

The LINK

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Lincoln High School Parent Newsletter

Back-to-School Edition



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Dear Parents,

This August newsletter is filled with all of the information you and your student will need to be fully prepared for the start of the 2011-12 school year. Please take the time to read through the information thoroughly so you don't miss out on any opportunities at the beginning of school or get caught by surprise by something that has changed.

Freshman Parent/New Parent Orientation

This is an opportunity for parents of our newest students to meet our administrators and your student's counselor, and to learn about the policies and procedures of LHS.

August 10, 6:30-7:30 pm, End Zone Cafeteria: Parents of 9th graders or new students whose last names begin with A-L.

August 11, 6:30-7:30 pm, End Zone Cafeteria: Parents of 9th graders or new students whose last names begin with M-Z.

If the date outlined above does not work for you, please feel free to come on the alternate date. It is important that you come, more so than the date on which you come.

Aeries Replaces Power School

We will be using a new student information system this year. Like PowerSchool, Aeries will give you access to your student's attendance, personal data, grades and assignments. Your PowerSchool access code will no longer work, but we will be providing you with the information you need to access your student's records shortly after the beginning of the year.

Attendance...we did it again!

Last year's Average Daily Attendance was 95.25%, up from 95.17% the previous year, and once again exceeding our goal of 95%. This is the 3rd year in a row we have exceeded our goal, and we are very happy about that. In this time of economic uncertainty sending your student to school every day is one way you can help us battle our state's budget crisis. More importantly, it is the single most important way of making sure your student gets the very best of the education we are providing. Please help us by scheduling your family trips and vacations during our school holiday and vacation schedule. It will help your student's achievement, and it will help our budget.

Back To School Night

Tuesday, August 30, 6:30-8:30 pm

This evening will be an opportunity for you to meet each of your student's teachers and to learn what they have planned for the year, how to contact them if you have a question and how your student can get additional help if he/she is struggling. Be sure to have your student fill out the flyer in this newsletter, so you will know which classrooms to visit. Please come ready to join PTSA, Athletic and/or Band Boosters.

Dress Code

When shopping for school clothes this summer, please make note of our dress code found on page 16 of this newsletter. Pay particular attention to making sure the length of shorts and skirts for your daughter is mid-thigh and do not fall into the category of "short-shorts." For your son, please buy their pants so they ride on his hips, not on his thighs. Sagging is still not acceptable.

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Discipline Policy and Student Handbook Revisions

Only minor revisions to our discipline policies and student handbook were made this year. These revisions are:

- UC approved honors courses have been included in the Distinguished Senior Scholars criteria
- Students may have no more than 12 single periods of unexcused absences to be eligible for extra-curricular activities
- Language has been added regarding bullying and making threats via social networking, text messages, or any other electronics means to both the definitions of sexual harassment and behaviors which communicate a willingness to fight
- Erasing a student's name on an assignment, replacing it with the student's own name and turning it in as his/her own work as been added to the list of Level 1 offenses in the Academic Integrity policies.

Every student will be provided a copy of the Student Handbook on the second day of school. It will also be available on-line at our website, lincolnhigh.org. Please keep the handbook in a place where you can find it easily and refer to it when necessary. Please look it over, paying special attention to the descriptions of academic recognitions, including the community service award, and academic resources that will be available to your student this year.

ID Badges

Students will be required to wear their ID badge on a daily basis while on campus again this year. If your child arrives at school and realizes he/she has forgotten it, he/she should go immediately to the Student Service Center to purchase a replacement for \$5.00. Loaner IDs will no longer be issued. Students may also purchase a spare ID for \$5.00. Students who go to the Student Service Center proactively to purchase a replacement ID before the 3rd bell of their first class will receive NO consequences. Consequences for students who do not have their ID badges when asked for it will be the same as last year.

Lincoln High School Website

Visit www.lincolnhigh.org daily for information regarding the Daily Bulletin, bell schedules, athletic schedules, school policies, tutoring, locker registration, link to Aeries, the LUSD website, The Lincolnian school newspaper, and more.

LINK Newsletter On-Line at www.lincolnhigh.org

This will be the ONLY edition of our school newsletter that will be mailed to your home this year. If you have no way of accessing the newsletter via our school's website or would simply prefer to receive a hard copy in the mail, please call Vicky Trent at 953-8921 or email her at vtrent@lUSD.net to let her know. We are saving nearly \$1,000.00 per month by posting the newsletter instead of mailing it. Each month when the new edition is ready to be posted, we will send you an automated phone call and email with the Link attached letting you know it is ready for you to access. If you are not already receiving the automated phone calls by email and would like to, please call our Registrar, Debbie Dunne at 953-8915, and ask her to add your email address to your student's record.

