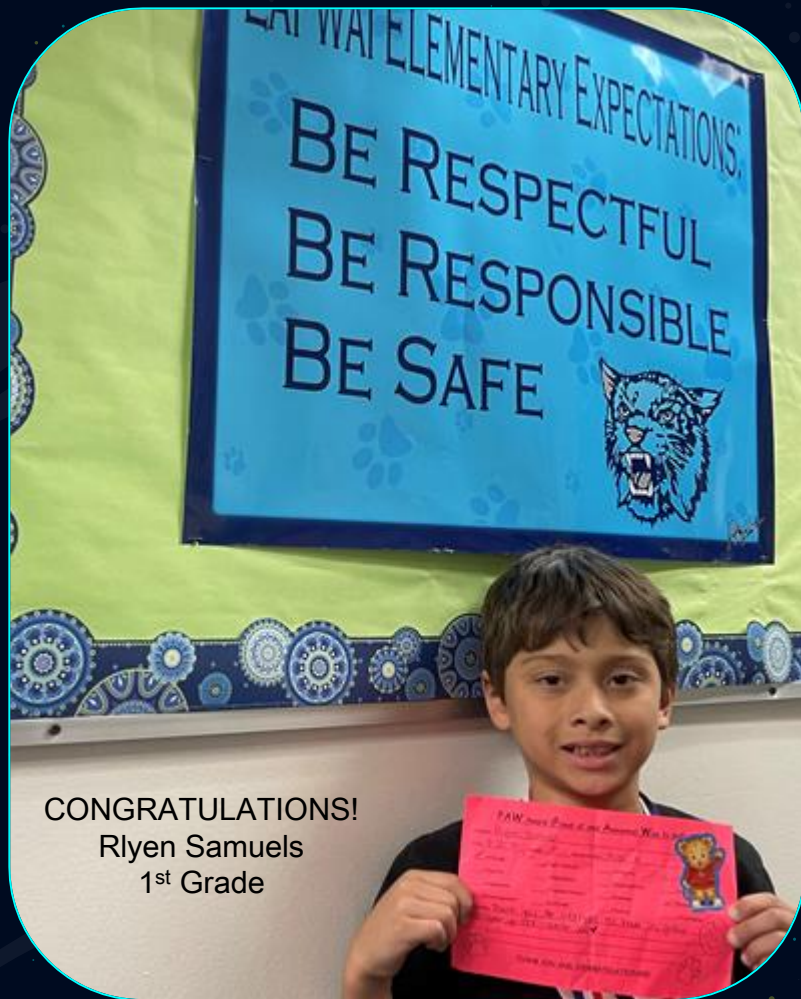


Lapwai School District Superintendent's Weekly Update



Friday, June 7, 2024

*Celebrations & Pictures of Wildcat Scholars
& the Dedicated Staff Who Serve Them*



CONGRATULATIONS!
Rlyen Samuels
1st Grade

Lapwai Elementary P.A.W. Awards

Proud of You!
Awesome!
Way to Go!

Be Respectful
Qa'ánnó' 'ee

Be Responsible
timmíyunin' 'ee wic'éeyu'

Be Safe
'ee 'ima'íyano'

Nez Perce Cultural Principle:
Interpersonal Relationships

Superintendent's Student Cabinet

Nez Perce Cultural Principle:
Personal Sovereignty



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| 4th Grade | Sa'qan Greene |
| 5th Grade | Aralen Moses |
| 6th Grade | Elyden Jackson |
| 7th Grade | Kelly Cirame |
| 8th Grade | Dominick Kager |
| 9th Grade | Dante Davis |
| 10th Grade | Madden Bisbee |
| 11th Grade | Charlize Cootes |
| 12th Grade | Elijah McCormack |



Please join us in celebrating the 2023-2024 Superintendent's Student Cabinet. We are proud of their leadership this year! Thank you for acting as student advisors to the Superintendent! We would also like to thank the Lapwai School District Board of Trustees for joining us to honor these incredible Wildcat Scholars this week!



Salena Fivethunders

Lapwai Elementary Behavior Intervention Specialist

Staff
Spotlight

Bonnita Smith, of the Lapwai School District Superintendent's Faculty Cabinet, has nominated Salena Fivethunders for a Staff Spotlight this week. Thank you for joining us in celebrating Salena's dedication to the students at Lapwai Elementary School! Qe'ciyew'yew' Salena! - *David Aiken*

Salena, who recently graduated with a degree in General Studies Education and a minor in Early Childhood Special Education, is deeply dedicated to her students, team members, and community. She works tirelessly with our most challenging young students, meticulously following their IEPs and behavior plans, always striving for excellence. Her big heart extends beyond the classroom, as she genuinely cares for her colleagues and the community. Salena's sense of humor and unwavering spirit continue to inspire those around her. Her commitment and positivity make her an indispensable part of our team. - *Lori Ravet*

I want to take a moment to express my appreciation for Salena and her outstanding dedication and positive attitude. Salena consistently brings a calm and attentive presence to her work with our children, always meeting their needs with a warm smile. Her hard work and unwavering optimism make a significant difference in our school, creating a more nurturing and joyful environment for everyone. We are incredibly fortunate to have you on our team, Salena! - *Marika Renshaw*

Salena is a joy to be around and she builds great relationships with her students. She is an inspiration and her presence in our district is invaluable. - *Bonnita Smith*



WILDCAT ROAR!



