

<p style="text-align: center;">STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR LOOMIS UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT, TRUSTEE AREA 3</p> <p>Name: DARCIE STRATTON Age: 43</p> <p>Occupation: Mother/Business woman/Educator</p> <p>Education and Qualifications:</p> <p>As a mother of three, I have proudly served on the Loomis Basin Education Foundation for 6 years helping raise funds for the Loomis schools. I have been the PTC president at Penryn School, and a substitute teacher at Penryn School. Prior to starting my business fourteen years ago here in the community, I taught junior high where I enjoyed creating an enriching, creative environment for students to learn.</p> <p>I would love this opportunity to be on the LUSD board to help build a bridge between the community, the staff, and the students. I see a vision of personal choice and unity where everyone is thriving. As our community grows, the goal will be to keep the schools strong in their roots but growing beautifully in their branches. I want to hear what the community envisions for our schools and be the voice and implementer. There is a reason we all live in this amazing community: sports, K-8th schools, smaller class sizes, high-level staff, rural feel, and a great family community.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR LOOMIS UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT, TRUSTEE AREA 3</p> <p>Name: JACOB HARDEY Age: 48</p> <p>Occupation: Incumbent/Science Teacher - Del Oro High School</p> <p>Education and Qualifications:</p> <p>I am the father of two children- one thriving in college, well prepared by her LUSD experience and a second at LBCS.</p> <p>As a Loomis resident since 2003 and teacher for 26 years, I've spent my professional life helping students and athletes thrive.</p> <p>I have sustained this goal for all LUSD students during my 7 years on the board.</p> <p>Some areas of pride include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ensuring that our students receive Spanish/ASL instruction from kindergarten to 8th grade. Creating intradistrict grading practices to ensure equity for all students. Maintaining fiscal responsibility, preparing for future economic downturns with limited effect on student programs. Bringing students back safely to full-day instruction in 2020 while receiving 10 more hours/week of classroom instruction than neighboring districts. <p>My goals to make our district stronger: Expanding STEM opportunities across all LUSD schools. Supporting teachers - allowing them to accelerate pandemic recovery and build resilience in our schools/children. Ensure that ALL children have an opportunity to flourish socially, emotionally and academically. Planning for growth by overseeing facilities improvements on all campuses and preparing for new school sites. I hope to continue serving our community and would be honored for you to consider giving me your vote.</p>