



## LANE TECH COLLEGE PREP HIGH SCHOOL

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### REGULAR MEETING MINUTES:

**Lane Tech High School Local School Council Regular Meeting** Notice is hereby given that the Local School Council meeting has been set for: **Thursday, May 9, 2024, at 6:00 PM**, in Room 113, 2501 W. Addison, or on Google Meet. Join Google - [meet.google.com/tfr-jjva-dhc](https://meet.google.com/tfr-jjva-dhc)

Following are the meeting minutes. The original posted Meeting Agenda items are listed with the meeting minutes noted directly below.

#### 1. Call Meeting to Order

Benjamin Wong called on May 9, 2024, at the LSC Meeting to Order at 6:04 PM

#### 2. Roll Call / Establish Quorum (8 minimum)

**Present:** Catherine Ashlaw-Doherty (Sergeant of Arms), Tikisha Bufford (6:09), Rebecca Daly (6:50 depart), Owen Frasor, Maureen George, Susannah Gottlieb ( 6:09), Sean Groh, Anne Lokken (Co-Chair OMA/FOIA), Mario Nunez, Divinefavour Osuji, Ana Scales, Edwina Thompson (Principal), Dannixa Velez, Benjamin Wong (Chair)

**Absent:** Jamie Fleischmann, **Virtual:** [(5 ILCS 120/7) Sec. 7.]

#### **Quorum Established**

#### 3. Approve the Agenda

Ben Wong recommended removing from Resolutions Academic Decathlon Team - National Champions (exams), and acknowledging the Girls City Soccer Champion Team, The Alpha Stem Science Fair Winners: Alexander Czempinski and Landra Ream, and the International Science Fair Alternate Participants: Divine Osuji and Adrian Lee. A.Mental Health Fair B.Karyssa

**Motion:** approve the changes to the Agenda

**By:** Anne Lokken

**Second:** Catherine Ashlaw-Doherty

**Vote:** Unanimous, in favor

**Opposed:** None

**Abstained:** None

**Result:** Motion Passes

4. Approve Old Minutes

**Motion:** To approve April Minutes

**By:** Ben Wong

**Second:** Anne Lokken

**Vote:** Unanimous, in favor

**Opposed:** None

**Abstained:** Dannixa Velez, Sean Groh

**Result:** Motion Passes

5. Public Participation

2 minutes each

Public Participation -Two minutes per speaker for no more than one hour (unless otherwise extended by the LSC). Sergeant-at-arms to monitor the rotating in-person and virtual Google 'Chat' during public participation. <https://ilga.gov/legislation/publicacts/fulltext.asp?Name=103-0311>

-None -

6. LSC Resolutions

- A. Mental Health Fair
- B. Karyssa Vasavanont - Alpine Ski Racing
- C. Lisa Applebaum
- D. Varsity Boys Tennis Team - City Champion

7. New Business

- A. Purchase Orders and Fundraisers - Jill Woods

**Purchase Orders (2)**

1. Great America DBA Six Flags Great America \$49,272.00 senior class grad nite at Six Flags on Saturday, May 11, 2024 (Senior Graduation 26110 46221-124-57705-211210-002239)
2. Bedford, Freeman, and Worth \$46,403.18 Presidential election American government for AP Government (46221-115-53305-113064-000575)

**Fundraisers (3)**

1. Flag Football Booster Club Summer Camp 06/17-06/21/2024
2. Girls Volleyball Booster Club Summer camp 06/24-06/28/2024
3. Boys Soccer Booster Club potbelly dine out giveback night on 05/13/2024

