The fifty-sixth commencement ceremony for the Eastern Lebanon County School District was held in the New Beginnings Auditorium in Myerstown on Tuesday, June 4, 2019.

The ceremony opened with Alicia Yoh delivering the invocation and leading the Pledge of Allegiance. The senior members of the ELCO High School Chorus sang “The Star-Spangled Banner” and Brikel Remper welcomed staff, family and friends to the ceremony. Danika Boltz and Abbie Keath, student orators, presented their speeches, “Don’t Be Afraid to Fail” and “In the Jungle,” respectively. ELCO’s ROCS (Raiders on Center Stage), along with senior members of the ELCO High School Chorus, performed the choral selection “For Good.”

Ms. Jennifer Haas, High School Principal, then introduced Dr. Michael Gerhart, Intermediate School Principal, as the commencement speaker. Dr. Gerhart was selected by the senior class to give the commencement address at this year’s ceremony. Mrs. Amy Shoemaker, Director of Pupil Services, presented Dr. Gerhart with the Commencement Speaker Award.

Mrs. Barbara Davis, Assistant Superintendent, along with High School Principal Jennifer Haas and Intermediate School Principal Dr. Michael Gerhart, presented the departmental awards to the students who were chosen by each curricular area for their outstanding achievements. The following students received awards for the indicated curricular areas:

- **Agriculture Science**: Kaitlin Ream
- **Art**: Dana Lovell
- **Business Education**: Hayley Smith
- **English**: Brenden Nauman
- **Family & Consumer Science**: Brikel Remper
- **Mathematics**: Danika Boltz
- **Music**: David Deitz
- **Physical Education**: Ryelle Shuey / Gabriel Kiene
- **Science**: Brenden Nauman
- **Social Studies**: Alexandra Header
- **Technology Education**: Tyler Blair
- **World Language**: Brikel Remper

**Lebanon County Career & Tech Center**: Kellie Bonser / Carson Nell
**ELCO HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT…Continued**

Mrs. Julia Vicente, Superintendent, then addressed the graduates and presented the Valedictorian, Danika Boltz, and the Salutatorian, Abbie Keath, with their awards. Board President Jack Kahl delivered the Board of Education message.

Ms. Jennifer Haas, High School Principal, introduced the Class of 2019 and affirmed that all students fulfilled the requirements for graduation. School Board President Jack Kahl, assisted by Board Member Tom Ferrari and Intermediate School Principal, Dr. Michael Gerhart, presented the diplomas to the graduates while senior class advisor, Mrs. Melodie Fair, read the class roll. Mrs. Julia Vicente congratulated each student and Ms. Jennifer Haas changed the graduates’ tassels, symbolizing their graduation from ELCO High School. Mrs. Julia Vicente, Superintendent, then declared all students to be graduates of the Eastern Lebanon County School District.

Senior Class President, Abbie Keath, presented the senior class gift and Brenden Nauman gave the farewell. The evening concluded with the singing of the Alma Mater. Congratulations to the Class of 2019!

**STUDENT AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS**

**INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL:**

**Women’s Club Good Citizenship:**

3rd Grade: Melanie Baldwin, Emma Bennett, Mya Bisher, Rachel Blakeslee, Delaney Garrison, Sasha Hicks, Kane Kline, Garrett Lewis, Ammar Mady, Ana Milosevic, Cole Newswanger, Lily Righter, Alex Sinyagin, Emily Smucker, Erica Weikel, Abigail Whitmoyer

4th Grade: Eve Blackman, Hadyn Boyer, Sierra Brandt, Peytyn Bryan, Juan Chavez, Emma Fisher, Aryana Haislip, Sophie Hollinshead, Sadie Krall, Griffin Kreider, Brielle Martin, Asher Parham, Allison Polynone, Rory Righter, Alina Sinyagin, Layla Werner

5th Grade: Isabella Badolato, Audrey Boehler, Avery Garrison, Madison Harnish, Claire Jacoby, Emma Krall, Lila Leisey, Tyler Shaak, Connor Sipe, Riley Vest, Adelae Weiler, Logan Will, Payten Wilson, Hailie Witmer, Lena Yeiser, Talon Yoder

**Russ Diamond Leadership Award:** Ava Bird, Braden Gettle

**Mike Fulmer Award:** Alexis Hartz, Layla Martzall


**President Award for Achievement:** Sierra Bender, Alexa Conlon, Matthew Duncan, Madelynn Eisenhauer, Erica Eisenhauer, Breanne Etherson, Thomas Forrer, Avery Garrison, Devin Gutierrez, Madison Harnish, Alexis Hartz, Josiah Hayes, Jillian Kleinfelter, Alexsis Klop, Emma Krall, Ashton Kriss, Avery Kurtz, Eric Layser, Makyna Martin, Klint Miller, Abigail Nelson, Kaylyn Nguyen, Mackenzie Peffley, Kiersten Powell, Dalton Pyszka, Delaney Reidel, Madelynn Stout, Camilla Ulrich, Cole Weaver, Madison Weidman, Addison Wenger, Logan Will, Lilith Witmer, Lena Yeiser, Talon Yoder, Logan Young

**MIDDLE SCHOOL:**

**Senator Michael Folmer Good Citizenship Award:** Isabel Zwally & Stephen Confair

**Representative Russ Diamond Leadership Award:** Samantha Nelson & Caden Baer

**Good Neighbor Award:** Nevaeh Heverling, Ciarra Rosenberg, Matthew Drupp, Joshua Fisher, Joseph Logdahl

**Woodmen of the World Award:** Emma Kimmel & Meredith West
STUDENT AWARD RECOGNITION…Continued

HIGH SCHOOL:

Departmental Awards

Art - Senior Art Portfolio Awards
Best 2D
Best 3D
Best Overall
Rashawn Bass
Matt Bentz
Dana Lovell

Business FBLA Awards
Xerox Award for Innovation and Information Technology
National Business Honor Society Award
National Conference Award for Help Desk
State Award for Social Media
Keegan Donmoyer
Deziree Balthaser, Sabryna Orfino
Isaac Long
Rylan Brown, Erin Miller

English SIGMA Awards
Business Editor Award
Editor-in-Chief Award
Editor Award
National Federation of Press Women State Champion in Yearbook Layout & Photography Award
Georgia Martin
Jordan Rosengrant
Alana Nash, Anissa Machamer
Alana Nash

Music Myerstown Sr. Women’s Club – Music & Drama Division
John Phillips Sousa Outstanding Instrumentalist Award
Louis Armstrong Jazz Award
Patrick S. Gilmore Outstanding Instrumentalist Award
Quincy Jones Musicianship Award
Director’s Award for Band
Director’s Award for Chorus
Outstanding Brass Player Award
Outstanding Choral Award
Outstanding Dramatic Actor Award
Outstanding Percussionist Award
Outstanding Theater Technician Award
Outstanding Woodwind Award
Jacob Hitz
David Deitz
Hunter Bailey
Zach Whelan
Jacob Hitz
Danika Boltz
David Deitz
Zach Whelan
Erik Heck
Jacob Hitz

Science
Hatzel Zeplin Memorial Environmental Scholarship
Bausch & Lomb Honorary Science Award
Outstanding HS American Chemical Student Award
Danika Boltz, Brenden Nauman, Ryelle Shuey
Julia Badolato
Kaylin Nolt

Social Studies
Woodman of the World American History Award
Frederick Douglas & Susan B Anthony Award
Hunter Bailey
Austin Sprenkle

Military
U.S. Marines Scholastic Excellence Award
U.S. Marines Semper Fidelis Award for Music Excellence
Abbie Keath
David Deitz

ELCO Staff Scholarship
Julia Angstadt, Hunter Bailey, Noah Cruz, Julia Nelson, Hayley Smith, Misty Spang
Animal Health Care of Myerstown Scholarship
Danika Boltz

Anna Zimmerman Reath Scholarship
Jennifer Axarlis

Bayer “Making Science Make Sense” Scholarship
Kaylin Nolt
STUDENT AWARD RECOGNITION…Continued

D.A.R. Good Citizenship Scholarship          Dana Lovell
Dr. Henry & Phyllis Levengood Wasserman Scholarship  Jennifer Axarlis, Abbie Keath, Brenden Nauman, Kaylin Nolt, Emily Williams, Alicia Yoh
ELCEA Scholarship                Jennifer Axarlis, Logan Ruth, Pavel Krasyukov
Fort Zeller PTO Scholarship         Ethan Balderrama
George Eastman Young Leaders Award  Alicia Yoh
Harvey L. Nitrauer Scholarship       Alicia Yoh, Brenden Nauman, Abbie Keath
Heidelberg Township Lioness Club Award Cole Nelson
Henry Funk Memorial                  Brenden Nauman, Hayley Smith
Jackson Elementary PTO Scholarship   Danika Boltz
Jason Dubble Memorial Scholarship    Emily Williams
John H. & Clarissa Eisenhauer Scholarship Jordan Rosengrant
Lebanon Federal Credit Union – Future Leader Scholarship Abbie Keath
Lebanon PA School Retirees Scholarship Cherish Weaver
Lebanon Valley Chamber of Commerce Foundation Scholarship
L-L Music Educators Association Student Honors Recognition Award
   Band                Hana Angley, Jacob Hitz
   Chorus              David Deitz, Dana Lovell
   Marching Band       Hunter Bailey
   Music Technology    Sam Buckwalter
   Show Choir          Sam Krupenya
   Keyboard            Zach Whelan
Moyer-Longacre Scholarship          Jennifer Axarlis, Dana Lovell, Aryanna Miller, Abbie Keath, Cherish Weaver
Mrs. Weaver’s Education Award        Stephanie Saint-Jean
Mt Gretna Arts Council Scholarship  Dana Lovell
Myerstown Alumni Association Scholarship Noah Cruz, Ryelle Shuey
Myerstown-ELCO Rotary Club Scholarship Hunter Bailey, Brenden Nauman, Cherish Weaver, Alicia Yoh
Myerstown ELCO Rotary Club 4-Way Essay Contest Saige Blatt, Emily Miller, Hayley Krill
Myerstown Elementary PTO Scholarship Noah Cruz, Julia Underkoffler
Myerstown VFW Memorial Post 6076      Julia Underkoffler, Hunter Bailey
Myrle Mann Kline and Richard Mann Kline Scholarship Abbie Keath
National Merit Scholarship Program Letter of Commendation Danika Boltz
Noel K. Hertzog Memorial Scholarship Jennifer Axarlis
Outstanding Senior Award-Lebanon Cty Bar Assoc. & Danika Boltz
   WLBR/WQIC                Jennifer Axarlis
Penn State Club Scholarship         Rashawn Bass
Principal’s Choice Art Awards        Matthew Bentz, Nevan Mauger
   2-D
   3-D
Principal’s Leadership Award         Alexandra Header
STUDENT AWARD RECOGNITION…Continued

Richland Post 880 American Legion Clarence Spangler Award
  Hana Angley, Emily Williams, Brenden Nauman, Pavel Krasyukov

Richland Post 880 American Legion Enlisting in Military Award
  Army
    Jacob Hill, Josh Behney, Hunter Hedgepeth, Mason Logdahl, Carson Bordner
    Hunter Bailey
  Army ROTC
  Air Force ROTC
  Marines
    Devyn Scholtes, Adam Firestine
  National Guard
    Natalie Wilson
  Navy
    Katie Wanner

Stacey L. Seldomridge Memorial Scholarship
  Hayley Smith

Travelers Protective Association of America Altruism Award
  Jaya Hackman

Viva Watts Nursing Scholarship
  Emily Williams

Women’s Christian Temperance Union Good Citizenship Award
  Kaylin Nolt, Gabriel Kiene

The preceding organizations have helped graduating students achieve their dreams through continuing education, by providing these scholarships. Please help support these organizations that offer so much to enrich the lives of our students and community. For more information on how your company or organization can arrange a scholarship, please call the ELCO High School Guidance Office at (717) 866-7447 ext. 20520.
PROFESSIONAL & SUPPORT STAFF
MEMBER OF THE YEAR AWARDS

Congratulations to the following ELCO Staff members who were selected as this year’s Professional and Support Staff Member of the Year!

