



The Laker

April 17, 2026

Referendum Approved

The results from the Tuesday, April 7th election are now official. A majority of voters in our district approved the nonrecurring operational referendum measure for the School District of Shell Lake.

I want to thank all of the community members who attended information meetings and reached out in the months leading up to election day with questions about the referendum. Ensuring everyone has a chance to be heard is critical and your feedback is valuable.

Once again, thank you for the support that you have shown for our schools and students. Your continued investments will enable us to maintain the exceptional educational experience you have come to expect at Shell Lake Schools.

Sincerely,
Todd Felhofer
Superintendent

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE SHELL LAKE FFA QUIZ BOWL TEAM!

We are proud to announce that our Shell Lake High School FFA Quiz Bowl team has qualified for the State Competition!

Best of luck to Alexis Schuebel, Owen Leckel, Audrianna Bodzislav, and Spencer Ritchey as they represent Shell Lake in Madison on June 15th at the State FFA Convention.



STUDENT COUNCIL FUNDRAISER

All proceeds from t-shirt sales will be donated to the Student Council.



[Tee Lodge creations order form](#)



SHELL LAKE FFA ALUMNI & SUPPORTERS GRILLED CHEESE FUNDRAISER

Come support & snack for a cause!

🧀 Hot, fresh, and oh-so-cheesy!

We're serving up melty grilled cheese sandwiches to raise funds and fill bellies.

17 Saturday, April 25th
11 am - 2 pm

17 Sunday, April 26th
11 am - 2 pm

📍 SPOONER TRACTOR SUPPLY!



Support our FFA students—one sandwich at a time!
All proceeds benefit the Shell Lake FFA programs.

SCHOOL NUTRITION

Lunch

Monday	Chicken Filet or Uncrustable & String Cheese
Tuesday	Taco or Strawberry Blueberry Parfait
Wednesday	Choice of Pizza or Uncrustable & String Cheese
Thursday	Build a Burger or Straw. Banana Smoothie w/ Bagel
Friday	Seasoned Chicken or Ham & Cheese Sandwich

Breakfast

WG Mini Waffles
Choice of Muffin
Cheese Omelet
WG Donut Holes
WG Breakfast Pizza



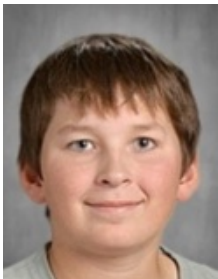
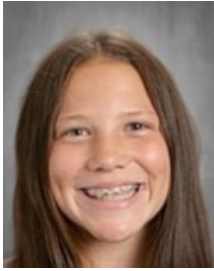
Feed My People
FOOD BANK

All Breakfast comes with option of cereal

SHELL LAKE STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

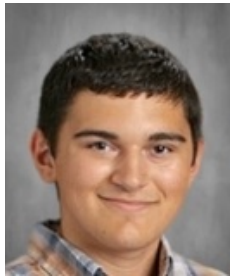


Our Elementary Student of the Week is Grace Gronning. Grace is an incredible example of the Laker Way. She is responsible with her schoolwork, follows expectations, chooses to push herself academically, seeks out help when unsure, and is quick to reflect on her choices/actions. Grace is humble, kind, and has a huge heart!



Our Middle School student of the week is Colby Schrankel. Colby is friendly and kind, works hard in the classroom, and displays a positive attitude and solid sense of humor each and every day. Keep up the great work, Colby!

The student of the week for Shell Lake High School is Everett Matthys. Everett seeks understanding, communicates well, and does all of what he does in a very respectful and considerate way. He can be relied upon to carry out his commitments and does so with a smile on his face. We appreciate you Everett!



CONGRATULATIONS, LAKERS!

SHELL LAKE HS/MS

YEARBOOK

To order, visit:

YEARBOOKFOREVER.COM

SEARCH BY SCHOOL NAME
YEARBOOKS START AT \$40
PERSONALIZE IF YOU WISH!

**Staff
Shout
Out**

Celebrate
our Staff

CLC Program

Students must be registered prior to attending the After School Program for Lakers in grades 4K-6th. Details regarding dates and pick-up times can be found in the registration form below:

CLC/ AFTER SCHOOL REGISTRATION

2026/2027

SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR

Tuesday April 28th
2026
5:30 PM - 7:00 PM

Rock & Scrub Family Night
with After-School

SUGAR SCRUB MAKING
AND ROCK PAINTING

Connecting and having fun with your student is what it's about.

ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT [Watch Now](#) [Log In](#)

— HOME OF THE LAKERS —

Athletic Events

CLICK HERE



April 20th - 25th

Silent Book Club

January 30th
February 23rd
March 20th
April 20th

Monday, April 20th at 4pm Silent Book Club

If you enjoy reading, this open book club is perfect for you! A great way to find your next book and an opportunity to enjoy a friendly atmosphere and conversation.

Tuesday, April 21st at 3:30pm Fiber Fun

Families are invited to come to the SLPL to develop your fiber art skills as you make yarn with a drop spindle, see how a spinning wheel works, try weaving, and knitting with the Fiber Fanatics of Northern Wisconsin: TEA Guild-Textiles, Education, & Arts.

Wednesday, April 22nd at 1pm WeCope

The program runs for six to seven weeks, with one-hour sessions each week. During these sessions, participants learn and practice 11 self-care and coping skills such as gratitude, self-compassion, everyday mindfulness strategies, labeling feelings, acts of kindness, goal setting and more. These skills help participants manage stress with healthy strategies and bring more positive emotions into their daily lives to reduce the impact of their stressors.

