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Another Record-Breaking Auction

On January 30, a crowd of 270, gathered in the University of Idaho SUB Ballroom for the 16th Logos School Benefit Auction.

Attendees enjoyed the theme, *A Winter's Night*, complete with a ski slope and skier creatively designed for the ballroom stage. The catered buffet dinner was delicious, the bidding lively, and the entertainment, Jon & Rand, was toe-tappin' wonderful.

The auction (including the tuition raffle which raised \$10,200) grossed more than \$82,000. After all the dust settled and every bill paid, approximately \$73,000 was raised for Logos School through this event. This was just short of the \$75,000 goal. Praise God! The previous high of \$61,000 occurred at last year's event. The proceeds go to the Logos School general fund.

The most popular items were: A week at Lake Coeur d'Alene donated by Alan Roy (\$5,000); Valentine's Dinner for nine couples prepared by Francis Foucachon (\$4,500);



The theme was *A Winter's Night* for the 2015 Logos Benefit Auction. Photo by Dianna Smith

the Kimmell Gourmet Dinner (\$3,300); Four Seahawks Ticket Package donated by Mike and Deana Lee (\$3,200); the Party in A Barn Package, dinner for 16 plus live music plus a hayride at the Sensing family's home (\$2,300); and the Logos parking spot (\$1,950). The acquisition of 142 silent auction and 14 live packages were largely due to the stellar procurement team: Greg Ahmann, Kristin Beauchamp, Patricia Isenberg, and Keith McIvor.

Thank you to the 2015 Auction Steering Committee (Paula Casebolt, Kelly Driskill, Rachel Jankovic, Kim Minudri, and Gwen Spencer), led by Development Director Gene Liechty, for their terrific efforts in making the night a success.

Rachel Jankovic designed and created the fabulous stage ski slope and Jessica Evans painted the skier.

Thanks also to presenting sponsor, Moscow Family Dentistry, and all our sponsors for helping to make this event the most profitable auction in Logos history!



Enjoying the Auction banquet (left to right): Nancy Rust, Anita Merkle, John Grauke, Donna Grauke, Toby Sumpter, Jenny Sumpter, and Doug Wilson. Photo by Patricia Isenberg

1 Corinthians 13 (Teachers' Revised Version)

1 If I speak with the tongues of Latin, Greek, and all other Romance languages, but do not have love for my students, I have become as the sounding of the class buzzer or recess bell.

2 And if I have the gift of knowing a student's chance of passing my class just by looking at him, and know how to explain all mysteries, even the purpose and working of the electoral college, and all knowledge, without relying on my teacher's editions, and if I have all faith so as to remove the entire Department of Education, but do not have love for my students, I am nothing.

3 And if I give all my tape, chalk, and pens from my desk to help equip poor students and poor teachers, and if I deliver my body to frigid temperatures and high winds at recess duty, but do not have love for these precious students, all that sacrifice profits me nothing.

4 Love for my students is patient, enduring all sorts of strange behaviors; it is kind, not delivering an incredibly applicable, but nevertheless, snide comment when tempted; love is not jealous of my "private, personal" time; love for my students means I model humility to them, even though I do know more than they do, and I encourage them by example to be open to correction, too, for love is not arrogant.

5 Love for my students shows itself in my classroom decorum, it means I seek no glory for myself, it is not easily provoked, even by the umpteenth time that little guy has sniffed loudly; It does not make a big deal out of what could be interpreted as a personal offense;

6 It does not rejoice in teaching about pain and suffering, even if the bad guys are the ones on the receiving end; it does rejoice in teaching about God's truth and real justice toward all.

7 Love for my students draws on God's grace to bear countless antagonisms, it believes the best is possible from any student, and does not doubt a student's word without good reason each time; it hopes that each student will succeed and endures many set-backs to that hope, without giving up on the student.

8 This love never fails, by God's grace alone, in providing the strength and stamina I need to show these students daily love; but if I rely on my classical teaching ability or immense knowledge of the subject, these will be done away with and probably forgotten by the students; if I rely

Superintendent's Soliloquy

"This love never fails, by God's grace alone, in providing the strength and stamina I need to show these students daily love."

on my quick wit and large vocabulary, they will cease with every dumb cold or sore throat with which I may be afflicted; if I rely on even my knowledge of how to integrate the material, even this will not last as long as love.

9 For all that we may know as teachers, we still know only part of God's revelation, and even in our best teaching

times, we are teaching poorly and partially compared to the Master Teacher;

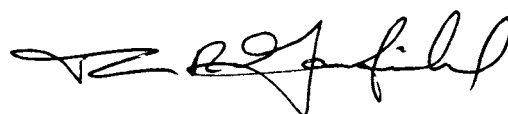
10 But when all truth and real knowledge in Christ is revealed in the Eternal School, our "best" teaching will be done away with.

