

Laramie Christian Academy's Newsletter

"...This day is holy to our Lord. Do not grieve, for the joy of the LORD is your strength." - Nehemiah 2:18b

SUMMER CAMP - DINO DIG

A DISCOVERY EXPERIENCE IN THE LANCE FORMATION

What happens when 12 LCA students and 12 parents/grandparents join an official archeological dig? Dinosaur discovery dig.

Every June, Southwestern Adventist University comes from Keene Texas to the Hansen Research Station in Eastern Wyoming. LCA's opportunity to join in the dig was, for many, a once-in-a-life-time dream come true.



While everyone found bones, many were too large to extract within the one day we were at the dig site. Those who found a small bone were able to catalog the bone and are named as the discoverer in the dinosaur museum.

We look forward to returning next year, if possible, and discovering even more.



MRS. NATASHA SNELSON - LCA VICE PRINCIPAL

Continuing her support of Laramie Christian Academy Natasha Snelson joins the 2021-2022 Administration as the Vice Principal. She has been instrumental in Academy development, from the beginning as a founding board member and incorporator. Last year Natasha Snelson was the Program Manager for LCA serving additionally as the financial director.

Snelson's skills in team development, pastoral relations, graphic design, financial management, and marketing are a blessing to Laramie Christian Academy. As she steps into the role of Vice Principal we continue to recognize her hard work and sacrifice to enable LCA to grow to its full potential.



LCA SAYS GOODBYE TO ACADEMY CHAPLAIN - BOARD CHAIR

MOORE FAMILY MOVES TO KANSAS

With great reluctance, Laramie Christian Academy says goodbye to Derek Moore and family, who are moving out of state. Derek has accepted a pastorate in Kansas City, and his family is moving in early July. While we pray them all God's blessings, our hearts are heavy in saying goodbye.

Laramie Christian Academy has been blessed with Moore's leadership through the pre-opening startup as our Board Chair. He helped LCA form our first board, bylaws, and provided leadership for our development. His work on our 501c3 IRS application was instrumental in the miraculous 2-month turnaround from submittal to receipt of our official nonprofit designation. Additionally, in our startup year as Academy Chaplain, Derek was instrumental on our Admin Team, and formed many behavioral and academy policies and helped write our staff and student handbooks.

In addition to Derek's role as Academy Chaplain and Board Chair, their entire family was active at LCA. Clara Moore was our Academy Nurse for the 2020-2021 school year, and we are so thankful and blessed by her service. Their son was in our k-2 class and will also be very missed.

We pray for a blessed transition into their new community and know that they will impact their new friends as much as they have blessed us. Our loss is their gain, and we bless the Moore Family in their journey. You will always have a special place in LCA heart and history. May the road rise up to meet you!



WHAT FAMILIES ARE SAY ABOUT LCA

- We would like our child to have a strong foundation of academics, biblical knowledge, and a love of country.*
- It is very important to us that our children are raised and educated with a Biblical worldview.*
- I love that they can learn about God in every subject and all throughout their day*
- My son loves the school. I want him to continue to learn in an environment with adults who share the same beliefs he is being raised with. The same for his younger brother, who will be in kindergarten next year; I want him to love going to school just like his older brother.*
- We highly value Christian education and the vision and values of LCA!*

LCA WELCOMES THE FOLLOWING STAFF

APRIL CLEVEN -- OFFICE MANAGER

April was an instrumental volunteer in our first year for our office organization, student records, communications, and all Academy office-related activities. We are excited to have her join our team as part-time Office Manager for the 2021-2022 academic year.



THE BIG "3" OF LCA

ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE
BIBLE INTEGRATION
RESILIENT HOPE IN JESUS

LCA IS AN OFFICIAL

MEMBER OF THE
ASSOCIATION OF
CLASSICAL CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS