

NEW TECH NETWORK
Learning driven by real world connections and accomplished with a collaborative team defines the New Tech Network. Technology supports moving the work forward into academic and career applications.



TRR: TRUST

Believe in each other. Know the person intends to do what they say. Do what you say you're going to do. Be on task. Leave other people's belongings alone. Found property goes to an adult. Log out for a person who forgot. Request a team meeting before angry words.



OUTCOME: KNOWLEDGE & THINKING

Make a clear argument. Support claims. Address counterclaims. Use evidence. Analyze & synthesize ideas. Analyze author choices & purpose.

Spinning the news about Lobos using their learning outcomes to make real world connections

LSI TIMES

Quimby Journalism

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Second Harvest

There are many faces of Hunger in San Jose & worldwide. Join the fight to end hunger.

Forty million people face hunger in the US today, including more than 12 million children, and five million seniors. One in eight people in the US struggle with hunger.

However, hunger isn't as far away from a problem as it may seem like. In California, 4,574,710 people are struggling with hunger, and 1,731,270 of them are children. One in four people are experiencing food insecurity. Nearly 27 percent of those living in Santa Clara and San Mateo counties are at risk for hunger—almost 720,000 people.

One of the organizations looking to decrease those statistics is Second Harvest Food Bank. Second Harvest is a nonprofit organization, that was founded 1974, and is one of the largest food banks in America. Its mission is to, "lead our community to ensure that anyone who needs a healthy meal can get one." They provide food to more than a quarter of a million people in Santa Clara and San Mateo counties every month.

Second Harvest has already provided 40,960,174 meals so far in 2018, and more than half the people they serve are kids and seniors.

The food we collect from our project, "End Hunger (Games)," will go to Second Harvest Food Bank and Convoy of Hope. Our End Hunger (Games) Exhibition is on December 18th and we're hoping that it makes a difference in the lives of people who need it.

SPORTS' CORNER

You are tuning into the Sports corner, where we catch you up on the latest sports. The Lobos have won all of their wrestling matches so far. They are so close to getting their 18 years streak of being league champions. The 7th-grade girls basketball team is on a streak 6 - 0. The 8th grade girls are having a tough season, but will play in the Willow Glen tournament in hopes of bringing a trophy back home. Boys basketball season starts soon, so good luck to everyone who tries out.

As for the local sports, the warriors have won 11 games and lost 3 games. On October 29, Klay Thompson broke Steph Curry's record of the most threes scored in a game. He scored 14 threes in the game against the Chicago Bulls. The 49ers have won 2 games and lost 8, while the Raiders have won 1 game and lost 8. The Raiders have won 1 games and lost 8.



Spill the Tea

Are you PBLing?

Spill the news on your projects and what drives your learning.

Lighthouse 7

LH7 students are working on End Hunger Games, where they are giving back to their community by donating canned food and building a cardboard arcade to raise money for those who need it. Their exhibition is on Dec 18.

Lighthouse 8

LH8 classes are working on Vision Boards as well as doing activities to improve kindness. Other classes are working on "netiquette" and the responsibilities of being digital citizens. They are also planting a garden to give back to our community.

Lighthouse: Coding

Both Lighthouse Coding 7 and Lighthouse Coding 8 are learning Javascript to make games.

Tribute: Stan Lee

1922-2018



Don't forget to be awesome.

Thank You Letters

First off, we would like to say thank you to all of the staff for your hard work and dedication. Thank you for teaching us day after day even when we don't listen or talk over you. You guys never seem to lose your cool. You are more than just our teachers. You're the people we look up to for guidance and advice. You constantly push us to improve ourselves and our work, all the while keeping us accountable for our actions. Without you, we'd be a mess. Thank you.

For the full set of thank you letters, check this month's video on the Quimby

Journalism YouTube Channel: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=acQiswPboAQ&t=3s>



SUBMISSIONS

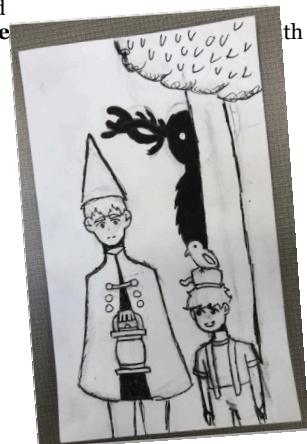
Hello there readers, and welcome to submissions! First off, I'd like to thank every single person who submitted work. Please remember to keep all the submissions school appropriate, even if you think they are funny. We got some more awesome submissions, a few inappropriate ones. This month's contest was for creative writing and the poem is below. Just a reminder to write your name and first period teacher so that we can find and reward you for your efforts. The submissions board was in the lower quad on Tuesdays and Fridays; however, due to an incident it will no longer be taken out. Every month we will have a contest and the top 3 submissions will get a prize. The submission boxes are located in the following rooms: Mr. Fujimoto, Ms. Boyle, Ms. Gill, the student center, LSI 7th grade Science, LSI 8th grade Math, and the library. Once again, thank you so much for your participation. We also wanted to mention that next month we will have a contest dedicated to quotes. It will be one you made up or one by someone else, whatever your heart desires. Now here are some of our favorite submissions from this month:

Jokes

- **Why did the teddy bear say no to dessert?** He was stuffed
- **Why shouldn't you write with a broken pencil?** It's Pointless
- **Why did the nurse need a red pen?** She needed to draw blood
- **Two pickles fell out of the jar & onto the floor. What did one say?** I don't know, but I'm pickled.

Poem

Whose smile is that? I think I know.
Its owner is quite sad though.
It really is a tale of woe,
I watch her frown. I cry hello.
She gives a smile a shake,
And sobs until the tears make.
The only other sound's the break,
Of distant waves and birds awake.
The smile is fake, petty, and deep,
But she has promises to keep,
Until then she shall not sleep,
She lies in bed ducts the weep.
She rises from her bitter bed,
With thoughts of sadness in her head, She idolizes being dead.



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Science

Science 7 had their spooky science exhibition, and everyone had a great time! Students are now working on Cell City.

In Science 8, students finished their Rube Goldberg Machine showcase. They are now beginning a project where they will use their knowledge of genetics to create their own superhero.

PrBL Math

In Math 7 and 7/8, students are working on rates, ratios, and percents. In addition to that, Math 7/8 is working on proportions. They both finished Fantasy Football.

8th graders finished their Linear Scenario Presentations, and they are now moving on to solving one step and two step equations.

Math 8/9 students are learning about systems of equations, and how to solve them using graphing, substitution, and elimination.

Humanities

World Arts: Students just finished their "Do You Know the Way to San Jose" exhibition. The event was a huge success, and everyone really enjoyed it! Great job to all our wonderful 7th-grade presenters! They are now working on Coexist, where they will showcase the similarities between different belief systems.

ATN: ATN is working on their "Fight for the Dream" project, in which they choose their own way to showcase the revolution then, and how issues relate to modern times. While creating their deliverable, students are learning about the American Revolution.