

LGHS STUDENTS MAKE A SP

NATASHA PRINCE

by **Chloe Mendoza**

Media Production Editor

Over the summer, senior Natasha Prince spent two weeks on Ms. Piyer's school trip to Europe with fellow classmates. The group went to Italy and Greece, experiencing and learning about new cultures along the way. One of these experiences was visiting the Vatican, something that Prince described as "breathtaking." Prince got to witness beautiful beaches and learn even more about the rich history of Europe while on multiple tours throughout the cities she visited. A highlight was the food, although upon returning from Italy, she has decided to take a break from spaghetti.

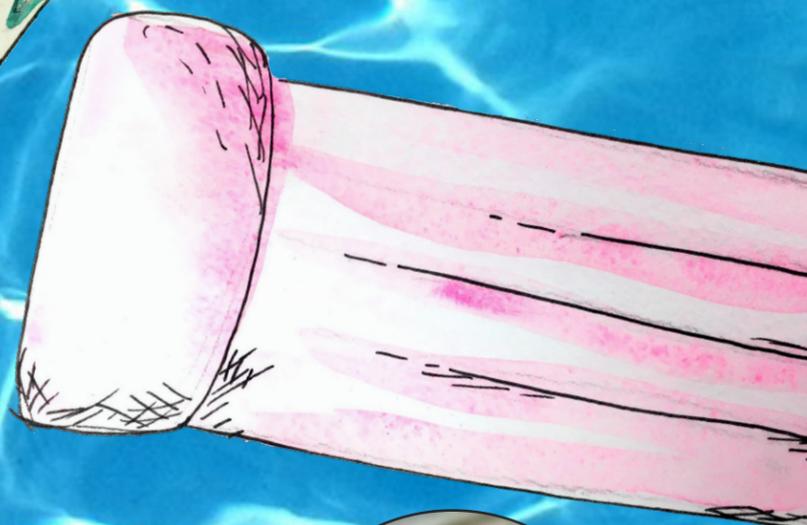
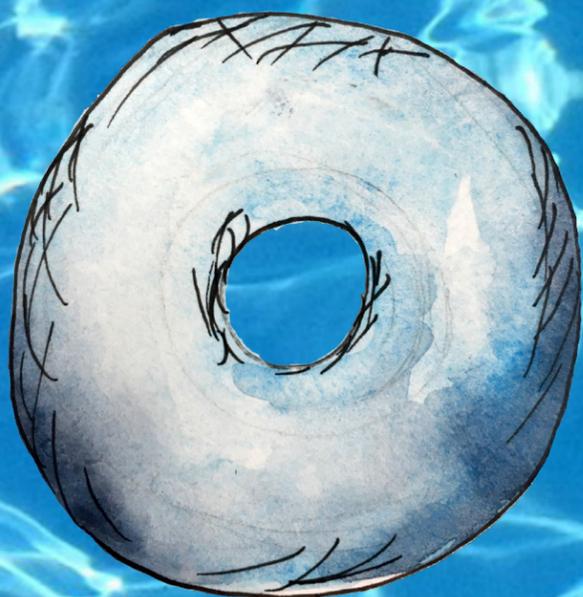


SARA GEIKEN

by **Madeline King**

Sports Editor

Senior Sara Geiken joined the LGHS girls lacrosse team on their first service trip to Costa Rica. Years ago, the Student Cultural Exchange Program led trips down to the town of Playa Samara, and this year the lacrosse girls of Archbishop Mitty and LGHS jumped on the chance to participate. Arriving in Playa Samara, the players immediately began working with locals and a nearby school. The next week, Geiken "taught local kids lacrosse, painted a school, and then also did fun activities like zip lining." Geiken hopes to take part in more events like this in the future and claims it was "very fulfilling" and one of the best experiences of her life.



ALEX NILES

by **Andy Braham**

World Editor

Junior Alex Niles explored the Central American country of Costa Rica through the Program AMIGOS. He lived in a small community called Santa Maria with a host family and his partner from another high school. While he was there, he helped build a bathroom for disabled people at the local church, held environmentally themed extracurricular activities with kids at the local school, and got to know the community members. He remarked "it was an awesome, challenging trip and I learned so much about Spanish and Costa Rican culture."



