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A newsletter about the
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Community Center



From the Superintendent

Dear Comstock Community,

Welcome to what I hope will be a normal school year! The 2020-21 school year presented a number of unusual challenges and unexpected twists and turns.

However, news about the pandemic in Michigan and, in particular, the greater Kalamazoo area is encouraging. Test positivity rates and the number of new cases of COVID-19 are both extremely low. Importantly, large numbers of people are now vaccinated, including our District's staff. Accordingly, I thought it would be prudent to lay out our district's future path as we collectively prepare for what is hopefully a more normal school year.

If the District is not under any national, state, or local health order or directive to the contrary, we will provide families with the following two educational and instructional options:

- 1) traditional school schedule consisting of five-days-a-week, face-to-face instruction, or
- 2) virtual instruction through the Comstock K-12 Virtual Academy.

If at any time, the District is properly directed to cease its traditional school schedule due to a

protracted or prolonged health emergency, teachers in the traditional instructional format will convert to virtual instruction while the students in the Comstock K-12 Virtual Academy will continue as normal. As soon as that order ends and it is safe to return to school, the District will resume normal operations within the buildings and face-to-face, in-person instruction in the classrooms.

On behalf of the Board of Education and the entire Colt Cabinet, my personal appreciation and gratitude go out to all of our families and community members for their unwavering strength and support during the 2020-21 school year. Collectively, we have responded admirably to an extremely disruptive set of circumstances.

If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to me either via email, phone call, or personal visit. I can be reached at thoenesj@comstockps.org or 269-250-8906.

"It's a great day to be a Colt!"

Sincerely,
Dr. Jeffrey Thoenes
Superintendent



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MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Comstock Public Schools is to serve our community by empowering, inspiring, and challenging every person within the school district to reach their full potential, and to ensure all students learn and thrive in a safe and healthy environment.

VISION STATEMENT

The vision of Comstock Public Schools is to be an inclusive, high performing learning community where we foster dreams, explore possibilities, and create futures.

QUESTIONS?

If you have questions concerning your schools, the answer is only a telephone call away:
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Board Briefs

REGULAR MEETING

May 10, 2021

- Hired the following:
 - Jenna Lyddon – Fourth Grade Teacher
 - Megan Shein – High School Math Teacher
 - Christopher Bergh – CMS/STEM/CHS Band Director
- Reconfirmed the Extended Continuity of Learning Plan.
- Approved renewal of food service contract with Chartwells.
- Approved the CES roof recovering bid.
- Approved CMS, Compass/Administration parking lot bid.
- Entered closed session to discuss Superintendent's evaluation.

REGULAR MEETING

May 24, 2021

- Approved purchase for furniture for the CES cafeteria and CMS gym.
- Designated Paul Lamphear and Pam Dickinson as the District's representative and alternate for the KRESA election.
- Directed the District's representative to KRESA to vote for Lynne Cowart for the position on the KRESA Board of Education.
- Approved the 2021-2022 KRESA general fund budget.
- Entered closed session to discuss the Superintendent's evaluation.

Sinking Fund Update

By Dr. Jeff Thoenes, Superintendent

Given the costs associated with the upkeep of our facilities, we are truly appreciative of the community's support for the District's sinking fund ballot proposal approved by voters in May, 2019. This fund generates a little over \$500,000 a year for 10 years. Per Michigan law, sinking fund monies are limited to certain uses. The District uses the sinking funds to upgrade and repair our infrastructure and buildings. Sinking funds may not be used for wage, salary, or benefit increases.

In Michigan, school districts have the option of rolling over sinking funds not used in one year to the next year. This is precisely the strategy that Comstock has employed. The first year of our sinking fund (2019-20), the district spent \$206,951 of the \$550,000 (approximate amount) provided by the fund.

However, prior to the start of the 2020-21 school year, we anticipated and planned ahead for large sinking-fund-eligible projects. Accordingly, we spent \$799,654 during 2020-21. At the end of second year of the sinking fund, the total amount used was right on target at \$1,006,605

Here is a detailed list for each school of the District's sinking fund projects for the 2020-21 school year:

Comstock Early Learning Academy (CELA)

Infrared scan of roofs	\$1,230
Pull station covers	\$526.96
Total	\$1,756.96

Comstock Elementary School

Floor installation for walk-in cooler \$9,989	
Optiguard door protection	\$4,895
Cab air purifier	\$3,000
Infrared scan of roofs	\$2560
Moving costs	\$3189.05
Total	\$23,534.05

STEM Academy

Partial roof replacement	\$160,450
Replace unit ventilators in library	\$29,372
Bulkhead replacement	\$4,347
Portables shingles installation	\$7,000
Exterior painting of EFIS	\$3,000
Infrared scan of roofs	\$1,390
Asbestos survey for Room 301	\$850
Whiteboard for Room 300	\$825

Total \$207,229.50

Comstock Middle School

Asbestos air monitoring and abatement	\$82,450
Labor and materials	\$65,000
Asbestos air monitoring and abatement	\$59,050
Materials and labor for carpet installation	\$55,000
Painting of corridors	\$8,330.79
Painting of cafeteria	\$5,635
Painting of glazed tiling	\$2,360
Infrared scan of roofs	\$1620
Classroom moving	\$2868.32
Total	\$282,314.11

Comstock High School

Restroom renovation	\$63,000
Cafeteria tile abatement	\$51,700
Flooring project	\$48,878
Retubing of boiler #2	\$25,059
Three-ton mini split in the Information Technology room	\$14,782.50
Condensate tank	\$5,175
Optiguard door protection	\$4,895
New roofs for baseball dugouts	\$4,000
Infrared scan of roofs	\$3,960
Cab air purifier	\$3,000
Roof drain replacement	\$2,771.08
Floor pump repair	\$2,460
Faculty restroom painting	\$1,865
Ceiling work in server room	\$1,730
Floor prep	\$910.18
Entry door repair	\$848
LED fixtures	\$592
Boiler water leak repair	\$316
Staff bathroom mirror	\$59,92
Total	\$236,001.68

Compass High School/ Administration Building

Asbestos air monitoring/ abatement	\$14,850
Replace PTAC units	\$14,484
Painting	\$8,985
Painting	\$2,625
Sign for Virtual Academy	\$1,952.15
Curb removal/new asphalt	\$1,902
Non-electric sign installation	\$1,894.48

Infrared scan of roofs	\$1,560
New lockset for HR office	\$565.15
Total	\$48,817.78

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District Receives Michigan Grant

The District has received a \$59,883 grant from the Michigan Department of Treasury. The money will offset the costs incurred for membership and professional development expenses for the Board of Education and administration staff. It will also help pay for a contracted payroll specialist through KRESA.