11 I need to remember that I, too, was once a child like those looking up to me now. I, too, perceived life as a child, seeing my teachers as demigods; I spoke, acted, and, yea verily, even thought like these students; I grew to adulthood; these students, even the boys, will mature, too. I did away with the thoughts, actions, and speech of a child, through the hard work and loving training of my teachers; these students, too, will one day lay aside these childish ways (which I will probably miss at times).

12 For the time being my students will see, as in an Impressionist painting, the Master Teacher teaching through me, but, Lord willing, when they come into the Eternal School, they will see Him face to face; now I teach from my limited understanding, but then I will be able to learn much more and know, as I have am now known by my Teacher.

13 But for now the best characteristics of my teaching should be: my faith in my Lord and His Word; my hope in my students — expecting the very best from them, and my love for my students — as an obvious channel for God's love; these three characteristics, but the greatest of these is love.

Blessings,



Junior High Play Awakens Talent

By Nathan Miller

In March, many people came to the Logos Auditorium for a fun, dragon-slaying play. Mr. Jody Jacobs directed the classic *Sleeping Beauty* which he adapted for his 34 student-actors.

"We had a huge cast, and since we didn't have a main costume manager, everything was much, much harder," said Mr. Jacobs. "But in the end, it turned out to be a play worth watching."

He built most of the set himself, including a stage extension which was the widow's tower room. He even created the dragon, which was a balloon that expanded into a dragon with a 15-foot wingspan.

Bennett Schlect, aka King Stephan, conquered all of his long lines, and presented them in a kingly manner. He was kind and helped both a widow and a woodcutter. He even put up with his frequently annoying Jester.

While the king was kind, he was also just. When Maleficent, Bea Whitling, attempted to raise her husband and son from the dead, he put his foot down and banished her from the kingdom.

As the Jester, Nathan Miller was the silly character that drew laughter from the crowds. He juggled (not very well), played with hand puppets and had a giant teddy bear. He and the Chamberlain, Talis Meyer, had a running joke about taking the Chamberlain's wig. Well, the Jester did, while the Chamberlain got exasperated.

Briar Rose, Bel Merkle, grew up to be very curious about spinning. One night she went wandering about the castle, and found the Widow, Tosen Bangudu, who taught Rose to spin. When Rose returned the next night, however, Maleficent was there, disguised as the Widow. She tried to poison Rose, but instead sent her into an enchanted sleep, thanks to the Lady Anmut's blessing (Eden Schumaker).

Silas Liechty, who bravely took on the role of prince halfway into play practice, managed to slay Maleficent when she turned into a dragon, then awoke Rose from her enchanted sleep with a kiss. They married and lived happily ever after.

Special thanks go to costumers: Mrs. Carla Courtney, Mrs. Nancy Jacobs, Mrs. Bekah Merkle, Mrs. Kirsten Miller, Mrs. Lizze Miller, Mrs. Melissa Rauch, and Deaun Welch. Mrs. Jacobs also led a crew of students for hair and makeup. Mrs. Lisa Hughes made the posters and programs. Keidi Anderson and Jemima Merkle acted as stage managers, while Calvin Michaels handled the lights and sound.

This year the Rubber Ducky was the Spirit of the Water in the palace well, Tosen Bangudu's inspired idea.

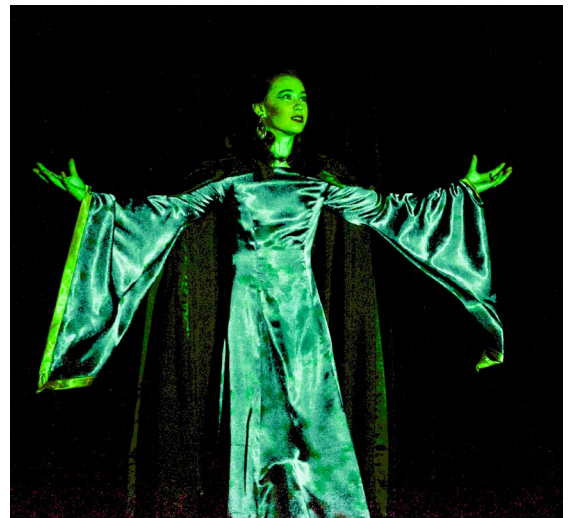


Left to right: Isaac Blum (Lanarius), Jake Hughes (Boarder 2), Talis Meyer (Boarder 1), Ben Euhus (Jager), Joseph Ahmann (Innkeeper), and Silas Liechty (Prince Edward of Saxony).



