# **M.A.Y. NEWSLETTER**



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**MENTORING AFFECTS YOUTH** *M.A.Y. MENTORING, LINKS TO LNX E-MENTORING; MC<sup>2,</sup> MUSTANG MENTORS* 

#### JENNY BURKHISER RECEIVES EXCELLENCE IN MENTORING AWARD!

At a ceremony at our state capital in Des Moines, on April 16, 2019 M.A.Y. Mentor Jennifer Burkhiser received the "Excellence in Mentoring" Award! This is a recognition of outstanding mentors in Iowa based on advocacy and leadership, innovation, impact and commitment.

Jenny says: "We had a great time! J (mentee) got to meet Governor Reynolds and she invited us to have another meeting with her sometime. Senator Costello met us at the Rotunda and then his mother in law (his clerk) gave us a tour to the literal top of the Capital! It was such a great educational experience...the Chambers were in session!"





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#### **Upcoming Events:**

- Links to LNX tour to KMA; May 1; 12:15
- MC<sup>2</sup> Internship meeting; May 2; 12:00-1:00; HS Auditorium
- MC<sup>2</sup> Lunch Speaker from Brown's Shoe Fit—May 13; 12:15
- M.A.Y. Advisory Committee meeting; May 16; Depot
- Links to LNX Advisory Committee meeting—May 20; 4:00; HS

### M.A.Y. Fundraising Dinner a SUCCESS!

A very big thank you to Lu & Al's Nishna Valley Café, the Elks Club and all those who made desserts, worked at the meal and/or came and ate! A very special thank you to Rick McIntyre, Mike and Brooke Bauer, Crissy Johnson and John Leininger who worked from start to finish! Thanks to so many, our fundraising meal was a huge success and will help provide funds for group activities for all of our mentoring programs!



A mentor is someone who allows you to see the hope inside yourself.

Oprah Winfrey

### "School of Rock" at the Orpheum Theater THANK YOU SALVATION ARMY-MARGARET WELTY TRUST!





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"Every kid is one caring adult away from being a success story." ..Josh Shipp

M.A.Y. Board Members CONGRATULATE K8 Guidance Counselor and long time board member

### **Renee Kettwick**

on her retirement at the April M.A.Y. Board Meeting.



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## HY-VEE SPRINGTIME PARTY PROMOTES M.A.Y. MENTORING!

As part of the Shenandoah Hy-Vee Food Store's SPRINGTIME PARTY promotion, the store will donate 50 cents to M.A.Y. Mentoring for every 12 count package of cookies sold at the store from April 29-May 15!

### **BUY COOKIES & SUPPORT M.A.Y.!**



There will also be a Kids Carnival at Hy-Vee on May 4 from 11:00 am-3:00 pm. M.A.Y. will have a display table at the Carnival (as well as other peak buying times) for anyone who would like to learn more about mentoring. M.A.Y. NEEDS MORE MENTORS!!!!

# **THANK-YOU HY-VEE!**