**Motion:** To approve the POs and Fundraisers

**By:** Anne Lokken

**Second:** Maureen George

**Vote:** Unanimous, in favor

**Opposed:** None

**Abstained:** None

**Result:** Motion Passes

B. Quick Start Fees Approval

**Motion:** To approve the Quick Start 2024 - 2025 Fees (see attached)

**By:** Ben Wong

**Second:** Rebecca Daly

**Vote:** Unanimous, in favor

**Opposed:** None

**Abstained:** None

**Result:** Motion Passes

C. June Meeting Vote / July Organizational Meeting Date

**Motion:** To cancel the June LSC Meeting

**By:** Ben Wong

**Second:** Rebecca Daly

**Vote:** Unanimous, in favor

**Opposed:** None

**Abstained:** None

**Result:** Motion Passes

**Motion:** to set the annual LSC Organizational Meeting, Wednesday, July 10, 2024, at 5:30 pm, room 113. Note: entry on Western and Addison, Door M - closed, parking lot restoration.

**By:** Ben Wong

**Second:** Maureen George

**Vote:** Unanimous, in favor

**Opposed:** None

**Abstained:** Tikkisha Bufford

**Result:** Motion Passes

## 8. Reports

### A. Principal (see attached)

AP exams are happening now. Shout out to our assessment coordinators Katie Gomez, and Allison Hiderbrant, and our staff, teachers, and counselors.

The District's Chief Operating Officer, Mr. Charles Mayfield, toured the building with Principal Thompson. She expressed LT's interest in securing funding for the phase 2 HVAC building project - the Cooling System. He looked at roof drains, ADA-accessible doors, the pool, locker rooms, the gyms, the auditorium, and the brick masonry. The parking lot project is set for the summer and will be completed before school begins. The 1st HVAC project will end this summer and LT can focus on these next ones. Summer programs will continue.

### B. PPLC

The PPLC met on Tuesday and discussed executive functioning, especially for our Freshman. The teachers will utilize this with PD. The staff will assess feedback on several areas such as cell phone use policy (referencing the book - The Anxious Generation), student attendance, and I-Days.

### C. Friends of Lane - Lisa Applebaum

The Gala was this past Friday at Theater on the Lake. The Gala had buttons that identified parents and graduating years. 596 tickets were sold. The Gala had a variety of food vendors, the auction is closed but there are about 4 items still available. Phase 2 for computer carts and electrical works.

The Teacher Grant: 18 K to date.

Store Sales are doing well.

Ice cream social for staff appreciation.

Business committee - to update the banners around the school.

Next Wednesday at Borrelli's and the following at Third Rail at the Loop - social gathering.

Looking at the board slates for the 2024/2025 school year.

The end-of-the-year community event is in May.

Thank you for the volunteer event at the Village Tap, and will have the Gala check, to present to Principal Thompson.

### D. Students

Sean - We had the student council election. We have a new president.

Owen -Senior Decision Day, AP exams, National Honor Society - big Volunteer event.

Divine - Divine-Alpha will present the first year of research on May 22. Alpha will hold its first social event on May 21st.

### E. Alumni Association ( See attached report)

F. BAC - NA

9. Old Business

A. Community Surveys (LT student population 4,330)

*Parent Surveys:* Ben Wong

544 parents / 43 zip codes, completed the survey, up from last year. 8.83 would recommend Lane.

33.8 % of the responders had students enrolled in the 9th grade. 26% 10, 22% - 11th, 13% 12th. & 7- 8% were from LTAC.

86% have graduated from Lane.

57% of their students are participating in athletics and clubs. 16% in Service clubs, 17% in the arts, 10% in academic teams, and 16% in others.

67% positive - extracurricular activities impacted their child's involvement.

75% - homework amount and quality appropriate.

45% - outstanding trust in the administration.

62% - outstanding with class programming.

Access to resources and guidance - college process 34% cannot evaluate 28% outstanding.

Access to clubs - 58% outstanding.

Clarity of the goals are programs of study pursuing 34% above average.

Communication from school: 52% outstanding and teachers 33% above average.

Facility/improvement - 34% above average.

Safety 36% Outstanding, Happiness 47%,

*Climate:*

Supportive and inviting 46% Strongly agree.

