

Good Morning and Welcome

Students parents, friends, honored guests

MB, proud principal

LP is one of the best high schools in the country

Oldest, largest, most success IB, in top 4% for # of tests taken in the WORLD

More than 80% take at least 1 AP test before they graduate

#1 public school in Illinois on Washington Post Challenge Index

Top performing arts, Vocal, Instrumental-#2 or 4 in state for 7 consecutive years

Top Drama program

Outstanding visual arts,

Most diverse high school in the city, maybe in the state

Neighborhood school, our students can walk, happy to welcome everyone from our community

Our teachers work collaboratively all the time, they want to work at a diverse school to insure success for all

Brad and FOLP-raised 100k last year more this year

1S1C-Amy Z and Jennifer F, wont have kids here for years, countless hours promoting LP

Nada Riley Cindy Schnoll, facilities volunteers coordinator for 1S, organized volunteers to paint more than 40 classrooms

Ald Michele Smith, a tireless advocate for LPHS, has volunteered to paint, always has a project to help LP, currently working to get as a permanent field

Our mayor, invited us to be a Wall to Wall IB, best thing to ever happen to LP, visited us, came to our graduation, has offered his support on many occasions

Why then, do people from our own community think there are better schools out of the neighborhood, or schools that cost 30k per year?

Its our facility-I think its beautiful when the students are here, but first time I walked around inside I thought, ...

The cubs won after 108 years of waiting. We have waited 117 years, and now our World Series Championship is here too.

Intro Michele