



Lake Shore Schools

Title VI Program News

Spring 2019

Lake Shore Students Become Teachers & Leaders

Teachers across the Lake Shore district have been working alongside the Digital Citizenship Institute this school year. As part of this work, everyone involved is taking an active role in digital citizenship. On Friday, March 15 as part of Superintendent's Conference Day, Lake Shore hosted a Digital Citizenship Summit EDU. The Digital Citizenship Summit EDU is focused on a school community working together to lead the change both in and out of school, as well as on and offline. The DigCitSummitEDU builds connections among four critical stakeholders namely, students, educators, parents and the community at large. This multiple stakeholders approach provides an opportunity to address the positive ways to address technology use as a community. The DigCitSummitEDU aims to work towards solutions, promoting best practices, and empowering citizens to be the digital change.

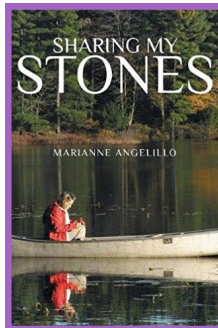
The day was filled with student led conversation around digital citizenship. Students shared what they learned and how they have been empowered to be change makers in their school, local, global and digital communities. The event kicked-off in the auditorium with high school student presenters from Mr. Jeff Connors' leadership class and continued on through the morning with student led stations throughout the school. Teachers and community members rotated through every station. Student technology experts from elementary through high school taught their teachers about digital citizenship, coding, minecraft, online programs, and many other topics. It is a proud moment for teachers to see their students becoming the teachers!



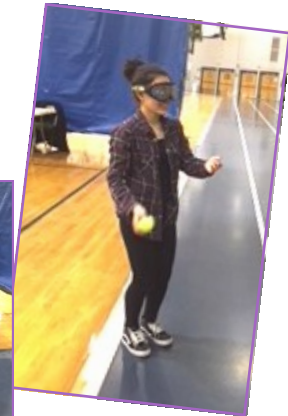
You can keep up to date with the Lake Shore #DigCitSummitEDU at <http://www.digitalcitizenshipinstitute.com/digcitsummitedu-at-lake-shore->

Impaired Driving Event at Senior High School

On March 13, Lake Shore students took part in a distracted driving event that featured nationally-known author and guest speaker, Marianne Angelillo. Marianne shared her incredible story with all eleventh and twelfth grade students. Her story is of the loss of her son, Matthew, due to a drunk driving accident the summer before his senior year of high school. She calls her powerful story “sharing her stones” and told the audience that when you share your “stones” with others it lightens your burden. Along with the guest speaker, all students were able to take part in three distracted driving stations during



gym classes, as well as health classes. The stations included a virtual reality driving simulation– which made distracted driving very realistic to all participants. The Seneca Nation Behavioral Health Unit brought a pedal car obstacle course and several types of goggles, which simulated driving under the influence. Also, Lake Shore’s School Resource Officer, Doug Tubinis, and other Evans Police-men, hosted a station on driving while ability is impaired by marijuana. The event was sponsored by the Seneca Nation Department of Transportation.



2019 SAT Information

May 4, 2019 Exam- must register by April 5th

June 1, 2019 Exam- must register by May 3rd

*Registration can be completed on the College Board website.

*Ask your guidance counselor if you qualify for a fee waiver.

*Use the Khan Academy website to prepare for your exam

*Night before the exam– get plenty of rest.

*Day of exam– eat breakfast, bring your ID, calculator, snack & water.

Lake Shore Middle School Welcomes My Brother's Keeper Program

Lake Shore Middle School has recently introduced the My Brother's Keeper's (MBK) program for boys in 6th-8th grade. Lake Shore has partnered with Mr. Ronald Mt. Pleasant from the Tuscarora Nation who developed a program for young men. The boys participate in hands-on activities which include using I-pads, flying drones, building and launching rockets, constructing robots, and many other fun activities. The participants are also practicing real-world skills such as writing, public speaking, and teamwork.

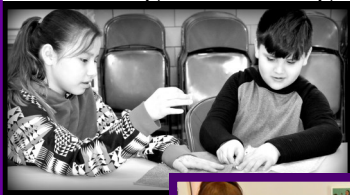


**Interested??
It's not too late to
sign up! See
Ms. John or Mrs.
Hummel for a
permission slip.**



Success in Middle School (SIMS) Prepares Students For 6th Grade

The transition from elementary to middle school can be a bit unnerving. To help ease the process, 5th grade students meet to learn skills for a successful transition. Students are working on mastering combination locks, learning about financial literacy, and have had many questions answered such as: "what kind of lunch is served", "how many minutes are there between classes" and "is there a lot of homework?" Organization, self advocacy, and respect are also emphasized in SIMS. The fifth graders also reflect back on their years in elementary school and create a gift they present to the teacher that has had the deepest impact on them. In May, several exemplary 6th grade students are invited to give advice and answer questions on what they have done to be successful. As a final activity, students hand sew their own locker organizer to hang in their 6th grade locker.



Science Fair Kids Rock!



The sixth annual Science Fair at J.T. Waugh Elementary was held on March 14. Students in Kindergarten through fifth grade participated with displays ranging from "Muppets do Science" to "Lemon Volcanoes". A love of science and enthusiasm for learning was evident with each participant and attendee. A great job done by all!



Learning at A. J. Schmidt and Across All Lake Shore Elementary Schools



First graders Jacob Abrams and Inez Thompson work on phonics skills with Reading Specialist Angela Karpinski.



J.O.M. teacher Amanda Sobczyk develops math proficiency with second graders Christina LaSalle and Cayden Kettle.

The three elementary schools of Lake Shore District including A.J. Schmidt Elementary implemented a Kindergarten –1st grade initiative in the 2018-19 school year. Each K-1 classroom is utilizing targeted small-group instruction to teach core reading and math skills. Small group instruction happens with support staff throughout classrooms during certain times throughout the day, allowing students more individualized instruction. The small group lessons are engaging and hands-on. Small group instruction is beneficial for students in all grades, as seen on the left with second graders intently working on math skills.



Bree Gates Porter, second grade, is an avid reader, and demonstrates that by being lost in a book.



Ajay Jimerson-Kenjockety (left), third grade, and Mason John (right), fourth grade, hone their computer skills.



Congratulations to the Lake Shore Girls basketball team who had a great season and an even better playoff run! The girls defeated Williamsville South to become the Section 6 A champions and finished the season as Far West Regionals Finalists in a tough triple overtime loss to Pittsford Mendon. Great job girls, we are all very proud!



Dates to Remember...

- April 11– Kindergarten Information Night at ECLC
- April 12– Mother Son Dinner, MS, 5:30-7:30 PM
- April 13– Family Fun Walk
- April 19-28– Spring Recess
- April 24– College Fair at CCC, 1-4 PM
- April 22-26– Community Fair
- April 30– 6th Grade Parent Orientation, MS Library, 7 PM
- May 6– Title VI Public Hearing, Parent Committee Meeting, SNI Library, 5 PM
- May 9– Kindergarten Information Night, MS Auditorium, 6-8 PM
- May 14– Budget Vote & Board Elections, Sr. High, 9 AM– 9 PM
- May 17– Middle School Fun Night, 6-8 PM
- May 21– BOE Regular Meeting, Sr. High Library, 7 PM
- May 24-27– Memorial Day Recess

