



L'Anse Creuse Public Schools

LANCER COUNTRY NEWS

L'Anse Creuse High School
Home of the Lancers

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GENERAL INFORMATION:

Official Social Media Sites For LCHS

There are a lot of exciting things happening in Lancer Country...student recognitions, building events, college info, performances and MORE! Make sure to follow us on the official social media sites for L'Anse Creuse High School. Simply click on one or all of the following social media site logos & select follow to get connected today!



Students Not Feeling Well/Attendance

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. NOTE: all attendance will be marked accordingly within 24 business hours of when we

are notified of the student's absence from class. We appreciate your cooperation and patience.

12 Days of Christmas Spirit Days

The 12 Days of Christmas Spirit Days, sponsored by the LCHS Student Council, began this week. Please access the [12 Days of Christmas Spirit Day List](#) to see all of the fun going on in Lancer Country!

LCHS Band Holiday Concert

The LCHS Band presents their holiday concert on **Wednesday, December 13th at 7:00pm at JAPAC**. This event is free, however cash donations will be collected to assist local families this holiday season. If you would prefer to donate an item vs a monetary donation, we are also looking for donations of gift cards (\$25 or \$50 increments preferred), blankets, hats, gloves, scarfs, girls lotion/body care items, lip balms, journals, artist pads, gel pens, colored pens, treats/candy for stocking stuffers, small gifts for teen boys/girls and elementary boys/girls. All donations will be collected in the lobby until 7:30pm.

Bottle Return Fundraiser-Class of 2024

The Senior Class is sponsoring a Bottle Return Slip Fundraiser **now through Monday, December 18th**. Students turn in bottle return slips to Mr. Henderson in Room 220 or Mrs. Arbanas in Room 219. For every \$5.00 donated in bottle slips, students will receive 1 hour of community service (there is a 5-hour limit). Students must have their name printed neatly on the top of the bottle slip in order to receive their community service hours.

School Closed-Teacher Professional Development

School is closed to all students on **Friday, December 22nd** for Teacher Professional Development.

School Closed-Holiday Break

School is closed for the Holiday Break **Monday, December 25th – Friday, January 5th**. School resumes a full day on Monday, January 8th.

LCPS Lifeguards

L'Anse Creuse Public Schools is looking to hire Lifeguards! This opportunity is open to all including high school level students. [LCPS Lifeguard Flyer](#)

LCHS Stadium Construction-IMPORTANT!

As a reminder, the LCHS stadium is under construction. For the safety of our community, staff & students, the stadium area is not accessible to anyone until further notice.

Parent Portal Support

LCHS Parents/Guardians that are having difficulty logging into their Parent Portal account can contact Ms. Seymour, LCHS Media Clerk for assistance. Email your inquiries to her at seymoth@lc-ps.org.

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 [Jostens](#). Yearbooks are \$80.00 **through December 31st**. For your convenience, payment plans are available.

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. 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 [23-24 Parking Permit Form](#), 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 [Mrs. Trombley](#) in the Main Office.

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 [Drop-Off](#) & [Pick-Up](#) 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.

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](#)

LCPS Community Ed

Did you know that the LCPS Community Ed program offers a variety of classes for adults, as well as, students? Check out some of the exciting things happening through Community Ed by accessing the [Community Ed Flyer](#). You can also visit the [Community Ed website](#) for more information.

Previous Lancer Country News School Messengers

[Previous Lancer Country News](#) school messengers can be found on our website for your convenience.

CLUBS/ATHLETICS:

NHS Homework Club

Homework Club, sponsored by NHS, is held on every Thursday (unless noted) from 2:30-3:30 in Room 228. Students are expected to have homework with them to work on while present. All students are welcome.

Link Crew Meeting

Link Crew members have a meeting on **Monday, December 11th** at 2:30pm in the Choir Room.

Ski Club

The Ski Club's first trip is set for **Friday, December 15th**. Spots are filling fast! Students that are interested in participating can check with Mrs. Allen in Room 236 to see if there are spots still available. In order for a student to

secure a spot, students must have all fees paid and their permission slip turned in. Students can purchase tickets before or after school, or in between classes in Room 236.

Paint Club Meeting

The Paint Club has a meeting on **Thursday, December 21st** at 2:30pm in Room 136.

Student ID's Required For All Sporting Events

As stated in the email sent home to parents & guardians on 9/27/23, ALL students must have a Student ID with them for entry into any sporting event. [LCHS Athletic Student ID Policy](#)

Sports Physicals

Physical forms can be found on the [LC Athletics Website](#). 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.**

Athletics Information

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

MAC Gate Information

Access the [MAC Gate Information](#) 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.

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

Community Service Opportunity

LCHS STUDENT COUNCIL in conjunction with Jamie's Smiles Organization

NOW through DECEMBER 13TH

LCHS is collecting NEW hats, mittens, gloves and scarfs of all sizes. Students should bring NEW items in a bag with their name on the purchase receipt to the Community Service Office (located in the Media Center). \$5.00 = 1 hour of community service (5 hour limit \$25.00)

GRAHAM ELEMENTARY COOKIES & COCOA WITH SANTA

Friday, December 15th 6:00-9:30pm at Graham Elementary

Volunteers will help with setting up, activities, cleaning up. Sign up on the community service bulletin board, located in the main hallway. See Mrs. Rickel in the Media Center if you have any questions.

More Community Service Opportunities

For the latest Community Service Opportunities, access the [Community Service Opportunity List-December 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:

Senior Calendar & Contact List

Please refer to the [2024 Senior Calendar](#) & [Contact List for Senior Questions](#)

[Form](#) to help keep your Senior organized and to stay on track as Graduation approaches! These can also be found in the [Class of 2024 Tab](#) on the LCCHS website.

Graduation Gown Orders & More! – DEADLINE APPROACHING!

Seniors that still need to order their graduation gown set can logon to migrads.com to place your order today! **THE DEADLINE TO ORDER CAP/GOWN SETS IS FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22, 2023.** NOTE: Students that wish to participate in the graduation ceremony **MUST** wear a graduation Cap & Gown ordered through Jostens.

Senior Baby Pictures Wanted For The Yearbook

Our Yearbook Staff will be including baby pictures of students that are part of the Class of 2024 in the 2024 Esuerc yearbook. Please access the [Senior Baby Pics For Yearbook 24 form](#) to submit up to three (3) baby pictures – **NOTE: only one (1) picture will be chosen to be published in the yearbook. The deadline for all submissions is Wednesday, January 10th.**

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.](#)

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.

SCHOLARSHIPS:

Scholarship Opportunities

Be sure to visit the list of [Scholarships](#) posted on our website. Make sure to check back often as new opportunities are added frequently.

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

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **Dec 13** – Band Holiday Concert, 7pm JAPAC
- **Dec 15** – Board of Education Meeting, 3:00pm
- **Dec 22** – Deadline For Grad Cap/Gown Set Orders
- **Dec 22** – No School For Students, Teacher PD
- **Dec 25-Jan 5** – Holiday Break, School Closed
- **Jan 8** – School Resumes, A Full Day Of School
- **Jan 15** – School Closed, MLK Day
- **Jan 16** – Board of Education Meeting, 6:30pm
- **Jan 22** – Board of Education Meeting, 6:30pm
- **Jan 24-26** – Sem 1 Final Exams
- **Jan 24-26** – Early Dismissal, 10:41am
- **Jan 26** – Sem 1 Ends
- **Jan 29** – Sem 2 Begins
- **Jan 31** – No School For Students, Teacher PD

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