



L'Anse Creuse Public Schools

LANCER COUNTRY NEWS

L'Anse Creuse High School

Home of the Lancers

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GENERAL INFORMATION:

On-Going Announcements For LCHS

Access the [On-Going LCHS Announcements](#) to view information for:

- Official Social Media Sites
- Students Not Feeling Well/Attendance
- Student ID's Required
- Student Drop-Off/Pick-Up Procedure
- Visitors To The Building Policy
- Lancer Locker Room (School Store)
- Parent Portal Support
- Class Band Apps

Student ID's

PARENTS, PLEASE REMIND YOUR STUDENT THAT every student **MUST**:

- Have their Student ID on them and visible when entering the school building (this includes students that travel back/forth to Pankow for classes).
- Have their Student ID on them throughout the day in the building.
- Have their Student ID on them for after school meetings, activities, games, dances, etc.
- Paper ID's, pictures on a phone and previous years ID's will not be accepted
- Students that have misplaced their ID can see Mrs. DuChene in the Counseling Office for a replacement

NHS Soles4Souls Shoe Drive

NHS has partnered with Soles4Souls – students can donate new or gently used shoes and drop them off in the LCHS Commons during lunch from **October 16-23**. Students can earn Community Service hours for their donations. Access the [Shoe Drive Flyer](#) for more information.

Half Day Of School-End Of Q1

There is a half day of school on **Friday, October 24th** and it's the end of the Q1 Marking Period! School will be dismissed at 10:30am. As a reminder, if your student does not ride the bus home, please make sure a ride is secured for them as the building will be closed after 10:30am.

Movie Night Under The Stars-THIS WEEKEND!

The LCHS Ren Crew is sponsoring Movie Night Under The Stars on **Saturday, October 18th** on the LCHS Football Field featuring the movie "Goosebumps". Tickets are \$5 – kids under 6 years of age are free. Access the [Movie Night Flyer](#) for more information!

Student Device Insurance-DEADLINE SUNDAY!

Another reminder! Don't forget to purchase Student Device Insurance for your student's chromebook! Insurance that was purchased for school year 24-25 has expired. The deadline to purchase insurance for school year 25-26 for your student's device is **Sunday, October 19th**. Logon to [Smart Tech](#) or call (877) 307-6777 to purchase your insurance today! For general questions regarding your student's device, please contact Ms. Budzynowski at (586) 783-6550 ext 1010 [Student Device Insurance Form](#)

ASVAB Testing

Is your student considering the military post high school? The ASVAB Testing will take place on **Tuesday, December 2nd** at Pankow. Students will arrive to school and board the Pankow shuttle bus first thing in the morning. The shuttle bus leaves promptly at 7:04am. The test is self-paced so students can take all the time they need to complete it. Registration is required – please access the [ASVAB Flyer](#) to register and for more information.

L'Anse Creuse Is Hiring!

L'Anse Creuse Public Schools is hiring! Several positions are available – access the [LCPS Job Opportunities Flyer](#) for more information and how to apply today!

Staff Parking Lot

As a reminder, the **BACK PARKING LOT** (along the baseball & football fields) is **CLOSED TO ALL TRAFFIC** until further notice. Only authorized personal are allowed in the back lot. We appreciate your cooperation.

25-26 Parking Permits

If your student drives a vehicle to school, a 25-26 Parking Permit is required. Parking Permits are \$40.00 & 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.

1. Login to SchoolPay to pay for your parking permit
2. Access the [25-26 Parking Permit Form](#), 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.
3. When all of the required information has been submitted, students can pick up their parking permit sticker in the Main Office with Mrs. Lazaris.
4. If you have any questions, please email [Mrs. Lazaris](#) in the Main Office.

2025-26 Esuerc Yearbook

Don't miss out on reserving a copy of the 25-26 Esuerc Yearbook for your student! Place your order online through [Jostens](#). The yearbook is currently \$90. Order yours soon...prices will increase throughout the year.

Courtesy Driving School

Looking to register your student into driving school? Consider Courtesy Driving School to register your student online today! [Courtesy Driving School Flyer](#)

Previous Lancer Country News School Messengers

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

CLUBS/ATHLETICS:

Homework Club-Sponsored By NHS

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.

NAHS Meeting

There is an NAHS Meeting on **Monday, October 20th** for all members at 2:30pm in room 134.

NHS EBoard Meeting

There is an NHS EBoard Meeting on **Wednesday, October 22nd** at 1:30pm in room 238.

Diversity Club Meeting

There is a Diversity Club Meeting on **Thursday, October 23rd** for all members at 2:30pm in room 102.

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, 2025 from this point on in order to participate in sports for the School Year 25-26.**

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.

HOME Game Admission Policies

- All students (of any age) MUST have their ID to enter Athletic events.
- Children under high school age (middle school & younger) WILL NOT be permitted into events unless accompanied by an adult. The adult is expected to stay for the entire event with the student. Children under high school age will not be granted admission into any game with a high school student.
- Admission cost: \$5.00 – we accept cash and credit card (a small fee does apply to all credit card transactions).
- All students are expected to follow the guidelines outlined in the LCPS Student Code of Conduct.

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.

LCHS Athletic Event Parking

Please review the [Athletic Event Parking map](#) when attending a game at LCHS.

LCU Hockey Winter Tryouts

The LCU Hockey Winter Tryouts begin on **Monday, October 27th** at Mt. Clemens Ice Arena. Access the [LCU Hockey Flyer](#) for a full schedule and more information.