District Receives Money to Promote Safety

The District has received \$1500 to purchase items to enhance safety in the workplace.

The money comes from the District's insurance provider, SET-SEG, through its Workers' Compensation Fund Safety Program. In this, the third year of the program, SET-SEG will be distributing \$550,000 to Fund members to help protect the health and safety of their school communities.

Members receive an amount based on their district's most recent audited payroll size.



Bond Construction Update

By Dr. Jeff Thoenes, Superintendent

The District's effort to renovate, rebuild, and update its facilities continues. With the beginning of summer break, our construction crews have had increased access to our buildings and more time available to both begin and finish a number of key projects.

Comstock Elementary School - Phase 3, which has been nicknamed "Narnia" by the staff and students, is close to being finished. This phase consists of five classrooms that are accessible through a set of double doors off of the main hallway. This area is the smallest phase of our CES renovation. We originally thought this phase would be done by now, but due to delays related to the pandemic, the new cupboards have not yet arrived. Regardless, we are excited at the progress of this construction phase.

Importantly, crews have begun work on Phases 4, 5, and 6. These areas include the library media center, the kitchen and food service area, several hallways leading to the northern part of the first floor, and about 10 classrooms. Just like last summer upstairs during Phase 1, in these sections, crews have removed a number of non-load-bearing walls, doorways, windows, false ceilings, and locker banks as they gut the interior. When completed, all of the rooms will be aligned to have exterior windows that will provide natural light. The final phase (Phase 7) will begin in the fall and last until February.

In early June, a professional painting crew completely repainted the elementary gymnasium from top to bottom. The fresh coat of paint provides a bright and clean appearance to the facility. The gymnasium had not been repainted since the building opened 49 years ago in 1972.

Finally, to top off the elementary projects, the district is making the smart move to completely replace the school's worn and aged roof. Work on the roof began in early June and this improvement is intended to protect the public's investment that the newly renovated interior represents.

Comstock Middle School - In similar fashion to CES, the critical summer work has started at CMS. When completed, the work will substantially transform the building both inside and out. The crews will remove the original, exterior classroom walls along both H Avenue and 26th Street. Crews will rebuild the walls with modern

materials including double-paned glass windows, and then repaint and recarpet the rooms.

Finally, crews will install the navy blue siding along the new walls of the building that matches the gym's exterior. Having this paneling on the north and west of the building facing 26th Street and H Avenue will greatly enhance the curb appeal of the structure. Additionally, the paneling will keep the building warmer in winter and cooler in summer. As a key part of this rebuild, crews will modernize three science rooms to meet modern standards.

Finally, the work to build the new middle school parking lot has begun. This lot is located at the front of the building and will be for staff and visitor parking. The bus loop will remain in place and is being milled and resurfaced as a part of this renovation. Our current north lot will also be resurfaced and will be for student drop off and pick up, and parent parking. This separation of the buses and cars will help ensure the safe and efficient arrival and departure of all Colts to and from school.

Compass High School and Administration Building - Just like the middle school, the resurfacing and expansion of the existing parking lot at the back of the property began in early June. When completed, the parking lot will double in size, the entranceway to the lot will be straightened, and a portion of the unused parking lot to the west of the building will be converted back into green space. The front bus loop and angle parking at the front of the building have been milled and resurfaced.

Last but not least, the full exterior of the building will be repainted to match the work done about a year ago. With these summer improvements, Compass will look and feel like a new building.

Comstock High School and Compass High School - Staff at both of these buildings have had to use worn out white boards. Accordingly, this summer, crews removed the old white boards and are working to replace them with state-of-the-art boards. This will be a much needed instructional enhancement for our teachers and students.

As always, thanks goes out to our community for the funding that made these projects possible, our Board for their support and vision, as well

as our Facilities Crew led by Facilities Director Sean Gillette, and partners GMB Architects and Miller-Davis Construction Management. Without the combined efforts and synergy of these groups, none of this would be possible.

Our School Board, Leadership Team, staff, students, and families are grateful and appreciative of the community's support for the 2016 Bond fund which has made these much needed improvements possible!

Community Auditorium Events

August:

- 9 Comstock Fire Department hosting: American Red Cross Blood Drive - Colt Center, Noon-6 p.m.
- 10 Homeschool Performing Arts Auditions for Season 2021-22. More information on their website: Go to hpami.org

September:

- 7 Center Stage Theater Auditions for "Moana Jr.", Colt Center, 5-8:30 p.m.
- 26 Tamburitzans - Comstock Community Center Fundraiser Show: 3 p.m. Contact the Community Center for ticket information. 269-345-9486
- 29 Blood Drive - Colt Center - 7 a.m.-2 p.m.

Note from Sue Duncan, auditorium manager: It has been a long year for the arts at Comstock Auditorium. We continued to have events with many restrictions, including no live audiences. The Kalamazoo Symphony taped all five of their concert series at the auditorium this past year. We still had musicals/plays that were recorded. So the auditorium was only completely closed for a couple of months.

I am excited to say that we are now completely open with no restrictions! The staff at the auditorium are so excited to have events back in the auditorium for the 21-22 season. So if you have an event that you would like to do at the Auditorium or Colt Center, please contact me at 269-250-8783 to schedule your event and to get pricing information.

