

# LOWELL HIGH SCHOOL CANALIGATOR TANK CHALLENGE



New England Dairy & Food Council and the Lowell Spinners teamed up to present “The Canaligator Tank - Fuel Up Leadership Challenge” at LeLacheur Park in Lowell on Wednesday, May 16<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

The Canaligator Tank, based off the popular television show, *Shark Tank*, offers entrepreneurial experience and funding to bring the students’ ideas to fruition.

This semester, Lowell High students were challenged to identify a nutrition or physical activity need, create a sustainable solution, and present their pitch to classmates. Teachers have selected nine student teams to compete in The Canaligator Tank for a chance to receive \$2,500 to fund and implement their winning project at Lowell High School.

Two teams were chosen to receive \$2,500 each:

1. Operation Healthy Lunch: A student run food cart that would prepare and serve a fresh fruit bar, yogurts and salads.
2. Yoga Elective: An Elective/ Gym alternative

The incredible LHS staff that led these teams are: Stephanie Selvaggio, Patrick Swett, and Brendan Casey. Food and Nutrition Mentors included Sharon Lagasse and Alysia Spooner Gomez.

