

Our hearts and tears are with Uvalde.

# NEWS & NOTES

**Following the LSCSD Board of Education Meeting of May 24, 2022**

The Board  
of Education  
on May 24  
approved the:

Probationary  
appointments of ...



**Abigail (Wesley) Fetterick,**  
J.T. Waugh Principal,  
effective 7/1/22.



**Stacy Conti,** Middle School  
Principal, effective 7/1/22.

**Chad Quain,** Technology  
Teacher.

Con't ...



**We're so proud of ...**



**From left:** Obrigh Tallchief, Nick Sawynsky, Blayze Becker, Joiise John, Garyn John.

## Not just 'kids with a stick' ... LAX Eagles play – and win - for those who can't

If the Lake Shore Eagles play lacrosse with a passion that seems unprecedented, it could be because they are playing for more than just themselves. So say several team members who paused to talk about their motivation for the game and the distinctive uniforms that earned headlines. Members of this Varsity team were deeply moved by the discovery of thousands of abused indigenous children buried under

Indian boarding schools. So much so, that they designed and paid for uniforms trimmed in orange, as a declaration of their awareness of the children's suffering, and to spread awareness to others. And what better time to do it than now, when all eyes are on the Eagles and their winning streak. "We're hot right now," says team member Nick Sawynsky, "and we will use this platform." [Read More ...](#)

### **Appointments Con't**

**Katherine Dziewa**, School Social Worker.

**Traci Kujawa**, Teaching Assistant.

**Kelly LoTempio**, Teaching Assistant.

**Victoria Thuman**, Monitor.

**Kristine Majewski**, Monitor.

**Josephine Hahn**, Bus Attendant.

### **Tenure for ...**

**Jill Benedict**, Director of Pupil Personnel Services.

**Nicole Phillips-Miles**, School Social Worker.

**Tara Runfola**, Special Education Teacher.

**Devon Asboth**, Special Education Teacher.

**Alexandria Salansky**, Elementary Teacher.

**Andrea Wincenciak**, Teaching Assistant.

**Michael Reed**, Social Studies Teacher.

**Sarah Pici**, Physical Education Teacher.

### **Resignations for the Purpose of Retirement of ...**

**Nancy Klemens**, Home School Liaison, effective 5/16/22.

### **Retirements Con't.**

**Deborah DaPolito**, Bus Driver, effective 5/20/22.

**Julia Lindstrom**, Personal Care Aide, effective 6/30/22.

**Tamara Keem**, Personal Care Aide, effective 8/10/22.

### **Resignations of ...**

**Justen Duplantis**, Bus Driver, effective 4/29/22.

### **In other matters, the Board:**

- \* Approved the 2022-25 District Technology Plan
- \* Heard a Capital Project Update
- \* Heard a report on the Academy of Business & Finance



Some beautiful moments as Ms. Ventresca's A.J. Schmidt class said goodbye to their butterfly friends during release day. They raised them from caterpillars. Shown above is Seth Coventry in a photo by Ms. Ventresca.

## **We're so proud of ...**

### **Elliott & Emily: Selected for 2022 NYSSMA Junior High Area All State Band**



Congratulations to Lake Shore 8th Grader Elliott Catalano (percussion) and 9th Grader Emily Valentine (clarinet) who were both selected to participate in the 2022 NYSSMA Junior High Area All State Band this past weekend at Niagara County Community College. Emily and Elliott each performed auditions last spring on NYSSMA level 5 literature. Based on those auditions, they were selected to perform with the best 7th, 8th and 9th grade musicians from a four county area. [Read more ...](#)