Students comfortable talking with teachers /counselors about problems 36% strongly agree.

Socio-emotional Development: 31% strongly agree.

Belief in child's success - 43% strongly agree. 34% strongly agree - admin listening and is responsive to parent and student needs.

Feels welcomed 46% strongly agree parents/child 53% strongly agree.

The child feels comfortable expressing opinions without being/feeling judged 33% strongly agree.

Niche (child) in the community 39% strongly agree.

To feel part of the Lane family 30% agree.

*Student Surveys - Sean Groh*

Takeaways: 429 student responses.

42% of respondents rated “Above average” the quality of their relationships with teachers; 28% “Outstanding” and 27% “Satisfactory”

41% of respondents selected “Satisfactory” for the quality of their relationship with their counselor; 23% “Above average” and 20% “Outstanding”

43% of respondents believe their involvement in EC’s very positive impact their Lane experience

38% are neutral about the attendance policy

39% believe they have found their community at Lane Tech

41% believe the administration creates and supports a climate that values, accepts, and understands diversity

The quality of teacher access and feedback - 42% above average.

The quality of counselors - access and guidance 41% satisfactory.

Communication from school is 36% above average.

School safety is 40% above average.

1-3 hours are spent on extracurricular activities 45% and 43% said it positively impacts experience at Lane.

39%, 1-3 hours of homework spent a week.

Attendance policy - 38% neutral to it.

45% Agree Lane is a supportive and inviting place for students.

19% feel comfortable talking with teachers and counselors.

39% found a place with the LT community.

29% would rate an 8/10 to recommend Lane.

31% rarely feel comfortable approaching an admin.

40% often feel the school culture and environment develop students' creative, social/emotional behavioral, and physical capabilities.

41% create and support values and accept and understand diversity.

29% agree/strongly agree to receive programming support from a counselor.

25% receive college counseling support and 28% agree on timely counselor responses.

32% feel comfortable reaching out regarding programming and college assistance.

95% know who their counselor is;78% meet with their counselor at least once.

26% agree CCC is informative regarding college.

*Teacher/Staff Surveys - Mario Nunez*

97 teacher responses:

86% are teachers. 31% have worked at LT for 5-10 years and 11% for 21-25 years.

50% outstanding -delivers on school mission.

42% above average - provides staff with tech and supplies.30% outstanding leadership works with staff.

36% feel Lane advocates for students.

Creates a safe environment for students, staff, and self.

62% of the time: ensures that staff communicates promptly and effectively.

58% appropriate curriculum.

Promotes proven curriculum and use of achievement data strategies 47%

44% Standards with bale/AP curriculum.

Feedback: Instructional core:

Collaborate with staff 40%.

Timely 37%

Availability and support 42%/.

51% - feel accessible and approachable.

Welcoming environment 56%

55% appreciation for staff.

Recommend Lane: 48% would rate a 10.

[Powerpoint Presentation available upon request]

10. Announcements

11. Adjournment

**Motion:** To adjourn at 7:55 PM

**By:** Ben Wong

**Second:** Susannah Gottlieb

**Vote:** Unanimous, in favor

**Opposed:** None

**Abstained:** None

**Result:** Motion Passes

Respectfully Submitted,

Ana Scales

LT LSC Secretary







# *A Resolution*

## *of the Lane Tech Local School Council*

### *Honoring Lane Tech's Advocate Mental Health Resource Fair*

*Whereas, Lane Tech is known as the School of Champions having a rich century-old tradition of academics, athletics, the Arts, with a new focus on our students' well being;*

*Whereas, Lane Tech Social Worker Laura McLaughlin-Kantowicz, with the assistance of the student mental health resource advocates, Kya Enders, Grayson Fox, Sean Groh, Sarah Means, Katelynd Price, Briyana Ward, and in conjunction with May being mental health awareness month, Lane Tech held its first Advocate Mental Health Resource Fair honoring mental health awareness in the Lane Tech community;*

