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### Success for the Design Lab!

We did it! Thanks to your generosity and a matching gift from the Shrewsbury Public Schools Foundation, we reached our goal of raising \$15,000 this year for the Design Lab classroom at Oak Middle School (OMS). With this money, we purchased 3D printers, a laser cutter, the LittleBits Pro Library engineering kit and updated woodworking tools.



Follow the [Oak Middle School Design Lab](#) on Facebook and Jeremy Mularella on Twitter [@omsdesignlab](#) to see all the amazing ways our students are putting your generosity to use.

### Please Join Us ~ Donor Appreciation Event

On **Friday, May 31**, we are hosting an Open House at the OMS Design Lab to thank you - our donors - for your support of the Colonial Fund over the past five years. Stop by any time **between 8:15 am & 9:15 am** to see, touch and even use the equipment your generosity helped us purchase this year. Jeremy Mularella, the



Design Lab classroom teacher, and several students will be on hand to show you some of their work. Join us to understand how you have impacted the classroom experience of the almost 1,000 students who attend OMS every year.

## A Great Evening with Lynn Lyons



On April 2, the Colonial Fund was proud to sponsor an evening presentation by recognized psychotherapist, author and speaker Lynn Lyons, LICSW. Over 200 parents, caregivers, SPS staff and students listened to her presentation "Preventing Anxiety and Depression: Skills We Can (and Should!) Teach Our Children."

Lynn kept the audience engaged with her humor, inspirational stories and practical recommendations to help parents deal with this important issue of childhood anxiety. Her visit tied to our school district's strategic priority of *Enhanced Well Being for All*.

If you missed her presentation or would like more information about Lynn, her books or her videos, check out her website at [www.lynnlyonsnh.com](http://www.lynnlyonsnh.com)

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