

# The Tiger's Stripes

April 2019



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

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As the New York State English and Math assessments for grades 7 & 8 approach, I would like to clarify our school's philosophy of assessments as well as the messages that we are working to convey to students. Our District has adopted the goal of "fostering a growth mindset," and I believe this best characterizes our beliefs about assessments. It is our goal that each and every student give their best effort each day. Our teachers have worked to ensure that students recognize the importance of the assessments as a measure of individual growth. The "baseline" established by a student's score in the prior year is utilized as the foundation to measure their growth over the following year. These assessments are designed to help students, families, and educators

ensure that all students are prepared for the assessment challenges they will encounter in the future - including Regents exams, AP exams, and college and career placement exams such as the SAT and ASVAB.

I also remind our students that our assessment results are used to evaluate and compare our district to others, and that we are proud to have compared favorably to many of our neighbors throughout the years. The fact that New York State has taken steps to decouple the assessments from the teacher evaluation process was clearly the right decision and should allow our students to focus on what truly matters to their educational futures. When it

comes to preparing for standardized tests, some time-tested tips still ring true. Students need a good night's sleep and a good breakfast. Additionally, I would continue to remind students to read independently for at least thirty minutes per night. The middle-high school library is still accessible to students despite the ongoing construction work on campus.

We look forward to a busy and exciting spring athletic season. Our baseball, softball, and track teams have been hard at work.

Thank you for your role in supporting student learning. Please contact me at any time with any questions or concerns.

**Don't forget**  
**Early Release Day**  
**Wednesday April 17<sup>th</sup> @ 1:00 pm**

**No School**  
**Spring Recess**  
**April 18<sup>th</sup> - April 26<sup>th</sup>**

# News From the Counseling Department

Genesee Community College is once again offering The Genesee Promise Plus initiative. Under this initiative every student who graduates from a Genesee-Livingston-Orleans-Wyoming high school in June will receive a full tuition scholarship for one or two summer courses beginning this June. All June 2019 graduates are eligible whether they plan to attend Genesee, another college or university, or even if they have not made college plans for the fall. This program is also offered to current juniors soon to be seniors in the fall as well as any new adult college students. Students may attend courses



at the Batavia Campus, or at any of the six campus centers (Albion, Arcade, Batavia, Dansville, Lima, Medina, and Warsaw).

The goal in establishing this scholarship program is to encourage everyone in the GLOW area to attend college and hopefully, increase the interest of 2019 high school graduates in some form of post secondary education.

The Genesee Promise Plus guarantees a full tuition scholarship for one or two summer courses at Genesee this summer. All it takes to

get started is a Genesee Community College admissions application and GPP scholarship form, both of which can be located at the following link on their web site: <http://www.genesee.edu/gc/c/promise/> or you can see Mrs. Bow or Mr. Kingsbury in the Counseling Office.

**Application deadline is: June 21, 2019.**

*"A good education is the greatest gift you can give yourself or anyone else"...Mantob*

*Narsimhan*

## Buffalo College Fair

On Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, Mr. Kingsbury and Mrs. Chaffee took a group of interested juniors to the Buffalo College Fair that was held at the Buffalo Convention Center. Students were able to gather information and talk to representatives from many colleges. On the way home they enjoyed lunch at the Old Country Buffet.



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# AP Testing

Listed below is the AP exam schedule for the 2018-2019 school year. All testing will take place in the Elementary Building on Main St. in Lyndonville. If students drive, they may park in the back parking lot.

Monday 5/6	AP US Gov't & Politics	8:00 pm	Arrive by 7:45
Tuesday 5/7	AP Physics 1: Algebra	12:00 am	Arrive by 11:45
Wednesday 5/8	AP Eng Lit & Composition	8:00 am	Arrive by 7:45
Friday 5/10	AP US History	8:00 am	Arrive by 7:45
Tuesday 5/14	AP Calc	8:00 am	Arrive by 7:45
Wednesday 5/15	English Lang & Comp	8:00 am	Arrive by 7:45
Thursday 5/16	AP World History	8:00 am	Arrive by 7:45
Thursday 5/16	AP Statistics	12:00 pm	Arrive by 11:45

## Students should bring the following items to the exam room:

- Several sharpened No. 2 pencils (with erasers) for completing multiple-choice answer sheets
  - Pens with black or dark blue ink for completing areas on the exam booklet covers and for free-response questions in most exams
  - A watch (in case your exam room does not have a clock that you can see easily)
- Up to two calculators with the necessary capabilities if you are taking an AP Calculus, Chemistry, Physics, or Statistics Exam. (Visit [www.collegeboard.com/ap/calculators](http://www.collegeboard.com/ap/calculators) to learn more about the calculator policy for each of these exams, and for a list of authorized calculators.)
- A ruler or straightedge if you are taking an AP Physics Exam
  - Your social security number for identification purposes (optional). If you provide it, the number will appear on your AP score reports.
  - Your College Board SSD Accommodations Letter if you are taking an exam with approved testing accommodations (if applicable)

