

June 3, 2022

Dear Lamoille North Families,

It is hard to believe that we have one week of school remaining in this school year. Summer camps are getting ready for our students and each program is excited to offer enrichment, fun and opportunities for a variety of field trips and hands-on learning!



Next week, we have graduation celebrations occurring almost each day. The graduation schedule is as follows:

Tuesday, June 7, 2022, 6:00 pm - GMTCC Completion Ceremony - LUHS Gym Wednesday, June 8, 2022, 6:00 pm – Hyde Park Elementary School Thursday, June 9, 2022, 5:30 pm – Waterville Elementary School Thursday, June 9, 2022, 6:00 pm – Cambridge Elementary School Thursday, June 9, 2022, 6:00 pm - Eden Central School Friday, June 10, 2022, 5:30 pm – Johnson Elementary School Saturday, June 11, 2022, 11:00 am – Lamoille Union High School

Lamoille Union Middle School will have the school's traditional Awards Ceremony on Friday. June 10, 2022, from 8:30-9:30 am in the high school auditorium.



In Vermont news yesterday, Governor Scott signed Bill S.100 into law which means that Universal School Meals will continue for another year and the legislature will seek permanent funding for it to continue! To everyone who sent emails, made phone calls, or testified, thank you so much! We extend a special thank you to our Nutrition Director, Karyl Kent, for her strong advocacy for the provision of universal meals for all children.

In school news, on Thursday, June 2, 2022, the GMTCC Forestry Program hosted The Vermont Woodsmen Games at Atkins Field in Hardwick. After a two-year hiatus due to COVID-19, forestry students from CTE centers across northern VT were able to compete in 18 different events that demonstrated their skill and learning. Events ranged from precision cutting to tree climbing, to chainsaw maintenance, all of which were judged by volunteer forestry professionals from across the state. GMTCC placed first in most of the individual events and took first place overall in the team competition. A great day was had by all who attended!



In other school news, and as we wrap up athletics for the year, Athletic Director, Tim Messier, writes:

"As the spring 2022 athletic season draws to a close, I would like to take this opportunity to share my thanks and appreciation with the student athletes and coaches of Lamoille Union. As seems the norm in our present world, the spring season was not without its challenges. Mother Nature, field conditions, and a shortage of officials often resulted in last-minute changes and

many events being rescheduled. I am thoroughly impressed by the patience, flexibility and understanding demonstrated by all involved.

Each team has much to celebrate as each improved, grew and matured together. Through both victory and defeat, life lessons were learned and memories made. I am particularly proud of how our student athletes, coaches, fans/supporters and families/caregivers conducted themselves throughout the spring, and the entire year for that matter. At both home and away events, the "Blue and Gold" was on full display as was our "Loud and Proud" Lancer sportsmanship. We truly have an incredibly supportive community.

I wish our seniors the absolute best in their futures and look forward to the 2022-2023 school year and the return of next years' student athletes.

Please feel free to stop by Lamoille Union High School and join our end-of-year Athletic Department celebration Monday, June 6, 2022, at 5:30 pm. The event will begin in the LUHS theatre and will then move to the lobby for a dessert social.

Go Lancers!"

Lastly, please be on the lookout for information from your building Principals regarding all scheduled events for the last week of school. On behalf of our entire school administration, we are celebrating our students and are excited to finish the year with joy, optimism and anticipation for the coming year.

Thank you for your continued support and kindness.

My best to you,

Catherine Gallagher, M.Ed. Superintendent of Schools Lamoille North Supervisory Union