Belphoebe Merkle as Briar Rose, aka Sleeping Beauty.

Photos
by
Lisa
Hughes



Bea Whitling as Maleficent.

Elementary Activities



Mrs. BJ Loyd's third graders learn to knit.



Mrs. Dianne Bradley's fourth graders enjoy Civil War Living History Day with a little help from Superintendent Tom Garfield.



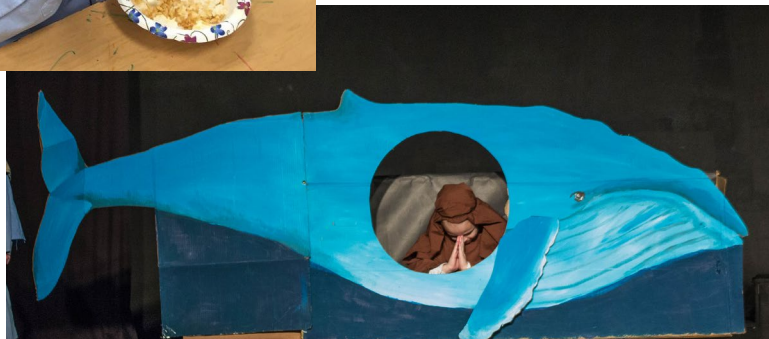
Mr. Jonathan Erber and Mr. Jim Becker's fifth graders pose after presenting *Thor's Wedding*.



The kindergartners learned how to use chopsticks. Owen Liu demonstrates.



Mrs. Kris Akin's third graders test their conifer leaf knowledge.



The first graders, led by teacher Mrs. Micaela Blum, put on *Jonah* (starring Blaise Underwood) and *the Big Fish*.

E L E M E N T A R Y

S-P-E-L-L-I-N-G B-E-E

Overall Winners



1st Evangeline Jankovic **2nd** Hope Belschner **3rd** Angela Visger

On February 5, Logos held its annual Spelling Bee. The first and second place from each class went on to the school contest. Below are the class winners:

First Grade A

1st John Henry Crapuchettes
2nd Fiona James
3rd John "Jack" Bakken

Second Grade A

1st Ryan Daniels
2nd Seamus Wilson
3rd Gunnar Holloway

Third Grade A

1st Paul Grieser
2nd Isabella Becker
3rd Eve Rench

Fourth Grade A

1st Beatrice McIntosh
2nd Signe Holloway
3rd Kyle Banister

Fifth Grade A

1st Evangeline Jankovic
2nd Clara Anderson
3rd Jude Grieser

Sixth Grade

1st Hope Belschner
2nd Madeline James
3rd Abi Visger

First Grade B

1st Titus Blum
2nd Asaph Grieser
3rd Titus Jankovic

Second Grade B

1st Addison Calene
2nd Mari Calene
3rd Emilee Randal

Third Grade B

1st Caydon Costello
2nd Soldier Gunn
3rd Eliot Mortimore

Fourth Grade B

1st Esther Niemeyer
2nd Isaac White
3rd Judah Merkle
Angela Visger

Fifth Grade B

1st Kaylee Vis
2nd Elena Stokes
3rd Kenneth Kline

Third Quarter Honor Roll

All A's

Second Grade

Alyssa Breese
Adison Calene
Mari Calene
Ryan Daniels
Spencer Farrell
Mackenzie Liu
Simeon Rauch
Brooklyn Sawyer
Boaz Whitling
Seamus Wilson

Third Grade

Oscar Beauchamp
Alyssa Blum
Caydon Costello
Annabelle Crapuchettes
David Daniels
Jordan Liu
Tabitha Miller
Ezra Sandmeyer
Larissa Smith
Adeline Soderberg
Moriah White

Fourth Grade

Signe Holloway
Lucas Hughes
Ivan James
Beatrice McIntosh
Judah Merkle
Justus Smith
Angela Visger
Isaac White

Fifth Grade

Clara Anderson
Jude Grieser
Evangeline Jankovic
Kenneth Kline
Alice Miller
Roman Nuttbrock
Hazel Rheingans
Madison Sawyer
Theodore Sentz
Elena Stokes
Kaylee Vis
Jasper Whitling

Sixth Grade

Hope Belschner
Alex Blum
Kayte Casebolt
Olivia Igielski
Hero Merkle
Naomi Michaels
Josiah Rauch
Jared Stokes
Abigail Visger
Mary Visger
Lucia Wilson

A-B

(All A's with no more than two B's)

Second Grade

Easton Berry
Juliette Breese
Jesiah Brower
Jaylah Chaney
Gunnar Holloway
Grace Mortimore
Laura Rheingans
Ransom Sentz