Student Schedules and Orientation

Please make sure your student attends Orientation to pick up his/her official schedule, get his/her school photo taken and receives his/her new ID Badge. Again this year, schedule changes will only be made in a very few and exceptional circumstances. Our classes are very tight and some class sizes are very large. In many cases students received their alternate choice for a class because of a scheduling conflict, or because more students registered for the class than we are able to provide spaces. It is a regrettable situation, but it is our reality. I hope you will understand if this affects your student. If your student is unable to attend his/her scheduled date for Orientation, you may pick up the schedule yourself for your student, or your student may pick up his/her schedule on the first day of school before classes begin. Tables will be set up for this purpose outside of the entrance to the M-Z side of the Student Service Center.

Thanks for taking the time to read through this edition of the LINK. If you have questions about something that is not addressed this edition, please do not hesitate to give us a call. I'm looking forward to seeing you and your student soon!

Sincerely,



Debbi Holmerud
Principal

BACK - TO – SCHOOL ORIENTATION

Seniors, Juniors and Sophomores (12th, 11th, & 10th Grades)

LOCATION: Practice Gym

Mark your calendar for “back-to-school” orientation on August 10 and 11, 2011. **School resumes on Wednesday, August 17, 2011.** This is a one-time opportunity to purchase a yearbook and activity pass at a discounted rate. Students will take ID and yearbook photos (dress code enforced), pick up class schedules, locate their classrooms, and register their locker (must have your lock in hand to do so) and see friends before school starts. Orientation is grade specific, see date and times below.

Wednesday, August 10, 2011

Seniors—12th Grade

8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

Juniors—11th Grade

9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.



Thursday, August 11, 2011

Sophomores—10th Grade

8:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Freshmen—9th grade

Link Crew—New Gym

Watch the mail for your personal invitation to confirm these dates/times. Lunch will be available in the End Zone cafeteria for \$2.55.

Last Name A-L

Wednesday, August 10, 2011
8am to 2pm

Last Name M-Z and new students registered after August 2nd.

Thursday, August 11, 2011
8am to 2pm

Freshman Parent/New Parent Orientation

Last names beginning with A-L

August 10, 6:30-7:30pm, End Zone Cafeteria

Last names beginning with M-Z

August 11, 6:30-7:30pm, End Zone Cafeteria

If the date above will not work for you, feel free to come on the alternate day.

Two Packages Available for Purchase

Package A - \$125.00

Yearbook
Activity Sticker
P.E. Clothes (see below)

Package B - \$110.00

Yearbook
Activity Sticker (Discounts on entry fees to dances, sporting events, etc.)

- If you would like to purchase PE clothes without the package the cost is \$15.26 including tax for shorts & shirt.
- Individual prices are: Shorts \$10.90 & shirt \$4.36 including tax.
- These may be purchased at orientation from the Student Store.

Please make checks payable to Lincoln High School.

*****Picture make-ups (no charge) and retakes (\$5.00) will take place on Friday, August 26th.**

This is a one-time opportunity for some great savings! Parent volunteers are needed for all grade levels! Please call Cathy at 953-8934, or email ctirapelle@lusd.net to help with orientation or schedules on the first day of school. Thank you!

NEW 2011-12 Locker Registration Procedures!

See page 8 or visit www.lincolnhigh.org for complete locker registration information.



Locker Policy

Lockers are available for student convenience only. **The student is fully responsible for the contents and security of the locker** and agrees to provide a suitable lock at his/her own expense, including a replacement if it becomes necessary for the school to remove the lock in case of emergency. A student must register the locker with the assistant director of student activities, and the use of an unregistered locker will not be allowed. Misuse or abuse of the locker will result in cancellation of the student's locker privilege. **Lincoln High School is not responsible for personal or school property that is left in lockers. Students will be billed for lost or damaged school property, including textbooks.**

Student Store Located in the Gym

- PE clothes available for purchase

Shirts	\$4.36
Cotton Shorts	\$8.72
Mesh Shorts	\$10.90
- (Sizes S-XL and price includes tax)

We carry school supplies such as:

- Combo locks
- Binders, notebooks, etc.

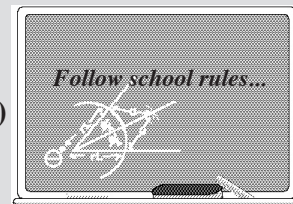
Mark your calendar for Tuesday, August 30, 2011, for the LHS

Back-to-School Night (see page 6)

School Rule Reminders

Parents and Guardians

Please help us by reminding your student(s) of the following school rules:



- No skateboarding on campus.
- Cell phones must be ***turned off*** before first period until the ***end*** of seventh period each day. This applies to all students regardless of schedule.
- Electronic devices are brought to school at your own risk. *(The loss or theft of these devices will **not** be investigated by LUSD security.)*
- Help keep our campus clean.** Please remind your students that they are old enough to pick up after themselves. All of us are needed to help keep our campus from looking like a trash heap.
- Students may park in *student parking* with a valid student parking sticker**, however, may ***not*** park in staff parking (even with a staff parking permit). Forms will be available at orientation and in the Student Service Center.
- Please read the dress code carefully in the student handbook and encourage your student to follow these guidelines (**no tube or tank tops, no bare midriffs, no sagging pants, see page 16 of this newsletter**).