**Pictured Left to Right:**
- Secondary: Juliette Devore, Business Education Teacher, ELCO Middle School
- Elementary: Elizabeth Knight, Reading Teacher, Jackson Elementary
- Support Staff: Michelle Dubble, Administrative Assistant to Director of Pupil Services, District Office

SPECIAL RECOGNITION – STAFF YEARS OF SERVICE AWARDS

The following ELCO employees are being recognized for their years of service.

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DATE SAVER:
2019 / 2020 Homecoming Week:
October 14 – 19, 2019
Congratulations to the World Language Department for winning a PEP Award from the Pennsylvania State Modern Language Association. The *PSMLA Exemplary Program (PEP) Awards* are given to schools with well-designed, sequential programs that enable students to attain world language standards, as demonstrated by documentation of criteria described on the PSMLA PEP Rubric. To view the 11 Indictor PEP Rubric with responses, please visit [https://www.psmla.net/sites/default/files/2019%20PEP%20SHOWCASE%20FINAL.pdf](https://www.psmla.net/sites/default/files/2019%20PEP%20SHOWCASE%20FINAL.pdf)

Congratulations to Mrs. Jennifer Martin, who was recently named as one of the 100 “Keystone Technology STARs” in Pennsylvania. The Keystone Technology Innovators program, directed by PAECT, recognizes outstanding classroom technology innovators by identifying, inviting and supporting exemplary educators into a distinct and dynamic learning community. Keystones advocate the use of technology as a transformative tool to nurture the intellect, innovation and imagination of students.
ATHLETICALLY SPEAKING

This was a spectacular year for the ELCO athletic programs. ELCO won four Section Championships in boys’ and girls’ track & field, girls’ soccer and field hockey. The girls’ basketball team did not win any championships; however, they did play in the League finals and advanced to the PIAA Tournament. The girls’ soccer team won the Lancaster-Lebanon League and District 3 Championship. Several school records were broken in each of the three seasons; and Abbie Keath and Ryelle Shuey were named to the All-State teams in field hockey and soccer, respectively.

Track & Field: Congratulations to the boys’ program for completing the season with a 6-2 record and winning the Section 3 Championship. Top performers on the team were Elijah Herb, Brenden Nauman, Mitchell Gray, Cole Nelson, Erik Williams, Braden Bohannon, Angel Zeiders, Ben Horst and Zach Groff. The following individuals placed at the Lancaster-Lebanon League Meet: Brenden Nauman (Javelin 3rd), Ben Horst (Javelin 4th), and Elijah Herb (110 Hurdles 3rd). Nauman, Horst, and Herb all qualified for Districts with Brenden placing 5th, which qualified him for the PIAA meet. Brenden Nauman also set the school record in the javelin with a throw of 184’ 1”.

The girls’ team finished the season with a 7-1 record and won the Lancaster-Lebanon Section 3 Championship. Top performers on this year’s team were Alicia Yoh, Devon Rosengrant, Cassie Johnson, Emily Miller, Campbelle Boltz, Kaylisa Montijo, Julia Nelson, Ryelle Shuey, Katelyn Rueppel, Abbie Keath, Jordan Rosengrant, Natalie Swingholm, and Deziree Balthaser. The following individuals placed at the Lancaster-Lebanon League Meet: Ryelle Shuey (Shot Put 1st), Abbie Keath, Emily Miller, Deziree Balthaser, Jordan Rosengrant (4x800 Relay 5th), Katelyn Ruppel, Devon Rosengrant, Natalie Swingholm, Julia Nelson (4x100 Relay 6th), Abbie Keath, Natalie Swingholm, Deziree Balthaser, Jordan Rosengrant (4x400 Relay 8th). Shuey and Rueppel qualified for Districts with Shuey placing 2nd, which qualified her for the PIAA meet. Ryelle Shuey set the school record and the county record in the shot put with a throw of 41’ 3”. Katelyn Rueppel, Devon Rosengrant, Natalie Swingholm, and Julia Nelson set the school record in the 4 x 100-meter relay with a time of 51.59.