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

New Requirements-Community Service

Effective August 2025, students will be limited in the number of donation hours they may count toward the Community Service graduation requirement. Students may donate a maximum of 10 donation hours (limit of 5 hours per donation) toward the required 40 hours. The remaining hours must be completed through active participation in community, school, church, or non-profit organizations. Please note that all donation hours submitted prior to this change will remain documented and will still count toward graduation requirements. Thank you for your support as we continue to encourage meaningful service experiences for our students. If you have any questions, please email [Mrs. Rickel](#), LCHS Community Service Coordinator.

Community Service Opportunities

For the latest Community Service Opportunities, access the [Community Service Opportunity List-October](#). 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

All students are required to complete a minimum of 40 hours of Community Service before graduation. **These hours are a graduation requirement.** We highly recommend students complete their 40 hours **BEFORE** their Senior year. **Students that do not submit their served hours before the end of their senior year are subject to a diploma hold and will not be permitted to participate in the graduation ceremony.**

Class of 2026 Community Service Deadlines:

- **100 Hours must be turned in by FEBRUARY 27, 2026** to receive the Presidential Award
- **80 Hours must be turned in by MARCH 25, 2026** to receive Honor Cord
- **40 Hours must be turned in by APRIL 24, 2026** to receive Diploma

CLASS OF 2026:

Class of 2026 Questions

If you have any questions regarding anything "Senior Year", please reference the [Contact List For Senior Questions](#) sheet. This will help get you in touch with the correct person to get your questions answered in a timely manner.

FAFSA-Financial Aid For College

FAFSA is now open! Every senior should complete the FAFSA in order to access Financial Aid for College. For more information, you can sign up for a virtual presentation here:

<https://www.michigan.gov/mistudentaid/students-families/virtual-financial-aid-presentations>

Senior Dues

As a reminder, if your student plans on attending prom and end of the year senior events, they must pay their Senior Dues, \$60.00. Senior Dues can be paid online thru SchoolPay or to the senior class sponsors, Mrs. Benavides (Room 212) or Mrs. Sonnenfeld (Room 213).

Senior Headshot Pictures

We are pleased to announce that L'Anse Creuse High School has partnered with Kaiser Studio to photograph the Class of 2026's yearbook photo! Headshot photos taken by Kaiser Studio are the only photos that will be featured in the yearbook and senior composite photo. **Headshots taken by another photographer WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

Senior headshots will be taken during the school day on **Thursday, November 6th (last names A-K) & Friday, November 7th (last names L-Z)** from 7:30am-2:20pm. This is **FREE** to all Seniors that are photographed on 11/6 & 11/7. Seniors that are not photographed during these 2 days will need to contact Kaiser Studio at (248) 619-9119 to schedule an appointment to be photographed in their studio...NOTE: a \$30.00 sitting fee will apply to these appointments and must be paid at the time of booking the appointment. The deadline to have your photo taken at Kaiser is **December 29th**. Please access the list for [Appropriate/Suggested Attire](#) for your senior's picture.

Cap/Gown Orders

If you missed Jostens Senior Week and didn't order your student's cap/gown set, announcements, class rings, etc., there is still time to order! Place your order at www.migrads.com.

Senior Baby Pictures Needed For The Yearbook

For the past few years, our yearbook team has featured the baby pictures of graduating classes. The tradition lives on! Access the Senior Baby Pictures For Yearbook link (see below) to upload your baby picture for inclusion in the 2026 yearbook. Note: This is only for yearbook. You may receive other requests relating to baby pictures for other celebrations of your senior. You must use the link to the form below for your picture to be included in the yearbook. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to Mr. Karl via email at karlbe@lc-ps.org.

- Please upload original quality images only to <https://forms.gle/43VMTdfbwgtqUz6k9>
- Screenshots, Instagram downloads, and the like are typically of too low resolution for use in printing.
- Every effort will be made to include one submitted photo per senior, however the yearbook staff, in its sole discretion, may deem images inappropriate or of insufficient resolution for printing. In that case, we will attempt to follow-up via the provided email address.
- **Deadline: Jan 6, 2026**
- Max uploads: 3

Senior Yearbook Ad

CALLING ALL PROUD PARENTS...surprise your Class of 2026 Grad with a yearbook ad to celebrate your student's journey through the years. [Create and purchase your ad online](#) no later than **Thursday, February 12, 2026**.

Senior Prom

The date has been set! Senior Prom will take place on **Thursday, May 21st** from 6pm-10pm at the Italian Cultural Center in Clinton Township. More details to come later in the school year...stay tuned!

Graduation

We are pleased to announce that Graduation for the Class of 2026 will be held at Jimmy John's Field on **Tuesday, May 26, 2026**. Additional details will be provided at a later date. If you have any questions regarding graduation, please email [Mrs. Kopczyk](#).

SCHOLARSHIPS:

Distinguished Young Woman Scholarship For Seniors

The Distinguished Young Women of Michigan's scholarship program is now accepting applications for this year's upcoming scholarship program. State participants must be a high school senior young woman graduating in the spring of 2026. This is a transformative program which includes workshops on various life skills which will benefit these young women as they move forward in their college years and careers. This program is the longest running scholarships program for high school senior girls in the country! The scholarship deadline is **December 1, 2025**. [DYW Flyer](#)

More Scholarship Opportunities

Students are encouraged to visit our website for [Scholarship Opportunities](#). 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:

- **Oct 24** – Half Day School, Dismissal 10:30am
- **Oct 27** – Board of Education Meeting, 6:30pm
- **Oct 31** – Happy Halloween!
- **Nov 1** – Marching Lancer State Finals, Ford Field
- **Nov 4** – School Closed, Election Day
- **Nov 6-7** – Senior Headshot Pictures
- **Nov 10** – Board of Education Meeting, 6:30pm
- **Nov 24** – Board of Education Meeting, 6:30pm
- **Nov 26-28** – School Closed, Thanksgiving Break

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: [Unsubscribe](#) 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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