√ no cell phones 7:20am to 3:00pm (this applies to ALL LHS students)

√ no flower or balloon deliveries

√ any student caught smoking on campus will be cited by the Stockton Police

NO TDAP = NO SCHOOL

If you have not yet submitted your **TDAP** immunization you must bring it to the school nurse before going through orientation to get your schedule.

The nurse will be stationed in the lobby of the new gym.

Congratulations Engineering & Construction Academy Students!

1st Place-Outstanding Project and Best of Show

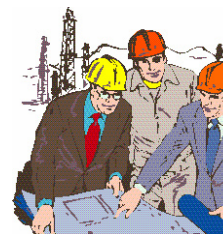
Devin Duaine

1st Place Architectural Model Building

Trevor Enos

1st Place Group Project - Outstanding Group Project

Kristian Wood Zach Hagen
Jeff Caudle Ryan Melville
Houston Womack Nick Cranston
Daniel Austin Drew Bossert



Meningococcal Meningitis

Is your teen at risk?

Adolescence is a time of great expression. But unfortunately, it's also a time when teens and young adults are at increased risk for contracting meningococcal disease (including meningitis), a rare but potentially fatal illness.

Stop by the Student Service Center for a brochure or visit www.fightmeningitis.com for complete information.

Office Depot Joins in the Support of Education

If you shop at Office Depot, you can designate LHS for a 5% return on your purchase for our Student Support Fund! Last year we were able to help many needy students who otherwise would not participate in activities or enjoy the benefits that most students enjoy—especially during their senior year.

Visit www.officedepot.com/school to learn more.

Thank you!

Trojan Floral Shop

Floral Sale Dates

September 10	Grandparents' Day
October 15	Nat'l Bosses' Day
October 22	Homecoming Game
October 29	Halloween
November 19	Thanksgiving
December 16-17	Christmas
February 11	Valentine's Day
April 15	Easter
April 15	Adm Professionals' Day
May 3	Teachers' Day
May 6	Mothers' Day
May 16	Classified Employees Week
May 26	Graduation



If Your Student is Absent from School

Call:
A-L 953-8926 or M-Z 953-8927
Between 4:00pm and 7:30am call 953-8928
You have two school days (48 hours) to clear an all-day absence.

BACK-TO-SCHOOL NIGHT

Tuesday, August 30, 2011

Lincoln High School, Lincoln High School PTSA and LHS Athletic Boosters proudly present the annual Back-to-School Night for parents of our students. The goals for this evening are for you to meet each of your student's teachers and to learn about:

- Our school's policies and programs;
- The expectations each teacher has established for their course of study;
- How you can reach a teacher if you have a question or concern;
- When students can meet with their teachers if they need additional help.

Schedule

6:30-8:30 p.m. Follow your student's schedule and meet the teachers.
(Complete your student's schedule below.)

7:31-7:46 p.m. PTSA will provide refreshments under the gazebo in front of the End Zone. You will have the opportunity to join PTSA and Boosters.

PERIOD	TIME	RM #	CLASS	TEACHER
1	6:30 - 6:40 p.m.			
2	6:47 - 6:57 p.m.			
3	7:04 - 7:14 p.m.			
4	7:21 - 7:31 p.m.			
Break	7:31 - 7:46 p.m.		Please visit the PTSA, Athletics & Music Boosters' tables in the End Zone quad for membership information.	
5	7:46 - 7:56 p.m.			
6	8:03 - 8:13 p.m.			
7	8:20 - 8:30 p.m.			

Parents of new students and freshmen: Please see the "Freshman Parent/New Parent Orientation" section of the principal's letter on the first page of this [LINK](#) for your additional orientation information.



**LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL
PTSA MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION
Parent-Teacher-Student Association**

JOIN IN PERSON AT A PTSA MEETING OR SEND THIS FORM TO THE HIGH SCHOOL.

PARENTS \$10.00 ea. STUDENT \$10.00 ea STAFF \$10.00 ea.

STUDENT – PARENT VOLUNTEER FORM

PARENTS AND STUDENTS, CAN YOU HELP?

- | | |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chaperone dances | <input type="checkbox"/> Help occasionally with special projects |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Help with Reflections Program | <input type="checkbox"/> Orientation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Window on Your Future Program | <input type="checkbox"/> Call me as needed |

What kind of program would you like PTSA to present?