Third Grade

Jack Driskill
Garrett Farrell
Gabriel Igielski
Gloria Michaels
Clive Miller
Eliot Mortimore
Owen Rathbun
Eve Rench
Lucia Spencer
Sydney Stevens

Fourth Grade

Kyle Banister
Rebekah Belschner
Hannah Hurdlow
Cora Johnson
Dola Kayode-Popoola
Lily Leidenfrost
Nathaniel Plotner
Titus Soderberg

Fifth Grade

Jackson Crapuchettes
Benjamin Druffel
Hannah Michaels
Sydney Miller
Ainsley Smith
Ameera Wilson

Sixth Grade

Maggie Anderson
Ava Driskill
Kailee Evans
Madeline James
Gavin Smith
Lydia Urquidez



Kaden Kiblen with an elk heart.

Sixth Grade Heart Study



Dr. Katherine Miller and Mrs. Sue Kappmeyer guide a student.



Knights Sports News



Lady Knights Start and End Strong; Injuries Take Toll



The Knights celebrate a buzzer-beating shot which resulted in a last second win against Highland in the District tournament. Photo by Kyle Mills of the Lewiston Tribune

By Lizzie Schlect

The Knights girls' basketball team had an exciting and triumphant start to their season. They began by winning the Highland Tournament, and things looked hopeful going into league play. But then injuries and sickness set in, taking two of the varsity team's starting players away for a chunk of the season. While it was hard, the girls were still able to have a fun and successful season.

"The 2014-2015 Lady Knight's were an awesome bunch," said Coach Matt Gray. "I believe they were one of the best Logos girl's basketball teams ever. They were a delight to coach and they had a 'never-give-up' attitude that showed true feminine strength. Though they faced some unexpected adversity, the girls persevered through it all and showed steady improvement. They placed fourth in the league, but were competitive in every game. These girls made their coaches proud."

The Knights were seeded fourth going into the district tournament, and played a thrilling game against Highland. Highland had the ball out of bounds with 10 seconds left. The score was 30-32, the Knights trailing by only two points. When there seemed to be no more hope, senior Naomi Miller stole the ball and raced down the court. With only two seconds left on the clock, she pulled up and hurled a 30-foot shot, which swished right as the buzzer sounded.

The team next lost by only four points to Deary and moved into the consolation bracket where they faced Kendrick. The Kendrick game was one of the best the Knights had played, but Kendrick was ready for them, and the Knights finished their season taking home fourth place from the tournament.

The varsity's league record this year was 3 wins, 7 losses.



Senior and first team all-leaguer Naomi Miller just before shooting and making a buzzer beating shot to beat Highland in the District Tourney. Photo by Kyle Mills of the Lewiston Tribune

Senior Naomi Miller was named first team all-league, and Roz Gray second. Sarah Miller received the Knight Award, and Naomi and Roz both received MVP awards.

The girls playing varsity were seniors Roz Gray, Elly Kline, Naomi Miller, Hannah Roberts, Kristina Roberts, and Liz Schlect; junior Sarah Miller, sophomore Erica Johnson, and freshman Maddie Wintz.

The junior varsity team, coached by Joe Kline who also assisted the varsity, included senior Esther Edwards, sophomore Abby Euhus, freshmen Lola Bangudu, and Grace Belschner. The junior varsity team had a very good season to gain experience for next year. Their record was 1 win, 9

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Outworking the Competition Results in 4th Place State Finish

By Miles Whitling

The whiteboard marker squeaked in the Caldwell High School locker room, as Coach Whitling laid down the two basic principles the Logos Boys' Basketball squad had held to all season: "Out work the competition" and "Have more fun doing it." From the first practice, these two principles guided them all the way to the [1A Division II Consolation Championship](#).

The Knights finished with a [10-2 record for their regular season](#). This was closely followed by Districts, where the Knights took second place to Summit Academy. This moved the team on to a State play-in game in McCall. The Knights beat Cascade High School, 80-50, earning them a place at the State Tournament in Caldwell, Idaho.

At State, the boys lost their first game against Mackay by three points. However, the Knights then beat rival Summit Academy, which put them in the Consolation Championship game for fourth place. In this game they went up against the Council Lumberjacks. After four quarters of hard work the score was 38-38, putting the game into overtime. The Knights hit four free throws and a two in the subsequent three minutes to win, 44-40. Looking back at the season, Coach Whitling said, "We consider it a great honor to be able to represent the Whitepine League at State this year."

