

Lewiston Consolidated Schools Foundation

NEWSLETTER



Dr. Curt and Susan Wischmeier collaborated with the Lewiston Board of Education to finance \$50,000 dollars' worth of new early childhood playground equipment to enhance the existing elementary playground.

Thank you Curt & Susan!!

You are invited.....to attend the annual Lewiston High School Alumni Banquet, which will be held Saturday, June 8, 2019. Guided tours will begin at 4:30 and a social gathering with refreshments will be provided by Lewiston Public School at 5:00 p.m. The banquet will begin at 6:00 p.m. in the gym.

Dennis and Doreen Remmers will be providing the meal this year with a price of \$12.50 per plate. Meal will include: Pulled Pork or Brisket, Cheesy Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls, Cookies and a Drink.

Honored classes this year will be the classes of 2019, 2014, 2009, 2004, 1999, 1994, 1989, 1984, 1979, 1974, 1969, 1964, 1959, and all classes prior to 1959.

To reserve a place at the Alumni Banquet, please complete and detach the form below and return with your check by May 30, 2019. In the event you are unable to attend, please consider using the form below to continue your alumni dues or consider joining the Alumni Association to help fund the ongoing alumni banquet expenses, postage, and alumni scholarships.

BANQUET RESERVATIONS

NAME: _____ (MAIDEN) _____ Class of: _____

GUEST/SPOUSE: _____ (MAIDEN) _____ Class of: _____

OTHER GUEST(S):

NAME: _____ NAME: _____

_____ NUMBER OF MEAL RESERVATIONS X \$12.50 \$ _____

_____ ALUMNI DUES AND SCHOLARSHIPS X \$12.50 \$ _____

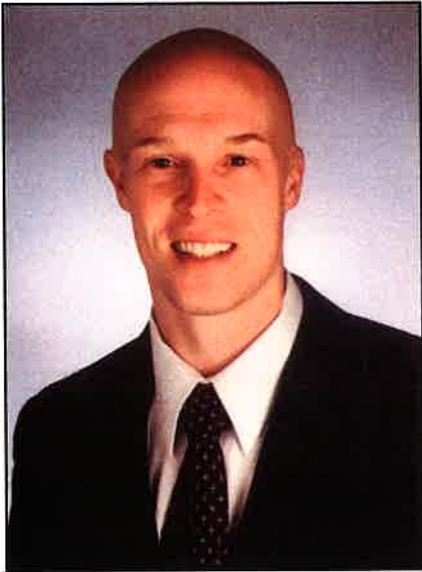
Total Check Enclosed \$ _____

(Make check payable to Lewiston Alumni Association)

Return by May 30, 2019 to: *Lindsay Peterson, 1065 W Panama Rd, Martell, NE 68404*

Notes: _____

Nicholas "Nick" Wischmeier - Class of 2004



Just as most kids in small schools, Nick was active in many extra-curricular activities during his high school years. He lettered in all 3 sports each of his 4 years, was a member of the State Championship Football team, and State Qualifying BB team his sophomore year; qualified and placed at the State Track Meet his Jr and Sr years in the sprints, and placed in the State Speech Contest two years, was a member of the National Honor Society for 3 years and was Valedictorian of his graduating class.

Following graduation 15 years ago, Nick attended Nebraska Wesleyan University where he was a member of the football and basketball teams for two years. After that, Nick decided he needed to focus primarily on academics as he had decided on medicine as a career path. He graduated with highest distinction in 2008 and went on to attend the University of Nebraska School of Medicine.

After obtaining his medical degree from UNMC he completed a 5 year orthopedic surgical residency at the University of Kansas Medical Center, where he served as the Team Resident Physician for several local high schools. During his resident years, Nick co-authored two research papers and was involved in two additional research presentations.

Following his residency, Nick completed an orthopedic foot and ankle fellowship training at the Florida Orthopaedic Institute in Tampa, Florida.

Dr. Wischmeier is a member of American Medical Association, AO Orthopedic Trauma, and the American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons.

