



## News from the Logan Elm Local School District

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### Logan Elm High School Marching Band Qualifies for State Finals



On September 18th, the Logan Elm Music Department hosted 12 outstanding High School Marching Bands at the Logan Elm Classic, a marching band competition sanctioned by the Ohio Music Education Association.

In addition to our own Band of Pride, participants included Circleville High School and Westfall High school marching bands.

Performing for ratings only, the LEHS Band of Pride received an overall SUPERIOR Rating, which qualifies them to perform in the 2021 OMEA State Marching Band Finals in November!!

*Becky Wagner  
Director of Bands  
Logan Elm Music Department*

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### LEHS Students Learn about Careers from Community Speakers

Thursdays at Logan Elm High School have been centered around career exploration. Guest speakers from Leist Mercantile, The Marine Corps, and Health Care Logistics started off the school year with talks ranging from commodity markets to technical certification to the many parts of a business model. Speakers from Darby Creek Excavating and Navihealth are scheduled at the end of the month. Interested in presenting? Contact Brooke Summers ([brooke.summers@loganelm.org](mailto:brooke.summers@loganelm.org))

*Brooke Summers  
College and Career Readiness Advisor*



## What is School Wide PBIS?

All Logan Elm school buildings are utilizing School Wide Positive Behavior Intervention and Support, which is commonly referred to as PBIS.

School-wide positive behavior intervention and support (SW-PBIS) is a system of tools and strategies for defining, teaching, acknowledging appropriate behavior, and correcting inappropriate behavior. It is a framework for creating customized school systems that support student outcomes and academic success. SW-PBIS is for the whole school, it is preventative, and it changes the paradigm of focus from negative behaviors and exchanges to positive expectations and interactions.

At Logan Elm, teams of staff members determined what PBIS looks like at each level--elementary, intermediate, middle and high school. The common phrase of "Be A BRAVE" is used in all buildings. For PK-8th grade, BRAVE is an acronym for **B**e Prepared, **R**espect Everyone, **A**ct Responsibly, **V**alue Property, **E**ncourage Others." At the High School, the phrase "Be A Brave" serves as a reminder of the four behavioral expectations: Do Your Job, Respect Everyone, Listen and Learn, Be a Good Citizen.



Positive behavior rewards vary by building, but all students are happy to be recognized for a Positive Behavioral Referral to their Principal. Pictured are students who were recently recognized for their positive behavior at Pickaway (at left) and Laurelville (above).

## Logan Elm FFA Serves the Community

Logan FFA was invited to Farm Bureau's 4th Grade AG Day, which is an educational opportunity for all the 4th grade classes in Pickaway County. Some Logan Elm FFA members had the opportunity to teach 4th grade students about pollination, while other members assisted with the equipment station. Several FFA members served as guides, making sure the 4th grade classes followed the schedule.

Logan Elm FFA Chapter President, Julia Kitchen, spoke to guests at the Farm to Plate dinner. Other members, dressed in official FFA attire, served dinner

to the guests.

At both of these events, Logan Elm FFA members enjoyed interacting with the community members of all ages.



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## Thank You!

Thank you for reading the Logan Elm Schools e-Newsletter! We appreciate your interest in the students and activities of all Logan Elm schools!

Our e-newsletter is distributed twice a month during the school year.

*Pictured: Logan Elm FFA members who assisted with Pickaway County Ag Day.*



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