



Welcome Back!

We are excited to welcome everyone back for the 24-25 school year! It has been a good couple weeks and we are looking forward to a great year. Our buildings look great thanks to our amazing custodial staff. Our classrooms are prepped and ready thanks to the hard work of teachers and paraprofessionals.

Transportation is rolling and the school offices are a flurry of activity! It takes a lot of people to prepare for students each day!

We have a lot of new curriculum and materials to facilitate student learning. We are excited to see the students back to school actively engaged in their learning.

Here is to a great year ahead!

Mrs. Johnson & Mrs. Leffelman

**IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR
24-25 SCHOOL YEAR:
WE WILL NO LONGER BE
DISMISSING AT 2 PM EVERY
WEDNESDAY.**

Hello to our New Teachers

K-12 Music Instructor: Ms. Oakes

8-12 Math Instructor: Mr. Furar

7-12 CTE Business Instructor: Mrs. Lindenmier

7-12 ELA Instructor: Mrs. Fara

K-12 Art Long-term Sub Instructor: Mr. Hitzler

2024 Fall HS Sports

2024 CLIPPERS FOOTBALL

Varsity

8/30 - Home vs Cambridge 7:00pm
9/7 - @ West Prairie 1:00pm
9/13 - Home vs Galva (Homecoming)
7:00pm
9/21 - @ Bushnell 1:00pm
9/27 - @ Cambridge 7:00pm
10/4 - @ Flanagan 7:00pm
10/11 - Home vs Peoria Heights 7:00pm
10/18 - @ West Central 7:00pm
10/25 - Home vs Bushnell (Sr. Night)
7:00pm
IV
9/2 - @ Cambridge 6:00pm
9/9 - @ polo 5:30pm
9/16 - @ Alden Hebron 5:30pm
9/30 - Home vs Orangeville 5:30pm
10/7 - home vs West Carroll 5:30pm
10/14 - Home vs Milledgeville 5:30pm

2024 CLIPPERS CROSS COUNTRY

8/27 - @ Rockfalls 4:30
9/6 - @ Seneca 4:00
9/14 - @ Princeton 9:00
9/19 - @ Rochelle 4:30
9/21 - @ Bureau Valley 9:30
9/25 - @ Mendota 4:00
9/28 - @ Kewanee 9:30
10/3 - Home 4:00
10/8 - @ Erie 4:30
10/14 - Home 10:00
10/19 - NUIC Conf TBA
10/26 - Regionals TBA

2024 LADY LIONS VOLLEYBALL

8/27 - Home vs Henry 5:30
8/29 - Home vs AFC 5:30
8/31 - @ Hall Tournament -
TBA
9/3 - Home vs Kewanee
(Whethersfield) 5:30
9/4 - Home vs Annawan 5:30
9/5 - @ Indian Creek 5:30
9/9 - @ Amboy 6:00
9/10 - Home vs HBR 5:30
9/12 - @ Leland 5:30
9/14 - @ Midland Invite TBA
9/17 - @ Depue 5:30
9/19 - Home vs Serena 5:30
9/24 - Home vs Kirkland 5:30
9/27 - @ Yorkville Parkview 5:30
10/1 - Home vs Somonauk 5:30
10/2 - @ Midland 5:30
10/3 - Home vs Galva 6:00
10/7-12 - LTC Tourney @
Newark TBA
10/15 - @ Earlville 5:30
10/19 - Lady Lion Invite 9:00
10/21 - @ Streator Woodland
5:30
10/22 - @ Newark 5:30
10/24 - Home vs IMSA
(Sr.Night) 5:30
10/28 - Regionals TBA

2024 ALLEN VOLLEYBALL

8/17 - MALDEN TOURNAMENT 10:00AM
8/19 - HOME VS BRADFORD 5:00
8/20 - @ NEPONSET 4:00
8/22 - @ PCA 5:00
8/26 - HOME VS LADD 5:00
8/27 - @ DEPUE 4:00
9/3 - HOME VS MALDEN 5:00
9/5 - @ BRADFORD 4:00
9/9 - HOME VS NEPONSET 5:00
9/12 - HOME VS PCA
9/14 - 6TH GRADE TOURNAMENT @
AMBOY TBA
9/16 - @ LADD 5:00
9/17 - HOME VS DEPUE (8TH GRADE
NIGHT) 5:00
9/23-10/3 - BVEC @ NEPONSET TBA