The boys' varsity team was lead by senior captains Jonny Handel, Paul Ryan, and Levi Wintz. The rest of the team included juniors Danny Bradley, Alec Engerbretson, and Cotton Whitling; sophomores David Ahmann, Edison Li, Miles Whitling, and Kelvin Zhao (all the sophomores were swingers); and freshman Brennon Costello.

Levi Wintz was the team co-MVP. He broke the all-time Logos steal record with 122 and total points in a season record with 570. He was the Whitepine League Player of the Year and was selected First Team WPL. Paul Ryan was the other co-MVP, selected first team WPL, and was named Player of the Game for the Idaho Consolation Championship and District II All Stars Game. Cotton Whitling broke the season block record with 38 blocks.

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Coach Matt Whitling directs his team. He is also Logos' principal.

Years of Devotion and Preparation

By Miles Whitling

"Go" was the name of the play and the game developed by Coach Matt Whitling that brought the Knights so far this season, farther than any other Logos Basketball team in the 23 years of the Knights' program. They ran their fast break all the way to State this year where they ran some more and came through the finish line with the fourth place trophy in their hands.

Coach Whitling has devoted countless hours developing the Logos basketball program over the years. He started with elementary lunch time basketball, then added summer basketball camps for elementary and junior highers, and Saturday Hoops with his son Jed. Thanks to Whitling's devotion, the high school boys have gone to basketball camp at WSU and Gonzaga as well as participating in summer leagues at LCSC and Troy over the past eight years.

Whitling started his basketball career in fifth grade in California with a bit of a bump when he was cut from the A Team for not being able to make a left-handed layup even though he was a southpaw. However, his high school team

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Photos by Eric Engerbretson

Whitepine League 1A Division II Player of the Year Levi Wintz, a senior, drives to the hoop. He was also named to the 1A Division II All-Idaho Basketball First Team.



Senior Jonny Handel gave his all game after game.



Senior Paul Ryan was named Player of the Game for the 1A Division II Idaho Consolation Championship, and the District II All Stars Game. He was also on the 1A Division II All-Idaho Basketball First Team.

S E C O N D A R Y

Secondary Speech Meet

On February 27, 10th through 12th graders participated in the annual speech meet. Below are the students (grade level) who received superior scores.

Duet Acting

Sofia Minudri, Summer Stokes (11) *Emma*
Tom Feuerstein, Claire Ahmann (11) *1-800*

Historical Speech

Emily Littlejohn (10) *Harvard Commencement Speech*

Literary Interpretation

Josiah Anderson (11) *The Mysterious Benedict Society*
Douglas Carroll (11) *Attila's Greatest Speech*
Sonya Isenberg (11) *Hamlet*
Catherine Rheingans (11) *A Walk in the Woods*
Noël Saunders (10) *The Triune Tale of Diminutive Swine*
Ruth Saunders (12) *As Chimney Sweepers Come to Dust*
Elli Sensing (10) *The Gift of the Magi*
Thomas Sensing (10) *The Elephant's Child*
Miles Whitling (10) *Year in Review*

Poetry

Martha Bowman (12) *The Lady of Shalott*
Cole Brusven (10) *The Man from Iron Bark*
Esther Edwards (12) *The Leaden Echo and the Golden Echo*
Ayo Kayode-Popoola (12) *Birches*
Everett Plotner (11) *The Last Hero*
Moriah Struble (10) *The Dragon of Wantley*

Readers' Theater

Gaven Dooley, Jonny Handel, Chaeun Kim,
Paul Ryan, Sean Stanton (12)
Chicken Big
David Ahmann, Ethan Howell, Erica Johnson,
Luke Mason, Emma Story (10)
Piggie Pie

Logos Robotics Club



The 2014-15 Robotics Club Members: Tiana Black, Cole Hemphill, Everett Plotner (kneeling), Brian Plotner, Cole Brusven (leaning), Jon Morris, Krista Dye, and Duncan Carroll (sitting).

The Logos School Robotics Club finished 11th at the 2015 Idaho Robotics Championship, held at the UI Memorial Gym on February 7. The competition included 33 teams from Idaho, Montana, Oregon, and Washington.

