

L'Anse Creuse Public Schools

LANCER COUNTRY NEWS

L'Anse Creuse High School Home of the Lancers

September 15, 2023



GENERAL INFORMATION:

Students Not Feeling Well

If your student is ill, please do not send them to school. We kindly ask for them to remain home until they are 24-hours symptom free. Please contact the LCHS Attendance Office to report your child's absence at (586) 783-6400. If your student tests positive for Covid-19, access the Covid-19 Reporting Form. Once you have submitted the information for your student, a notification will be sent to Pam Brooks, LCPS CDC Rep and to LCHS. Parents do not need to call to report that your student has tested positive for Covid-

19. Absences will be marked based on the information provided in the reporting form.

Staff Parking Lot

As a reminder, the back parking lot (along the baseball & football fields) is reserved for **STAFF ONLY Monday-Friday 5:30am-3:00pm**. Parent/Students are prohibited from using this parking lot during these days/times. Violators are subject to ticketing.

Student Drop-Off/Pick-Up Procedure

Please review the procedures for <u>Drop-Off</u> & <u>Pick-Up</u> for before and after school. **NOTE:** Vehicles that wait/park on Reimold in line to get into the drop-off/pick-up lane are subject to ticketing. Other options for drop-off/pick-up are the designated areas in the front parking lot that are highlighted in the drop-off/pick-up procedures. Drop-Off & Pick-Up is strictly prohibited in the Staff Parking Lot. We appreciate your cooperation.

Visitors To The Building

All visitors to LCHS **MUST** enter the building through the front doors into the Commons at all times. During school hours, visitors must present a valid driver's license or state id to enter the building beyond the Commons. Visitors will be issued a visitor's pass and must turn it back into the receptionist before exiting the building. We appreciate your cooperation.

Homecoming T-Shirts-DEADLINE TODAY!

Homecoming t-shirts will be sold **through the end of the day TODAY** for \$15.00 each. Cash & check (made payable to LCHS)
only will be accepted. If your student hasn't purchased one yet and
would still like to, have them see their Class Sponsor after school
only with their payment and order form. Homecoming T-Shirt Order
Form

- Class of 2024 Ms. Arbanas in Room 219
- Class of 2025 Ms. Perkins in the Main Office
- Class of 2026 Mr. Shea in Room 100

• Class of 2027 - Ms. Julien in Room 228

2023 Homecoming

Mark your calendars...the 2023 Homecoming Parade & Game is set for Friday, October 6th & the Homecoming Dance is set for Saturday, October 7th.

Homecoming Ticket Sales

Homecoming Ticket sales will begin on **Monday**, **September 25th through Friday**, **October 6th** in the Commons during all lunches. The cost is \$20.00/ticket.

Homecoming Outside Guest Forms

Homecoming Outside Guest Forms are being updated and will be available soon. **NOTE: Senior students are the only students that may bring an outside guest to the LCHS Homecoming**. Stay tuned for more information.

Homecoming Parent Volunteers

We are in need of Parent Volunteers to chaperone the Homecoming Dance on October 7th. A completed background check form is required by all volunteers. If you are interested, please email Mrs. Witkowski by Friday, September 22nd.

2023-24 Esuerc Yearbook

Don't miss out on reserving a copy of the 23-24 Esuerc Yearbook for your student! Place your order online through <u>Jostens</u>. **Yearbooks are \$70.00 through September 30th**. Order by September 15th and get four free icons when you personalize for \$9.00. The price of the yearbook will increase after 9/30/23.

Student Chromebook Insurance

Reminder! Don't forget to purchase Student Device Insurance for your student's chromebook! Insurance that was purchased for school year 22-23 has expired. **The deadline to purchase**

insurance for school year 23-24 for your student's device is October 15, 2023. Logon to Smart Tech to purchase your insurance.

