

LENA PUBLIC SCHOOLS NEWSLETTER

From the Desk of Mr. Pytleski
February 7th, 2020



Upcoming Calendar

Reminders

- Lena Hosts Forensic Meet Monday February 10th 4pm.
- School Board Meeting, Wed. February 19th 7pm.
- Tue., March 3rd Junior Class takes ACT Test
- Thur., March 5th Lena Staff Spaghetti Supper
- Senior Class Trip March 9th-11th
- Wed., March 11th Parent/Teacher Conferences
- NO SCHOOL March 12th/13th

Small Community,

Great Opportunity!

Class of 2020 Valedictorian and Salutatorian Announced



Congratulations to Alexis Misco, our Class of 2020 Salutatorian, and Lilia Shallow, our Class of 2020 Valedictorian! Your hard work and dedication, along with the support of your families, the staff at Lena, and the Lena Community have helped you reach and earn this proud achievement. We look forward to your speeches on graduation night.

Lena Teaching Staff Attends Common In-Service

On Friday, Feb. 7th the entire teaching staff and administration from Lena attended a Common In-Service Professional Development Day at Wausaukee. We were joined by the staffs of Gillett, Crivitz, and Wausaukee for a day of learning and networking with other professionals of the same grade level and/or subject area. Dr. Lori Desautels was the keynote speaker and breakout session presenter. She is a nationally recognized presenter/speaker on education.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Ben J. Pytleski'.

Ben J. Pytleski

What's Happening at Lena Public Library:



Storytime Fridays @ 10:30am
February Themes



7th Hearts, 14th Valentine's, 21st Goodnight, 28th Manners



We have WiFi Hotspots available to check out!
They can be checked out with your library card.
Adults only, no holds, no renewals.



Go on a Blind Date w/a book!
Choose from Young Adult, Large Print or Adult Fiction

February Activities at the Library:

- ♥ 1st Bring your child to the library day
- ♥ 6th Book Club 8:15am
- ♥ 7th Puzzles out in the board room
- ♥ 13th Writing Club 9-11am
- ♥ 13th-14th Materials out to make Valentines
- ♥ 15th Legos out
- ♥ 17th Random Acts of Kindness DAY!
- ♥ 25th Movie: *Playing with Fire*



Just a reminder...



If the school is closed/has early release, due to poor weather conditions, the library will also be closed/dose early. Fines due to weather will be forgiven.

February 25th Tuesday Movie-Playing with Fire, 3pm



Library Hours:
Monday-Thursday 10am-6pm
Fridays 10am-4pm
1st & 3rd Saturdays Labor Day-
Memorial Day 10am-1pm



Annual Chili Cook-Off and “Soup”er Bowl Results

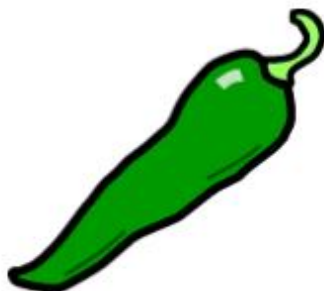
Congratulations to the following students for their award-winning entries in the Annual Chili Cook-Off and “Soup”er Bowl. In the judge’s category, the places were as follows. Taking first place in the judge’s category was the Green Enchilada Chicken Chili prepped by 8th graders Veronica Alberts and Alabama Lambert.



There was a 3-way tie for 2nd place between Alondra Madrigal’s Best Chili in the World, Max Cops’s Taco Chili and Matt Younger and James Desjarlais’s El Diablo Chili.



Earning the greatest number of votes in the Spectator’s Choice Category was Grandpa’s Spicy Hot Chili prepared by Elizabeth Weidner.



Winning both the judge's award and the spectator's choice award in the soup entries was Crack Chicken Noodle Soup prepped by Veronica Alberts, Alabama Lambert, Hunter Landeros, Logan Graef, Grayce Wilcox, Jackson Dahin, Whitney Potter, Colton Skrobel, and America Thomas.



Students and staff were invited down to the FACS room to sample all the entries and vote for their favorites. Congratulations to all the winners and to all the other students who participated in this annual event.





“Pawsitive” Middle & High Students

Our student winners for January who were “caught being positive” are: Gabriella Huycke and Kaelyn Cook.

Gabriella was caught delivering a message to the alterantive school for the office. Kaelyn always comes to class prepared.



Thank you for being

“Pawstitive”!

The following students and staff were “Caught Being Pawsitive” for January.

Students

GABRIELLA HUYCKE
KAELYN COOK
MATT STUTZMAN
WHITNEY POTTER
GRACE MADSON
MYA GAGNON
HAILEIGH BOOMSMA
COOPER DEMMITH
KYRIANA
BERGEVAIN

ERIK KOSCH
NOLAN GARRIGAN
RYAN BROKOVEC
SAM PETERSON
NOAH LASLEY
GRAYCE WILCOX
JACKSON DAHIN
TIM BENSER
SOPHIA PIRLOT



**Do you have a special someone?
Are you looking for something
sweet to give that person? If so,
the NHS is once again selling large cookies for
Valentine's Day! These cookies are \$5 each and can
be personalized. Order forms and money are due
to Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Beschta, or Mrs. Benser by
February 10.**



**NHS VALENTINE COOKIE SALE (PLEASE PRINT)
\$5.00 EACH**

TO (Please list first & last name): _____

RECIPIENT'S ELEMENTARY OR 8TH PERIOD TEACHER _____

FROM: _____

OPTIONAL PERSONALIZED MESSAGE (No more than 40 characters/letters)