DISTRICT ANNUAL NOTIFICATIONS

Confidentiality of Educational Records

The school district has compiled records on all students for use in the provision of appropriate education programs and services. Federal and State legislation provides parents and eligible students (18 years and older) with certain rights regarding the confidentiality of school records.

Student Records

- Personal and family data
- Health and immunization records
- Test data including aptitude, interest, intelligence, and achievement testing
- Achievement and attendance records
- Anecdotal records
- Records of conferences
- Copies of correspondence concerning a student
- Student questionnaires
- Other records which may contribute to the understanding of the student
- Past school records from other districts
- Individualized educational plans for handicapped students

Procedures Relating to Retention, Destruction, and Disclosure of Records

Records are maintained at the building in which the student is enrolled or last attended. Each record is kept in an individual file open only to those personnel who have a need to know. Information on grades, attendance, and courses completed are kept forever unless transferred to another school district. Portions of a record may be destroyed when it is no longer appropriate to retain them.

Parental and Student Rights

Parents of a student or an eligible student have the right to:

- Inspect and review the educational records of the student
- Request information contained in such records be amended if it is inaccurate, misleading or violates the privacy or other rights of the student.

- Request a hearing to challenge the content of the student's record.

Access Procedures

Parents or eligible students who wish to review the student's educational records shall request at the attending building. A review shall be scheduled within a reasonable time not to exceed thirty days.

Disclosure to Third Parties

Personally identifiable information from the educational record of the student shall not be released without the prior consent of the parent or eligible student. Information may be released to certain individuals or agencies as permitted by law.



Directory Information

The district provides directory information which includes: name, address, telephone, date and place of birth, weight and height, participation in school activities, dates of attendance, awards received, and other similar information. Directory information may be released unless parent or eligible student refuses such release. The refusal must be made to the superintendent's office within 10 days of the publication of this notice.

Special Education and Section 504 Notifications

It is the policy of the district to actively find and provide services to handicapped students. The district will provide appropriate evaluations, identification and services for all eligible students under Section 504 of the Vocational Rehabilitation Act of 1973 or current special education laws.

Administrative Policies and Procedures Complaint Procedures

The district does not discriminate on the basis of disability, sex, age, or race with regard to admission, access to services, treatment, or employment in programs and activities.

The district has a coordinator responsible for Section 504, the American Disabilities Act and Special Education. Contact your building principal for that person's name and telephone.

The district policies and procedures are on file in the superintendent's office and may be reviewed there.

You may file a complaint regarding a district policy or procedure. Please contact the superintendent and receive the specific process for the legislation for which you believe the district is in noncompliance.

Weapons-Free School Zone

Comstock Public Schools is a Weapons-Free School Zone. Violators may face expulsion and/or criminal prosecution. Firearms of any type are prohibited, as are knives, bow and arrows, and any type of explosive devices.

Drug Prevention

In accordance with Federal and State Law, the Comstock Public Schools Board of Education hereby establishes a "Drug-Free School Zone" that extends 1,000 feet from the boundary of any school property. The Board prohibits the use, possession, concealment, delivery, on property, within the Drug-Free School Zone or at any district-related event. Furthermore, the Superintendent shall take the necessary steps to ensure that an individual, eighteen (18) years of age or older, who knowingly delivers or distributes controlled substance on designated and prohibited by Michigan statute within the Drug-Free School Zone to another person is prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

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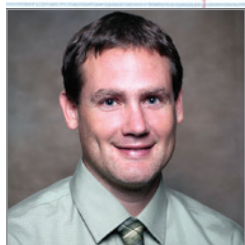
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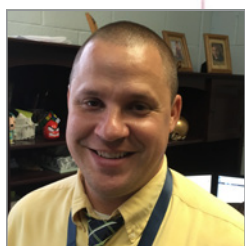
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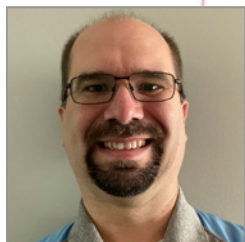
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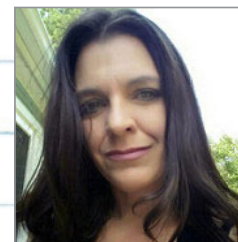


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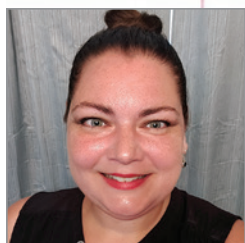


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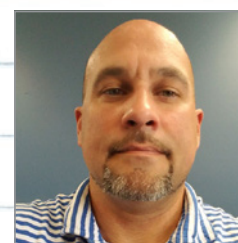


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Public Forums Scheduled for This Fall

The Comstock Public Schools' Facility Review Committee (FRC) will be holding multiple public forums in September and October to help evaluate the state of the District's facilities and determine priorities for possible updates to our facilities. We routinely take stock of the state of our facilities and gather input from the community regarding perceived needs within the district. We welcome you to be a part of this process through both in-person and virtual forums.

Our next forum will be held in person at the Colt Center at Comstock High School on September 14 at 6 p.m. People unable to attend this meeting will have another opportunity to voice their thoughts at a virtual meeting at 7 p.m. on September 22.

Taking input from previous meetings, the FRC will hold two more forums in October. An in-person meeting will be held in the cafeteria at Comstock Elementary School on October 13 at 6 p.m. followed by a virtual

option on October 19 at 7 p.m. Links to the virtual meetings can be found on our website: www.ComstockPS.org/news.

These forums are open to all students, families, staff members, and community stakeholders. We simply cannot prioritize the needs of the District's facilities without input from members of our community. Please make the effort to connect with us, so that we can provide the best educational environment for our students.

COMSTOCK PUBLIC SCHOOLS FACILITY NEEDS COMMUNITY FORUMS

September 14 — 6 p.m. — In Person at the Colt Center
September 22 — 7 p.m. — Virtual Meeting

October 13 — 6 p.m. — In Person at Comstock Elementary
October 19 — 7 p.m. — Virtual Meeting

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Comstock Grad Named in “Jeopardy!” Clue

A 1994 Comstock graduate, Richelle Mead, was featured in a clue on the popular game show, “Jeopardy!”, during the Tournament of Champions this past spring.