Medication Drop-Off

If your child will be taking medication during school hours that will need to be administered by LCHS staff, please email our Medical Aide, Mrs. Perkins to schedule an appointment for drop-off. As a reminder, ALL medication (prescription and nonprescription) MUST be dropped off by a parent/guardian. In addition, required forms must be completed and on file at LCHS before we are able to administer any medication to a student. Forms can be obtained from Mrs. Perkins.

Parking Permits

If your student drives a vehicle to school, a Parking Permit is required. Parking Permits are \$30.00 & are processed electronically only. In order for a parking permit to be issued to your student, please complete the following. Payment and all of the required information must be submitted before a parking permit will be issued.

- Login to SchoolPay to pay for your parking permit
- Access the <u>23-24 Parking Permit Form</u>, completing the required areas and submitting pictures of the students driver's license and the vehicle registration of each vehicle that needs to be permitted.
- The parking permit will be distributed to your student during school once it is processed.
- If you have any questions, please email <u>Mrs. Trombley</u> in the Main Office.

Lancer Locker Room

Make sure to stock up on your Lancer Gear! The Lancer Locker Room is stocked and open for business for the 23-24 school year! Items in the store make great Christmas, birthday or just because gifts. Parents are welcome to shop too! Access the Lancer Locker Room website to place your order. Be sure to check the website periodically as new items are added often. For any

questions, please email Mrs. Culver.

Picture Make-Up/Retake Day

Picture Make-Up/Retake Day is scheduled for **Friday**, **September 29th**. Students will be called down throughout the day. If your student is having a retake done, please have them return their original packet to the photographers on this day.

SchoolPay

LCPS has transitioned from PaySchools to SchoolPay for parents/guardians to purchase school related items for their student. SchoolPay can be accessed through your parent portal account. NOTE: SchoolPay can only be accessed when logging on to your parent portal through a desktop computer or a browser. Logging on to your parent portal through an app will not allow you access to SchoolPay. SchoolPay Instructions

Europe Trip With The German Classes

Mr. Bilen, the German teacher at LCHS has an important opportunity for you. We're going to Europe in Summer 2024, and you're invited! We're excited to tell you more about the trip we're planning with EF Tours, our educational travel company. Our informational meeting is on Wednesday September 27 at 6:30 pm in the LGI room at L'Anse Creuse High School North. Mrs. Bilen is doing this trip in cooperation with the German teacher there. Please be sure to register for this info session to be considered for this opportunity: https://bit.ly/3OTOYMY

When students travel, they expand their knowledge of the world around them, discover more about themselves, and grow more confident. These skills are critical for creating the global citizens of tomorrow, and we would love to have your student join us on this adventure. In this info session, we'll talk about: • How this opportunity will benefit your student • What we'll see and do on our trip • Everything that's included in this experience • How your child can earn academic credit • How we're keeping this safe and affordable • How to enroll on this trip (before it fills up!) during EF's risk-free enrollment period. There are limited spots on this trip, so we would love to have you attend this meeting to learn more about

this exciting experience.

Europe Trip With The French Classes

Next summer 2024, your student will have the opportunity to travel to Europe (Belgium, Paris, and Switzerland) with the French classes! Mrs. Allen, LCHS French Teacher, has been leading student trips since 1995 and is super excited to offer this educational experience to you. She has chosen Worldstrides Educational Travel and Experiences as our travel company. Mrs. Allen has been traveling with them since 2006 and has been on 11 trips with this amazing company so far. They really take student travel to the next level! WorldStrides international tours for high school students broadens their horizons far beyond the textbook by exposing them to the best of culture, art, and history abroad. Working closely with educators, they design each program to bring classroom studies to life through interactive learning experiences and immersive activities. Students' knowledge and global perspective grows, along with their confidence and social skills. Information about this trip can be found at www.worldstrides.com/enroll (to sign up, use Trip ID: Allen-2024). Feel free to email Mrs. Allen with any questions.

Previous Lancer Country News School Messengers

<u>Previous Lancer Country News</u> school messengers can be found on our website for your convenience.

