



# The Principal's Post



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### Communication...

As we end the 2021-2022 school year I want to take a moment and thank all parents, students and staff, for their determination and hard work. The year's end always brings with it a tremendous sense of achievement. So many things have been accomplished this year! From the Walk-A-Thon near the beginning of the year to the Grade 8 Recognition— our students have been involved in an extraordinary number of activities. Of course, we should not forget the tremendous amount of learning which has taken place during the year. Throughout all of these activities our students have demonstrated great character!

A final word to our students: Thank you for all your hard work throughout the school year. I am so honored to be your principal; you make me proud to be a Mustang. You keep me laughing and young at heart. Best wishes to our 8<sup>th</sup> graders, whom I will miss greatly—please come back and visit. Everyone have a safe and relaxing summer break.

### Mission

#### Statement

The Lynchburg-Clay School District is committed to continuous improvement. Through the combined efforts of the entire school community, we will provide challenging standards-driven curriculum and research-based instructional practices so that all children within our charge shall achieve at the highest level of learning.



### Track and Field...

The girls and boys had a remarkable track and field season this year. Some highlights from the conference meet include Caitlyn Collins who took home 1<sup>st</sup> running the 100m hurdles and 200m dash. Claudia Etienne and Destiny Reynolds running the 1600m run. A 2<sup>nd</sup> Place in the 4x100m relay composed of team members Leila Hughes, Caitlyn Collins, Brianna Garrett and Claudia Etienne. Derek Smith took 3<sup>rd</sup> in the 100m dash and Mason Fisher and Cayleb Watson ran the 1600m run. The 4x100m relay composed of Elam Faust, Kyler Fite, Austin Manning, and Derek Smith took 1<sup>st</sup>. Ashton Bain placed in the shot put and discus throws. Cairen Goings took 2<sup>nd</sup> in the high jump. And the 4x200m relay team placed 3<sup>rd</sup> with team members Xavier Higgins, Austin Manning, Kyler Fite, and Rhalston Greene.



### Dates to Remember

**June 3: Report Cards Mailed**

**August 15: Open House 4-6pm**

**August 17: 6<sup>th</sup> Grade First Day of School**

**August 18: All Students Return to School**

**September 2: Two Hour Early Dismissal**

**September 5-9: No School Labor Day/ Fair Break**

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### ***New Start Time...***

When we return from Summer Break students will be permitted to enter the building at 7:15am. Breakfast will be served until 7:30am and class will begin at 7:30am. Any student who arrives after 7:30am will be marked as tardy.

### ***8<sup>th</sup> Grade Trip...***

Our 8<sup>th</sup> Graders visited Gettysburg, Philadelphia, and Hershey, Pennsylvania as part of their four day class trip. The students reported that they learned a lot about American History, and had a great time with their friends. A special thank you to our staff who take time out of their personal lives to chaperone and support our students on this trip.



### ***Final Forms...***

Our district will be moving to an electronic student registration system. *Final Forms* is a program designed to streamline the process of student registration and move us in a direction that is more efficient and paperless. *All families* will need to register their students this summer. After this initial year, families will simply need to log on and update their student's information for each new school year. The system will fill in many of the forms automatically reducing the need for parents to fill out forms by hand.