The clue read, “‘Last Sacrifice’ was the finale of Richelle Mead’s series about special young people attending this school.”

Read, a bestselling author, has written several series of novels: *Georgina Kincaid*, *Vampire Academy*, *Bloodlines*, *Dark Swan*, and *Age of X*. She also has one stand-alone novel, *Soundless*.

The book featured in the Jeopardy! clue is dedicated in part to longtime Comstock High School English teacher, Rich Bailey.

The dedication reads, “This is dedicated to Rich Bailey and Alan Doty, the teachers who had the greatest influence on my writing, and to all my teacher friends out there helping young writers now. Keep fighting the good fight, all of you.”

Retired English teacher, Phyllis Rose, remembers Richelle as being an excellent writer in advanced composition.

“I knew Richelle was a great essay writer,” said Miss Rose. “I had no idea she would become an award-winning novelist. I am so glad to hear of her continued success.”

After graduating from Comstock, Read earned a bachelor’s degree from the University of Michigan, a master’s degree from Western Michigan University, and a master of teaching degree from the University of Washington.

She taught eighth grade social studies and English in the Seattle area, eventually quitting to pursue writing full-time after her first novel sold.

She has won several awards for her writing including the 2010 Goodreads Choice Awards, 2011 Goodreads Choice awards, and the 2013 Romantic Times Reviewers’ Choice Best Book Awards-Young Adult Protagonist.

Make Connections

If educating students through a pandemic has taught us anything, it has taught us the importance of making and maintaining connections with one another. Learning virtually requires that teachers find ways to engage with students without all the benefits that come with sharing the same classroom. Trying to remain socially distant from one another comes at a cost.

In the 2021-22 school year, we’re inviting the Comstock community - parents, teachers, students, staff, the citizens and businesses of Comstock to take advantage of every opportunity to build connections with one another.

In the home, it might mean putting away the smart phones and turning off the other screens in exchange for connecting with each other over a book or a game. In the classroom, it might mean putting a little more focus into those times where teachers and students have the opportunity for one-on-one time, so that a true relationship can be built. It might mean that small group activities are appreciated as opportunities for students to connect with each other in meaningful ways that weren’t available while quarantining.

Connecting with Comstock might mean more trips to the Comstock Township Library, a real gem in our community. Their summer reading programs have been a great way to keep students engaged through the summer, but they offer terrific programs year-round. Meet friends at the library for a play-date, and watch those connections grow into something wonderful! It’s amazing what can happen when we connect

with knowledge, with friends, and with some of our community resources. Comstock Township parks are another great place to connect with friends and community. The newly re-imagined Merrill Park is a great spot for a picnic lunch. Robert Morris Park has plenty to offer, too. Connect with family and friends over a round of disc golf, or enjoy a nature connection with creatures at the beach.

Flip this newsletter over, and see dozens of connections waiting to be made through the Comstock Community Center. Connect with your inner Shakespeare at the Center Stage Theatre. Do you see where we are going with this? The point is that there are real benefits for the whole child, the whole family, and the whole community when we all take the time to make connections with one another. The Comstock Public Schools family recognizes this, and we invite you to make connections with principals and teachers on a daily basis. We invite you to participate in educational and athletic events, and to share your thoughts with us at school board meetings, community forums, and through online surveys.

Make the choice to Connect with Comstock and the individuals, families, businesses, and organizations that make up our community. Connect with us online. You’ll find us at ComstockPS.org/connect. And you’ll find us on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, and YouTube - @ComstockPS.

Better yet, let’s connect in person. We can’t wait to see your face again.



Students Engaged at Summer Success Camp

School social workers Rida Jones and Dr. Amy Vliek, and school psychologist Dr. Laura Henly teamed up this summer to provide much needed social emotional learning (SEL) at Comstock's Summer Success Camp (SSC).

These educators combined their expertise to provide children with tools, strategies, and perspectives to deal with, and perhaps overcome, the emotional and psychological challenges brought on by the coronavirus pandemic.

Activities have included using blown bubbles to symbolize the safe spaces between people and colored sprinkles to represent the varieties and ranges of emotional responses humans may have.

We are grateful for the valuable lessons these experts have shared with our students.

Freshman Wins Local Poetry Contest

Comstock freshman, Sahara Keith, was selected as a winner in "The Poems That Ate Our Ears" 2021 contest.

Started in 1976, this contest is sponsored by the local group, Friends of Poetry. In the beginning, the poems were displayed on city buses. Later, the winning poems were included in murals painted on city buildings.

This year, the poems will once again be displayed on buses. All winners will receive a book of the winning poems which will be presented at the awards ceremony which is to be held in August. Sahara will also read her poem aloud at the ceremony.

Other students who entered the contest were Savannah Lubrick, Lindsey Block-Carmean, Kamarea Johnson, and Sophia Congdon.

"I am very proud of all their efforts," said their English teacher, Angie Hovda.

CHS Names Star Teachers

Nominated by their students, two high school teachers were honored as Star Teachers. They are Kristie Poulson, math teacher, and Jason Hayes, physical education teacher.

Comstock High School

Senior Named MSU Distinguished Scholar



Senior Sam Rabick has been named as one of 17 Alumni Distinguished Scholars by Michigan State University. This prestigious scholarship provides recipients with full tuition, room and board, and a stipend for eight semesters. It is worth approximately \$130,000 over the course of four years at the university.

High-achieving students who submit their MSU applications for admission by November 1 are invited to compete in a two-day competition in the spring. Then scholarships are awarded to the top candidates based on intellectual performance and participation in the competition.

During the competition, students have the opportunity to learn more about MSU and different majors.

Alumni Distinguished Scholars were selected from more than 1,100 of the top high school seniors who applied to MSU. They participated in interviews and took an intensive general knowledge exam.