DANIEL DEBOSKEY

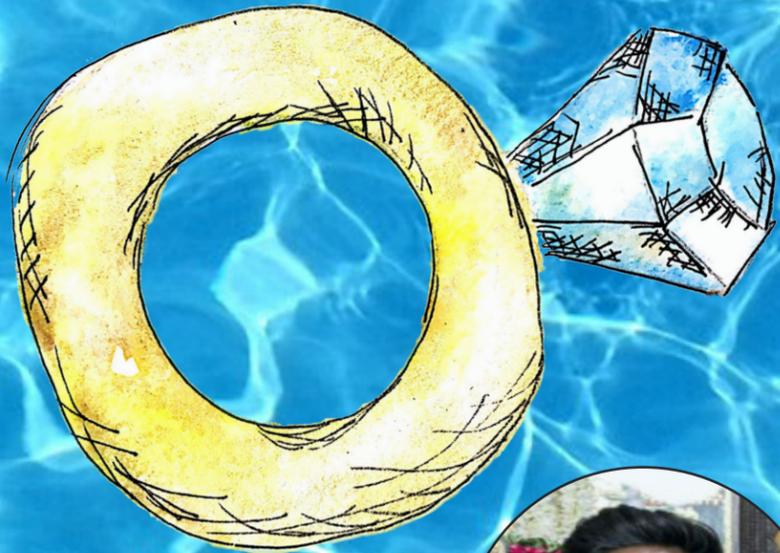
by **Austin Yung**

News Editor

Blue skies and clear water describe any stereotypical place to vacation during the summer and tenth grader Daniel Deboskey was no exception. He spent his summer in Fiji having fun in the sun while helping out the community. Deboskey loved working with the Fijian kids and his most memorable experience was when he "taught the kids how to play Pictionary." From his experience he realized how privileged we are and "how lucky we are to live in this day and age." Deboskey also went scuba diving with sharks; he was the only student brave enough to touch one, probably because of his scuba diving experience. "It's so amazing to explore an underwater world with so many different creatures." He scuba dives every summer because he enjoys being in the water and exploring the nature of the sea. Next summer Deboskey will head to Australia to scuba dive yet again.



LASH AROUND THE WORLD



TALIA KLEIN

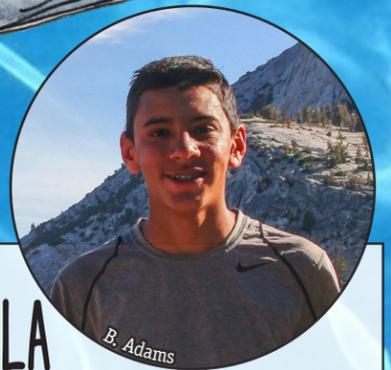
by **Abbi Berry**
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This was Junior Talia Klein's seventh summer as a participant at the La Canada Equestrian Camp in Mexico. Klein's favorite part of visiting Mexico was learning how to dance the salsa. She notes, "it's normal for people to know how to dance, and the music is amazing." At camp, Klein worked as a "fantasma," which is similar to a camp counselor. They led different sporting events, filmed a movie for the campers to watch, and helped execute a "huevo noche" or night game. Klein loves going to Mexico every summer, mentioning, "the culture is very welcoming and respectful, which is something I really appreciate." She hopes to live in Mexico one day.

AJAY NATARAJAN

by **Tatum Jenkins**
Humor Editor

Freshman Ajay Natarajan found his summer fun spending three weeks in North and South India with his family for a wedding. When asked about the wedding experience, Natarajan commented, "Indian weddings are big, like really big, so it's crazy. The wedding lasted around like 6 days; each function was at a different place and it was very extravagant." Along with this event, he also spent his time absorbing the culture around him, especially the food, which, "was really good even though it made my stomach hurt really bad." You can hear more about Natarajan by visiting eigatonews.com.



ZEE SHAAN CHUNAWALA

by **Bradley Adams**
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This summer, Junior Zeeshaan Chunawala spent three weeks enriching his learning of tissue engineering and 3D bioprinting through a summer camp at Stanford University. In this camp, Chunawala learned how to culture stem cells as well as 3D print matrices onto the stem cells. He said it was "amazing to have had the opportunity to work in such high-tech labs that you do not have access to in high school." Chunawala also exclaimed that even though the course was an advanced class full of rigorous material he hadn't been introduced to before, he found it extremely interesting and made lasting memories he will never forget.



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