CLUBS/ATHLETICS:

National Art Honor Society

Students interested in joining the National Art Honor Society should see Mrs. Schewe in Room 134 or Mr. Doroh in Room 136 for an informational packet. If students have questions, there will be a brief informational meeting on **Monday**, **September 18th at 2:30pm in Room 134**.

Student Council Meeting

Student Council members have a meeting on **Monday**, **September 18th** after school.

NHS Current Member Meeting

Current NHS members should plan on attending a meeting on **Monday, September 18th at 2:30pm** in the Media Center.

Paint Club

Students interested in joining the Paint Club should plan on attending an informational meeting on **Thursday**, **September 21st from 2:30pm-3:30pm** in Room 136.

Marching Band Competition

The LCHS Marching Band will be competing at PCEP on **Saturday**, **September 30th**. Come on out and support your Lancer Marchers! For more information regarding times and details of the competition, please email <u>Mr. Malburg</u>.

NHS Invites

National Honor Society Invitation Packets will be delivered to eligible 11th & 12th graders by the end of September...stay tuned.

Sports Physicals

Physical forms can be found on the <u>LC Athletics Website</u>. A sports physical is considered valid if a parent/guardian signature appears in sections 2,3 & 4. **NOTE: Students must have a Sports Physical dated after April 15, 2023 in order to participate in sports for the School Year 23-24.**

9/15 Football Game At Grosse Pointe South-ENTRY REQUIREMENT!

PLEASE NOTE – if your student plans on attending the football game at Grosse Pointe South tonight, *THEY MUST HAVE THEIR* STUDENT ID WITH THEM FOR ENTRY. Grosse Pointe South has asked us to let our students and parents know that this is requirement at GPS-HS and students will not gain entry without an ID.

Support The LCHS Athletic Program

The LCHS Athletic Boosters Club has teamed with Kroger to earn funds to help support our Athletic Program. All we ask from you is to register your Kroger Plus card online and continue shopping as normal. A portion of your purchases will go to the LCHS Athletic Program. Access the Kroger Community Rewards Flyer for instructions on how to register your card. Thank you in advance for your support!

Athletics Information

Athletic Information including schedules/calendar, coach contact information, sports medicine, etc. can be found on the <u>LC Athletics Website</u>. Please keep in mind that schedules are subject to last minute changes.

MAC Gate Information

Access the <u>MAC Gate Information</u> sheet for the latest information on spectator entry policies/admission prices for all away games broken out by schools.

Away Game Admission Policies

- Payment protocols vary by school. Please make sure you check the away school's website for information on how to obtain entry at their facility. Some schools require entry purchase online BEFORE the event.
- Students are REQUIRED to have their actual ID when attending an away game. Most schools WILL NOT accept a photo copy of an ID, picture of an ID, a coach or LCHS staff member vouching for the student or bringing up their profile in PowerSchool. Students that do not have an actual ID will not be permitted entry into the game. This is per the away school's policy.

Girls Golf Team

There is still room on the Girls Golf Team for any girls that are

interested. Experience is not required. If your student is interested, please have them stop by the athletic office for team contact information.

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

Community Service Opportunities

BACK TO SCHOOL BASH - HARRISON TWP PARKS & RECS EVENT

Saturday, September 16th Noon – 2:00pm located at Waterfront Park, 34890 Jefferson Ave Harrison Twp. See Mrs. Rickel if you have any questions. If you are interested in lending a hand, please email Paula Rose or Brian Batkins

LAKE ST CLAIR METROPARK NATURE CENTER

31300 Metro Parkway, Harrison Twp

Great Lakes Bat Festival Saturday, **Sept 23rd.** Volunteers will start at 10:30 and end at 3:30. If you can't volunteer all day you can split the shifts 10:30 a.m.- 1 p.m. and 12:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m. Assist kids and families with crafts. Support staff and visiting exhibitors with activities related to bats. Assist with event set-up and clean-up. If you can volunteer, please email Erin Parker

More Community Service Opportunities

For the latest Community Service Opportunities, access the Community Service Opportunity List-September/October
2023. Please make sure your student has a copy of Time Log with them when completing their Community Service. This log will be turned into Mrs. Rickel in the Community Service Office located in the Media Center.