Sam plans to pursue a degree in electrical engineering at MSU.

Girls Do Well at State Championships

The high school's "Fast Five" lived up to their nickname this spring at the Michigan High School Athletic Association Track & Field State Championships. They all won All-State honors, and the girls 4x100 meter relay team broke a 44-year-old school record.

Ti'Anna Murphy-Ryan placed sixth in the 100m Dash. The 4x100 meter relay team of Deshanae Reed, Gianna Nathaniel, Kyla Owens and Ti'Anna Murphy-Ryan placed fourth with a time of 51.37 which broke a school record that had stood since 1977. Kareem Owens placed eighth in the 300m Hurdles.

Girls Varsity Soccer Wins First District Championship

The Comstock Colts girls varsity soccer team defeated the Springport Spartans 8-5 to claim its first-ever district championship in program history. The teams battled back and forth, and late in the game the score was 6-5.

However, Comstock scored twice in quick succession late in the match to seal the deal.

Comstock's scoring was paced by Kayla Berg, who had five goals, and Lydia Kruis, who scored three times.

Girls Varsity Soccer Team Wins First Conference Championship

The Girls Varsity Soccer Team won its first ever BCS (Berrien-Cass-St. Joseph) League Conference Championship this spring.

Team members are Megan James, Kayla Berg, Natalie DeYoung-Foster, Samantha Nicholson, Isabelle Martin-Havlock, Julia Kruis, Lydia Kruis, Summer Beavers, Maya DeYoung-Foster, Litzy Ramirez, Leslie Ramirez, Madigan Webster, Anna Putti, and Noelle Keene.

Leading the team were Head Coach Dean Walker and Assistant Coach, Amanda Clapper.

CHS Names Colt Credit Winners

Colt Credit winners for May were Isabele Jorgensen, Paisley Meyle, Evan Springer, Franciso Lopez, Marcus King, Jennavieve Weston, Caleigh Nichols, Bobby Dockins, Desiree Arrey, and Raymond Brooks.

Colt Credit winners are selected by the staff for their participation, academic excellence, or academic improvement.

CMS Honors Colts of the Week

Several middle school staff members were named Colts of the Week during the last semester of the school year. In alphabetical order, they are:

Update Contact Information

In an effort to ensure that all our families receive communications about their students, we are asking everyone to make sure we have up-to-date contact information.

Please log on to the Infinite Campus Portal and fill out the Online Registration to verify that we have all of the correct information for your students. This year this is also available from the Parent Portal App.

Please go to the Portal and log in. Select "MORE" from the menu, and then Online Registration on the left. Please follow the prompts. It will look like a new registration, but it is just to make sure everything is correct in our system. You just need one per family.

If you need a portal account, please contact us.

Infinite Campus has two apps to help you and your students stay up-to-date with grades and missing assignments.

Go to the App Store and search for "Campus Portal." There are two apps: one for students and one for parents. Make sure you select the correct one. When you launch the app, it will ask you to pick your state and school district.

Once you're signed in, you will see announcements as they are posted. If you enable push notifications, you can see assignments as soon as they are graded, and any that are missed. You can also see if your student was marked absent or tardy.

It's easy to schedule conferences and contact teachers quickly, or to see your student's EDP.

When making choices about how you wish to be contacted, go to the website, log in to Infinite Campus and indicate your preferences.

If you don't have a portal account, we're happy to get you connected. Please contact us.

Social studies teacher, Cynthia Bloom

Mrs. Bloom was nominated for her dedication to students which was described as unmatched.

"She is always thinking of them and their needs and how to serve them," her nominator said. "I love how she works hard to champion and support the students, too, like taking on Academic Awards or being the first to volunteer in previous food distributions, etc. She's awesome!"

Custodian, Mike Brown

Mr. Brown was nominated for being a hard worker who looks out for students and staff.

"He is always by the door to greet students as they walk in. He has such a positive presence at our school," said his nominator.

Social worker, Amanda Clapper

Ms. Clapper was nominated for her contributions to meetings, her positive attitude and encouragement.

Her nominator wrote, "Amanda always works hard to be positive and to encourage the staff. She brings a great positive energy to our building."

Administrative assistant, Laurie Connor

Ms. Connor was nominated for going out of her way to help both staff and students.

"She does a great job at juggling a million things all at once," according to the person who nominated her. "She is also great to be around and makes the workday brighter."

Seventh grade math teacher, Christine Hopson

According to her nominator, Ms. Hopson "has embraced the virtual learning realm and is continually thinking outside the box on ways to reach each student in her class."

Special education teacher, Todd Ide

Mr. Todd was nominated for his willingness to help especially with questions regarding technology.

"He is positive with the students and helps with ideas that will make them successful with classwork," said his nominator. "I appreciate his knowledge about particular students and his willingness to be flexible. . . It is nice to have someone who gets the specifics of our end of things, as not many people understand our work."

Eighth grade social studies teacher, Elizabeth Pierce

Of Ms. Pierce, her nominator said, "I admire her consistency in her classroom, her clarity in communication, and her desire to do what's right. She is a fair teacher, always, and wears a smile on her face. She's a joy to work with."

Principal Mark Wilke

Principal Wilke was described as a great boss by his nominator. "He is organized, timely, a great communicator, and quick to give praise to something he sees being done well," his nominator added. "I appreciate his professionalism, organization, and reliability."

Food Distribution Schedule

Loaves and Fishes and Comstock Public Schools will be hosting several food distribution events this summer. These will be held at Comstock Middle School from 4 to 6 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month. They are free and open to the public. No appointment is necessary.

Two distributions have already been held but the remaining ones are August 10 and September 14.

CES Aces M-STEP Audit

Comstock Elementary passed a state audit with the highest possible scores in all inspection categories.

Each year the Michigan Department of Education (MDE) conducts "assessment desk audits" of schools administering the Michigan Student Test of Educational Progress more commonly known as "The M-STEP."

