



# The Principal's Post



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## Communication...

As I look back to 2021, I am again reminded of the high level of dedication and effort that our staff and parents put forth to make Lynchburg-Clay Middle School the best school in the area. We have had an outstanding first semester due to the combined efforts of our students, parents, faculty and staff. Our students have been busy with a variety of activities including: participating in sports and extracurricular activities, fundraising activities, and giving back to the community. I want to thank our Athletic Boosters for their continued support of our students as well. As always, let our staff know if you have any concerns or if we can assist your child in anyway. Together we can make 2022 a great year!

### Dates to Remember

January 17:  
MLK Day/ No School

January 20:  
Parent Teacher Conferences

February 21:  
President's Day/ No School

March 10:  
Pi Day Celebration/ Spring Dance

March 11:  
End of 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter/ No School

## What's Going On...

This fall our 6<sup>th</sup> grade students competed in a poster contest sponsored by the Lynchburg Lion's Club. This year's poster theme was "We are all Connected."



Left: Winners of the Lions Club Poster Contest (L to R) Lily Layne, Tanner Roberts, Hayley Crase, Libby Watson, and Aubrey Roberts.



Below: Scenes from our Halloween Incentive Dance.

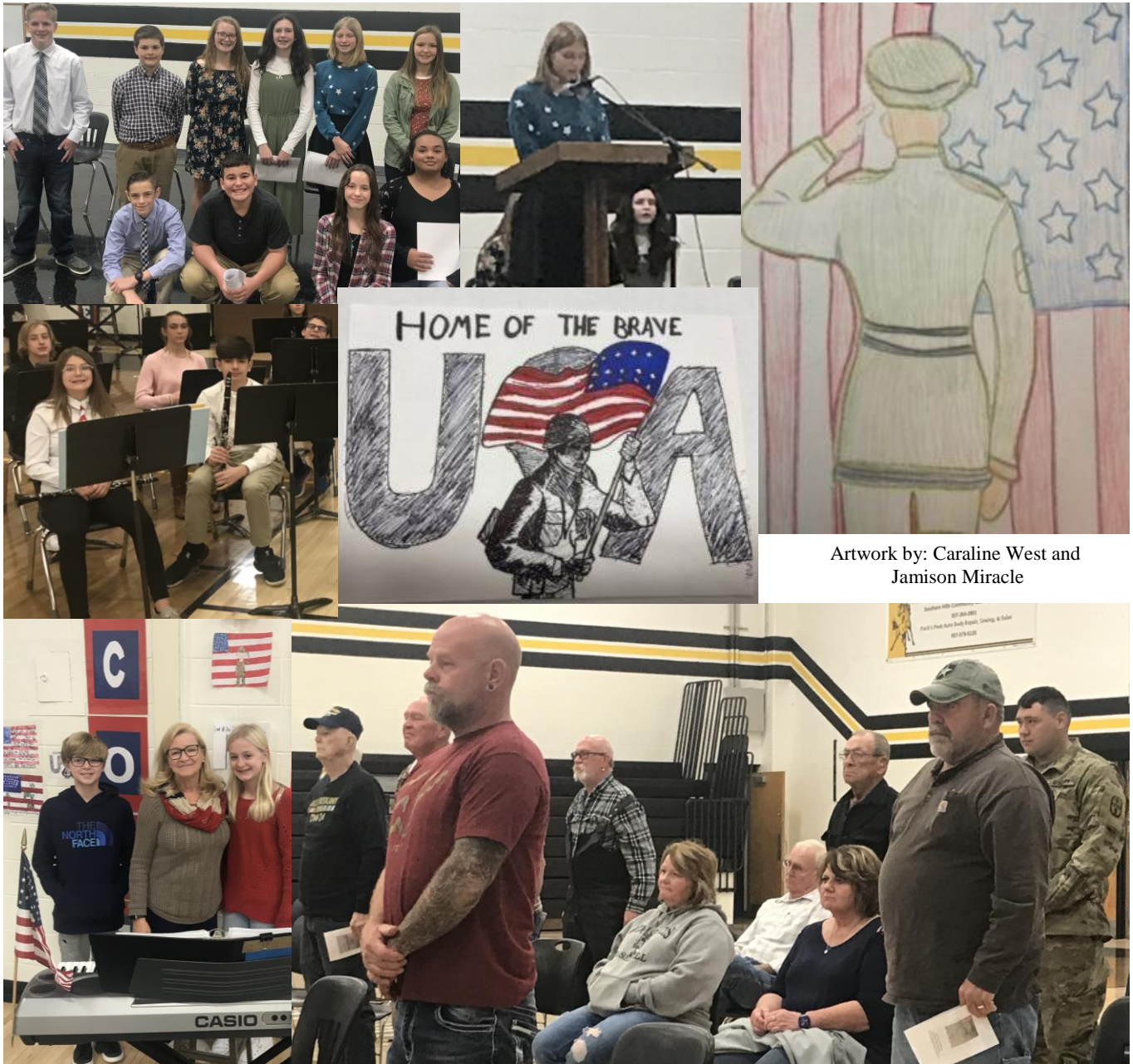


## *In Honor of Our Veterans...*

On November 10, 2020 Lynchburg-Clay Middle School hosted a Veterans Day assembly for all students, faculty, and the Lynchburg-Clay community. Over 20 veterans attended to celebrate with us from all branches and decades of service. The program showed respect and recognition for those who have served and those who are currently serving our country. Our students assisted in the program with Caden Boone and Cayleb Watson serving as the emcees. Destiny Reynolds sang the *Star Spangled Banner*, Wyatt Osborn led the Pledge of Allegiance, Kaden Vilvens said a prayer, Mattie Magee and Caitlyn Collins read a poem they created, Kylie O'Connor and Na'Kaia Kinney spoke about "What Veterans Day Means to Me" and Audrey Barry recognized the veterans individually.

The middle school band performed the patriotic song *American Medley*. 6<sup>th</sup> Grade teacher Mrs. Hamilton performed a piano tribute to the military branches of service with Carter and Lily Layne assisting.

Lynchburg-Clay Middle School would like to thank all veterans for their continued sacrifice and dedication to our country.



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