*Whereas, students, staff, parents and caregivers were able to learn more about mental health resources from the eight different agencies that were in attendance; agencies that accept Medicaid, and/or offer free or low-fee services, representing many areas of Chicago, ranging from the far south side to the west side;*

*Whereas, a wellness practitioner from one of the community agencies provided a sound healing and meditation experience for students and staff to find a moment of zen and quiet restoration;*

*Whereas, the attendees also were able to participate in the Fair's games, giveaways and prizes;*

*Whereas, Ms. Laura McLaughlin-Kantowicz, Kya Enders, Grayson Fox, Sean Groh, Sarah Means, Katelynd Price, Briyana Ward and members of the Advocate Mental Health Resource Fair have once again added their names to and enhanced the legacy of Lane Tech as the School of Champions; now therefore,*

*BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Lane Tech Local School Council, on behalf of the Lane Tech community, do hereby recognize and commend the aforementioned social worker and students for their outstanding dedication and achievements and look with pride to their continued success.*

**R-2023-017**

*Adopted this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May 2024*



# *A Resolution*

## *of the Lane Tech Local School Council*

### *Honoring Karyssa Vasavanont*

*Whereas, Lane Tech is known as the School of Champions having a rich century-old tradition of excellence in academics, athletics and the Arts;*

*Whereas, the students of Lane Tech continue to exhibit the dedication, sacrifice, teamwork, passion, fairness, and spirit which are the true hallmarks of a Champion;*

*Whereas, Karyssa Vasavanont was named to Team Illinois to compete in the 2024 Western High School Championships in Alpine Ski Racing that were held in Mammoth, California in March 2024.*

*Whereas, Karyssa finished in the top half in both Giant Slalom and Slalom Skiing against skiers from eight other states, including skiing hotbeds Colorado, California and Minnesota;*

*Whereas, Karyssa had the second fastest time for Team Illinois in the Giant Slalom competition;*

*Whereas, Karyssa also holds the title as the U16 Gold Division Champion in the 2023 NASTAR National Slalom Championships - Juniors Division; now therefore,*

*BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Lane Tech Local School Council, on behalf of the Lane Tech community, do hereby recognize and commend Karyssa Vasavanont for her outstanding and extraordinary talent exhibited and look with pride to her continued success.*

**R-2023-018**

*Adopted this 9th day of May 2024*





# *A Resolution*

## *of the Lane Tech Local School Council*

### *Honoring Lisa Applebaum*

*Whereas, Lane Tech is known as having a rich century-old tradition of excellence and much of it happens behind the scenes;*

*Whereas, Lisa Applebaum has been a proud and committed Lane Tech Parent since 2010, having watched her three children thrive at the halls of Lane Tech - Levi (c/o 2014); Caleb (c/o 2016); and Malachi (c/o 2024);*

*Whereas, Lisa is a past Lane Tech LSC Chairperson, serving from 2014-16 and has been an LSC member, serving from 2012-2016;*

*Whereas, Lisa has volunteered at Lane Tech's Annual Fundraiser sponsored by the PTSO (FOL's predecessor) and coordinated volunteers at the Friends of Lane's Annual Gala for three years from 2022 to 2024; she has helped raise hundreds of thousands of dollars for the benefit of Lane Tech;*

*Whereas, Lisa has spent countless hours in the Friends of Lane School Store, serving as Manager from 2012-2016 and again as Co-Manager from 2020 to 2024;*

*Whereas, Lisa also has worked on, organized and/or participated in countless events for Lane Tech, including Open Houses, Quick Start and as an AP Monitor; now therefore,*

*BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Lane Tech Local School Council, on behalf of the Lane Tech community, do hereby recognize and commend Lisa Applebaum for her outstanding contributions and commitment to the Lane Tech community.*

