

April 2026

Alumni Spotlight: Rachel Adams '00

From Environmental Science to Crepes, 20 Years Feeding Her Community

When Rachel Adams (CV '00) headed off to Penn State to study environmental science, she had no idea she'd one day be best known for her crepes: "Restaurant owner after studying environmental science — you never know what you're gonna end up doing!" Twenty years later, that happy surprise has become one of Lancaster's most cherished neighborhood spots: Rachel's Creperie, which celebrated two decades in business this year.



"If you love what you do, you never work a day in your life."

— Rachel Adams, quoting her father's advice that has guided her career

Read on to learn about Rachel and the many ways she gives back to her community and honors her CV roots.

[Read On](#)



CV Making Headlines!

What a month for reading amazing stories of CV Alumni and friends in the news! Check out our article if you missed any of these stories in LNP.

[Read it here.](#)

Planning a reunion?
Let us know—we can help!



Have a CV Reunion coming up?

CV Alumni & Friends can help to promote your event! Let us know the details of your event, and we can post it on our website and email members of your class who are in our database.

[Visit Reunion Support on our website!](#)



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JOIN US TO OPEN FRITZ'S 50 YEAR TIME CAPSULE!

**May 22, 2026
9:30 a.m.**
Fritz families, former students/teachers invited!

RSVP HERE!



Fritz Elementary 50 Year Time Capsule

Did you go to Fritz around 1976, or are you just curious to see what CV students and staff included in a time capsule from then? Alumni are invited to an assembly at Fritz to see the grand reveal! RSVP Here: <https://forms.gle/47k94CTkQsQxnYMm7>



YOU'RE INVITED!

Leola Open House

May 6

5-6 p.m.

11 School Dr.

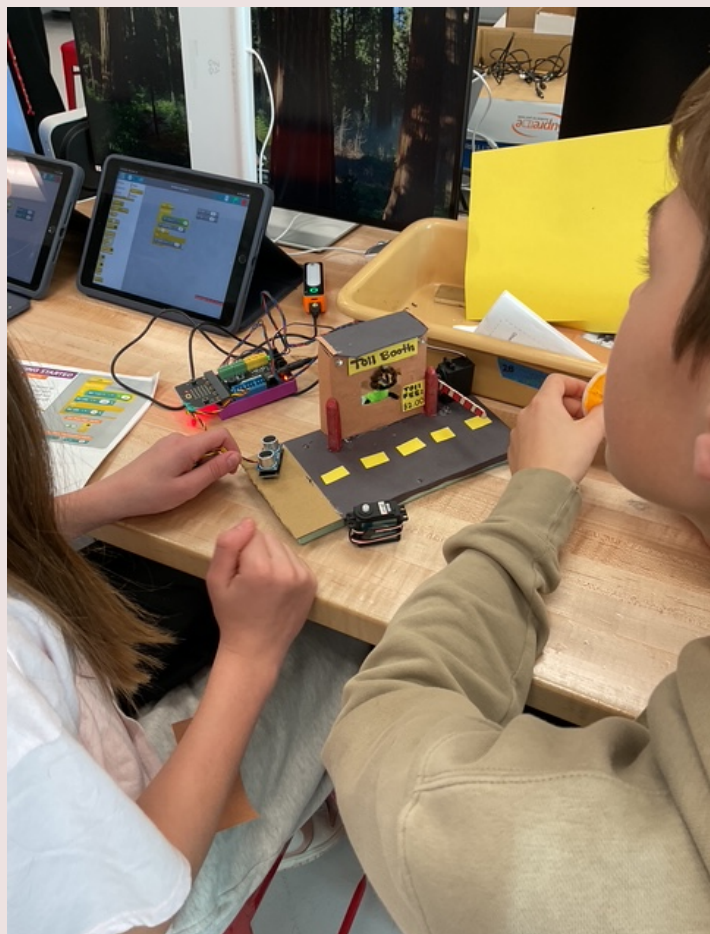
SELF-GUIDED TOURS

DROP-IN EVENT

OPEN TO COMMUNITY

Tour the new Leola Elementary

Did you go to Leola Elementary ... or what was once the CV Middle School? Alumni and community members are invited to tour the brand new Leola Elementary after two years of renovations.



CVEF Grant Spotlight

What do a traffic light, a startled creature, and a drumming robot have in common? They were all built and coded by 7th graders at Gerald Huesken Middle School.

[See how a CVEF grant is bringing robotics to life in Mr. Zellers' Tech Ed classroom.](#)