

... was also an Assistant Principal at Chippewa Valley High School and Chippewa Valley High School for three years and Assistant Principal at Chippewa Valley High School 9th Grade Center until this year. Mr. Adamski says, "I am very excited to be at North Lake High School and I look forward to providing our students with the opportunities to promote their success."

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... their hearts and their homes to the exchange students. It is without fail that our community makes students who travel half way around the world feel at home.

For the 2012/13 school year, we are continuing our foreign exchange program. This year there will be 88 Chinese high school students attending classes. We will also be welcoming 14 German students for a two week cultural exchange. The goal is to have an active exchange that supports the foreign languages that we teach to students. Therefore, we are pursuing a relationship with school in Spain. One of my personal goals is to also extend the foreign language curriculum to the elementary level.

I would like to welcome Mark Adamski to the Lake Shore Family as the new principal of North Lake High School. There have been some changes with Dr. Joe DiPonio taking over the Lake Shore High School principal position and Pat Donohue moving to KMS. I believe that they will all be great leaders for both staff and students.

Enrollment looks strong as we head into the new school year. We have had to open an additional Kindergarten class and 2nd grade in order to keep our class sizes smaller in lower elementary. We also just welcomed 11 new employees during the August board meeting. It is a good feeling to be able to hire in such difficult economic times.

I am looking forward to another great school year.

Superintendent Chris Loria, Dena Perakis, Grace Bologna, and Assistant Superintendent Mary Foley.

It is always bittersweet when we say goodbye to our retirees. These are people who have been with the district for many years, and whose dedication and hard work will be greatly missed. We wish all of our retirees a wonderful, long, and healthy retirement. You deserve it!!

Following are the 2012 retirees recognized at the May Board of Education meeting.

- Grace Bologna**, Art Teacher, Lake Shore Public Schools, 24 years, March 1988 – June 2012
- Grace Ciolino**, Language Arts, Lake Shore Public Schools, 35 years, September 1977 – June 2012
- Dena Perakis**, Language Arts, Lake Shore Public Schools, 44 years, December 1968 – June 2012
- Gloria Peruski**, Pupil Accounting, Central Administration, Lake Shore Public Schools, 13 years, May 1999 – October 2012
- Rose Wietecha**, Hall Monitor, Support Staff, Lake Shore Public Schools, 24 years, October 1988 – June 2012
- Edward Wise**, Industrial Tech Teacher, Lake Shore Public Schools, 13 years, December 1999 – June 2012

LSHS Teacher and Student Present to 350 Middle School Students about Technology



LSHS Teacher Tasha Candela and Junior Eva Smith presented at the Mathematics, Science, and Technology Symposium in May.

On behalf of the Michigan Council for Women in Technology, Lake Shore High School Technology Teacher Tasha Candela, along with Eva Smith, LSHS junior and second place web design contest winner, were presenters at the Mathematics, Science, and Technology Symposium held at the Macomb Intermediate School District on May 11. There were 350 middle school girls in attendance representing the 21 Macomb county school districts.

The presentation titled Under the Influence of Technology showcased careers in technology, the MCWT's mission and values, how-to participate in the web design contest, and a graphic design tutorial. Candela says, "We could certainly see wide-eyes and hear enthusiastic voices as we shared the world of web design and graphic design with these youngsters! Honestly, I wish there was an event like this for high school teenagers."

Candela and Smith's interactive performance left students enthusiastic for technology-related careers and eager to sign-up for future computer classes in high school. Karen Johnston from the Macomb Intermediate School District said about the Candela's and Smith's presentation, "They

both were so vibrant and engaging. We heard the girls just raving about your sessions."

In addition to their presentation, several other industry experts held sessions, too. Examples include meteorologists, health care specialists, and Detroit Zoo curators who also provided valuable insight into a student's potential career direction. Candela commented, "Hearing from different career experts and getting a hands-on look at these industries can certainly provide valuable insight into a student's potential career direction. The event was organized, engaging, and created an excellent atmosphere for learning. The girls were so well behaved and had a genuine interest in each session. Hopefully, these young ladies will take advantage of MCWT's countless resources while pursuing careers in technology."

Important Phone Numbers

Lake Shore High School	285.8900
<i>LSHS Attendance Line</i>	285.8902
Kennedy Middle School	285.8800
<i>KMS Attendance Line</i>	285.8802
Masonic Heights Elementary	285.8500
<i>MH Attendance Line</i>	285.8502
Rodgers Elementary	285.8600
<i>Rodgers Attendance Line</i>	285.8602
Violet Elementary	285.8700
<i>Violet Attendance Line</i>	285.8702
North Lake High School	285.8780
St. Clair Shores Adult Education	285.8880
Athletics	285.8920
Business and Finance	285.8470
Educational Services	285.8460
Food Service	285.8925
Human Resources	285.8490
Maintenance and Operations	285.8550
Public Relations	285.8484
School Age Child Care	285.8617
Special Education	285.8610
Superintendent's Office	285.8481
Technology	285.8485
Transportation	285.8555