*R-2023-019*

*Adopted this 9th day of May 2024*



# *A Resolution*

## *of the Lane Tech Local School Council*

### *Honoring Our 2023-24 Boys Tennis City Champions*

*Whereas, Lane Tech is known as the School of Champions having a rich century-old tradition of academic and athletic excellence;*

*Whereas, the student-athletes of Lane Tech continue to exhibit the dedication, sacrifice, teamwork, fair play and spirit, which are the true hallmarks of a champion;*

*Whereas, the 2023-24 Spring Season produced yet another City Championship for Lane Tech;*

*Whereas, the Boy Varsity Tennis Team are Chicago Public League Tennis Champions and were undefeated in the Chicago Public League regular season, with a 7-0 record, the second straight year in being undefeated in CPL Dual Meets;*

*Whereas, Marko McRae was the No. 1 singles flight CPL Tournament Champion and currently has a 21-3 record; he has been a top 4 finisher in all invitational tournaments this year;*

*Whereas, Freddy Hasnovi was the No. 2 singles flight CPL Tournament Champion who has a current record of 20-2 at the No. 2 singles spot;*

*Whereas, Oren Guttman and Henry Bleck are the No. 3 doubles flight CPL Tournament Champion; now therefore,*

**R-2023-016**

*Adopted this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May 2024*

***BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Lane Tech Local School Council, on behalf of the Lane Tech community, do hereby recognize and commend the Boys Varsity Tennis Team for their outstanding achievements and look with pride to their continued success.***

***Boys VARSITY TENNIS TEAM – Head Coach Josh Park and Assistant Coach Darren Olson***

**1S: Marko McRae  
2S: Ferriyadi (Freddy)  
Hasnovi  
1D: Alex Lapnis &  
1D: Sean Meyer**

**2D: Andy Choi &  
2D: Fletcher Glass  
3D: Oren Guttman &  
3D: Henry Bleck**

**RESERVES  
Philip Castillo  
Andy Vahey  
Finn Kieley**

**R-2023-016**

***Adopted this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May 2024***

**Lane Tech Fees 2024/2025**

STANDARD FEE	QTY	X	UNIT \$
! STANDARD FEE		X	\$400.00
<b>ADDITIONAL PURCHASES</b>			
! SCIENCE: (all levels)		X	\$10.00
! MUSIC (Band, Chorus, Guitar, Orchestral)		X	\$50.00
Computer Science: (one time for all courses includes Robotics )		x	\$50.00
^ART: Materials Fee (one time for all courses)		X	\$50.00
* PE: Uniform Shorts		X	\$8.00
* PE: Uniform T-Shirt	up to 3	X	\$8.00
! YEARBOOK (GRADES 9-12 ONLY)		X	\$60.00
! LTAC YEARBOOK (GRADES 7-8 ONLY)		X	\$35.00
! WORLD LANGUAGE: Workbooks for AP Italian		X	\$49.00
^SENIORS: Graduation Fee		X	\$110.00
^ 8th GRADE: Graduation Fee		X	\$100.00
*COMBINATION LOCK (Must have one for standard locker and PE locker. No personal locks.)	up to 2	X	\$8.00
*LANYARD (Must be worn with Lane ID.) (All freshmen and 7th graders will receive ONE with the ID. Any additional lanyards must be purchased separately)		X	\$4.00
* VENTRA Bus Card (only students needing a new or replacement card)		X	\$5.00



# LTAA Report Card

LANE TECH  
ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

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## LANE TECH ALUMNI ASSOCIATION, INC.

