



Dates to Remember

- * *Monday, February 21* – Snow Make-up Day, cycle day 6
- * *Thursday, February 24* – Open House; grades Pre-Kindergarten – 12, 6:30 – 8:30 pm (Both campuses)
- * *Thur. – Sat., March 17-19* – High School Play and Dinner Theatre (19th only)
- * *Thursday, March 24* – End of Quarter 3, noon dismissal
- * *Friday, March 25* – Snow Make-up Day, cycle day 3, noon dismissal

Save the Date

- * *Tuesday, March 22* – Parent Partner Organization Meeting
- * *Thursday, March 24* – Pastors' Day
- * *Friday, and Saturday, April 15 and 16* – LCCS Auction
- * *Wednesday and Thursday, May 11 and 12* – LCCS Golf Tournament
- * *Friday, May 13* – West Lampeter Elementary Grandparents' Day and Musical
- * *Friday, May 20* – Leola Elementary Grandparents' Day and Musical
- * *Friday, June 3* – Commissioning, 7:00 pm
- * *Saturday, June 4* – Commencement, 10:00 am

Bus Transportation for Snow Make Up Days in February

On Monday, February 21, most districts will provide bus transportation for the snow make-up day. However, please be aware that there are four school districts that will not be providing transportation on February 21st. The schools that are not providing transportation are Ephrata, Hempfield, Penn Manor, and Warwick. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause. Lampeter-Strasburg will be running their special buses on the 21st.

If you have any questions about your student's busing on these days, please contact your local school district for more information.

Re-enrollment

Don't miss the opportunity to re-enroll your students at the discounted re-enrollment rate. Re-enroll by Monday, February 28, to receive the discounted rate of \$75 per student. Starting March 1, the registration fee will go up to \$100 per student.

If you have not already done so, please return your re-enrollment expectations to the Admissions Office to help us with planning for next year.

If you have any questions about re-enrollment, please contact Tiffany Blitz at 717-556-0711 ext. 224 or tblitz@lccs.cc.

Senior Mission Auction Amendment

In a previous Leaflet it was mentioned that juniors would be able to provide ten items for the senior mission auction. It has been amended that juniors will be able to provide five to seven items for the senior mission auction. We apologize for any confusion.

Golf Tournament

Would you or a business you know be able to be a sponsor at the golf tournament? We have several sponsorship opportunities available. Please visit our website at <http://www.lccs.cc/629217.ihtml> to learn how you can be involved in the tournament as a sponsor. We also invite you to mark your calendars to golf in the event. The golf tournament is Wednesday and Thursday, May 11 and 12.

Open House Reminder

We will have another school wide Open House on Thursday, February 24, from 6:30 – 8:30 pm at both campuses. If you have a student who is moving from the elementary to middle school or from the middle school to high school we encourage you to attend so your children can see their new campus. If you will be switching campuses for any other reason we encourage you to attend, as well.

If you know anyone interested in learning more about LCCS please invite them to come. We will also have an all school Open House on Thursday, March 31, from 6:30 – 8:30 pm.

More information about our Open Houses can be found on our website at <http://www.lccs.cc/481572.ihtml>.

LCCS HS Drama Presents “You Can’t Take it With You”

Don’t miss Lancaster County Christian School’s production of the classic play, “You Can’t Take it With You.” Winner of the Pulitzer prize for comedy, this uproarious story depicts the lives of two very different families and the eventful night that brings them together. Set in 1930’s New York City, this delightful tale is full of quirky and endearing characters, romance, heartfelt moments, and lots of laughs! Come out and see why this American classic has been entertaining audiences for decades!

Show times are Thursday and Friday, March 17 and 18, at 7:00 pm. Dinner Theatre is on Saturday, March 19, at 6:00 pm and show at 7:30. Ticket prices are \$10 for adults and \$8 for students. Tickets for Dinner Theatre are \$20. All performances are at the LCCS Leola Campus Auditorium, 2390 New Holland Pike, Lancaster PA 17601. For ticket information, call 717-556-0711. Dinner Theatre tickets must be pre-purchased by March 10.

Donations Needed for Fine Arts Department

We are in the process of organizing the fine arts room and need the following items to assist us in this process....

- * Shoe Boxes (any size)
- * Storage tubs - Small, Medium and shoe box size

If you have any that you can donate please give them to Mrs. Gill.

High School Yearbook

Don't forget to order your copy of this year's inaugural LCCS high school yearbook and capture the memories of class trips, special events and friendships you will take with you for a lifetime. We have some special events coming up at school where students will have an opportunity to win discounts or even free yearbooks. If you have any questions about ordering a yearbook, please speak with Mr. Berry. Yearbooks may be ordered online at www.jostens.com or by bringing payment to the school. The cost is \$65 plus tax (\$68.90).

Senior Tributes are now being sold. Honor your senior student and share your memories in a special way with some personal words and photos. Use this opportunity to reflect upon their life and encourage him or her into the future. Space is limited and is sold on a first-come-first-served basis. A full page is \$100.00, a half page is \$75, and a quarter page is \$50. The deadline is March 1 for any photos and text for the senior tribute. Payment to reserve your space may be sent in earlier.

Any questions regarding yearbook should be directed to Mr. Berry by phone or by e-mail, mberry@lccs.cc.

Kindergarten Celebrates the Chinese New Year



In kindergarten we celebrated Chinese New Year. The students looked on a globe to see where the country of China is located and how far away from Pennsylvania it is. We listened to the book *The Five Chinese Brothers* by Margaret Mahy. Mrs. Doughty brought in lots of different items she has from China when she visited several years ago. Some of the items we looked at included paintings, bookmarks, coins, pictures, fans, dishes, and even toilet paper! The students enjoyed learning how to use chopsticks while eating rice from bowls made in China. They also enjoyed drinking Chinese tea. Each student received a clementine and a red envelope to take home as part of the celebration. Students made a Happy New Year banner with Chinese characters and learned to wish each other "Gung Hay Fat Choy" (Happy New Year). They also learned to say "Ni Hao" (hello) and

“Ni Haoma” (how are you?) as well as “Xiexie” (thank you). The students also learned to count from one to ten in Chinese. We discussed how many people in China worship other things instead of God. We also learned that there are many Christians living in China and that many of them have to keep it a secret that they worship the living God. Mrs. Doughty shared how she secretly was able to give some people a Bible during her visit. We will be praying for the people of China. It was a very fun day learning about the culture and people of another country!

LCCS Student Places in Region V Band

This past weekend Catie McLain (flute - 9th grade) and Sarah Machowski (clarinet - 10th grade) participated in the District 7 Band Festival at Dallastown High School. The students re-auditioned at the festival and those in grades 10-12 competed for a place in the Region V Band comprised of the highest ranked instrumentalists in 15 counties of Pennsylvania. We are pleased to announce that Sarah Machowski placed in the top five clarinets and was selected to go on to the Regional Festival at North Schuylkill High School! Congratulations, Sarah!