete at the International Career Development Conference, and wish them good luck!

Mark Your Calendar!



Robotics at Churchill

Churchill High School will host
its annual Robotics
Competition on
March 28th & 29th!
Event admission and parking
are free, and there will be
concessions and a bake sale
available for purchasing!
Come cheer on our Livonia
Warriors and Tyros!



ROBOTICS COMPETITION
MARCH 28 & 29
CHURCHILL HIGH SCHOOL
8900 NEWBURGH ROAD
Find event info at: <https://firstinmichigan.us/FRC/events/>

REEFSCAPE
Come cheer on the Livonia Warriors & Tyros teams at our home competition - 40 high school robotics teams from across the state will be competing in this year's challenge, Reefscape!

Matches run ALL DAY
Friday and Saturday - stay for a few matches, or stay all day!
Check out some cool robots, visit the concession stand and bake sale, and GEAR UP!

FREE:
- ADMISSION
- PARKING
- FUN!

FIRST

Churchill Franklin-Sterling
FRC082
Livonia Warriors

LIVONIA
PUBLIC SCHOOLS

The Tyros Team
FRC081
Livonia Warriors

Fine Arts Festival

Join us as we celebrate
hundreds of LPS artists during
opening night of the Fine Arts
Festival at the
Livonia Civic Library
on April 4 from 5:30 - 7 p.m.

Artwork will be on display
throughout April!



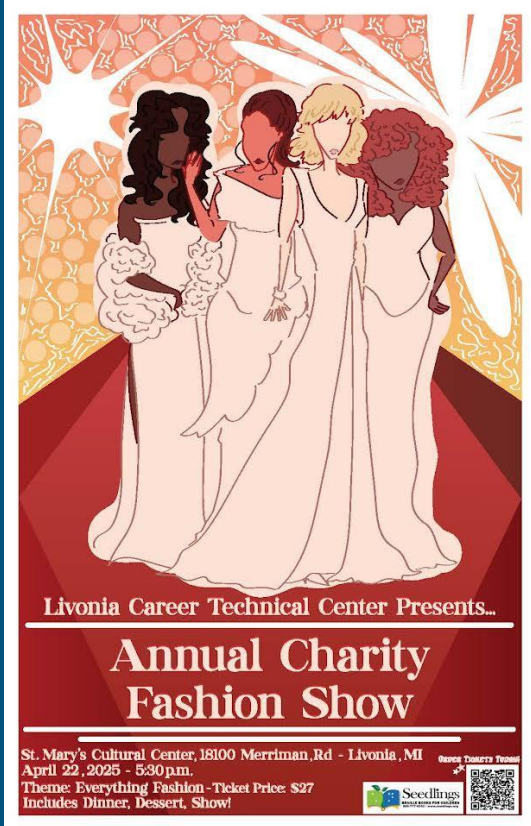
Join us the evening of April 3rd, 2025
5:30-7 P.M.

To celebrate amazing art created by Livonia
Public Schools students in Young Fives
through 12th grade
at the Civic Center Library

Art will be displayed at the library
throughout the month of April

Hope to see you there!

Spring Fashion Show!



The Livonia Career Technical Center's Fashion Merchandising Class is putting on its Annual Charity Fashion Show on April 22 at St. Mary's Cultural Center!

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