AN ILLINOIS 801c3 ORGANIZATION EIN: 36-3450898

REPORTING PERIOD: FY23 - JULY 1, 2023 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2024

### MEMBER SERVICES

Alumni Outreach	20,000+	Social media, digital newsletter, magazine, website reach
Reunion Assistance & School Tours	1,058	Participants from classes of '73, '78, '83, '88, '93, '03, '62, '63
Cultural & Social Activities	11,500	Enjoyed art, sports, history, educational, & networking events
Archival Library	10,000	Items maintained, curated and shared

### PHILANTHROPY

Student Food Pantry	Fall & Spring Food Drives	9,500 portions of food provided
Snowbank	Winter Coat Drive	375 items of new winterwear provided
Teacher Innovation Grants	Classroom Enhancements	\$30,418 awarded to 24 faculty (\$370,615 total)
College Tours	Tours & College Fairs	210 students visited 15 destinations
Scholarships	College Funding	\$302,000 awarded to 40 students (\$3,764,430 total)
Special Project	Champion Prize	Rings & Reception for Flag Football State Champions
Special Project	Pollard Field	Exterior Stadium Signage

### FINANCIALS

FY 23 Total Revenue	\$324,100
FY 23 Total Expenses	\$318,507
FY 24 Budget	\$353,062



## LSC REPORT 5.9.24

**SCHOLARSHIPS:** 469 applications were received for 40 scholarships totaling \$303,000. Awards will be announced on May 24<sup>th</sup>. *Postsecondary Success*

**CPS COMMUNITY FEEDBACK SESSION:** The LTAA attended the May 2nd Community Feedback Session for the CPS 5-Year Strategic Plan. Attendees voluntarily chose to participate in one of six groups: *Black Student Success & Talent; Multilingual Pathways & Early Learning; Postsecondary Success & 21<sup>st</sup> Century Learning Environments; Funding Model & Tech Systems; Students with Disabilities; Inclusive & Collaborative School & Community.*

We elected to participate in Funding Model & Tech Systems. Most participants were LSC Leaders and parents of students in Selective Enrollment schools. There was a big group from Decatur Elementary.

Three questions were posed:

*What district investments have been most impactful for your school?*

*What resources are most needed at your school that currently don't exist?*

*What is one question you still have about CPS budget or school?*

The discussion quickly pivoted to the bias against non-neighborhood schools, lack of transparency in the budget process and methodology behind Opportunity Index Scoring, and the overall dissatisfaction with 2025 school budgets. The response from CPS Chief of Schools-Chambers was that every school was getting what they needed, and Chief Budget Officer-Sitkowski acknowledged that things weren't ideal, and this first year would inform future budgets. At the end of the evening, the Funding Model group went home completely disappointed, and CPS got to check off the community feedback box.



**GOLFING FORE GRANTS:** Please join us on August 15<sup>th</sup> at White Pines for a day of fun and purpose as we raise funds for the Faculty Innovation Grant Program. Since its inception, the program has awarded \$370,617.00 in assistance to teachers, coaches, and club sponsors for enhancements to their programs.

In anticipation of budget cuts, the LTAA intends to expand this program in 2025. *Curriculum & Instruction, Connectedness & Wellbeing*

The LTAA is currently vetting and selecting the inductees for 2024/25 and will announce the honorees later this year. *Connectedness & Wellbeing*