The “Bob and Louise Trump Junior High Invitational” was held on Saturday, April 14 and was a great success. Special thanks to the track coaches and varsity team members who helped assist with this meet and the Booster Club who also played a big role in this great event.

Baseball: The baseball team completed the season with a 9 – 11 record. Riley Blatt, Dakota Smith, Jude Anthony, and Ryan Miller did the majority of the starting pitching. The top hitters on the team were Braden Bohannon, Jason Gattens, RJ Peiffer, and Jude Anthony. Jason Gattens was voted Lebanon Daily News “Player of the Week” during the season.

Softball: The softball team completed the season with a 5 - 15 record under the direction of first year head coach Erin Harris. Cate Liskey handled most of the pitching duties for the Raiders and the top hitters on the team were Katrina Swartz, Allie Nolt, and Anya Kissinger. Cate Liskey (pitcher), Allie Nolt (catcher), and Katrina Swartz (outfielder) were selected to the Lancaster-Lebanon League Section 3 Honorable Mention All-Star Team.

Boys’ Tennis: The tennis team completed the season with a 2 - 13 record. The team consisted of 17 players. Fourteen of the players are underclassmen. Jaydon Grumbine (freshman) played number one singles for the Raiders.

On May 28th, the Sports Awards Program returned to ELCO in the High School Auditorium after more than a decade. The program was a great evening to highlight all of the athletic teams and to present awards and scholarships for every varsity sport. Listed below are the award winners from the 2018-2019 school year.

- David Deitz received recognition and a plaque for singing the National Anthem at countless contests during his four-year career at ELCO. David also performed the National Anthem at the District 3 Girls Soccer Championship Game at Hersheypark Arena and the PIAA Wrestling State Championships in the Giant Center.

- Jacob Hitz received a plaque and recognition for serving as the public address announcer for many basketball, baseball, and softball contests during his four-year career at ELCO. Jacob will continue his education at Shippensburg University and major in Communications.

- Special recognition and a plaque were also presented to Robert Miller (football), Derek Fulk (soccer), and Ashli Shay (basketball) for being named Lancaster-Lebanon League Section Coaches of the Year.
ATHLETICALLY SPEAKING…Continued


Special Award
- C.S. “Pop” Kelchner Award
- L.V. Kiwanis Scholar/Athlete Award
- A. Landis Brackbill Award Nominees
- U.S. Army Scholar-Athlete Award
- U.S. Marine Corps Distinguished Athlete Award
- Robert Clauser Memorial Award
- PIAA District III Fackler Hower Sportsmanship Award
- PIAA District III E Jerry Brooks Academic Excellence Award
- Fred Poorman Fighting Heart Award
- Abe Wagner Memorial Scholarship
- Cheerleading Scholarship
- Jarod Ocker Memorial Scholarship
- Carl Gibble Memorial Scholarship
- Robert “Barney” Hoffman Soccer Scholarship
- Assistant Coach of the Year

Recipients
- Trey Donmoyer & Ryelle Shuey
- Brenden Nauman & Alicia Yoh
- Abbie Keath & Ryelle Shuey
- Gavin Brown, Jordan Rosengrant
- Hunter Bailey, Julia Nelson
- Darian Ulrich, Jaron Ulrich
- Kaylin Nolt, Cole Nelson
- Brenden Nauman, Abbie Keath, Danika Boltz, Alicia Yoh
- Ethan Kissinger
- Brenden Nauman
- Natalie Wilson
- Angel Zeiders
- Logan Ruth
- Gavin Brown, Hunter Keppley, Tyler Blair
- Wes Soto

2018 – 2019 College Decision of Choice

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Please follow the ELCO Athletic Department on Twitter for updates on scores, postponements, and other important information about the ELCO athletic department @_dbohannon.