PTSA meetings will be held periodically throughout the year the LHS staff lounge, located on Stanton Way. Watch for dates and details in future LINKs. You are invited to attend! Become a part of your child's education at LHS.

Thank you for your interest and support.

MaryAnn Chapman
PTSA President

NAME _____

PHONE _____ Wk _____

STUDENT'S NAME AND GRADE _____ / _____

Mail this form to:
**PTSA
Lincoln High School
6844 Alexandria Place
Stockton, Ca 95207**

**Yearbook Deadline
Senior Ads Now on Sale!**

Yearbook Senior Ad Purchase Packets will be available during senior orientation on August 10!

Don't miss the opportunity to honor your senior by placing a personal ad in the 2011/2012 yearbook! Ad sizes and pricing will be indicated on the form. Space is limited, so submit your student's package early to ensure placement in this year's book! Additional information and forms are located on the website at www.lincolnhigh.org. Click on the Yearbook link.

The deadline for submission is Wednesday, December 14!

Barbara Seibert, Advisor
(209) 304-3803

**LHS
Site Council Meetings**

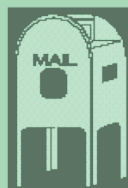
The first Site Council meeting will be held on Monday, September 12, 2011 from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. Thereafter, LHS Site Council meetings will be held on the *first Monday of each month* from 4:30—6:30 p.m. in the Administration Conference room. Parents are encouraged to attend.

Watch for further information in future editions of The LINK.

Report Cards and Progress Reports

First semester ends December 16, 2011
(first quarter ends October 14, 2011)

Second semester runs from January 3—May 31, 2012
(third quarter ends March 9, 2012)



You may expect to receive your student's report card (semester grade) or progress report (quarter grade) by mail 3 to 5 working days after the period ends.

Visit www.lincolnhigh.org for links to the following:

- Course Catalog**
- Daily Bulletins**
- Aeries (new student info system)**
- Calendar of Events**
- Sports Schedules**
- The LINK (no longer mailed)**
- Teachers' Email Addresses**
- Reunion Information**

And much, much more...



2011-2012 LOCKER REGISTRATION PROCESS

August 10 & 11, 2011

During your assigned Orientation day ONLY.

NEW THIS YEAR: *Every locker on campus must be shared by two students.* Students in each grade level may register for a locker from 10am to 1pm during their assigned orientation day/time.

Please Note: *Every day* before, during and after orientation all **NON-REGISTERED** locks will be cut off without warning. Verification of registration requires a ***date and time stamped*** registration form. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**

Locker Registration Procedure

- ◆ Locker registration forms will be available at the locker registration table during orientation.
- ◆ **BRING A FRIEND!** **Both students must present their ID.** **EVERY LOCKER WILL BE SHARED BY TWO STUDENTS!** Students **MUST** present a lock in order to receive a locker registration form—**NO EXCEPTIONS!**
- ◆ Students will be **ASSIGNED** a locker. The locker form will be ***date and time stamped*** and students will receive one copy of the form; the other copy will be filed.
- ◆ Once school resumes empty lockers may be secured with a lock, however, students ***must bring the locker number to the Activities Office before 3:30pm the same school day to complete the form to register the locker.*** **Non-registered locks will be cut off each morning without warning.**



A Warm Welcome to New LHS Staff!

Please see the listing of teachers and administrators, along with their email addresses, in the back of our student handbook.

Stockton Community Supports LHS Students

Many thanks to community members who have designated LHS as the recipient when conducting business with Target. When this money is received it is placed in our Student Support Fund and used to help students in need throughout the school year.

During the 2010-11 school year your contributions purchased bus passes (for students without a ride to school), prom bids, yearbooks, college application fees, school supplies, several Senior Disneyland scholarships, caps and gowns, and lunches.

Staff members who know of a student with specific needs make the referral. All information is kept in the strictest confidence.

The staff and students of LHS are extremely grateful to those of you who have taken the time to make this happen.

Thanks to the LHS Grad Night Committee!

Thank you for your generous contribution to the Student Support Fund!

S.H.A.R.E Cards and Marina Market Coupons

Parents, please continue to use your S.H.A.R.E. Cards and Marina Market Coupons! A percentage of your purchases will support the Grad Night event for the class of 2012!

Board of Trustees Meetings 7:30 p.m.

September 14	EC	February 22	CL
September 28	DR	March 7	EC
October 12	EC	March 21	LE
October 26	SM	April 18	BS
November 16	TK	May 9	MB
December 14	EC	May 16	LH
January 11	JW	May 23	LH
February 8	EC	June 13	EC

Lincoln Unified educates all students to achieve their maximum potential and to prepare them to be responsible citizens...



