



THE PANTHER POST

“Sponsored by The New Lexington 21st Century After School Programs.”

NEW LEX ELEMENTARY

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New Lexington Elementary November Students of the Month



Kindergarten- Jersey Wilson
1st Grade- Cailyn Pitcock
2nd Grade- Jenna Boring
3rd Grade- Mayson Walton
4th Grade- Ayden Gibbs
5th Grade- Cameron New

Specials Student of the Month: Art - Aurora Judd



LIFE IS COOL AFTER SCHOOL!

A 21st Century Community Learning Center (CCLC) grant is a competitive federal grant administered by the Ohio Department of Education to provide before and after school programming for students. The mission of a 21st CCLC program is to serve students and families. 21st CCLC programs nurture student growth by providing a safe place before and after school. The program expands learning beyond the regular school day by providing a range of high-quality services to support student learning and development. These services include tutoring, homework help, academic enrichment, clubs, project based learning, family events and community service opportunities. At the same time, programs help working parents by providing a safe environment for students during non-school hours. New Lexington City Schools, in partnership with the Muskingum Valley Educational Service Center, currently operates programs for K-12 students. For more information, contact Bobbi Holcombe, 21st Century Program Director, at 740-342-3502 or bobbi.holcombe@mvesc.org.



Orange & Black Boosters Meeting Sunday, January 8

The New Lexington Orange & Black Boosters will meet Sunday, January 8, 2016 in the high school Media center at 7:00 PM.

Anyone interested in being an Orange & Black Booster member is welcome and encouraged to attend.

Panther athletics and other upcoming events will be addressed.

An Offer From Businesses in Our Community! Thank You

- **NEW LEX Students** will be admitted **free** to the *Wrestling match Thursday, January 5 against Sheridan High School. This is sponsored by: (Orange & Black Boosters)*
- **NEW LEX Students** will be admitted **free** to the *Boys Basketball game Tuesday, January 10 Against Crooksville High School. This is Sponsored by (Joanne McFarland State Farm Insurance)*
- **NEW LEX Students** will be admitted **free** to the *Boys Basketball game Tuesday, January 17 Against Athens High School. This is sponsored by (Kevin Howell Wicherts)*

There are more opportunities to sponsor games and events @ New Lex City Schools! **BUSINESSES** that would like to become a sponsor of a game or event should call the High School @ **740.342.3528** and ask for Athletic Director Steve Fondale, Anthony Stephens or Principal Chuck Byers. Sponsors will have a banner displayed in the gym throughout the season. They will further be recognized during the game sponsored with student free admission! Thank you for your support!

NEW LEX CHRISTMAS FUN



NLE 2nd/3rd Grades
Perform A Buggy Christmas



New Lexington elementary kindergarten angels: London Heavener, Jersey Wilson, Jillian Van rehearsed and dressed for their Christmas performance!

FCCLA Students Learn Culinary Skills

By Providing Refreshments for Administrative Meetings



Delicious Food



Karen Curry



Alana Hale, Jordan Thimmes-Eldridge, Avreon Dickinson, and Quentin Webb, under the instruction of FCCLA teacher, Karen Curry, host the district Administrative meeting at the middle school.



Quentin and Alana Serve the delicious offerings created by the team

NLHS FUN



The High school staff played in a dodge-ball tournament against the students to raise money for the NLHS Yearbook. A student team won the entire tournament. The team included Clayton Glick, Jared Wycinski, Dalton Burton, Wade Ward, Brayden Metzger, and Tyler Brown. The staff's team, pictured, included Kaylan Featheroff, Jessica Bazell, Lesley Powell, Bev Watson, Renee Lambert, Allison Gibbs, Taylor Langreder, Aaron Cordle, John Lindsey, and Bo Dupler.

OPERATION GRATITUDE SHARES AT NLMS!



Eric King, a high school senior, started Operation Gratitude in an effort to encourage students to write letters to our military troops. His teacher, Kay Householder, assists him as he promotes his vision in our district. Every middle school Language Arts teacher is incorporating writing techniques into instruction and letters to our soldiers. This is a fantastic way to show our support for our troops. Thank you Eric!



COLLEGE APPLICATION DAY



On November 18th, seniors participated in New Lexington High School's third annual College Application Day. College Application Day is a state-wide initiative with the goal to help all graduating seniors navigate through the college admissions process. This ensures that every student submits at least one application to a college of their choice. In addition, seniors have supports in place from school officials, counselors, college admission representatives and parents who assist in the process. Volunteers this year included representatives from Ohio University Zanesville, Hocking College, Zane State College, Tri-County Adult Career Center, and Mid-East Adult Career Center. High school counselors and English teachers were on hand to keep the process in motion. It is our goal to ensure students the necessary assistance as they take the first big step toward continuing education following high school.



(Counter Clockwise)Teacher Shannon Hunt, Emily Hinkle, Colton Smock, Sierra Stant, Karen Legg, Rainbow Radliff, Stazy Mazo, and Brody McNulty apply to colleges online.