Dr. Wischmeier currently specializes in foot and ankle surgery (trauma, sports medicine, total ankle replacement, and deformity corrections) at the CORE Institute Specialty Hospital and Banner Desert Medical Center in Phoenix, AZ. Banner Desert Medical Center "boasts" as having the busiest Emergency Department in Arizona. (Nick would probably agree to this when he has his "on-call" weekends!)

Lewiston Alumni,

The Lewiston School Foundation has been very busy this past year, holding special meetings that have focused on securing funding for the new FFA/Ag Education center. We kicked off our efforts at last year's alumni banquet and raised approximately twenty five thousand dollars. This was followed in the fall with area cattle producers donating hay or livestock at a special sale conducted at Beatrice 77 Livestock. Approximately 17 patrons and cattle producers either donated funds or hay/livestock, generating approximately eight thousand dollars.

Our recent meetings have focused on grant writing as we investigate other possibilities for securing funds. As we learn more, we will be applying for some grants that the Foundation has been made aware of. Finally, we are considering another fundraiser for this fall in which an appeal will be made to district grain farmers to donate a portion of their crops with proceeds going to the new building.

We also have reviewed applications recently for induction into the Lewiston Schools Hall of Fame. This year's recipients have distinguished themselves by leading exemplary lives that we feel are worthy of notoriety. We are enthused about the awards to be handed out at the annual alumni banquet and look forward to seeing you there!

Steve Knoche
Lewiston School Foundation

-- -- -- Hall of Fame Members -- -- --

Name/Grad Yr.	Year Inducted		
Dr. Ronald Joekel '52	.....2002	Judith (Shuey) Libal '62	.....2005
Dr. Arlan Richardson '59	.....2002	Howard Wilkinson '48	.....2005
Dr. Dean Shuey '67	.....2002	Lyle Thompson '40	.....2005
Clarence Kunc '29	.....2003	David Morris '72	.....2006
Lou Ann (Lovitt) Lineham '73	.....2003	Robert Steininger '39	.....2006
Dr. Keith Shuey '57	.....2003	Dr. Curt Wischmeier '65	.....2006
Merna Wischmeier	.....2003	Adelaide (Lovitt) Kinghorn '57	.....2007
Earl Albers '39	.....2004	Delmar Bohlmeier '54	.....2008
Rev. Clarence Buehler '38	.....2004	Donna (Kunc) Knoche '47	.....2008
Glenn Heideman	.....2004	Joan (Ruzicka) Christen '70	.....2009
		Elaine (Morton) Bohlmeier '58	.....2010
		Gayle Ellison	.....2010
		Dr. Wayne Morton '64	.....2011
		Dwight Morehead '69	.....2011
		James Kinghorn '55	.....2012
		Conrad Parde '66	.....2013
		Harold (Bud) Jeffery '38	.....2014
		David Dougherty '65	.....2015
		Clarence Tegtmeier '302015
		James Reiersen '592017
		James Shuey '622017
		Kevin Reiman '882018

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2018-2019 Contributors LEVELS OF GIVING

(S) Silver, \$100-\$499 (G) Gold, \$500-\$999
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Anonymous

Bohlmeyer Family Scholarship

Adrian Conradt Scholarship (G)

David Dougherty '65 (B)

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Steve & Glenda Knoche

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Sears Beatrice Hometown Store

Neil Trout '88 (S)

Katherine Wehrbein

Merna Wischmeier Memorial Scholarship (B)

2018 Alumni Association Scholarships Recipients

Karen Keys • Shelby Piening

2018 Foundation Scholarships Recipients

Lewiston Consol. School Fndn. Inc.

Chloe Charles • Victoria Seeman

Nelson Family Scholarship

Holden Christen • Miah Fulton

Adrian Conradt Memorial

Danielle Neumann

Judy McClellan Scholarship

Holden Christen

Merna Wischmeier Scholarship

Holden Christen • Megan Wehrbein

Learn to Dream Scholarship

Victoria Seeman • BayLee Whitton

Lewiston Alumni Association

Jace Hunt

Dear Alumni:

On behalf of the Lewiston Consolidated Schools Foundation Board of Directors, I would like to invite you to the Alumni Banquet to be held Saturday, June 8, 2019. Graduating seniors that are receiving a foundation scholarship will be available to guide alumni around the facilities at 4:30 PM on Saturday prior to the social.