Respectfully submitted by Michelle Weiner '78, LTAA Executive Director





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May 9, 2024 | SY23/24

<b>CIWP Priorities</b>   <a href="http://ciwp.cps.edu">ciwp.cps.edu</a>	<b>School Priorities SY 23-24</b>
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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Curriculum &amp; Instruction   (C&amp;I)</li> <li>2. Postsecondary Success   (PS)</li> <li>3. Connectedness &amp; Wellbeing   (C&amp;W)</li> </ol> | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Curriculum &amp; Instruction</li> <li>2. Success of ALL Learners</li> <li>3. School Accountability &amp; Student Safety</li> </ol> |
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<b>Domain 1   Organizational Leadership</b>	
Oversees systems, structures, and processes for continuous improvement Vision, mission & goals   Strategic planning & budgeting   Change management   Continuous Improvement	CIWP
In alignment with CIWP Goal 3, the Lane Tech Attendance Office sent out 500+ letters of communication to all students nearing the chronic absenteeism threshold. The personalized letter urged families to create a goal for a target number of absences throughout the remainder of the year.	C&W
The Mission and Vision committee wrote a draft of the new mission profile and shared with our community. We are now reviewing that feedback.	C&W
Girls and Boys basketball, Girls and Boys Volleyball, Football, Flag Football, and Girls and Boys Soccer are holding camps and registration sites are located on the Lane Tech website.	C&W
The Building Operations Director is finalizing scheduling for summer construction in collaboration with our Project Manager- Parking Lot and HVAC projects are in progress.	
Assistant Principals continue to conduct check-ins with each course team leader to reflect, celebrate, and set goals for leadership work using the district's Distributed Leadership Framework.	C&I
Efficacy data for Champion Coaches is being put into a presentation to share with stakeholders	C&I
The Vision for the MTSS Team is being revised and amended to improve systems for next school year.	C&I
Approximately 6700 AP exams are being issued no later than May 17, 2024 and we have had a smooth process.	C&I
The technology department implemented new wifi management software that will improve cybersecurity in our building.	
<b>Domain 2   Instructional Core</b>	
Oversees systems, structures, and processes for continuous improvement Courses and Content   Instructional Strategies   Assessment data	CIWP Connection

Post Secondary Strategies: In May, the Athletic Department will celebrate the 30+ athletes who are continuing to compete in college. Families will join them to celebrate the amazing accomplishment of being able to continue their sport in college.	C&I
94.14% of seniors have completed the State of Illinois Financial Aid graduation requirement per the CPS system.	PS
Lane students applied to 515 colleges and universities across the US and world and were accepted to 423 of them.	PS
There is collaboration with ELPT to ensure MTSS systems are addressing the needs of all students at the T1, T2, and T3 level.	C&I
New iMacs and Macbooks are being delivered and installed today for our art department to keep up with changing technology in the fields of graphics design and film making.	C&I
Our Admissions Director has met with 75 elementary schools for transition meetings for incoming students with IEPs. She has also posted their classes and is reaching out to families with issues.	C&I
Classes have been posted for incoming freshmen and world language/ math exams and drama /music auditions are in the next two weeks.	C&I
Students with paras/IEPs are scheduled in Aspen.	C&I
Department Chairs went on the second of two Spring Rigor Walks on April 30th. DCs met with Admin on May 1st to discuss the trends in Tier I instruction seen across Lane.	C&I
Admin gathered feedback from the PPC, PPLC, DC and CIWP on the final version of the curriculum guide. Updated version of the Curriculum Guide can be found <a href="#">here</a> .	C&I
Core departments are continuing vertical alignment conversations in various grade level meetings.	PS
A summary of professional learning for SY2324 can be found <a href="#">here</a> .	C&I
ILT completed professional learning sessions for Feedback and Course Team Book Studies.	C&I
Cluster students completed their courses at Harold Washington and Wright College.	C&I
Alpha freshmen will present their year 1 research projects to professional judges later this month.	C&I
<b>Domain 3   Climate &amp; Culture</b>	
Ensures that organizational norms, routines and systems equitably promote the students' intellectual, social, and emotional development Family & community engagement   Connectedness & wellbeing   Systems & structures	
Shirts, water bottles, folders, and snacks have been purchased for Champions Week. There are approximately 500 students who have signed up. Staffing is in progress.	C&W
The Director of Admissions is planning summer activities for freshmen with mentors. She is pairing mentors with incoming freshmen.	C&W
So far, 205 students have signed up for Lane's Summer Enrichment Program, consisting of 21 sessions including Fine Arts, STEM, Sports & Recreation, and World Language	