California Scholarship Federation (CSF) Sign-ups Begin August 18, 2011

CSF is a statewide organization to honor outstanding high school students. Applications for semester membership are taken each semester after report cards have been received. Enrollment based on last semester grades will begin on Thursday, August 18 and end on Friday, September 2. Due to a change in the CSF by-laws, late applications can no longer be accepted. To be eligible for membership a student must earn at least 10 points based on the previous semesters grades, and not have any grades lower than a C. A student earns 3 CSF points for an A and 1 CSF point for a B. One additional point shall be granted for a grade of A or B in an AP or Honors course, up to a maximum of two such points per semester. A grade of C does not earn any CSF points and a D or F disqualifies the student from membership for the semester. Of the required 10 CSF points, 7 points must be earned in courses from LISTS I and II, while the remaining 3 points may be earned in courses from any LIST (I, II, or III). Of the 7 points required from LIST I/II courses, at least 4 points must be earned in LIST I courses alone. The exception to this is for seniors applying at the start of their second semester or at graduation, and they may use three courses from LIST II and none from LIST I. A student is limited to a maximum of 5 courses for the computation of CSF eligibility. Students must reapply for membership each semester. To apply for membership, the student needs to bring his/her semester report card and \$5 to Ms. Landucci in room 1510. See Ms. Landucci for a copy of List I, II and III.

Students who are members of CSF for at least 4 out of their last 6 semesters (one of those semester memberships must be earned with senior grades) meet the requirements for Life Membership. The benefits of life membership are the following: receiving the official CSF life membership pin, the Federation chapter seal on their diploma and indication on permanent academic records and transcripts, the Federation chapter seal on the life membership certificate, and a gold tassel and stole to be worn at the graduation ceremony. If you have any questions or would like further information, please contact Ms. Landucci at 953-8508 or e-mail at slanducci@lUSD.net.

Students who drive a vehicle to school... are *solely responsible* for control of the vehicle and its contents whether the vehicle belongs to the student or is borrowed.



Play it Safe!

Parents, please remember...



- Always prearrange a **time** and **location** to pick up your student from extra-curricular events at LHS.
- Pick up your student **within 30 minutes** after the end of an event.
- All dances, including Prom and Winter Formal, are over at 12 midnight.
- All evening athletic events are over before 9:30 p.m.

Student Handbooks

Parents, please be sure to **review the LHS Student Handbook** with your student. You will find an abundance of important and useful information, along with school rules, to which your student will be expected to adhere.

Handbooks will be distributed on the second day of school.

A Drug Free Zone

WHAT YOUR COUNSELORS WANT YOU TO KNOW...

Schedule Change Policy

Students are expected to stay in the courses they requested. Since the Master Schedule is determined by students' choices, we are not able to change students' schedules. However, if your student is misplaced (in the wrong class, or a class in which he/she does not qualify), your student may go to the Administration Office and request a Schedule Adjustment Form. This form must be filled out and turned back to the Administration Office in the first 5 days of the school year. There is no guarantee a schedule change request will be granted, and students must attend their current classes unless given a change of schedule.

Freshmen, especially, may need parental help managing high school.

- Teens need 8 – 9 hours of sleep each night. Sleep deprivation will negatively affect memory and processing.
- High school students need a systematic way to keep track of assignments (use an assignment book or a special notebook or binder just for assignments).
- They should write down something for every class. If there is no homework in a class, write “no homework” for that class in the assignment book.
- Have a separate folder or section of a binder for each class.
- Students should get phone numbers of classmates in case there are questions about assignments.
- After-school tutoring is available if students need help, and some teachers are available in their classrooms at lunchtime. (Tutoring schedules will be announced soon).
- Students should schedule a specific study time (not right before bed time).
- Homework should not be completed while watching TV!
- Help your student to organize schoolwork for the next day before going to bed.

Students should have some homework every day. If you notice that your child does not have homework on a regular basis, start asking questions! (No, they are not able to “get it done in class” – a common student explanation). Consult Aeries or email your student's teachers if you have questions about homework.

Sophomores and Juniors

Students' “College GPA” starts sophomore year. If your student is planning to attend a 4-year college or university immediately after high school, grades are very important.

Grades are also important for juniors. They will be sending out college applications in the fall of senior year. The last grades college admissions officers will see at the time they review the applications are junior grades.

Seniors

Counselors will visit senior classes in October. They will distribute transcripts and discuss graduation and the college application process.

Students who plan to attend a 4-year college or university: The application period for CSU is October 1 – November 30. The application period for UC is November 1 – 30. Applications to CSU and UC are completed online. Contact private colleges for applications (many are also done online). Letters of recommendation are necessary only for private colleges and universities. Seniors should contact counselors and teachers early to request letters (by early November). We ask that seniors provide addressed and stamped envelopes for anything that counselors and teachers need to mail out (recommendations, reports, etc.) Keeping a special college calendar, with deadlines highlighted, is helpful.