*Qe'ciyew'yew' Thunder Garcia of the
Lapwai School District Board of Trustees for joining the celebration!
All of our Trustees send their pride and congratulations!*



Congratulations to Mrs. Hillman's 2nd Grade Wildcat Scholars! Each day an elementary class has everyone in attendance and on time, they receive a Wildcat Roar Card. Once the class achieves 10 cards, they earn the celebration of their choice.

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Congratulations to Mrs. Beckman's Grade Wildcat Scholars! Each day an elementary class has everyone in attendance and on time, they receive a Wildcat Roar Card. Once the class achieves 10 cards, they earn the celebration of their choice.

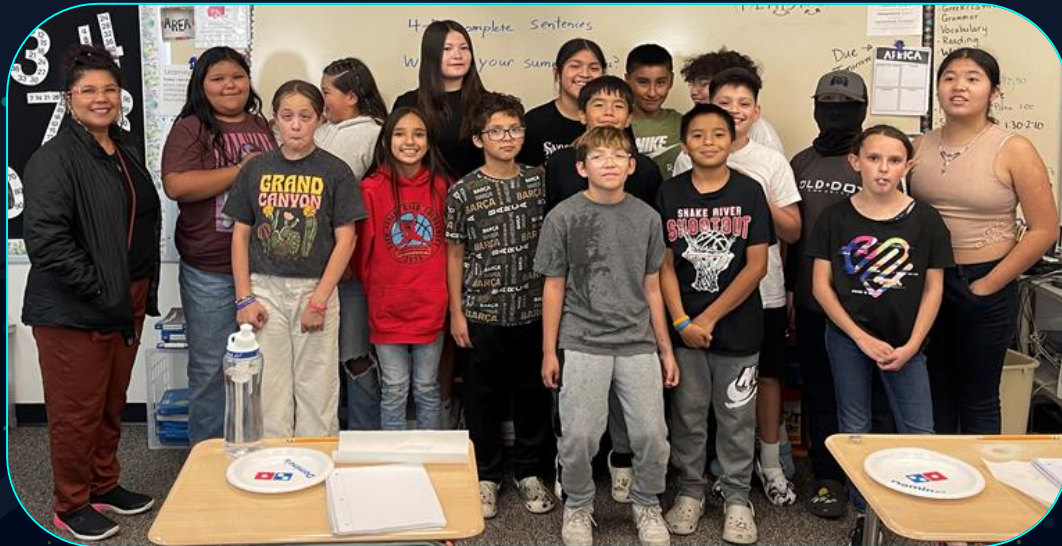
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Congratulations to Mrs. Arthur's 5th Grade Wildcat Scholars! Each day an elementary class has everyone in attendance and on time, they receive a Wildcat Roar Card. Once the class achieves 10 cards, they earn the celebration of their choice.

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Congratulations to Mrs. Baldwin's 5th Grade Wildcat Scholars! Each day an elementary class has everyone in attendance and on time, they receive a Wildcat Roar Card. Once the class achieves 10 cards, they earn the celebration of their choice.

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Lapwai 8th graders had their High School Commitment Event this week. Congrats to the class of 2028 as they embark on their 4 years of high school and a high school diploma!

WELCOME TO HIGH SCHOOL!

Nez Perce Cultural Principle:
Evaluating Mastery



Nez Perce Cultural Principle:
Experiential Learning

Math Magic!



Mr. Morgan demonstrating math concepts through magic card tricks.



Lapwai Elementary School Student Success Assembly

Thank you Mrs. Wagner, Elementary School Principal, for inviting the Superintendent to present three honors at the awards assembly on the last day of school!

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Evaluating Mastery



Superintendent's Student Cabinet
Sa'qan Green, 4th Grade
Aaralen Moses, 5th Grade



Perfect Attendance
2023-2024 School Year
Serenity Rodgers, 5th Grade



Excellence in Attendance Supports
LaTasha Dishion,
Elementary Attendance Clerk

Lapwai Elementary Summer School 2024

June 10-27, M-Th. 8am-2pm, 1st-5th grades



- ❖ Math and Reading instruction/intervention
- ❖ Nimiipuutimt/Cultural Learning
- ❖ Nimiipuu Dance + Drum
- ❖ Gym or outdoor playtime daily
- ❖ Nimiipuu Hands-on Art with Indian Ed.



Dept.



- ❖ Breakfast (Opens: 7:50am)
- ❖ Lunch
- ❖ Enrichment activities
- ❖ VR Headsets for games and virtual field trips
- ❖ Celebrations on Thursdays - Water Days June 13th and 20th, Movie Day June 27th





HIGH SCHOOL SUMMER SCHOOL

LAPWAI HIGH SCHOOL

DATES & TIMES

June 10-June 28
9am-2:30pm



Teachers

Samuel Maynes-smaynes@lapwai.org
Derek Knoll-dknoll@lapwai.org

Advantages

- ✓ Credit Recovery
- ✓ 2 credits earned
- ✓ Culturally Relevant Field Trips



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for Parents*



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Digital Learning Guide*



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Youth Resources*



NEW
PBS For Parents



NEW
*Essential for
Parenting: Teens*



NEW
*How to Talk to
Your Kids About
Vaping*



LAPWAI VOLLEYBALL COACHES NEEDED 2024-2025!

Spread the word! Wildcat athletes are amazing students! Come support the growth and development of our athletic programs!



Lapwai High School is searching for a head varsity and JV coach for next year's season. Please call 208-843-2241, email wildcats@lapwai.org, and get an application at www.lapwai.org.