EDWINA THOMPSON  
*Principal*

DAMIR ARA • JOSHUA DRESSER • SARAH HANLY • MOLLIE HART • ALISON HILDEBRANDT • KERRI THOMPSON  
*Assistant Principals*



31 issues of the Sports Update have been issued celebrating our students and their teams' successes. Included in the sports update are win/loss records, student names, scores, upcoming games, championships, and scholarships won by our students. Families are able to stay up to date on various sports team	C&W
The Badminton Club expanded their resources and brought their sport out of the hallways and into the cafeteria. We are casting a vision to add Badminton as a sport and another opportunity for kids to compete on a team.	C&W
City Championship Wins to Date: Boys Tennis team; Boys Frosh Volleyball; Girls Frosh Soccer	C&W
The Athletic Director has been doing ongoing work with parent booster clubs to propel our sports teams through the end of the school year and ready our teams for summer and fall programming.	C&W
Our Director of Culture and Climate worked with students to put up displays honoring Jewish American Heritage Month and Asian American Pacific Islander Heritage Month.	C&W
The new Champions Council which will consist of teachers, admin, and students will tackle short term and long term ways to champion culture and projects within our school.	C&W
Grad Nite and Prom are coming up in the next two weeks. 600 Seniors will be attending Grad Nite and 770 seniors will be attending prom.	C&W
We held student council elections last week and all executive board and grade level class officers positions are filled.	C&W
The Cluster program will hold Unified Prom on May 17.	C&W
MTSS + SEL team members will meet to discuss questions on the SECA screener assessment and create a version of the SECA to be implemented in the fall.	C&W
LTAC 8th graders had a successful trip to Washington, D.C.	C&W
We will have the Omega Humanities Festival on the 20th and the Omega Senior Luncheon on the 22nd.	C&W
The Student Mental Health Advocate Team hosted the first annual Lane Tech Mental Health Fair. Several organizations representing different facets of mental health were present as Lane students attended with their classes. Additionally, there was a parent program held after school	C&W
Lane is partnering with an organization called Yo Soy Ella for our EmpowerHER program, aimed at supporting women experiencing DV. Yo Soy Ella offers a youth program dedicated to educating young women about healthy relationships.	C&W

#### Domain 4 | Talent

Ensures identification, development, and retention of diverse talent and cultivates leadership  
 Identification & role definition | Development & evaluation | Professional culture & retention | Leadership teams & development

**CIWP**  
Connection

Administrators have completed over 250 REACH classroom evaluation observations and 80 non-evaluative walkthrough visits.

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Principal Thompson engages in Champions Chats with staff members who would like to share their concerns and brainstorm ways to improve professional culture within the building.

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Cluster programs are beginning the 4th round of weekly teacher/paraprofessional collaboration meetings.	C&I
Principal Thompson conducts quarterly evaluation checkpoint meetings with Assistant Principals to monitor their progress with their respective department goals and professional practices.	C&I
Principal Thompson and Assistant Principals meet with individual teachers or groups of teachers to engage them in conversations around improving their professional or cultural experiences in the school. This includes partnering with standing committees such as the ILT, PPLC, CIWP Team, and PPC to develop/discuss staff survey data. Administrators also meet with individual teachers to process their feedback about various school initiatives.	C&I
Administrators are finishing all formal and informal observations for SY2324. During formal observations, administrators conduct a pre-meeting, observation, and post-observation series that allows teachers to share their planning and instructional practices.	C&I
Department Chairs meet with Assistant Principals to increase their leadership capacity in conducting instructional conversations with lead teachers and course teams.	C&I
Course team leaders continue to receive feedback on their goal-setting progress and the progression of their team's goals from both administrators and department chairs.	C&I
The Administration offers multiple opportunities for receiving feedback on what would be meaningful professional learning, community support, and resources for staff.	C&I
Assistant Principals attend course team meetings to offer support to teachers as they examine student growth and implement a learning cycle for goals.	C&I
Special Education Classroom Assistants have received feedback on their progress throughout the school year from teachers and administrators. They are also celebrated for their work with students in weekly Cluster notes.	C&W
The hiring process includes three interview rounds- first with a Department Chair, second with an Assistant Principal and Department chair, and third with the Assistant Principal and Principal.	C&W

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