## Students should not bring the following to the exam room:

- Cell phones, digital cameras, personal digital assistants (PDAs), BlackBerry smart phones, Bluetooth-enabled devices, MP3 players, e-mail/messaging devices, or any other electronic or communication devices
- Books, compasses, mechanical pencils, colored pencils, correction fluid, dictionaries, highlighters, or notes
- Rulers and straightedges (except as noted above)

Scratch paper (notes can be made on portions of the exam booklets or, for Chinese Language and Culture and Japanese Language and Culture, on scratch paper provided by the proctor)

# TIGER TALENT SHOW

The Judges are getting ready!!

It's time for the **Jr. Class - TIGER TALENT SHOW**, which will be held on Thursday, May 2, 2019 at 7:00 PM. Students in grades 5-12 will be participating for some cash prizes and a chance to show off their talents. The Tiger Talent Show is sponsored by the Lyndonville Junior Class and proceeds go towards funding the Junior Prom.

Registration will be April 1<sup>st</sup>-April 15<sup>th</sup>.

Want to help out behind the scenes? We can use that too! We need people to help backstage as well as concession stand helpers, ticket sales & ushers.

**We will also be having a Basket Give-A-Way, so if you have any items you would like to donate we would greatly appreciate it. For more info call Kim Bow at 765-3157.**

## CALLING ALL PARENTS OF JUNIORS!!!



Your help is needed the night of the talent show. If you would be willing to donate your time or donate a basket of goodies, the class would really appreciate it. If you have any questions, please contact Kim Bow at 765-3157.

The students at LCS have so much talent to show off. Mark your calendars for this super evening of fun- it's an all ages show!! And see some members of your faculty and staff perform live on stage too!

Don't hesitate! Call Now! Act NOW!! It will be a **GREAT** evening!

## Music Department News



The high school band will be competing at the NYSSMA Majors Festival on April 25th in Spencerport. On the morning of April 25<sup>th</sup>, we will depart from Lyndonville at 8:45 am and arrive around 10:00 am. We will be stopping at Bill Grays for lunch. Music Boosters will be generously covering the cost of lunch for all students.

Students will need to wear concert dress. Please be aware

the NYSSMA's rules are quite strict so make sure your dress/skirt is knee length when sitting. Shoulders must be covered and wear all black. Black stockings or tights. Black tie if possible.

This competition is happening over April break, so please be aware that you will need to transport your child to school at 8:45 am, and then pick them up when we return, approximately 1:00 pm.

It is crucial that all students in our band attend. We are not the same without each member, and it will be amazing for all of us to get to experience this as a team. We need every member present to perform at our best! Permission slips were mailed home and given to each student during band. If you did not receive one, please contact Mrs. Best at [kbest@lcsdk12.org](mailto:kbest@lcsdk12.org).

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**When: Saturday, April 13**

**Time: 10am-4pm**

**Where: Lyndonville Elementary Building**

**Event Link: Text "CFS Wrestling" to 797979**







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### **6<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> Grade Parents:**

New immunization requirements have been made. Students **MUST** receive at least one dose of the meningitis vaccine **PRIOR** to the start of school in September. Please contact your doctor to schedule your child's appointment prior to September, 2019. Students may be held out of school if immunizations are not up-to-date.

Contact the Health Office at 765-3124, if you have any questions or concerns regarding this new requirement.



### **Prom**

When: Saturday, June 15

Time: 6:00 - 11:00 pm

Where: Niagara Shores Campground  
& Conference Center  
Rt. 18, Appleton, NY

Cost: \$30 per person



# 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.

## 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:

### Television Stations

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[www.lyndonvillecsd.org](http://www.lyndonvillecsd.org) and  
download the Lyndonville  
School App



## Dates to Remember



### April

04/02-04/04: NYS ELA Exam  
04/08: BOE Meeting - 7:00 pm  
04/17: Early Release Students & Staff - 1:00 pm  
04/18-04/26: No School - Spring Recess  
04/30: NHS/NJHS Induction Ceremony - 7:00 pm



### May

05/01-05/03: NYS Math Test  
05/02: Tiger Talent Show - 7:00 pm  
05/10-05/11: 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Albany Trip  
05/13: Board Meeting/Budget Hearing  
05/21: Budget Vote/Board Elections  
12:00-8:00 Auditorium Foyer  
Grade 7/8 Spring Concert 7:00 pm  
05/27: No School - Memorial Day 03/26:

