



L-P School Foundation

Selected Highlights for 2021:

- L-P Schools received \$21,367 in grants
- 2021 donations to LPSF through October 1 total \$80,233 from 557 supporters

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\$100,000 Challenge Match for 2022!

The Foundation has a wonderful growth opportunity, thanks to an extraordinary challenge match.

This \$100,000 Challenge Match is being offered by the Ramser Family for the L-P School Foundation's 2022 Annual Campaign.

The match is designed to encourage first-time gifts from new supporters, or increased gifts from previous supporters. Here are the details:

- The match will be done on a dollar-for-dollar basis, up to a maximum amount of \$100,000.

- Any gift from a first-time donor is eligible for the match.
- For previous donors, the difference between their 2022 donation and their 2021 donation will be eligible for the match. (For example, a 2022 gift of \$125 that follows a 2021 gift of \$100 would result in \$25 being match eligible.)
- Donations must be received between January 1, 2022 and December 31, 2022 to be eligible for the match.

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IRA Gifts from Larry and Karyle Mumper

Larry and Karyle Mumper made an amazing impact on education in the L-P Schools with their two gifts earlier this year.

Their first gift will allow the Loudonville-Perrysville School Foundation to significantly increase its annual grants to the Loudonville-Perrysville Schools, not just for this year, but for every year going forward.

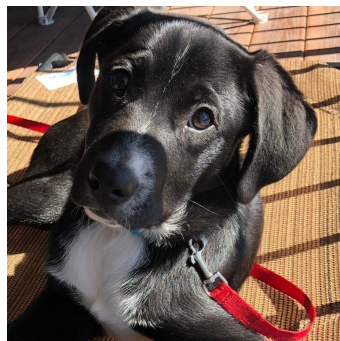
Their second gift established the Larry and Karyle Mumper Scholarship Fund at the Ashland County Community Foundation. This scholarship will be awarded every year to a student from the Loudonville-Perrysville Schools who continues their college studies in the STEM field (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math).

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Larry Mumper, LHS 1955, and his wife Karyle made two gifts to benefit students of the L-P Schools.

2021 Senior Project Was Virtual



Miso, owned by Mande Glasgo, LHS 2009, won the Cutest Pet Contest.

Last spring the LHS Class of 2021 organized the first virtual Senior Project. With COVID-19 still limiting spectator gatherings, the Cutest Pet Contest was a totally online event.

Pet owners submitted 49 photos for the contest, and a committee selected the top nine pets for voting. Each \$1.00 donation counted as one vote, and also earned one entry into a raffle for prizes donated by local merchants. Miso, shown to the left, was the winner, followed closely by Echo, owned by Caden Donaldson.

The event raised over \$1,100 to benefit the L-P School Foundation. We thank the Class of 2021 for organizing this activity, the merchants for donating prizes, and everyone who submitted a picture of their pet, or who voted in the Cutest Pet Contest.

Planning the 2022 Senior Project

Shortly before press time, the LHS Class of 2022 elected their officers. The Foundation plans to meet very soon with the officers to begin planning the 2022 Senior Project.

Just like the preceding classes, we know the Class of 2022 will create a fun and interesting event to raise funds and help our schools and community. Stay tuned for more details!

President — Jenna Book
 Vice President — Catlyn Kauffman
 Secretary — Lexy Landoll
 Treasurer — Ashton Henley
 Historian — Michaela Cline

The L-P School Foundation sends its best wishes to all the members of the Class of 2022 for a successful school year!



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The Foundation thanks Pomerene Hospital for their recent donation! On the left are the two Pomerene representatives, Jason Justus, CEO, and Deb Lewis, APRN-CNP. To the right are Mike Bandy, President of the L-P School Foundation and Superintendent Catherine Puster.

Email Savings

Thank you to everyone who has provided their email address to the Foundation! So far this year we've saved over \$275 on stamps alone by reducing our snail mail correspondence. (Think newsletters and thank you letters / tax receipts.)

If you're reading a snail mail copy of this newsletter, please consider enrolling in the online version, which will help us reduce expenses even further. Just send an email to support@lpschoolfoundation.org and we'll do the rest!

Every dollar saved is one more dollar that helps our schools!

Full Commitments from Two Boards



All of the board members from **both** the Loudonville-Perrysville Schools and the L-P School Foundation have personally committed to make a 2022 donation that will qualify for the \$100,000 Challenge Match described in the front page article.

Shown in the photo on the left are L-P School Board members John Carroll and Judy Briggs (front row) and Dave Hunter, John Miller, and Roy Templeman (back row).

Shown in the photo on the right are the L-P School Foundation board members.

Top Row: Mike Bandy, Michael Bitner, and Sue Burwell

Bottom Row: Molly Kern, Stacey Kiner, Kenny Libben, and Angila Tracey

Tom Lavinder



Earlier this year the Loudonville-Perrysville School Foundation announced that Tom Lavinder will be volunteering as an alumni liaison representative. Tom will work to broaden alumni awareness of the Foundation's activities and will assist alumni interested in estate gifts and estate planning.

