The Tiger's Stripes

November 2018

EARLY DISMISSAL

NOVEMBER 5, 2018

11:00 am

NO SCHOOL

NOVEMBER 12, 2018

VETERANS DAY

NO SCHOOL

PK-6

NOVEMBER 13, 2018

NO SCHOOL

NOVEMBER 21st-23rd

THANKSGING RECESS

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A Message from Dr. Slack

In school, the month of October provides many reminders of the value of safe, healthy lifestyle choices. At Lyndonville, we have celebrated Red Ribbon Week to demonstrate our awareness of the importance of being drug-free. Now more than ever, as our state and nation battle a growing opioid crisis, prevention is a mission upon which we must all embark. I am proud that our school has formed a strong partnership with GCASA and our prevention educator, Mrs. Diana Fulcomer. Mrs. Fulcomer is working with our students in a variety of settings in and outside of the classroom, helping to equip them with the skills and knowledge needed to make healthy choices.

An emerging issue with today's adolescents is the use of vaping or e-cig devices. Their use has rapidly expanded among youth across the nation. There are many potential hazards and risks associated with these devices, some which have not been fully researched. The greatest risks posed include their potential to create addiction to nicotine. Additionally, some of the devices have been found to be used for the delivery of even more dangerous substances. I urge you to talk

with your child about vaping. Often, the devices themselves appear innocuous and are not easily identified, appearing similar to a USB drive or other common object. They are easily accessible often come in candy or fruit flavors, increasing their appeal to young people.

As we continue to work together to keep our students safe, I would like to take this opportunity to encourage every student to get involved here at school. Interscholastic sports and clubs are an outstanding opportunity for students to connect with their peers and teachers. Last year, over 75% of our students participated in at least one sport or extracurricular function. We know that those students also demonstrated improved attendance, behavior, and academic performance. For more information on our athletic teams and clubs, please feel free to contact us or check out our website at this page: http:// www.lyndonvillecsd.org/ students.cfm? subpage=1318002

Happy Thanksgiving

Finally, as we prepare for the first report card of the year, I would encourage all students and parents to regularly utilize the eSchooldata parent/student portal. This tool gives real time access to all student grades. I encourage any student who is failing or experiencing difficulty to take the time to meet with their teachers after school. Any student failing a course, who has a study hall (known by us as a "WICOR Workshop"), is required to be in the Academic Center during that time. Any student with two course failures needs to stay after school until 3:15 until the failing grade is raised to passing. Any student with three or more course failures should attend Twilight School (2:40-4:30) until credit/learning is recovered. We are proud of the many supports we have made available to students. When they are utilized, they have proven effective. I invite you to support the work of monitoring students' progress and helping us to link them to the necessary supports when appropriate. Thank you again, in fact, for all of your support. Please feel free to contact me at any time with questions or concerns.

News from Mr. Kingsbury

FAFSA

The FAFSA is an application that must be completed and filed on or after October 1st in order to be eligible for financial aid (including student loans). It is important to understand that most students are eligible to receive some type of financial aid, but only if the FAFSA is completed and submitted. It is in your best interest to fill out the FAFSA as close to October 1st as possible. Applying online with the help of the FAFSA on the Web Worksheet at www.fafsa.ed.gov is the fastest and easiest way to complete this task. The FAFSA on the Web Worksheet is available at the Help tab of the above website! Otherwise, you will need to download and complete a paper FAFSA application. There are paper FAFSA applications available upon request. If you have questions concerning financial aid or the FAFSA please do not hesitate to contact the financial aid office of the college that your child

plans to attend. If you would like my assistance with completing the FAFSA, please contact me at the number below to schedule an appointment.

<u>College Applications</u> – It is important to know that college application deadlines vary for each school. Seniors should be working either independently or with my help to complete their applications including a safety school. The preferred date for most college applications to be submitted is by November 30th. The Counseling Center will need to make copies of the applications and attach transcripts and recommendations in order to send them to the college of choice. Remember, most applications require the counselor's signature. If you need assistance, please stop in or make an appointment. We are here to help. When you receive your college acceptance letter, please bring it to the Counseling Center in order to

win awesome college themed prizes!!

Scholarships – Students have access to a filing cabinet in the Counseling Center that contains all of the current available scholarships and due dates. Additional scholarship sites and information are available at www.lyndonvillecsd.org located on the scholarship tab of the Counseling and Career Center section of the website. Mrs. Bow does a great job updating this information regularly so check it out! Please remember that it is the students' responsibility to pay attention to selection criteria and deadline dates. It is important to continue to encourage your child to check the Counseling Center for scholarships that they may be eligible to receive.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to call 765-3157.

the foundation
upon which we
build our future"
....Christine
Gregoire

"Education is







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EARLY RELEASE DAY

All students will be released early on

NOVEMBER 5th at 11:00 am

Your student may purchase and eat lunch prior to going home (regular, free and reduced lunch prices will apply).

They will be eating lunch from 10:15-10:45.