MDE conducts these onsite inspections to ensure test reliability as well as student and educator fidelity to the testing protocols and regulations.

Congratulations to Principal Susan Caswell, Assistant Principal Courtney Boyce, Instructional Coach Shawn McMeekan and the entire staff for this outstanding accomplishment.



2021 Seniors Receive Diplomas at Delayed Graduation

The scheduled graduation for May 28 was delayed to Sunday, May 30, due to rainy weather. So on a warm, sunny, Sunday afternoon, students received their diplomas at the Bob Hamet Athletic Complex.

The stadium was filled with parents, family, and friends.

Student speakers were Macy Cannon, Alexander Kish, and Shelby Alexander. Teachers Kimberly Adams and Paul VanNiman called the roll of the graduates.

Comstock Board of Education President Pamela Dickinson, Vice President Matthew Schreiner, Trustee Karen Howes, Comstock Elementary School Principal Susan Caswell, and Superintendent Dr. Jeffrey Thoenes presented the diplomas and offered personal congratulations to each graduate.



Students march out to the field for their graduation ceremony.



Superintendent Jeff Thoenes addresses students, families, and friends at graduation.



Some students decorated their graduation caps with sentiments such as this one, "Don't you forget about me."



Family and friends celebrate with their graduates following the ceremony.





COMSTOCK HIGH SCHOOL FALL SPORTS SCHEDULES

Girls Varsity Golf

Mon 8/23	KVA - South Haven Jamboree @ Hawkshead	8:30AM
Wed 8/25	KVA - Berrien Springs Jamboree @ Pipestone Creek	4:00PM
Fri 9/3	KVA - Schoolcraft Jamboree @ State Golf Course	4:00PM
Wed 9/8	Allegan Dual @ Cheshire Hills	4:00PM
Fri 9/10	Comstock JV Golf Invite - Hickory Ridge	1:00PM
Tue 9/14	KVA - Comstock Jamboree - Eastern Hills	4:00PM
Thu 9/16	Comstock Varsity Invite - Eastern Hills	10:00AM
Fri 9/24	KVA - Kalamazoo Christian Jamboree @ Crestview	4:00PM
Mon 9/27	KVA - Conference Tourney	TBA

Boys Varsity Football

Thu 8/19	@ Parchment Scrimmage	10:00AM
Thu 8/26	@ Coloma High School	7:00PM
Thu 9/2	Allegan Public Schools	7:00PM
Fri 9/10	@ Cassopolis High School	7:00PM
Fri 9/17	White Pigeon Jr/Sr HS	7:00PM
Fri 9/24	@ Hartford Public Schools	7:00PM
Fri 10/1	@ Decatur High School	7:00PM
Fri 10/8	@ Centreville	7:00PM
Fri 10/15	South Haven High School	7:00PM
Fri 10/22	@ Comstock Park HS/MS	7:00PM

Girls & Boys Varsity Cross Country

Fri 8/20	@ Lawrence Early Bird Invitational	10:00AM
Tue 8/24	@ Three Rivers Big Hill Climb	5:00PM
Tue 8/31	@ Marshall Barney Roy Invitational	6:00PM
Wed 9/8	Comstock Meet w/SH & WP	6:00PM
Sat 9/11	@ Lakeview Invitational	10:00AM
Wed 9/22	SW10 Jamboree @ Centreville	5:30PM

Wed 10/6	SW10 Jamboree @ Bangor	5:30PM
Sat 10/9	@ Allegan Invitational	9:00AM
Sat 10/16	@ Bloomingdale Invitational	TBA
Wed 10/20	SW10 Jamboree @ Bloomingdale	5:30PM
Sat 10/23	Kalamazoo Christian Invitational	

Boys Varsity Soccer

Fri 8/20	Comstock Mini Tourney vs Pennfield & Vicksburg	4:00PM
Mon 8/23	@ Lawton Community Schools	6:00PM
Thu 8/26	Kalamazoo Christian High School	5:00PM
Mon 8/30	Cassopolis High School	5:00PM
Wed 9/1	@ Marcellus High School	5:00PM
Tue 9/7	Bloomingdale High School	5:00PM
Thu 9/9	@ Bangor Public Schools	5:00PM
Mon 9/13	Hartford Public Schools	5:00PM
Wed 9/15	@ Cassopolis High School	5:00PM
Thu 9/16	@ Schoolcraft High School	5:00PM
Mon 9/20	Marcellus High School	5:00PM
Wed 9/22	@ Bloomingdale High School	5:00PM
Thu 9/23	@ Parchment High School	6:00PM
Mon 9/27	Bangor Public Schools	5:00PM
Wed 9/29	@ Hartford Public Schools	5:00PM
Wed 10/6	Quincy High School	5:00PM
Thu 10/7	@ Coloma High School	6:00PM
Mon 10/11	Bronson JR/SR HS	6:00PM

Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball

Mon 8/9	First Practice Practice	TBA
Fri 8/20	Comstock Freshman Tournament	9:00AM
Sat 8/21	Comstock JV Tournament	9:00AM
Tue 8/24	Galesburg-Augusta HS	5:00PM
Sat 8/28	@ Portage Northern JV Tourney	8:30AM
Mon 8/30	@ Fennville Tri w/Decatur	5:00PM
Tue 9/7	@ Olivet Tri	5:00PM
Tue 9/14	@ Hartford Public Schools	5:30PM
Thu 9/16	Mendon HS	5:30PM

Tue 9/21	Bloomingdale High School	5:30PM
Thu 9/23	@ White Pigeon Jr/Sr HS	5:30PM
Sat 9/25	@ Constantine Invitational	9:00AM
Tue 9/28	@ Cassopolis High School	5:30PM
Thu 9/30	Bangor Public Schools	5:30PM
Tue 10/5	@ Centreville	5:30PM
Thu 10/7	Marcellus High School	5:30PM
Wed 10/13	Decatur High School	5:30PM
Tue 10/19	Comstock Tri Meet with Three Rives & Paw Paw	5:00PM
Tue 10/26	Comstock Quad w/ Bangor, Martin & Colon	5:00PM