Students planning to attend a community college: Registration is usually completed in late spring (April). Seniors register at Delta online – go to www.deltacollege.edu. Counselors will be meeting with seniors who are not on target to graduate, and parents will receive an official letter if their student is too credit deficient to graduate in June. There are very limited opportunities to make up previously failed classes. It is critical that seniors monitor their grades so they do not become deficient by failing first semester grades!



**Fall - Winter - Spring
Sports Physicals**

Physicals for *all* athletes (fall, winter and spring) were administered in May and will not be offered again until May, 2012. Every athlete must turn in a completed athletic packet before being allowed to practice. **Athletic packets may be picked up in the LHS Athletic Office or the Administration Office.** The physician's section of the packet must be completed even if using a private physician; (private physician's notes cannot be accepted).

Physicals are offered for \$20 at the Spinal Care Center

209-474-3764

The first day for fall practices will be Monday, August 8th.

Visit www.lhstrojans.com for LHS football schedule and more!
Visit www.highschoolsports.net for all area sports schedules!

Girls' Golf

Any girl interested in playing on the girls' golf team this fall should call Matt Teeters, coach, at 209-817-2344 or email mteeters@lUSD.net for information. If you have no experience with golf you are encouraged to take a lesson or two prior to the start of practice.

The official practice date is August 8, 2011 at Swenson Park at 9:00 a.m. *Please bring your completed athletic packet or eligibility card.*



Call coach Matt Teeters, 209-817-2344, or email mteeters@lUSD.net for more information.

Don't forget these important dates!

- August 17 First day of school
- August 30 Back-to-School Night
- September 5 Labor Day (no school)
- November 11 Veterans' Day (no school)
- November 21-25 Thanksgiving Holiday (no school)
- December 19- 1/2 Winter Break (no school)
- January 16 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (no school)
- February 13 Lincoln's Day (no school)
- February 20 Presidents' Day (no school)
- April 2-9 Spring Break (no school)
- April 10, 12, 16, 18, 19 STAR Testing
- May 31 Graduation @ 7pm, LHS Stadium

Senior Yearbook Photos!

All senior yearbook photos will be taken at Fritz Chin Studio. *Male students must wear a shirt and tie.*

Picture packages will be mailed to the student's home approximately three weeks after the photo session. *Call Fritz Chin Studio for more information.*

**Homecoming Court
Applications**
are due in the Activities Office
*no later than Thursday,
September 1, 2011 by 12 Noon.*

NO EXCEPTIONS!

SAT Test Prep

SAT Diagnos- tic : Practice Test 1	8/27	10am	2:30pm
Classroom Session 1	8/31	3:30pm	6:30pm
Classroom Session 2	9/7	3:30pm	6:30pm
Practice Test 2	9/10	10am	2:00pm
Classroom Session 3	9/114	3:30pm	6:30pm
Classroom Session 4	9/21	3:30pm	6:30pm
Practice Test 3	9/24	10am	2:00pm
Classroom Session 5	9/28	3:30pm	6:30pm
Practice Test 4	10/1	10am	2:00pm
Classroom Session 6	10/5	3:30pm	6:30pm

**Valuable Tips
for Parents**

- If you plan to visit your student's classes please make *prior arrangements* with your student's alpha assistant principal.
- If you need to transport your student to and/or from an athletic or after-school event, please come to the administration or athletic office *at least one day prior to the event* to sign a transportation waiver.
- Please call the Student Service Center *only in the case of an emergency* to get a message to your student.
- If your student is absent, please report the absence *within 48 hours* after his/her return to school. **Call 953-8928 to leave a message after school hours.**

California High School Exit Examination

Notice to Parents and Guardians

All students are now required to pass the California High School Exit Examination (CAHSEE) in order to receive a high school diploma. This graduation requirement is mandated by state law. Students take the CAHSEE for the first time in the spring of tenth grade.

Purpose of the CAHSEE

The purpose of the CAHSEE is to help improve student achievement and ensure that students who graduate from high school can demonstrate competency in the state content standards for reading, writing, and mathematics. The exam is divided into two parts:

(1) English-language arts (reading and writing) and (2) mathematics.

Requirements for Passing the CAHSEE

Students must earn a score of 350 or higher on each part of the CAHSEE (mathematics and English-language arts) in order to pass the exam.

Graduation Requirements

In addition to all Lincoln Unified graduation requirements, students must pass both parts of the CAHSEE to receive their high school diploma.

Testing Dates

The CAHSEE will be given at your school site during regular school hours on the dates specified in the table below. Students who do not pass the exam in tenth grade will have five additional opportunities in grades 11 and 12 to retake the part(s) not passed. Students will receive additional instruction, if needed, to ensure success on this exam.