Third Quarter Honor Roll

Summa Cum Laude 4.0

Seventh Grade

Cameron Vis

Eighth Grade

Nathan Miller

Ninth Grade

Keidi Anderson
Jennifer Hoyt
Luther Michaels
Karsten Schumaker

Tenth Grade

David Ahmann
Abigail Euhus
Preston Evans
Knox Merkle
Sarah "Elli" Sensing
Emma Story

Eleventh Grade

Josiah Anderson
Sonya Isenberg
Rachel Michaels
Summer Stokes

Magna Cum Laude 3.70-3.99

Seventh Grade

Isaac Blum
Isabelle Breese
Judah Rauch
Rory Wilson

Eighth Grade

Benjamin Euhus
Shania Hughes
Belphebe Merkle
Talis Meyer
Nicolas Minudri
Eleanor Rheingans
Bennett Schlect

Ninth Grade

Tiana Black
Bryan Vis

Tenth Grade

Jackson Dickison
Erica Johnson
Noël Saunders
Moriah Struble
Miles Whitling

Eleventh Grade

Abigeal Ilesanmi
Sarah Miller
Sofia Minudri
Everett Plotner
Darcey Stephenson

Twelfth Grade

Martha Bowman
Emilie Dye
Esther Edwards
Jameson Evans
Sheridan Howell
Caitlyn Krueger
Elizabeth Schlect
Lauren Flack
Rosalyn Gray
Ayo Kayode-Popoola
Chaeun Kim
Elaine Kline
Naomi Miller
Isabella Minudri
Hannah Roberts
Kristina Roberts
Ruth Saunders

Cum Laude 3.5-3.69

Seventh Grade

Jacob Hughes

Eighth Grade

Christiana Baker
Gadi Edwards

Ninth Grade

Shanna Bell
Grace Belschner
Sarah Corwin
David Kayode-Popoola
Jemima Merkle
Madeline Wintz

Tenth Grade

Cole Brusven
Andrew Handel
Ethan Howell
Luke Mason

Eleventh Grade

Claire Ahmann
Daniel Bradley
Thomas Feuerstein
Irene Hong
Jonathan Morris
Cotton Whitling

Twelfth Grade

Rebekah Kim
Priscilla Urquidez
Levi Wintz

Mock Trial Team Wins State

Logos is headed to the National Mock Trial Competition in Raleigh, NC. For the 16th time in 21 years, Logos won the Idaho State Mock Trial Championship, held in Boise over spring break. They defeated the Ambrose A team 3-0.

The case this year centered on an Iraq veteran with PTSD who is charged with assault on a federal officer during a attempt to search her home for illegal drugs. A new case is assigned for Nationals, held from May 14-16.

The Logos A team includes seniors Jameson Evans and Elizabeth Schlect; juniors Daniel Bradley, Sonya Isenberg, Sofia Minudri, and Summer Stokes; and sophomores Preston Evans and Luke Mason. Elizabeth Schlect was named the Outstanding Attorney in the Championship Round.

The B team, which was defeated 2-1 by the A team in the State semifinals, includes: sophomores Ethan Howell, Erica Johnson, Emily Littlejohn, Knox Merkle, Jenni Ryu, and Emma Story; and freshmen Jenny Hoyt and Jemima Merkle.

The Logos teams are coached by Chris Schlect (head coach), Melissa Dow (assistant and B team coach), and Latah County Prosecuting Attorney Bill Thompson.

The A and B teams finished first and second, respectively, at the Regional competition, defeating all six opposing teams on February 28 in Lewiston. See <https://www.facebook.com/groups/107543999278017/> for more info and photos.

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losses, but the girls never gave up. They truly played to the best of their abilities, giving the glory to God.

Coached by Brent Belschner, both junior high girls teams, went 5-2 in their season, playing Pullman and Moscow teams. The Blue team included eighth graders Shania Hughes, Bea Whitling, Sarah Youmans, sixth graders Hannah Breese, Kayte Casebolt, Ava Driskill, Olivia Igielski, Julia Urquidez, and Lydia Urquidez. The Gold team included eighth graders Christiana Baker, Bel Merkle, Molly Murdock, seventh grader Eleanor Story, sixth graders Hope Belschner, Maddie James, Hero Merkle, and Lucia Wilson.

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won the Central Sequoia League Championships from 1985-1988. They were the only Christian team in the league, similar to Logos' current situation in the Whitepine League. In his junior year, Whitling set a school record for most points in a game by scoring 33.

When asked why he picked basketball over any other sport, Coach Whitling replied, "Basketball is the only sport in which you can dunk the ball." He played basketball through 12th grade, where halfway through the season he tore his ACL. He underwent two surgeries, ending any hopes of playing in college.

Following graduation from Fresno Christian High in 1988, he attended Fresno State University. During this time, he coached elementary and high school boys and girls basketball and volleyball. He graduated in 1992 with a major in Liberal Arts and a minor in PE and English.

In 1994 he moved to Moscow, Idaho, where he coached the Logos varsity boys basketball team for two years. He took 10 years off from coaching while his children were young. He

Senior Named National Merit Finalist

Logos senior Rebekah Kim is among the approximately 15,000 finalists in the 60th Annual National Merit Scholarship Program.