Girls Varsity Volleyball

Mon 8/9	First Practice Practice	TBA
Sat 8/21	@ Lawton Invitational	8:30AM
Tue 8/24	Galesburg-Augusta HS	6:00PM
Sat 8/28	@ Loy Norrix Invitational	8:00AM
Mon 8/30	@ Fennville Tri w/Decatur	5:00PM
Tue 9/7	@ Olivet Tri	5:00PM
Tue 9/14	@ Hartford Public Schools	6:30PM
Thu 9/16	Mendon HS	6:30PM
Sat 9/18	@ Decatur Invitational	9:00AM
Tue 9/21	Bloomingdale High School	6:30PM
Thu 9/23	@ White Pigeon Jr/Sr HS	6:30PM
Tue 9/28	@ Cassopolis High School	6:30PM
Thu 9/30	Bangor Public Schools	6:30PM
Tue 10/5	@ Centreville	6:30PM
Thu 10/7	Marcellus High School	6:30PM
Sat 10/9	Comstock Varsity Tournament	9:00AM
Wed 10/13	Decatur High School	6:30PM
Sat 10/16	@ Southwest 10 Conference Tournament	9:00AM
Tue 10/26	Comstock Quad w/ Bangor, Martin & Colon	5:00PM



Sports News



2020-21 Physicals

All athletes must have a physical on file with the athletic department dated April 15, 2021, or later to begin high school sports on August 9 and middle school sports on August 23. Bronson is not able to provide doctors this year for us to put on a particular physical date at Comstock so families must set up their own physical dates

with their doctor. You can also go to a walk-in clinic like Hometown Urgent Care.

Please don't delay in taking care of this as it will be tougher to get the longer you wait. It is also possible to apply for reimbursement to the Josh Whitfield Athletic Fund if you need help with the cost which will be around \$25 at a walk-in clinic. You can call Justin Ansel at 269-250-8711 with any questions.

Stadium Reserved Seating

We no longer will have reserved seating in the stadium. The seats will be available on a first-come, first-served basis.

Season Pass Workers Needed

We are coordinating workers for the next school year right now. If you would like to work at eight athletic events for a family pass, please contact the athletic office. Some of the job duties include ticket taking, running the clock, keeping the scorebook, and announcing and timing for track meets. We have a lifetime pass for all our senior citizens for free. If senior citizens would still like to help out at our athletic events, we would love to have you here, but it is not required. Please give us a call at 269-250-8711 to let us know if you are interested in working.

Hall of Fame Banquet and Nominations

The 2021 Comstock Hall of Fame Banquet has been postponed to Saturday, April 30, 2022. The Comstock Hall of Fame committee is still accepting nominations, but those nominations will most likely be considered for the 2023 banquet. Nominations must be received by the athletic director by November 1 to be included in the process for the 2022 induction. A nomination form

can be found on the back page of this newsletter or online at www.comstockps.org/halloffame. Please email Justin Ansel at anselj@comstockps.org with any questions.

High School Fall Sports Start Dates

Practice for the fall high school sports season will begin on August 9 for football, boys soccer, volleyball, cross country, girls golf and sideline cheer. Start times will be listed on the athletic website at www.comstockcolts.org.

Middle School Fall Sports Start Dates

Practice for middle school seventh-eighth grade football, sixth-eighth grade girls volleyball, sixth-eighth grade boys soccer, seventh-eighth grade sideline cheer and fifth-eighth grade boys and girls cross country will tentatively begin on Monday, August 23.

Official start times will be listed on the athletic website at www.comstockcolts.org as we get closer to the beginning of the season. All middle school football, volleyball, boys soccer, sideline cheer and cross country runners must have a physical on file with the athletic office in order to participate.

Comstock Township Library Events

Comstock Library is FINE FREE! The library does not charge fines for overdue materials, with the exception of mobile hotspots and Playaway Launchpads. Also, all outstanding overdue fines have been cleared. If you have long overdue library items, you can bring them back without penalty.

Curbside service is available! Call us at 269-345-0136 to place an order or place holds through the online catalog and call us after you receive notice that your holds have arrived. Ring the library's doorbell when you come to get your items or call us from the parking lot and we'll bring them out to you checked out and ready to go.

Did you know you can check out magazines, including the most current issues? Stop by the front desk for available issues to check out and enjoy at home.

If you do not have a library card, and do not want to come into the library to get one, sign up for a temporary card that will allow you to access our digital materials. Visit <https://www.comstock-library.org> to fill out an application form.

Visit our website for information on services and virtual events. Sign up for our eNewsletter so you can stay current with all the latest library news and events!

CURRENT LIBRARY HOURS:

Current Library Hours:
Monday-Thursday 9:30 a.m. – 8 p.m.
Friday 9:30 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Saturday 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Adult Events

Summer Reading Program for Adults: Report the books you've read on our website. Enter a form for every book you read or listen to from June 1 until August 31 for weekly drawings. The grand prize will be a gift basket full of out-of-this-world surprises. Registration is required for the Summer Reading Program and can be done on our website. Go to "Programs" and it will be under "Upcoming Events." You may also call 345-0136.

Origami on Zoom: August 16 at 6 p.m. Join the Comstock Township Library and local artist Heather Briggs for an evening of origami making! Registration is required for this session and begins August 1 on our website, comstocklibrary.org, "Events." Please provide your email address so we can send you the Zoom information. You may also register by calling 345-0136. The number of participants is limited. Participants can pick-up their craft kit the week of August 9.

IN PERSON! Adult Craft: Autumn Wreath, Wednesday, September 15 at 5:30 p.m. Make an autumn wreath out of an embroidery hoop, wooden balls, and floral embellishments. Registration is required for this free event and begins September 7 on our website. Go to Programs and it will be under "Upcoming Events." You may also register by calling 345-0136. Space is limited.

