

# LANCER COUNTRY NEWS L'Anse Creuse High School May 19, 2023



# **GENERAL INFORMATION:**

# 2023 Summer School Registration

Information regarding 2023 Summer School at L'Anse Creuse High School was emailed home this week. Please access the front page of the <u>LCHS Website</u> for more information and how to register your child. **Deadline for registration & payment is Friday, June 16th at 3:00pm.** 

# Students Not Feeling Well

As a reminder, if your student is not feeling well, 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 online <u>Covid-19 Reporting Form</u>. Once you have submitted the information for your student, a notification will be sent to Pam Brooks, LCPS CDC Rep and to LCHS. You do not need to call to report that your student has tested positive for Covid19. Absences will be marked based on the information provided in the reporting form.

# 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 Flyer</u>

# LCHS Germany Trip July 2024

All LCHS students are invited to sign up for the trip of a lifetime to Germany, Austria and Switzerland in July 2024. There are still spots left for this eye-opening experience led by the German teachers at both high schools. The in-person informational meeting for this cultural adventure is at High School North's LGI room on **Thursday May 25** from 6:30 pm to 7:30. Seating is limited. One parent or guardian must be in attendance. In order to be alerted of any changes to this meeting, you must register using this link: <u>https://bit.ly/3nvjYY8</u>. Can't make the meeting, but want more information? Register and select "No, but send info."

# Half Day School

**Friday, May 26th** is a half day of school – dismissal is at 10:30am. Students will report to hours 1 & 2.

# **Choir Spring Sing**

The LCHS Choir present Spring Sing on **Friday**, **May 26th** at 7:00pm at JAPAC...all are welcome!

# No School-Memorial Day Holiday

School is closed to all students & staff on **Monday**, **May 29th** in observance of the Memorial Day holiday. School will resume a full day of school on Tuesday, May 30th.

# 2022-23 Esuerc Yearbook

Don't miss out on reserving a copy of the 22-23 Esuerc Yearbook for

your student! Place your order online through <u>Jostens</u>. Yearbooks are currently \$85.00 – orders will be taken till May 31st.

# Apparel - Lancer Locker Room

The Lancer Locker Room has many new items including apparel & backpacks...they even have many items specifically for the Class of 2023! Access the Lancer Locker Room Flyer for more information.

# National Honor Society-School Year 23-24

The National Honor Society will be sending out invitation letters and the application forms for school year 23-24 to students in the Class of 2024 & Class of 2025 who qualify for membership. Eligibility includes:

- Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.5+
- Minimum of 30 hours of community service served & on file at LCHS. Students that believe they would qualify are encouraged to turn in any community service hours to Mrs. Rickel in the Media Center by Thursday, June 1st so they can be recorded on their school record.
- Any questions, please email Mrs. Burson

# K&G Fashion Superstore For Prom Attire & More

K&G Fashion Superstore specializes in Tailored Clothing & Dresses perfect for your students' Prom and other Special Occasions. LCHS has partnered with K&G Fashion Superstore to offer a 10% discount to LCHS students & their families. LCHS will earn 10% of purchases made from LCHS students. The nearest location is at Macomb Mall in Roseville. For more information, access the <u>K&G Flyer</u>. Make sure your student mentions they are an LCHS student when making their purchase. **This offer expires 6/4/23**.

# **Visitors During School Hours**

**PLEASE BE ADVISED:** Visitors entering LCHS during school hours (this includes parents, guardians and volunteers), <u>**MUST**</u> enter the building through the Commons doors. Visitors <u>**MUST**</u> stop and check-in at the Commons Desk inside the front doors to receive a Visitor's Pass before entering the main building.

# Staff Parking Lot

As a reminder, the back parking lot 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 will be subject to ticketing.

# Parent Drop-Off/Pick-Up

Parents, please take a moment to review the **STUDENT** <u>DROP-</u> <u>OFF & PICK-UP</u> **PROCEDURES** effective immediately. For the safety of all students, staff & parents, your cooperation with following these procedures is greatly appreciated. Individuals not following these procedures are subject to ticketing.

# **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 into your parent portal to access SchoolPay to pay for your parking permit
- Access the <u>22-23 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.

# **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:**

# **NHS Homework Club**

Homework Club, sponsored by NHS, takes place every Tuesday in Room 221. **Tuesday, May 23rd** will be the last day for Homework Club this school year. Homework Club will resume school year 23-24 in October. Students are expected to have homework with them to work on while present. All students are welcome.

# **NHS Meeting**

There is a meeting for all NHS Members on **Monday**, **May 22nd** at 2:30pm in the Media Center.

# LCHS Athletic Event Policies-PLEASE REVIEW!

Please make sure to review the policies/rules for all Athletic Events in the "CLUBS/ATHLETICS" Section.

- ALL STUDENTS MUST have their student ID to enter any Athletic Event (or any building event outside of normal school hours). NO ID=NO ENTRY.
- There is an entry fee for all Athletic Events. The entry fee is for adults & students. If your student is denied entry, they are expected to leave the premises.
- Building entry for Athletic Events is through the front of the building only. If a spectator parks in the back parking lot, they must walk around to the front of the building for entry.
- Children under high school age <u>WILL NOT</u> will be permitted into events unless accompanied by an adult. The adult is expected to stay for the entire event.

# LCHS Athletic Passes/Admission Prices

There is a \$5 admission fee for all events. Children under the age of 10 & Adults age 62 & over are free. Athletic Passes from school year 21-22 are not accepted. Passes are currently available for purchase through SchoolPay.

# 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 <u>BEFORE</u> the event.
- Students are <u>REQUIRED</u> to have their actual ID when attending an away game. Most schools <u>WILL NOT</u> 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.

#### 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 <u>\*NOTE NEW DATE\*</u> from this point on in order to participate in sports for the School Year 22-23.

#### Athletics Information

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

# LC Unified Summer Hockey Tryouts

The Summer Hockey Tryouts for the LC Unified Hockey Team are scheduled for **Tuesday**, **June 6th** at the Mt. Clemens Ice Arena from 7:15pm-8:45pm. For more information, access the <u>LCU Summer</u> <u>Tryout Flyer</u>.

# COMMUNITY SERVICE:

#### **Community Service Opportunities**

#### HARRISON TWP LIBRARY 38255 L'Anse Creuse Road Suite A, Harrison Twp MI 48045

#### Wednesday, May 24th @ 3:30 Seed Organization

Help the Harrison Township Library organize their collection of seeds for checkout and usage in the community. Worth 2 hours of community service and snacks will be provided. Please bring your community service sheet to be signed by the Librarian. Walk-ins are welcome. Any questions please contact the library 586-329-1261.

#### JUNIOR CLASS FUNDRAISER-BOTTLE SLIPS

The deadline for the fundraiser for the Bottle Return Slips for the Junior Class has been extended through the **end of the May**. As a reminder, for every \$5 of bottle slips turned in, students will receive 1 hour of community service, (with a 5 hour limit to be earned). The

student's first and last name must be printed neatly on the bottle return slip. Bottle return slips can be turned into Mrs. Arbanas in Room 219 or Mr. Henderson in Room 220.

# More Community Service Opportunities

For the latest Community Service Opportunities, access the <u>Community Service Opportunity List-May</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\* Class of 2025 graduation requirement is 40 hours Class of 2026 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 2023 & 2024

# **CLASS OF 2023:**

Senior Calendar Class of 2023 Senior Calendar

# Senior Fines/Diploma Holds

Fines that are not paid prior to graduation will result in a diploma hold for your Senior. Fines can be for, but not limited to: school textbooks, chromebooks, athletic equipment, Band/Choir/Art equipment, failure to paint over their painted parking spot, unpaid parking permit, etc. A diploma hold will also be issued to Seniors that do not meet their community service requirement or curriculum requirement. **NOTE: if your Senior has a diploma hold, your student's final transcript will not be released until the diploma hold has been lifted.** 

# Senior's Painted Parking Spots Clean-Up-DEADLINE TODAY!

If your Senior painted a parking spot this year, they must paint over their parking spot with black paint by the end of the day **TODAY**! Students that do not meet this deadline will be charged a \$40 fine and receive a diploma hold. Once the fine is paid, the diploma hold will be lifted for the painting of the parking spot. NOTE: If the student pays their fine, the student is not obligated to paint over their spot with black paint. If you have any questions, please email <u>Mr. Doroh</u>.

# Senior Yard Signs

If you ordered a Senior Yard Sign to honor your Class of 2023 Grad, signs are available for pick up **AFTER SCHOOL ONLY** in Room 136 from 2:25pm-2:40pm.

#### Senior Textbook Collection

Textbooks will continue to be collected from Seniors **TODAY & Monday, May 22nd**. Students that do not turn in books that were issued to them are subject to a diploma hold.

#### Senior Chromebook Collection

Chromebooks will be collected from Seniors **TODAY & Monday, May 22nd**. Seniors need to make sure they have their chromebooks with them on these days. Students that do not turn in their chromebook (including the case & charge cord) are subject to a diploma hold.

# Senior Final Exams

- Wednesday, May 24th
  - Seniors will report to school as normal, with 1st hour beginning at 7:11am.
  - Hours 4-6 exams will be taken during hours 4-6.
  - Dismissal from school on this day will be at 1:20pm

#### • Thursday, May 25th

- Seniors will report to school as normal, with 1st hour beginning at 7:11am.
- Hour 1-3 exams will be taken during hours 1-3.
- Dismissal for Seniors only on this day will be 10:28am (when 3rd hour ends).
- This is the last day your Senior will report to classes.

# Senior Luncheon

- The Senior Luncheon is on Thursday, May 25th.
- The Senior Luncheon is from 11am-2pm at MacRay's located at 30675 N. River Road; Harrison Township.
- This event is for Seniors only!
- NOTE: Senior Dues must be paid in order for Seniors to participate. If you did not pay Senior Due, but your student would like to attend, please email <u>Mrs. Perkins</u> by THE END OF THE DAY TODAY to coordinate payment.
- Attire for this event is casual, but school appropriate.
- If your Senior ordered a yearbook, yearbooks will be distributed at MacRay's. If your Senior is not attending the luncheon and ordered a yearbook, please email <u>Mr. Karl</u> to coordinate when your student can pick up their yearbook AFTER MAY 25TH.

# Senior Last Walk/Class Picture

- The Senior' Last Walk of the Halls in Lancer Country will take place at LCHS on Friday, May 26th and will start promptly at 9am.
- Seniors are to arrive to the LCHS Commons between 8:30am-8:45am with their graduation gown only. NO CAPS/TASSELS PLEASE!
- Parents are welcome to attend and should arrive to the building between 8:40am-8:45am, entering through Door #40 (this door is in the front of the building by the Media Center).
- At the end of the walk, Seniors will be directed into the Large Gym for their Class Picture. This is for Senior students only! At that time, parents can exit the building through Door #40, as we will be preparing for school dismissal at 10:30am. The class picture will be available for purchase through <u>Sieloff Studios</u>.

# Senior Prom

- Prom is at Century Banquet Center at 14 Mile/Mound in Sterling Heights from 6:00pm-11:00pm on Wednesday, May 31st.
- Seniors & their guests must have their ticket & ID for entry.
- All students are expected to observe the policies of L'Anse Creuse Public Schools as outlined in the Student Code of Conduct.

 All students are expected to leave the premises at 11:00pm. Please coordinate transportation prior to the event.

# **Decorating Graduation Caps**

Seniors will be allowed to decorate their Graduation Cap – **BUT DO NOT DECORATE JUST YET**! We are finalizing the rules & regulations for decorating their cap (and these must be followed in order for graduates to walk the stage at graduation). Watch your email for that information to come soon!

# **Graduation Practice**

- Graduation Practice will be held at Bethesda Christian Church located at 16 Mile & Schoenherr on Thursday, June 1st beginning promptly at 10am. Practice is for Seniors only!
- Graduation caps/gowns should be left at home.
- Practice will be held in the building's sanctuary, proper attire should be worn.
- After practice, graduation tickets will be distributed & the graduate is required to sign for their tickets. Graduation tickets are only distributed to the graduate...thank you for your cooperation.

# Graduation

- Graduation is at Bethesda Christian Church located at 16 Mile & Schoenherr on Friday, June 2nd. The doors open at 6pm and graduation begins promptly at 7pm.
- Graduation Information Handouts & Map will be sent soon. This will include important information regarding arrival, the ceremony and after the ceremony. When you receive this information, please make sure to read through all of the information so you know what to expect for that day.
- If you are need of additional tickets, please check with other Class of 2023 families who may not be utilizing all of their graduation tickets. Requests for additional tickets will not be taken.

# Special Accommodation Seating For Graduation

If you or one of your guests will need special accommodation seating for Graduation, please contact Mrs. Wrubel at ext. 1211. Due to limited seating, seating is only reserved for the guest(s) that needs special accommodations plus one (1) person from your party to assist.

# SCHOLARSHIPS:

# Scholarship Opportunities

Students are encouraged to visit our website for <u>Scholarship</u> <u>Opportunities</u>. Be sure to check back often, as our website is frequently updated.

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

# **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

- May 22 Board of Education Meeting, 6:30pm
- May 24 Senior Final Exams (Hours 4-6)
- May 25 Senior Final Exams (Hours 1-3)-LAST SCHOOL DAY FOR SENIORS
- May 25 Senior Luncheon
- May 26 Half Day School, Dismissal 10:30am (Hours 1-2)
- May 26 Senior Last Walk/Class Picture, 9:00am
- May 26 Choir Spring Sing, 7:00pm JAPAC
- May 29 No School, Memorial Day Holiday
- May 31 Senior Prom, 6-11pm
- June 1 Graduation Practice, 10am
- June 2 Graduation, 7pm
- June 12-14 Early Dismissal, 10:41am
- June 12 Final Exams, Hours 1-2
- June 13 Final Exams, Hours 3-4
- June 14 Final Exams, Hours 5-6
- June 14 Last Day of School

# Visit The Official Social Media Sites For L'Anse Creuse Public Schools:

Facebook YouTube Twitter Public Website

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