2024 ALLEN BOYS BASKETBALL

10/22 HOME VS BRADFORD 5:00
10/24 - @ NEPONSET 5:00
10/28 - HOME VS PCA 5:00
10/29 - HOME VS LADD 5:00
11/4 - @ DEPUE 5:00
11/7 - @ OHIO 4:00
11/11 - MALDEN 5:00
11/12 - @ BRADFORD 5:00
11/14 - HOME VS NEPONSET 5:00
11/19 - @ PCA 5:00
11/21 - @ LADD 5:00
11/25 - HOME VS DEPUE 5:00
12/2 - HOME VS OHIO (8TH
GRADE NIGHT) 5:00
12/3 - @ MALDEN 5:00
12/7-12/12 - BVEC @ MALDEN
TBA

2025 ALLEN GIRLS BASKETBALL

1/7 - HOME VS BRADFORD 5:00
1/9 - @ NEPONSET 5:00
1/13 - @ PCA 5:00
1/14 - HOME VS LADD 5:00
1/16 - HOME VS DEPUE 5:00
1/23 - HOME VS MALDEN 5:00
1/27 - @ BRADFORD 4:30
1/30 - HOME VS PCA (8TH GRADE
NIGHT) 5:00
2/3 - @ LADD 5:00
2/6 - @ DEPUE 5:00
2/11 - @ MALDEN 5:00
2/15-2/20 - BVEC @ LAMOILLE
TBA



Homecoming Announcements

9/10/24 - Pep-Rally/Bonfire following LHS Home Volleyball Game

9/11/24 - Parade in afternoon - time 2pm

9/13/24 - Homecoming Football Game

9/14/24 - Homecoming Dance @ Amboy

[Homecoming Float Entry Form 2024 - Click here!](#)

Interview Spotlight

Sherri Countryman
District Bookkeeper

What do you like best about working in the finance field?

Numbers have always been my thing since grade school. I had a great Math teacher and loved my algebra teacher in high school. He has always been my fav.

I have been in the school finance world in one capacity or another for 30 years now... wow

Numbers don't lie. They may get messed up but when it comes to the bottom line, they always show true (just like people 😊)

Why do you enjoy working in La Moille?

I felt very welcomed and appreciated, in spite of all the issues the staff experienced. I always put my all into my work but being around people who appreciate you brings it to a different level. I appreciate the leadership & help that Mr. Prusator brings to the table, I couldn't do this without a person like him in that chair.

Fun Fact:

I opened for Trick Pony at the LaSalle Speedway after winning a Karaoke contest 🎉

Interview Spotlight

Joey Corsale
Connecting Point "Tech Guy"

What do you like best about working in the technology field?

I like the variety that IT has. When you go into IT, you are not typically focusing on one thing, but a variety. IT is fairly broad and I get to look at different technology avenues.

Why do you enjoy working in La Moille?

I like small towns and grew up in small towns. I am born and raised in the Illinois Valley Area.

Fun Fact:

I enjoy most food, but find myself being picky when it comes to seafood! I am very selective. I'll eat squid and octopus, but I steer clear of "ocean" fish.





Professional Development

Over the summer staff had opportunities for professional development, instructional planning, and training.

June - Mrs. Johnson and Mrs.

Leffelman completed CPI Training and attended an SEL one day training at Sauk Valley Community College.

The School Improvement Team met and completed a deep data dive of student scores and surveys to determine the School Improvement Goals for the upcoming school year.

July - Mrs. Beaty, Mrs. Breedlove,

Ms. Dever, Mrs.

Lindenmier, and Mrs. Sellers completed a two day CPI training at Hall High School.

August - The staff hit the ground

running with presenters at the first day of work for staff, 8/13. Mr. Bob Prusator spoke in the morning, inspiring all, with an ROE #28 presenter in the afternoon!

PTO Updates

Upcoming Meetings:

Tuesday, September 24

7 PM

HS Library

PTO is a great organization that has the potential to add so much to the education and experiences of our students.



📖 Congratulations to these Allen students for completing the Summer Reading Program sponsored by State Representative Ryan Spain. They read at least 8 books over the summer and were rewarded for their efforts! Keep up the great work! 📖

“Week one at the Jr/Sr High... class competitions!”




New Phone Numbers
 LJSH - 815-490-7086
 ALLEN - 815-490-7087