Wednesday, April 22nd from 10:30am-12pm Books & Bread @ Church of the Nazarene

Free food to anyone.

Thursday, April 23rd 10am-2pm Click & Learn

This is a program that aims to connect with people and grow technical skills, even if they are starting at square one.

Saturday, April 25th at 9am Make Movement Day

A full day of FREE, county-wide movement events, from family yoga, belly dancing to virtual Beat Saber, all happening at once to celebrate April's American Heart Association Move More Month. Check out SLPL Facebook Events page for more information!

Daily scavenger hunt for kids and teens, puzzles, games, wii & more!

501 1st. St. Shell Lake, WI 54871 * (715) 468-2074 * shelllakelibrary.org



Saturday, July 25, 2026
@ 8:00am at Shell Lake Memorial Park, Shell Lake, Wisconsin
REGISTER HERE

EXPLORING 4K

9AM-10:30AM

Shell Lake 4K Classroom
(271 Hwy 63 Shell Lake, WI 54871)

March 20 | April 17 | May 15

ALL CHILDREN turning 4 years old before **September 1, 2026** are invited to join us for a time of **Stories, Crafts, Snacks and Play!** Siblings welcome.



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SPOONER AREA COMPOSITE BIKE TEAM

DO YOU LIKE TO RIDE BIKES?

ARE YOU A STUDENT IN GRADES 5-11?

JOIN SPOONER AREA COMPOSITE BIKE TEAM

Our **CO-ED** mountain biking team welcomes **ALL ABILITY LEVELS**. Join other local riders for fun on two wheels. Hit the trails, find adventure, and make friends.



GIVE IT A GO DAY
APRIL 18, 2026

SPOONER MIDDLE SCHOOL BIKE PARK
12:00 PM - 3:00 PM

JOIN US TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE TEAM, ENJOY SOME FUN ACTIVITIES, AND EMBARK ON A TRAIL RIDE

For questions email: spooner.mtbtd@gmail.com

Our team is part of the Wisconsin league which is a league of the National Interscholastic Cycling Association (NICA). All registered coaches are trained volunteers and registered athletes and coaches are covered under NICA's insurance and liability policies.



COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITY!

GEMETERY CLEAN-UP DAY

Calling all High School Volunteers!



DATE: Saturday, April 25th **TIME:** 9:00 AM

LOCATION: Lorain Cemetery, 3495 40th St, Frederic, WI

WHAT WE'LL BE DOING:

- Raking Leaves & Debris
- Moving Dirt to Fill Holes
- Cleaning Headstones
- General Beautification.

BENEFITS FOR STUDENTS:

- Earn Volunteer Hours for Graduation Requirements!
- Connect with Your Community & Peers
- Make a Visible Impact!

BRINGING TOOLS: Volunteers are welcome to bring their own tools, but tools will also be provided!

ORGANIZED BY: The Lorain Cemetery Committee

Questions? Contact Roger Owens at (715) 566-2865

Please wear sturdy shoes and work gloves!



**Monday, April 20, 2026
Regular School Board Meeting 6:00 p.m.**

Notice is hereby given to the public and news media pursuant to Wisconsin Statutes that the regular meeting of the Board of Education of the School District of Shell Lake, Wisconsin, will be held on Monday, April 20, 2026 at 6:00 p.m. in the library media center.

The proceedings can be viewed here:

<https://www.youtube.com/@shelllakeschool3064/streams>

1. Opening Items

- A. Posting of Meeting
- B. Call to Order
- C. Roll Call
- D. Oath of Office for Re-elected Board Members
- E. Pledge of Allegiance
- F. Presentation: CESA 10/Solar Connection

- G. Public Comments

2. Administrative Reports

- A. Athletic Director Report
- B. Pupil Services Report
- C. PK-6 Principal Report
- D. 7-12 Principal Report
- E. Superintendent Report

3. President's Report

- A. President's Report

4. Consent Agenda Items

- A. Approval of Consent Agenda B-E
- B. Minutes from the Regular Meeting of March 16, 2026
- C. General Fund Invoices
- D. General Fund and Fund 21 Hand Payables
- E. March 2026 Financial Information

5. New Business

- A. Accept the Resignation of: Joe Johnson, Head Football Coach
- B. Accept the Resignation of: Katie Johnson, Senior Class Advisor
- C. Approve the Employment of: Steve Byrd, Assistant Track Coach
- D. Approve the Transfer of:
- E. Accept the Retirement of: Janet Weiberg, Special Education Teacher
- F. Accept the Retirement of: Robert Solum, Bus Driver
- G. Approve Field Trips:
- H. Acceptance of Gifts:
- I. Approve Revised Capital Improvement Plan (CIP)
- J. 2026-2027 District Budget Update
- K. Health Insurance Renewal
- L. Dental Insurance Renewal
- M. Academic Excellence Award Recipient
- N. Second Policy Readings: None
- O. First Policy Readings: None

6. Committee and Liaison Reports

- A. Finance
- B. Strategic Planning
- C. Policy
- D. Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment
- E. Arts Center
- F. School Safety
- G. School Forest
- H. WASB

7. Executive Closed Session

- A. Approve to Convene into executive session in accordance with Wisconsin Statute 19.85 (1) (c) Considering employment, promotion, compensation or performance evaluation data of any public employee over which the governmental body has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility. The Board may deliberate and possibly act on items discussed in executive session.
- B. 2026-2027 Salaries and Wages
- C. Reconvene into Open Session

8. Open Session

- A. Act on Executive Session Items (If Necessary)

9. Adjourn

A. Adjournment