To become a finalist, a semifinalist must have an outstanding academic record throughout high school, be endorsed and recommended by the school principal, and earn SAT scores that confirm the student's earlier qualifying test performance.

Kim, born in Los Angeles, entered Logos in 2011 as a ninth grader. She applied to 14 universities. Thus far she has been accepted to UC-Berkeley, Boston College, Emory, Michigan, and UCLA.

In addition, Vanderbilt flew her out for its Multicultural Student Recruitment Weekend and Washington University in St. Louis brought her out for a scholarship interview. Columbia University is flying her out as a Science Research Fellow nominee. She hopes to pursue a degree in either Environmental Engineering or PreMed.



Rebekah Kim

4th Place *continued from page 7*

The Boys' JV team, coached by Derek Belschner, was composed of junior Duncan Carroll; sophomores Preston Evans, Andrew Handel, Luke Mason, Knox Merkle, and Thomas Sensing; and freshmen Calvin Michaels, Karsten Schumaker, and Bryan Vis. They finished their season with a 3-16 win loss record.

The junior high team, coached by Loren Euhus, was made up of eighth graders Ben Dooley, Ben Euhus, August Igielski, Nathan Miller, Nic Minudri, Colson Richter, and Bennett Schlect; and seventh graders Joe Ahmann, Isaac Blum, Jake Hughes, Silas Liechty, John Sensing, Cameron Vis, and Rory Wilson. The boys ended their season with the win-loss record of 5-2 for the Gold team and 4-3 for the Blue Team.

took up coaching again in 2005 to coach his oldest son's junior high team. The following year he coached the boys' junior high and high school varsity teams. Afterward, he gave up coaching junior high and focused on coaching varsity (and junior varsity basketball when needed) up to the present.

Last year was Coach Whitling's busiest basketball year of all with six out of his seven kids playing Parks and Recreation, junior high, junior varsity, and varsity basketball. Looking back on his 11 years of coaching at Logos, Whitling said that some of his biggest highlights were going to the Cranbrook Tournament (Canada) in 1995, going 27-1 in the 2011-12 season, and this season, during which his team averaged 71 points per game in the regular season and then went on to earn fourth place at State.

However, in the grand scope of things, Coach Whitling said, "Logos athletics have never been fundamentally about banners, trophies, or medals. We play in order to please the most important person in the gym and to enjoy Him forever."

The Palouse is perfect place to film movie starring Actor Kirk Cameron

By Jenee' Ryan

(The following is from a KLEW-TV Interview which aired on Jan. 30, 2015. Parentheticals are editor notes)

MOSCOW, ID - *Growing Pains* star Kirk Cameron is on the Palouse shooting a new movie; production with Cam-Fam Studios started about a month ago.

It's called *Kill the Dragon, Get the Girl*. The writers say those words sum up the foundational message of the Bible, and to share their Christian faith in a fun way, they decided take it to the big screen.

"Dragons are real," said Cheston Hervey, producer and writer. "There really are predators. There really are people that do horrible things."

Kill the Dragon, Get the Girl is a family action adventure about standing up those dragons.

"If evil is being bold, it's not time for virtue to be timid," said Hervey.

The story takes place in North Idaho. But not the North Idaho we know. In the movie... There's an entire underground world a dragon lives in.

"We have a whole warehouse behind us that we've been able to retro-fit as a soundstage," said Hervey. "So for full underground, we have an underground cavern inside a warehouse."

And that warehouse is located on Main Street in Moscow.

Director Darren Doane, and Producers David Shannon and Cheston Hervey all traded in the big-city life of California for the small town feel of Moscow and moved here with their families last year (*All three men are Logos dads*).

But instead of giving up their careers, they brought the movie business with them. Starting with *Kill the Dragon, Get the Girl*.

"The best thing about the Palouse, and we decided deliberately to shoot in the winter, was for the weather," said

Hervey. "We wanted foggy, we wanted cold, we wanted this really kind of stark landscape and then of course we got one of the most beautiful winters that you've had up here."

But they made it work.

"We've also found some local talent that are just some really gifted actors and actresses that who knows if they would have otherwise pursued it or wanted it but you find them and you go, 'wow, these kids are great,'" said Hervey.

Two local students, Caleb Warner and Danny Bradley (*Logos junior*), play the main characters Tommy and Wayne along-side the star: Kirk Cameron. Production should wrap up in about a month.

Now, there's a reason you didn't see Kirk Cameron clearly (*in the video*). Jenee' was asked not to show him. They want his character's appearance to be a surprise to movie-goers.

As for a release date and premier locations, those haven't been decided yet.