Lincoln Unified CAHSEE Testing Dates 2011-12		
	English-Language Arts	Mathematics
Class 2012	October 4, 2011	October 5, 2011
	February 7, 2012	February 8, 2012
	May 8, 2012	May 9, 2012
Class 2013	October 4, 2011	October 5, 2011
	February 7, 2012	February 8, 2012
Class 2014	February 7, 2012	February 8, 2012
(Make-ups only)	May 8, 2012	May 9, 2012

For More Information

For the latest information regarding the CAHSEE, you can visit the California Department of Education's CAHSEE website at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/hs/index.asp>. If you have any questions about the CAHSEE, please talk to your counselor when school resumes.

**LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL
2011-2012 Student Council**

Mardie Agnew..... ASB President
 Dunia Mardini..... ASB Vice President
 Yen Tran..... ASB Secretary
 Isabella Rosania..... ASB Treasurer
 Lameace Dredar..... ASB Publicity
 Lanzo Small..... Commissioner of Assemblies
 Neco Johnson..... Commissioner of Rallies
 Courtney Seawell &
 Emily Ornellas..... Staff/Student Recognition
 Sabrynah Nguyen..... PTSA Representative
 Stephanie Santiago..... Multicultural Representative
 Yoo Kim..... Multicultural Representative
 Chris Kim..... DJ
 Mardie Agnew..... LUSD Student Trustee
 Camira Williams-Liggins..... Historian/Technology

James Connelly..... Sr. Class President
 Maile Britton..... Sr. Class VP/Treasurer
 Jessica Nichols..... Sr. Class Secretary
 Meghan Harper..... Sr. Class Publicity

Maddie Boucher..... Jr. Class President
 Marlena Hudson..... Jr. Class VP/Treasurer
 Vacant..... Jr. Class Secretary
 Vandrea Foronda..... Jr. Class Publicity

Nasser Saleh..... Soph. Class President
 Dylan Gadeke..... Soph. Class VP/Treasurer
 Allison Dial..... Soph. Class Secretary
 Nikki Drake..... Soph. Class Publicity

Sara Bryson..... Fresh. Class Representative
 Julian Gotamco..... Fresh. Class Representative
 Kristen Mendoza..... Fresh. Class Representative
 Amanda Parker..... Fresh. Class Representative

Stephanie Clendenin..... Activities Director
 Jayne Chiccone..... Assistant Act. Dir.

Student Council Dance Policy

This student council Dance Policy consists of a compilation of specified inappropriate and appropriate dance guidelines for the students of Lincoln High School. They are as follows:

Unacceptable Dancing:

- If students are able to touch their ankles
- Suggestive positions on the ground
- Bumping and grinding



Acceptable Dancing:

- Students can dance close as long as they do not conduct themselves in a sexual manner.
- A male student can dance behind a female student as long as his or her hands are not placed in personal and private areas.

If a student is caught dancing in an inappropriate way, as outlined above, he or she will be warned up to 3 times. After the third warning, the student will be ushered from the dance floor and asked to leave. If the student refuses to leave or creates more problems, his/her parents will be notified. **The entrance fee to the dance will NOT be refunded!**

PSAT/NMSQT Wednesday, October 12, 2011—7:30am

The PSAT/NMSQT is the preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test co-sponsored by the College Board and National Merit Scholarship Corporation. Students automatically enter the NMSQT competition when they take the exam during their junior year. Students will receive a detailed score report in January. The score report will give students the correct answers for the questions they answered incorrectly. The score report is very helpful to students who later take the SAT 1.

Sophomores and Juniors wishing to take the PSAT/NMSQT need to register for the exam on Wednesday, Sept. 14, Tuesday, Sept. 20. or Wednesday, Sept. 21, during lunch or after school in front of the Student Service Center M-Z side. Space is limited so register early!

The test will be given at Lincoln High School on Wednesday, October 12, 2011 at 7:30 a.m. The exam fee is \$15.00. Students may contact Carol Della Maggiora in the Student Service Center for more information.

Lincoln Unified School District 2011-12 School Calendar

August 2011						
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
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September 2011						
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October 2011						
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November 2011						
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December 2011						
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August 2011

- 10-12 Reporting days for new teachers
- 15 All-Staff Kick-Off; reporting day for credentialed staff
- 17 **FIRST DAY of SCHOOL**

September 2011

- 5 Labor Day

October 2011

November 2011

- 11 Veterans' Day
- 21-25 Thanksgiving Break

December 2011

- 19-30 Winter Break

January 2012

- 2 Winter Break
- 16 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

February 2012

- 13 Lincoln's Day
- 20 Presidents' Day

March 2012

April 2012

- 2-9 Spring Break

May 2012

- 28 Memorial Day
- 31 **LAST DAY OF SCHOOL**

June 2012

- 1 Last day for teachers

January 2012						
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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February 2012						
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March 2012						
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April 2012						
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29	30					