A 1970 LHS graduate, Tom worked for nearly 40 years in the education field, serving as Superintendent of the L-P Schools from 1988-1999. He and his wife Debbie live in the Ashland area, and their three adult children are all LHS graduates. Two of their grandchildren are also LHS graduates, and two other grandchildren currently attend the L-P Schools.

First Estate Gifts to LPSF



Four families have signed documents to officially include the Loudonville-Perrysville School Foundation in their estate plans. Shown from left to right are Jerry and Judy Dudte, John and Penny Miller, Guinn and Mike Bandy, and Tami Reynolds, whose husband Russ Reynolds was unavailable for this photo. The Foundation thanks these long-time supporters for their legacy gifts, which will benefit the Loudonville-Perrysville Schools for years to come. To begin a conversation about the simple process of making a legacy gift through your will or an estate note, please email the Foundation using support@lpschoolfoundation.org.

LHS 1947 Grad Supports Foundation



Above: Mary Lou (Petty) Budd, LHS 1947, is front and center with the LHS bass drum. Her future husband, Curtis Eugene Budd, is in the very top right of the photo.

Below: Mrs. Budd now lives in the Chicago area. The center picture on the chest is her husband while serving in the U.S. Air Force.



Mary Lou (Petty) Budd, LHS 1947, is still giving back to help her high school alma mater. Mrs. Budd now lives in the Chicago area, and she has donated to the L-P School Foundation in 12 separate years.

Mrs. Budd has long been involved with and interested in supporting education. In the early 1960's she was a substitute kindergarten teacher in Delaware. In the late 1960's, while living in Illinois, she worked on installing a crosswalk to improve the safety of children walking to and from school. In the late 1970's she returned to school to earn a certificate in Library Science and then was a grade school librarian for many years in Milford, Ohio. She supports the L-P Schools, rather than the schools where she taught, simply because she is "a Loudonville girl at heart."

The local ties are deep and significant. Mary Lou was married to Curtis Eugene Budd, the grandson of C. E. Budd, for whom the Budd Building was named. Both her husband, and then later their daughter, attended classes in the Budd Building. (For more Budd Building history, see the article written by former Loudonville teacher Loleta Eberhart using the link <http://www.lpschools.k12.oh.us/budd/history-c-e-budd-school>.)

Mary Lou keeps in touch with her classmate and best friend, Cherie (Ross) Baldner. If you would like to send a card to Mary Lou, the Foundation will help. Send your card to LPSF, PO Box 73, Loudonville, OH 44842. Include Mary Lou's name on the envelope, and we will forward your card.

The Foundation thanks Marcie Budd Crassweller, daughter of Mary Lou Budd, for serving as the intermediary as this article was researched and written.

Redbird Alumni Challenge

The 6th annual Redbird Alumni Challenge was held over graduation weekend, and ended at midnight on May 30. With 37 class members making donations, the Class of 2006 solidified its claim as "perennial powerhouse" with its fifth victory in the six years of this contest. In its final year of eligibility the Class of 2001 finished in second place with 28 donations.

This annual event is open to the 20 most recent classes to graduate, and the winning class is based on the NUMBER of donors, NOT the dollars donated. During the 2021 challenge, a total of 145 graduates from these last 20 classes made donations, and the total collected to help our schools was \$2,818.

Since the year 2016, a total of 610 young alumni have donated \$12,160 to benefit the L-P schools.

More historical details are available on the Redbird Alumni Challenge page of our website. Follow this [link](#) or navigate to the Events page of our website.

Thank you to everyone who participated in the 2021 Redbird Alumni Challenge!



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The Loudonville-Perrysville School Foundation, Inc. (LPSF) is governed by a seven-member Board of Trustees. The Foundation meets once a quarter, in January, April, July, and October. If you have any questions about LPSF, or if you would like to attend one of our meetings, please contact any of the trustees listed in the box on Page 2. Information about the Foundation and its activities is available on our website, www.lpschoolfoundation.org.

2021 Teacher Mini-Grants

In July the Foundation awarded nine Teacher Mini-Grants in the total amount of \$3,882. This is the 5th straight year LPSF has awarded grants directly to teachers, based upon a competitive application process.

Teacher Mini-Grants are to be used for materials, equipment, or other expenses related to a program or project not supported by the school budget, and are limited to \$500 per teacher each year.

The history of all [Teacher Mini-Grants](#), going back to the year 2017, is available on our website.

Amount	Teacher - Project Description
500	Beth Cole - Mental Health Matters
450	Jim Conley - Biology II Fungi Unit
195	Traci Cooper - Ancient Civilization STEM Projects
250	Lindsey Frank - Creating Calm
500	Jim Gale - Aerospace (PLTW)
500	Jacqui Pollard - Hands-On Reading Instruction
500	Aimee Ross - A Photo A Day
500	Chelsea Wheeler - Library for Learning Recovery
487	Seth Youngen - Coding with the TI 84+ Calculator
\$ 3,882	

Oldie But Goodie



Kathy (Ayers) Davis and her husband Nate sent this photo of their trip across Mongolia in 2018. There are 37 photos and stories of "Global Donors" on our website.