(Other *Logos* students who are main actors include: Emmy Doane, Xan Doane, and Summer Stokes)



Logos junior Summer Stokes is filmed by Director of Photography Andy Patch along with Director (and Logos dad) Darren Doane. Summer has one of the four main roles in the movie.



Several *Logos* students play roles in the upcoming, locally produced movie with Kirk Cameron, *Kill the Dragon, Get the Girl*. From left: Sean Stanton, Sonya Isenberg, Luke Mason, Levi Wintz, Danny Bradley, Emma Story, Emmy Doane, Claire Ahmann, Sofia Minudri, Darcey Stephenson and Bella Minudri. Other *Logos* students, in the movie but not in the picture at left: Xan Doane, Esther Edwards, Karsten Schumaker.

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Alumni News

Wedding

Spencer Croom & **Rebekah Busboom** ('07) married September 20, 2014, at The Largent Homestead in Colfax, WA.

They are currently living in Bothell, WA. Spencer is a Mechanical Engineer and Bekah is working as a Graphic Designer.



Mr. & Mrs. Croom

Births



Anastasia Bleile

We are so happy to welcome to our family Anastasia Mercy Magdalen Bleile! She arrived as a surprise homebirth at 3:21 a.m. on January 25. She weighed 7 lbs. 10 oz. and was 21 inches long. We are so in love with our little rainbow baby and very thankful to God for her safe arrival. **Jenni (Yandt '02)** and **Danial Bleile**.

Introducing Anjali Michal Wilson, born safely on January 27 in defiance of a NJ travel ban and state of emergency. We thank God for His faithfulness to us. Mom and baby are doing great. To **Davis '00** and **Manisha Wilson**



Anjali Wilson



The Hadley Family

Welcome June! You're the best thing that ever happened to the three of us!! Scott and **Kelsey (Bowen '04) Hadley's** absolutely adorable baby, June Madeline, arrived safely January 28! She tipped the scales at 8 lbs. 7 oz. and is perfect! Our hearts are overflowing with love and gratitude.

This is Otto Nathanael Shaw. He was born on January 29 to **Mark '07** and **Kelly Shaw**.



Otto Shaw



Carolyn and Jack Wilson

John ("Jack") Edward Wilson safely arrived on January 30, weighing in at 9 lbs. He is the third child for **Mark and Carolyn (Garfield '97) Wilson**, joining Colin and Chloe at their home in Bristol, England. A true Brit, Jack declined comment.

Hey, everybody! I know there is a big game or something going on but I just want to take a moment and introduce you to Maia Catherine. She was born at about 7:55 on February 1 and already has us tied around her perfect little fingers. She weighed in at exactly 8 lbs. and is 20.5 inches long. We are all resting very comfortably and are so grateful for your many prayers. — with **Caroline (Jones '04)** and **Ethan Brandt**.



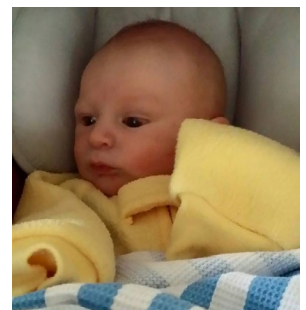
Maia Brandt



The Iglesias Family

Baby Juniper Kaloke decided to surprise us all! Welcome sweet baby girl. To **Jon and Kealani (Keisling '97) Iglesias**, February 21, at 11:08 p.m., 7 lbs. 6.5 oz. and 21.5 inches.

Espen James Christophersen was born to **Jon '95** and **Jamie (Nance '07) Christophersen** at 3:30 p.m. on March 2. He weighed in at a healthy 8 lbs. 15 oz.



Espen Christophersen

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Dates to Watch

APRIL 2

2nd Grade (Courtney) Play

APRIL 3-6

Easter Weekend

APRIL 7-10

Secondary Knights' Festival

APRIL 17

Kindergarten (Merkle) Play

APRIL 22-24

NW History Trip (8th Grade)

MAY 1

Grandparents' Day

MAY 4-8

Elementary (SAT) Testing

MAY 15

4th Grade (Clemans) Play

MAY 26-29

Secondary Final Exams

MAY 26/27

Kindergarten Graduation
(Merkle/Sawyer)

MAY 27

Elementary Awards Assembly

MAY 29

Secondary Awards Assembly

MAY 30

High School Graduation

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GRANDPARENTS' DAY

FRIDAY MAY 1, 2015

Please join us as we honor the
grandparents of Logos students at our
annual Grandparents' Day celebration.

You will have an opportunity to tour the campus, visit
classrooms, attend special presentations, and spend time
with your grandchildren in their daily school setting.

Our morning begins at 8:00 a.m.
with a wonderful
continental breakfast
and time of fellowship.
**We look forward
to seeing you!**

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