May 2012						
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27	28	29	30	31		

June 2012						
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S
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Adopted by Board, 2/23/2011

LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL DRESS CODE



No see-through
or fish net tops



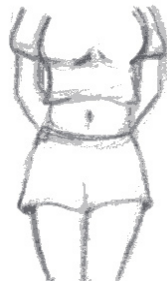
No halter tops



No off-the-shoulder tops



No spaghetti straps



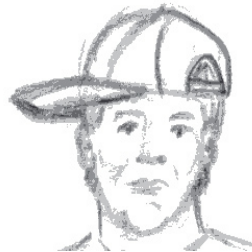
No short skirts
or shorts



No short shirts
or bare midriffs



No wearing of
one sleeve



No wearing hats
to the side



No bandanas, do-rags,
wave caps or hair nets



No sagging



No muscle shirts



No profanity/vulgarity,
discriminatory words/pictures,
or references to drugs/alcohol

•••For Your Refrigerator•••

PHONE NUMBERS YOU MAY NEED (or use email, <first initial, last name> i.e., tsmith@lUSD.net)

Please use the following numbers to contact teachers at Lincoln High School.

ADMINISTRATION

953-8921	Debbi Holmerud	Principal
953-8921	Vicky Trent	Office Supervisor
953-8924	Josef Schallberger	Athletic Director
953-8916	Maria Costa	Staff Secty/Computer Support
953-8920	Linda Chadwick	Acct Clerk/Staff Secty
953-8915	Debra Dunne	Registrar

INDEPENDENT LEARNING CENTER

953-8774	Julian Girourd	Teacher
953-8432	Donna Kosich	ILC Clerk Typist

STUDENT SERVICE CENTER

A-E

953-8933	Kelly Flanagan	Asst. Principal
	Randee Quilantang	Staff Secretary

F-L

953-8932	Joseph Hancock	Vice Principal
	Suzanne Krenecki	Staff Secretary

M-R

953-8934	Scott Denero	Asst. Principal
	Cathy Tirapelle	Staff Secretary

S-Z

953-8935	Katherine Bender	Asst. Principal
	Carol Della Maggiora	Staff Secretary

COUNSELORS

<i>A-Cas</i>	Sabrina Eshaghi	Counselor
<i>Cat-Gal</i>	Carrie Hake	Counselor
<i>Gam-Joh</i>	Kelly Jensen	Counselor
<i>Joi-Mik</i>	Iris Bouchard	Counselor
<i>Mil-Ral</i>	Jane Burhoe	Counselor
<i>Ram-Ste</i>	Teresa Garcia	Counselor
<i>Stf-Z</i>	Vanessa Shuping	Counselor

ACADEMIC SUCCESS CENTER 953-8935

Lanisha Redic	Counselor
Jamie Ward	Teacher
Jon Gillig	Teacher
Tony White	Outreach Worker

ATTENDANCE OFFICE

953-8926—A-L 953-8927—M-Z

A-Z 953-8928 (After hours Attendance message phone)

MULTILINGUAL CENTER

953-8942	Diane Fuhrman	Outreach
953-8947	Antonia Rosas	Outreach

DEPARTMENTS

953-8931	Activities Office
953-8924	Athletics Office (www.highschoolsports.net)
953-8940	Child Care
953-8955	Drafting
953-8949	Educational Planning Center
953-8432	Independent Learning Center
953-8948	Journalism (Newspaper)
953-8984	Library
953-8983	Library Media Center
953-8942	Multilingual Center
953-8919	Music
953-8970	Physical Ed - Women
953-8971	Physical Ed - Men
953-8915	Registrar (Records/Transcripts)
953-8978	ROP Retail Sales
953-8954	ROTC
953-8939	SDFS (Safe & Drug Free Schools)
953-9613	Small Business Management
953-8988	Speech Therapist
953-8961	Strategies Dept.
953-3301	Student Store
953-8973	Swimming Pool
953-8957	Theater Box Office
953-9595	Trojan Floral Shop
953-8956	Wood Lab
953-9513	Yearbook (12:05—1:00pm)
952-4646	FAX Administration
953-8929	FAX Student Service Center
476-0235	FAX Athletic Office



You may leave a message for any teacher by calling **953-8508**. Please leave a **brief, non-confidential** message, as student assistants will be logging all calls.

Email any LHS staff member by using their first initial, last name @ lUSD.net; i.e., dhollerud@lUSD.net

Visit www.lincolnhigh.org to read the daily bulletin, and much more! Here you will find links to the following:

Sports Schedules School calendar events

The LINK (parent newsletter - no longer mailed home)

Grades/attendance (Aeries) Course Catalog