Community Service Hours Required Per Class

Class of 2024 graduation requirement is 30 hours*

- 100 Hours must be turned in by MARCH 1, 2024 to receive the Presidential Award
- 80 Hours must be turned in by APRIL 12, 2024 to receive Honor Cord

 30 Hours must be turned in by APRIL 26, 2024 to receive Diploma

Class of 2025 graduation requirement is 40 hours
Class of 2026 graduation requirement is 40 hours
Class of 2027 graduation requirement is 40 hours
All hours are due by the end of the student's senior year or will be subject to a diploma hold.

*Covid-19 Changes made for the Class of 2024

CLASS OF 2024:

Class of 2024 Band App

If you are not signed up for the Class of 2024 Band App, please sign up today so you are able to access all things happening regarding the Class of 2024. Link To Sign Up-

2024 https://band.us/n/a7a695H0A4I3K

College Interest Form

Seniors who are interested in attending a college or university after graduation will be given the opportunity to meet with a college representative here at LCHS. The visit may be in-person or virtually. Please remember this visit should not replace the in-person tour. Access the College Interest Form for a list of colleges & universities to choose from - Seniors may only choose three (3) colleges or universities. The deadline to submit your choices is September 23, 2023. If you have any questions, please email Mrs. DuChene.

Transcript Requests

If your senior has not already done so, please make sure they create a Parchment account. All transcript requests must be made through Parchment and transcripts are processed electronically. If your student has any questions, they can see Mrs. Redinger in the Counseling Office.

Senior Headshot Pictures

If your student did not have their Senior Headshot taken over the summer at LCHS and would like to have their picture featured in this year's yearbook, they must contact Kaiser Studio at 248-619-9119 to schedule an appointment at their studio. The sitting fee is \$30.00 and due at the time of booking the appointment. Headshots must be photographed at Kaiser by December 1st in order to be submitted on time to be published in the yearbook.

Senior Yearbook Ad

CALLING ALL PROUD PARENTS...surprise your Class of 2024 Grad with a yearbook ad to celebrate your student's journey through the years. Create and purchase your ad online by February 8, 2024.

Cap/Gown Orders

Parents/Guardians will receive an email late September from Jostens with information regarding graduation cap/gown orders & more...stay tuned!

CLASS OF 2025:

Class of 2025 Band App

If you are not signed up for the Class of 2025 Band App, please sign up today so you are able to access all things happening regarding the Class of 2025. Link To Sign Up-

2025 https://band.us/n/ada694H7A4l7h

CLASS OF 2026:

Class of 2026 Band App

If you are not signed up for the Class of 2026 Band App, please sign up today so you are able to access all things happening regarding the Class of 2026. Link To Sign Up-

2026 https://band.us/n/abae9eHcA9O8w

CLASS OF 2027:

Class of 2027 Band App

If you are not signed up for the Class of 2027 Band App, please sign up today so you are able to access all things happening regarding the Class of 2027. Link To Sign Up-

2027 https://band.us/n/a1a695HfA1nfX

PARENTS/GUARDIANS - PLEASE BE ADVISED Events such as (but not limited to) Club Meetings, **Sporting Events & Building Events are subject to change**

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Sept 18 Board of Education Meeting, 6:30pm
- Sept 25 Board of Education Meeting, 6:30pm
- Sept 29 Picture Make-Up/Retake Day
- Oct 1 Powder Puff Game
- Oct 6 Homecoming Parade, 5pm
- Oct 6 Homecoming Game, 7pm
- Oct 7 Homecoming Dance
- Oct 11-12 Parent/Teacher Conferences
- Oct 11-12 Half Day School, Dismissal 10:30am
- Oct 16 Board of Education Meeting, 6:30pm
- Oct 18 No School, Teacher PD
- Oct 23 Board of Education Meeting, 6:30pm

Visit The Official Social Media Sites For L'Anse Creuse High School:









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