The Foundation and the school are working hard to improve every year in hopes of attracting new students and providing scholarship money for seniors. Again this year, the Foundation would like you to consider making a donation to the Foundation's general scholarship fund or preferred area of interest. If you are interested in contributing, please mark your preferred donation on the enclosed contribution form and mail to the school, along with a check to the Lewiston Foundation or go on-line to make a donation electronically.

It goes without saying that the Alumni Banquet at Lewiston Consolidated Schools, each June, is a memorable event and your continued attendance and support are greatly appreciated.

PLEASE USE THIS PAGE AS YOUR CONTRIBUTION FORM

YES, COUNT ME IN. BELOW IS MY CONTRIBUTION PLAN.

CASH CONTRIBUTION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$ _____

CONTRIBUTIONS ARE RECOGNIZED AT THE LEVELS BELOW:

_____ TIGER LEVEL (\$10-\$99)

_____ SILVER LEVEL (\$100-\$499)

_____ GOLD LEVEL (\$500 - \$999)

_____ BENEFACTOR LEVEL (\$1000 +)

_____ OTHER (Memorial, Real Estate, Securities, Life Insurance, Wills, Trusts, Etc.- call school at 402-865-4675 to discuss.

Preferred Area of Assistance (if applicable):

Scholarships _____ Technology _____ Academics _____

New Ag Facility _____ Other (specify what you'd like to see) _____

THANK YOU FOR YOUR TAX DEDUCTIBLE CONTRIBUTION!

YOUR NAME: _____ PHONE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

_____ I prefer that my contribution remain anonymous.

Mail to: Lewiston Consolidated Schools Foundation
C/O Rick Kentfield, Superintendent
306 Tiger Ave
Lewiston, NE 68380

Contributions to Lewiston Consolidated Schools Foundation can now be made ELECTRONICALLY.

You can donate by using the Link on the Foundation Tab on the School website www.lewistonconsolidated.org. It is labeled Donate Now!! The link provided will take you to the e-funds for Schools website.

Once on this page, please either login or register as a new user.

Once you are registered on the site you can contribute to one or more of the following categories (Scholarships, Technology, Academics, New Ag Facility and Undesignated). A receipt will be emailed directly to you for your tax deductible donation.

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2018 Hall of Fame Inductees

Kevin Reiman - *Class of 1988*

Kevin graduated from Lewiston High School in 1988 and went on to attend the University of Nebraska where he received his Bachelors Degree in Natural Science Secondary Education in 1993. He received a Master's degree in Guidance Counseling from Creighton University in 1998 and a Master's degree in Guidance Counseling from Creighton University in 1998 and a Master's degree in Athletic Administration from the University of Ohio in 2006. He has also received a certificate as a Secondary Principal from UNL and received his Educational Specialist in School Administration and Educational Leadership from Wayne State College. He has also been working towards a PhD in Educational Leadership from Northcentral University.

Kevin began his education career by serving as a coach for the Auburn and Weeping Water Public Schools for 10 years. He served as the guidance Counselor at Auburn High School from 1997-2003. In 2003 he was named Assistant Principal and Activities Director for Auburn until 2006 when he moved into the Principal position. In 2011, Kevin continued his career with Auburn Public Schools, no win the Superintendent position. In 2014, during Kevin's tenure as Superintendent, Auburn was named as one of the top 15 high schools in the state of Nebraska by U.S. News and World Report.

He served in the Nebraska Army National Guard from 1989 to 2003, receiving the Army Commendation Medal, Nebraska Army Guard Individual Achievement Medal, earned a Nebraska National Guard Homeland Defense Service Ribbon and was named Ak-Sar-Ben Solider of the year for his rank in 1991.

Kevin credits his family for being his inspiration. He and his wife Deb operate Little Learners' PreSchool in Auburn. They have worked with Cedars' Home for Children in providing a safe, nurturing environment in their home to many foster children. Along with their 4 children, Kevin and Deb have also adopted some of the children they fostered and now are the very busy parents of 9.