PLEASE NOTE - The ELCO High School Weight Room will be closed this summer due to high school building renovations!

The annual Celebrate the Arts Night was held at the Intermediate School, this year. The theme was “Art Around the World”. All Art students, K-12, had their work displayed; and the seniors showcased their displays in the library. The ELCO chapter of the National Art Honor Society held an art auction to raise money toward the senior art scholarships. The NAHS students collaborated with Mr. Bickel’s honors classes’ Veteran History Projects. Each Art student created a unique piece of artwork for a veteran and both the English and Art students had their work displayed at the Veterans History Project presentations and Celebrate the Arts night.
2019-2020 SCHOOL CALENDAR

ELCO School District | 2019-2020 Calendar (Approved 2/4/19; Revised 5/22/19 – Note: Dates are subject to change)

**AUGUST ’19**

13 – 14 New Teacher Induction
20 – Opening Day All Staff
21 – In-Service K-12
26 – First Day for Students
30 – NO School

**SEPTEMBER ’19**

2 – NO School
25 – 2 hr. Late Start

**OCTOBER ’19**

14 – K-12 In-Service – NO Students
30 – End of Marking Period #1

**NOVEMBER ’19**

1 – Act 80 Day (NO Students)
25 – K-5 Parent-Teacher Conferences (no school for K-5)
26 – K-12 Parent Teacher Conference (no school for K-12)
27 – K-12 In-Service Exchange (NO Students)
28-29 – NO School

**DECEMBER ’19**

2 – NO School
23 – 31 NO School

**JANUARY ’20**

1 – NO School
15 – 21r. Late Start
20 – NO School (Emergency Make Up #1)
21 – End of Marking Period #2

**FEBRUARY ’20**

13 – 1/2 Day for K-5 (Parent-Teacher Confs)
14 – Act 80 Day (NO Students – Emergency Make Up #2)
17 – NO School

**MARCH ’20**

9-14 – NO School
9 – NO School [Emergency Make-Up #3]
30 – K-5 School (Emergency Make-Up #3)

**APRIL ’20**

1-8 – PSSA Math/Science Testing & Makeup Testing (Proposed dates)
22 – K-12 In-Service Exchange (NO Students)
25 – NO School

**MAY ’20**

1-8 – PSSA Math/Science Testing & Makeup Testing (Proposed dates)
22 – K-12 In-Service Exchange (NO Students)
25 – NO School

**JUNE ’20**

1-8 – PSSA Math/Science Testing & Makeup Testing (Proposed dates)
22 – K-12 In-Service Exchange (NO Students)
25 – NO School

**ELCO COMMUNICATOR SUMMER 2019**

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"YOU CAN'T BUY HAPPINESS BUT YOU CAN BUY BOOKS AND THAT'S KIND OF THE SAME THING"

The reading specialists at Fort Zeller and Jackson Elementary schools are in the process of creating mobile classroom libraries for our students. Research indicates that students need high quality literature and the opportunity to choose from a variety of genres.

According to leading literacy researcher Richard Allington, “The most influential factor in reading motivation and achievement was ensuring students had easy access to interesting texts.” This is the goal of the mobile classroom libraries. If you are interested in helping to provide engaging books for our students, you can either visit the following sites or make a monetary contribution.

https://pioneervalleybooks.com OR https://www.maryruthbooks.com

We are also accepting gently used books for primary aged students. Books can be dropped off at Fort Zeller or Jackson Elementary Schools.

For more information, contact: Sara Faust: sfaust@elcosd.org, Elizabeth Knight: eknight@elcosd.org or Michelle Longenecker: mlongenecker@elcosd.org

Congratulate to the members of the ELCO French Honor Society who recently received a grant from the Lebanon County Chapter of the Pennsylvania Association of School Retirees (PASR). The grant monies will be used to fund opportunities for students to participate in authentic community activities which will enhance French skills and cultural appreciation.
### EASTERN LEBANON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

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### SCHOOL START & END TIMES

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