IN PERSON! Adult Craft: Needle Felted Succulents: September 29 at 6 p.m. Join the Comstock Township Library and local artist Emily Wohlscheid to make needle felted succulents. This is a great place for people to start exploring and building their fiber skill set. Registration is required for this free craft and begins September 1 on our website, comstocklibrary.org, "Events." You may also register by calling 345-0136. The number of participants is limited. Participants will be given a supply bag at the start of the program. This program is happening in person in the Heritage Room.

Adult Pick-Up Crafts: Trinket Dish. Mod podge vintage napkins to a dish to hold your coins, treasures, keys, etc. This adult take-home craft kit includes instructions and all materials. There will also be an instructional video posted on YouTube. Go to youtube.com and search for "Comstock Township Library." Registration is required for this free craft and begins August 9 on our website, comstocklibrary.org, "Events." You may also register by calling 345-0136. The number of participants is limited. Participants can pick-up their craft the week of August 16.

Youth Events

Summer Reading Program for Children and Teens: Runs until August 31.

Children and teens can register online using Wandoo Reader or by visiting the Youth Department. You will have until the end of the month to complete and turn in your reading logs

for prizes and grand prize entries. Grand Prize drawings will take place the first week of September.

Summer Reading Program for Children and Teens: Programs run until August 12.

We will have weekly programs and storytimes for all different ages. Almost all of our in-person programs require registration, so please call, check our website events calendar, or our Facebook Events before attending any in-person event. For events that do require registration, every child participating should be registered individually, and due to limitations, only those registered will be allowed to participate. ALL IN-PERSON EVENTS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE OR CANCELLATION DUE TO WEATHER OR COVID-19.

Storytimes: Ms. Sue will be hosting two storytimes every week: Baby Storytime for kids two and under (siblings welcome) on Tuesday mornings at 10:30 on the library's side lawn, and a larger Family Storytime at Merrill Park on Thursday mornings at 10:30. Masks will be required for all participants aged four and older (even if outdoors), and social-distancing will be required. Blankets and/or chairs are recommended, as storytimes will take place on the grass. **Storytimes are subject to change or cancellation*.*

Teen Events: Ms. Traci has planned some great teen events for the Summer Reading Program! These in-person programs will take place every other Wednesday. REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED FOR TEEN EVENTS, AS SUPPLIES ARE LIMITED. Masks will be required for all participants in teen in-person events, even if outdoors.

STEAM Events: STEAM stands for "Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math." On the first of each month Ms. Traci will have limited STEAM take-home kits available. Also, every other week, Ms. Traci will have a super-fun in-person STEAM activity for kids to enjoy! These in-person events will take place every other Monday outside of the library. REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED FOR IN-PERSON STEAM, AS SUPPLIES ARE LIMITED. Masks will be required for all participants aged four and older at in-person events, even if outdoors.

Arts & Crafts: Ms. Brenna has planned a variety of cool arts and crafts for this summer. All arts and

crafts programs will be scheduled for alternating weeks. One week is a take-home craft; the next week is in-person, etc. REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED FOR ALL IN-PERSON CRAFTS, and very limited spots will be available.

Take-home crafts will be available the Monday of their scheduled week, while supplies last. In-person events will take place on Fridays, with two sessions offered.

Teens will have a monthly take-home craft on the first of each month, while supplies last. Masks will be required for all participants aged four and older at in-person events, even if outdoors.

The Animal Guy: August 7. Nelson "The Animal Guy" from the Wildlife Safari in Canton, Michigan, will be bringing a variety of really awesome animals for kids to see and enjoy. There will be two shows, at 10:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. Registration is required, and spots are limited. There are no age restrictions for this show. Masks will be required for all participants aged four and older at in-person events, even if outdoors.

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Follow us on Instagram at [comstocktownship-library](https://www.instagram.com/comstocktownship-library) or visit our online calendar for more information regarding programs: comstocklibrary.evanced.info/signup



We have Homebound Library Services! Please call the library for information.



Wi-Fi is available in the library. You may also ask about checking out one of our mobile hotspots.



We have fax, photocopy, and scanning services available.



Download free audiobooks, ebooks, music, and video from home through our digital services, Hoopla and Overdrive (Libby). Go to <https://www.comstocklibrary.org/ebooks.asp> for a complete list of all our available digital materials.

COMSTOCK HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME NOMINATION FORM

INDIVIDUAL Nomination

Name of Nominee _____

Address _____ City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Work/Cell Phone _____ E-mail _____

High School Attended _____ Year of Graduation _____

College Attended (If Applicable) _____ Year of Graduation _____

of Varsity Letters - Boys Sports

_____ Football	_____ Soccer
_____ Tennis	_____ X Country
_____ Basketball	_____ Wrestling
_____ Bowling	_____ Baseball
_____ Track	_____ Golf
_____ Swimming	_____ Hockey

of Varsity Letters - Girls Sports

_____ Volleyball	_____ Golf
_____ X Country	_____ Sideline Cheer
_____ Basketball	_____ Competitive Cheer
_____ Bowling	_____ Softball
_____ Track	_____ Tennis
_____ Soccer	_____ Swimming



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1. Special Comstock Athletic Awards (MVP, MIP, All Conference, All State, Coach of the Year, etc.)
2. Career Highlights (Most points in game, Most goals in game, etc.)
3. College Athletic Achievements (If Applicable)
4. Athletic Involvement after H.S. and College (Professional, Officiating, Coaching, etc.)
5. Please list any other information which would be helpful to the committee.

TEAM Nomination - (Must have contact information for all team members to be considered.)

Year _____ Sport _____ Coach _____

PLEASE USE SEPARATE PIECE OF PAPER

1. Names of Team Members
2. Special Team Accomplishments (Championships, Records, etc)
3. Please list any other information which would be helpful to the committee.

INDIVIDUAL or TEAM Nominated By:

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Work/Cell Phone _____ E-mail _____

*Please mail this form to: Justin Ansel, Director of Athletics,
Comstock High School, 2107 N. 26th St., Kalamazoo, MI 49048*