

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
LAKOTA WEST UPBEAT CLUB, INC.**

In compliance with the requirements of the provisions of Chapter 1702 of the Revised Code of Ohio, the undersigned hereby forms a non-profit corporation and certifies:

**ARTICLE I
NAME**

The name of the corporation is Lakota West Upbeat Club, Inc. (“Club”).

**ARTICLE II
PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

Voting rights of members shall be as set forth in the By-Laws. The principal office of the Club shall be in West Chester, Butler County, at such place as the Board of Trustees of the Club shall specify from time to time.

**ARTICLE III
PURPOSE AND POWERS**

This Club does not contemplate pecuniary gain or profit to the members hereof, and the specific purpose for which it is formed is to be a booster organization established to provide physical and financial assistance for the Lakota West Band Program and to promote community participation and awareness of the Lakota West Band Program.

**ARTICLE IV
MEMBERSHIP**

The Members of the Corporation are parents of the Lakota West Band Program students, directors and assistant directors.

ARTICLE V
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

5.01 The persons who are to act in the capacity of Trustees are:

President:

Vice President:

Treasurer:

Secretary:

Freshman Vice President:

5.02 The qualifications, manner, and time of selection of successor Trustees, and their terms of office, shall be set forth in the By-Laws.

5.03 The Board of Trustees shall be and act under all powers provided in Chapter 1702 of the Revised Code of Ohio, except as such powers may be limited or expanded by the provisions of these Articles or the By-Laws.

ARTICLE VI
NOTICE AND QUORUM

Notice and quorum requirements shall be in accordance with the provisions, of the By-Laws.

ARTICLE VII
INDEMNIFICATION

The Club shall indemnify every person who is or has been a Trustee, Officer, agent, or volunteer of and for the Club and those persons' respective heirs, legal representatives successors, and assigns, as permitted under Ohio law, and in accordance with the provisions of the By-Laws.

ARTICLE VIII
DURATION

The Club shall be perpetual unless dissolved as provided herein.

**ARTICLE IX
DISSOLUTION**

The Club may be dissolved upon consent of the majority vote of those members present, either in person or by proxy, at a Special Meeting called for the purpose of dissolving the Club.

**ARTICLE X
DEFINITIONS**

All terms used herein shall have the same meanings as set forth in the By-Laws.

**ARTICLE XI
AMENDMENTS**

The Articles may be amended only upon consent of the majority vote of those members present, either in person or by proxy, at a Special Meeting called for the purpose of amending the Articles.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this instrument this _____ day of _____, 2014.

Lakota West Upbeat Club, Inc.
An Ohio non-profit corporation

By: _____
Jill Trygier, President

STATE OF OHIO)
)SS:
COUNTY OF BUTLER)

The foregoing Articles of Incorporation of Lakota West Upbeat Club, Inc. was sworn to and subscribed before me by Jill Trygier, President of Lakota West Upbeat Club, Inc., an Ohio non-profit corporation, by and on behalf of the Club on the _____ day of _____, 2014.

NOTARY PUBLIC