<https://www.lpschoolfoundation.org/global-donors>

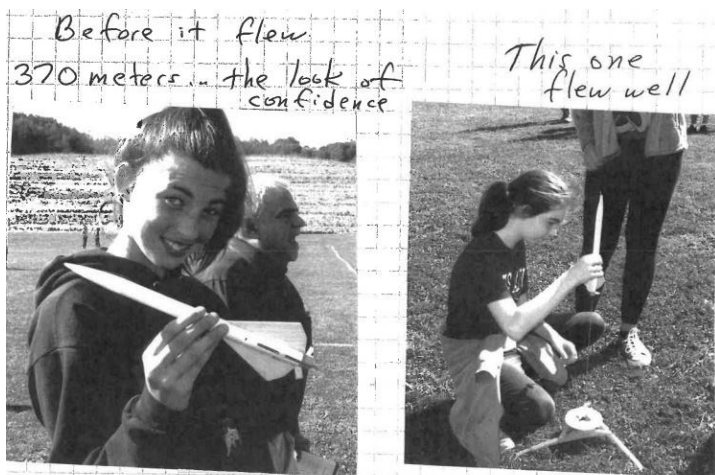
Donations and Grants In 2021

As of press time, the L-P School Foundation has received 2021 donations of **\$80,233** from **557** supporters located in 28 states. Since its incorporation in 2008, the Foundation has received support from an incredible 1,416 donors!

As a result of these donations, along with the [Senior Projects](#) organized since the year 2000, the L-P Schools have received cumulative grants of **\$150,500!**

This year the L-P Schools received total grants of \$21,367. These grants helped purchase laptops for the McMullen Building and STEM/Robotics materials in the high school, assisted with the track renovation at Redbird Stadium, funded the nine Teacher Mini-Grants described further on this page, and provided designated funding at the McMullen School.

Thank you to all our donors, without whose support these grants would not be possible!



A Teacher Mini-Grant from 2020 helped students in Mr. Gale's 8th grade science class build and fly rockets. Mr. Gale's handwritten notes describe the work of Liberty Gerhart (left) and Riley Spreng (right).

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Ramser Family spokesman Mark Ramser commented, “The Ramser Family has always been a strong supporter of education, and we are pleased to offer this challenge match to spur the continued growth of the L-P School Foundation. Having followed the Foundation’s activities for many years, we know the 2022 campaign donations will be efficiently used to benefit both current and future L-P students. We encourage new and existing donors to support this campaign and help the Foundation reach the \$100,000 goal.”

LPSF President Mike Bandy commented, “The Foundation cannot thank the Ramser Family enough for this amazing gift and opportunity for growth. The Foundation’s supporters can see their gifts doubled, and the result of this match will be increased grants to the L-P Schools, not just for this year, but for years to come.”

With this \$100,000 Challenge Match, will you consider a new or increased gift during our 2022 campaign?



50th Reunion

The LHS Class of 1970 continued the tradition of supporting the L-P School Foundation during its 50th Reunion celebration.

Class members donated a total of \$3,634, the largest amount ever donated by a 50th Reunion class. Special thanks go to the class members who wrote notes encouraging their classmates to support the Foundation.

The Foundation is always willing to provide mailing labels to assist classes that are planning reunions — and not just the 50-year celebrations. If you would like our help, send an email to support@lpschoolfoundation.org.

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When asked the reason for making these two gifts, Larry commented, “My career and life were greatly influenced by the teachers, the academics, and the extracurricular activities made available to me as a student of the Loudonville-Perryville Schools. I hope our gifts will provide similar opportunities for students today and into the future.”

The Mumpers’ two gifts came from Larry’s Individual Retirement Account (IRA). With some IRA gifting transactions, a technique known as a Qualified Charitable Distribution can provide certain additional tax benefits to the person making the gift.

For questions about creating your own legacy to benefit the Loudonville-Perryville Schools and its students, please contact the Loudonville-Perryville School Foundation using support@lpschoolfoundation.org.

New Trustee Stacey Kiner



Stacey Kiner became a [Trustee](#) of the Loudonville-Perryville School Foundation at the January 2021 meeting. Stacey is a 1988 graduate of Loudonville High School. She is a Mortgage Underwriter and has over 20 years of service with Park National Bank. Stacey's two children, Chase and Miranda, both graduated from LHS in 2014.

Stacey filled the expiring term of Kari Reidenbach, who served as a Trustee from 2014 through 2021. Thank you, Kari, for your many years of service!

Memorial and Honorary Gifts

As of press time, the following 2021 gifts were added to our website’s Donor List:

Memorial Gifts

Pam Beachler, Colin Clark, Jon Jarvis, Ken Myers, Jennifer T. B. Patton, and Marjorie Robinson

Navigate here for [Memorial Gifts](#).

Honorary Gifts

Michael Boarder, Captain Jonathan Huffman, and Captain Mary Kauffman

Navigate here for [Honorary Gifts](#).