

L'Anse Creuse Public Schools



# **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 <u>Covid-19 Reporting</u> 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.

## LCHS Identity Survey-Staff, Parents & Students-DEADLINE APPROACHING!

As a reminder, please take a few minutes to complete the <u>LCHS Identity</u> <u>Survey</u> that was emailed on 9/20/23. In an effort to solidify the identity of our school within the community, we are working with an outside expert to aid us with this process. Thank you in advance for answering the following survey questions. We look forward to communicating with you the results of our work. The survey will be available through Sunday evening, September 24th.

#### 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.

## 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. If you would like to prepay online for your student's pictures, logon to <u>www.kaiserstudio.com</u> using school code: **2324LCHIGH**. If you are not ordering pictures, please make sure your student has a picture taken so they can get their student ID.

#### **Powder Puff Game**

Our Annual Powder Puff Game is scheduled for **Sunday**, **October 1st** at 6:00pm at LCHS. Come watch our Junior & Senior Girls take on each other in an action-packed football game you won't want to miss.

## **Parking Permits**

If your student drives a vehicle to school, a 23-24 Parking Permit is required. Parking Permits are \$30.00 & are processed electronically only. Payment and all of the required information **must** be submitted before a parking permit will be issued. We will begin checking vehicles for current permits on Monday, October 2, 2023. Students that drive to school without purchasing a parking permit for the current year are subject to diploma hold their senior year.

- 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 student's valid 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 when all of the required information has been received.
- NOTE: Parking Permits are only valid for the school year printed on the permit and expire at the end of the school day on the last day of that school year.

 If you have any questions, please email <u>Mrs. Trombley</u> in the Main Office.

#### Homecoming Spirit Days

Homecoming Spirit Days begin on **Monday**, **October 2nd and will run through Monday**, **October 9th**. All 4 classes compete against each other. The winning class that shows the most spirit during Homecoming week will be announced at the Homecoming Football Game on October 6th. <u>2023</u> <u>Homecoming Spirit Days</u>

#### Homecoming Outside Guest Forms-SENIORS ONLY!

Homecoming Outside Guest Forms are available in the Main Office – this is for Seniors Only! All forms must be complete before an Administrator approval will be considered. The deadline for forms to be submitted is Wednesday, October 4th by 3:00pm - forms will not be accepted after this date/time. A Homecoming Ticket can be purchased for a guest once an LCHS Administrator has given final approval.

#### Homecoming Parent Volunteers

We are still in need of Parent Volunteers to chaperone the Homecoming Dance on October 7th. Volunteers are needed for, but not limited to, monitoring an area of the building, serving beverages, helping out at coat check, etc. Jobs will be assigned accordingly. The dress code for chaperones is casual. A completed background check form is required by all volunteers. **We have extended the deadline to volunteer**...if you are interested, please email <u>Mrs.</u> <u>Witkowski</u> by **Friday, September 29th**.

#### 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**.

#### 2023-24 Esuerc Yearbook-PRICE INCREASE 10/1/23

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. **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 <u>Smart Tech</u> to purchase your

insurance.

#### 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.

## **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, <u>Mrs. Perkins</u> 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.

## 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 <u>Mrs. Culver</u>.

## 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. <u>SchoolPay Instructions</u>

#### **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: <u>https://bit.ly/3OT0YMY</u> 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:**

#### Student Council Meeting

Student Council members have a meeting on **Tuesday**, **September 26th** after school.

## 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.</u> <u>Malburg</u>.

## NHS Invites

National Honor Society Invitation Packets have been delivered to the eligible 11th and 12th grade students. Application forms must be turned in to Mrs. Burson by **Tuesday, October 3rd**.

## **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**.

## 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 <u>Kroger Community Rewards</u> <u>Flyer</u> 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 Volleyball Team – DIG PINK

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month! Join Lancer Volleyball on October 12th as they play to raise awareness and funds to help continue the fight against cancer. Donate here

today: <u>http://main.acsevents.org/goto/LAnseCreuseVolleyball</u> <u>Dig Pink Lancer</u> <u>Volleyball Flyer</u>

## COMMUNITY SERVICE:

#### **Community Service Opportunities**

#### GREAT LAKES BAT FESTIVAL-LAKE ST CLAIR METROPARK NATURE CENTER 31300 Metro Parkway, Harrison Twp

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. Volunteers will 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 <u>Erin.Parker@metroparks.com</u>

#### 20TH ANNUAL SAVE THE MANATEE 5K

**Saturday, October 7th** at Lake St. Clair Metropark. Volunteers must Email Ms Argiri: <u>largiri1@hotmail.com</u> For more information go to: <u>https://savethemanatee5k.com/contact-us/</u>

## More Community Service Opportunities

For the latest Community Service Opportunities, access the <u>Community</u> <u>Service Opportunity List-September/October 2023</u>. Please make sure your student has a copy of <u>Time Log</u> 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 <u>https://band.us/n/a7a695H0A4I3K</u>

#### College Interest Form-DEADLINE TOMORROW!

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 <u>College Interest Form</u> 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 <u>Mrs. DuChene</u>.

## **Transcript Requests**

If your senior has not already done so, please make sure they create a <u>Parchment</u> 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. <u>Create and purchase your ad online</u> by **February 8, 2024.** 

#### Cap/Gown Orders

Parents/Guardians will receive an email soon 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 <u>https://band.us/n/ada694H7A4I7h</u>

## **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 <u>https://band.us/n/abae9eHcA9O8w</u>

## **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 <u>https://band.us/n/a1a695HfA1nfX</u>

> \*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 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:



L'Anse Creuse Public Schools would like to continue connecting with you via email. If you prefer to be removed from our list, please contact L'Anse Creuse Public Schools directly. To stop receiving all email messages distributed through our SchoolMessenger service, follow this link and confirm: <u>Unsubscribe</u> Please be aware, if you unsubscribe you will no longer receive your child's progress reports and report cards via email.

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