

As Introduced

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Senators Gavarone, Kunze

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Lakeside on its One Hundred Fiftieth Anniversary.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 135th General Assembly 1
of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Lakeside on the celebration of its 2
One Hundred Fiftieth Anniversary; and 3

WHEREAS, This is, indeed, a momentous occasion, and it provides 4
Lakeside with a special opportunity to highlight its unique history 5
and tremendous accomplishments. A private community, church-affiliated 6
vacation resort, and one of the last surviving independently operating 7
Chautauquas in the Twenty-first Century, Lakeside was established in 8
1873 by members of the Central Ohio Conference of the United Methodist 9
Church, and what began as a tented revivalist camp on the shore of 10
Lake Erie quickly grew into a permanent hub for culture, summer 11
activities, and family gatherings; and 12

WHEREAS, Recognition of this significant milestone is a fitting 13
tribute to Lakeside, for over the past fifteen decades, it has 14
attained a praiseworthy record of service and gained the appreciation 15
of countless visitors. The achievements of this venerable institution 16
are a justifiable source of pride and an excellent reflection not only 17
on its devoted leaders and residents but also on the innumerable 18
guests who return to the community each year; and 19

WHEREAS, All those associated with Lakeside have shown themselves 20
to be diligent and devoted ambassadors, for they have built on the 21
best traditions of the past to ensure a prosperous future. It is 22
through the work of citizens such as these that Ohio continues to be a 23
pleasant place in which to live; therefore be it 24

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 135th General 25
Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend Lakeside on its 26

Sesquicentennial and pay tribute to all those joining in the	27
celebration of this joyous event; and be it further	28
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly	29
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Lakeside.	30