If you would like your child to have lunch prior to going home on November 5th, please complete the bottom portion of this form and return it to Mrs. Barone in the Main Office no later than November 2nd. Please call 765-3162 or 765-3122 with any questions.

| Student Name: | |
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| Parent/Guardian: | |

Please return to Main Office by Thursday, November 2nd.







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Quick Reminders

Jr. Class Community Event Fundraiser

Thursday, November 1st @ 7 p.m. in the Varsity Gymnasium

Come out and watch some of the LCS Staff take on members of Law Enforcement in a friendly game of Volleyball!



Child ID cards, concessions & other fun things will be available

\$3 admission for everyone—all proceeds will go towards Jr. Prom 2019

The fitness room is now open.

Monday - Thursday

5:00 pm - 7:30 pm.

Membership is only

\$15/month for single &

\$25/month for family/household

10 visits/\$20

Stop in and check us out!



Will your student be participating in winter sports?

Don't forget you can register online by going to:

www.familyid.com/lyndonvillecentral-school-district-athletes

Please make sure that we have a current physical on file in the Nurses Office.



9 Days or Less....
...for Student Success...
...at LCS

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2018-2019

Grades 7-12



ECHO

Yearbook



Payment options available!

| SALE DATES | PRICING |
|---|---------|
| Fall Sale: through November 16, 2018 | \$50 |
| Winter Sale: November 17th - January 25, 2019 | \$60 |
| Spring Sale: January 26th - Distribution Day | \$70 |

Order online at: Jostensyearbooks.com

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Orders and payments can be sent to: Lyndonville High School 25 Housel Avenue Lyndonville, NY 14098

Attn: Rebecca Lacy or Tammy Mallon
Please make checks payable to: Lyndonville Central School-ECHO

Email any questions to rlacy@lcsdk12.org

or

Call 585-765-2251 ext 6140



COLLEGE WEAR WEDNESDAY

Staff and Students

Don't forget to

Wear your college gear

Every Wednesday!!





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Important Information

Attendance is important!!

If your child is home ill, going to be late or will need an early dismissal...

Call (585) 765-3162 Or Email cbarone@lcsdk12.org

Please follow up with a written note.

Did you Know

If your family experiences a loss of housing, you may be eligible for support through the McKinney-Vento Act.

Please contact Dr. Elissa Smith at

585-765-3122

with any questions or to discuss ways we can help support you and your family.



WKBW Channel 7



School Closing Information:

The Lyndonville Central School District may occasionally cancel classes or delay the opening of school because of inclement weather or other emergencies. As a result, it may become necessary to delay the opening of school, dismiss school early, or cancel school entirely. A Blackboard Connect call will be placed informing parents/guardians of early dismissals or closings as well as information being broadcast on the following radio and television stations:

| <u>Television Stations</u> Buffalo | | | <u>Radio Stations</u> Rochester | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|------|------------------------------------|--|
| WGRZ | Channel 2 | WHAM | 1180 AM | |
| WIVB | Channel 4 | | | |

| <u>Rochester</u> | Like us on Facebook |
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| WROC Channel 8 | Lyndonville Central School |
| WHEC Channel 10 | & |
| WHAM Channel 13 | Twitter: @LyndonvilleCSD |

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L.A. Webber Middle-High School Grades 7-12

25 Housel Ave

Lyndonville NY, 14098 Phone: 585-765-3162 Fax: 585-765-3190 Mr. Jason Smith, Superintendent
Lori Lamay, Administrative Assistant
Dr. Aaron Slack, Middle-High School Principal
Chris Barone, Administrative Assistant, Attendance
Alan Lee Dillenbeck, Athletic Director
Val Wetherbee, Administrative Assistant
Jeff Kingsbury, School Counselor (9-12)
Kim Nealon, School Counselor (K-8)
Kim Bow, Central Registrar (PK - 12)

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Dates to Remember

November

| 11/1: | LCS Staff vs Law Enforcement Volleyball- 7:00 pm |
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| 11/5: | Early Dismissal Students - 11:00 am |
| | Fall Sports begin |
| 11/6: | Music Boosters Meeting - 6:30 pm |
| | Fall Sports Awards - 7:00 pm |
| 11/8: | Silver Tiger Elementary Musical Preview - |
| | 12:15 pm |
| 11/9: | Elementary Musical - 7:00 pm |
| 11/10: | Elementary Musical - 2:00 pm |
| 11/12: | No School - Veterans Day |
| 11/13: | No School for Grades PreK-6 -Parent/Teacher Conferences |
| | BOE Meeting - 7:00 pm |

PTSA Meeting - 6:30 pm

Thanksgiving Recess

11/21-11/23:

Hoppy Thousegiving

December

12/1: Music Boosters Magical Musical Craft
Show/Basket Raffle/Beef on Weck Dinner

12/6: Senior High Winter Concert - 7:00 pm

12/10: BOE Meeting - 7:00 pm

12/11: PTSA Meeting - 6:30 pm Music Booster Meeting - 6:30 pm

12/13: Grade 5-8 Winter Concert - 7:00 pm

12/21: Silver Tiger Breakfast - 7:15 am

Early Dismissal - 1:00pm

12/24-1/1:

No School - Winter Recess



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