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## THE 11TH HOUR

The 11th hour, of the 11th day of the 11th month is a time to honor America's living Veterans. This day is designated as a day of celebration. Currently, there are more than 24 million Veterans who have served in the United States Armed Forces that have reintegrated back into our society. It is quite likely that many of our students have a parent, grandparent, sibling or neighbor who is a Veteran or still serving. By engaging in discussion about these crucial members of our society, students will be able to hear from and about those who helped shape American history. Our hope is that students will be encouraged to learn more of these often unheard stories from those close to them.

All this week students will be learning about the history of Veterans Day and it's significance. On Friday LCS will host a Veterans Day Breakfast. Students are encouraged to invite their favorite Veteran to join them for breakfast on Friday.

Denver Campus K-12 students                      7:30-8:30am                      MS/HS Gym  
R.S.V.P. [melissa.lasarsky@lincolncharter.org](mailto:melissa.lasarsky@lincolncharter.org) by 3:00pm on Wednesday, November 9th

Lincolnton Campus K-8 students                      7:30-8:30am                      Gym  
R.S.V.P. [lisa.barger@lincolncharter.org](mailto:lisa.barger@lincolncharter.org) by 3:00pm Wednesday, November 9th

11-11-11 camo shirts will be delivered to all students that ordered shirts on Thursday the 10th. Please wear your shirt to school on Friday.

LCS is collecting the following items on behalf of the VA Hospital in Salisbury. Items can be turned in at any building's front office.

### Forever Stamps

All Occasion cards (new for patients to send to family members)

Family size body care products (body wash, shampoo/conditioner, lotion, etc.)

Denture Adhesives

Sugar free individually wrapped candies

Coffee and coffee accessories

## COLLEGE WEEK 2011

College Week is one of the most exciting weeks of school. As a college prep school we encourage all of students to focus on their college plans. The week will be filled with College Week activities. Different classes will participate in different activities. Be sure to ask your student about their College Week experience.

### Special College Week Activities

#### Denver K-5

- November 14th-18th Skype sessions will take place w/ Mrs. Ward during computer class to communicate with LCS alumni
- November 14th-18th Students to identify college of family members on class map
- November 14th-18th Fight Song played during AM announcements
- November 14th-18th All LCS students may wear a college shirt w/ uniform PANTS any day of this week.
- November 14th -18th College Week contest posted on website each day for prizes!
- November 15th HS seniors, LCS board members or local community members to read to our HR classes about career pathways!
- November 17th LCS 5th grade students will "Dress like their future career!" Students will be allowed to emulate the attire of the career they would like to be in life!
- November 18th FRIDAY- ALL LCS students and staff are encouraged to wear their favorite COLLEGE attire with jeans (No professional teams please) If a student chooses not to participate- it is uniform as normal

#### Denver 6-8

- November 14th-18th Fight Song played during AM announcements
- November 14th-18th All LCS students may wear a college shirt with jeans.
- November 16th College Panel
- November 14th-18th CFNC Scavenger Hunt
- November 14th -18th College Week contest posted on website each day for prizes!

#### LCS High School

- November 14th-18th Fight Song played during AM announcements
- November 14th-18th Students encouraged to wear college attire
- November 14th-18th CFNC Scavenger Hunt
- November 14th -18th College Week contest posted on website each day for prizes!
- November 14th 7:00 pm, a representative from the College Foundation of North Carolina (CFNC) will be at LCHS to speak with parents about financing a college education. This presentation will focus on the sources of aid available to college students and how to make a college education affordable for everyone. We invite all parents to attend this informative event! Please contact Barb Woods or Becky Engle at (704) 483-6611 with any questions."
- November 16th Senior Breakfast  
College Application Day
- November 18th Student Government Powder Puff Activities

## PTO

Keep sending in Box Tops, Tyson Project A+ labels, Labels for Education, and My Coke Rewards with your student so they can stuff their classroom pumpkins. Mrs. Boner's class is in the lead, having stuffed their pumpkin 6 times so far! Mrs. Byars' class is in second, and Mrs. Piercy and Mrs. Zappone are currently tied for third. Contest details and collection sheets can be found at [www.lincolncharter.org/denver-pto](http://www.lincolncharter.org/denver-pto).

When sending in items for the pumpkins, please help our volunteers by either using the collection sheets or placing the items in a plastic baggie labeled with the number of items in the bag. The ENTIRE Tyson label must be clipped in order to be counted. Also, please be sure the bottle caps or box ends from 12 or 24 packs you send in have the My Coke Rewards codes on them and have NOT been entered. If you have already entered the codes into your personal My Coke Rewards account, you can donate points to our school from your account. Just write down how many points you donated along with your child's name, and send it to school to put in their class pumpkin.

## MIDDLE SCHOOL MADNESS

### REMINDERS!!

Please click on the following link for information regarding the middle school overnight field trips.

<http://www.lincolncharter.org/christina-williams/>

8th grade payment reminder....

Payments: You can pay on-line through the school website or send in check/cash. We will have a payment plan that you can use to help spread out the cost of the trip over time. How this will work is shown below. Reminders will be posted in the weekly Charter Chatter. You can choose to use the payment plan or pay the entire cost at one time.

#### MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

Deposit Due: (\$50) Friday, October 7, 2011 (Non-Refundable)

1st Payment Due: (\$80) Monday, November 7, 2011

2nd Payment Due: (\$80) Monday, December 5, 2011

3rd Payment Due: (\$80) Monday, January 23, 2012

4th Final Payment Due: (\$80) Monday, February 13, 2012

Questions: If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Mrs. Williams at 704-483-6611 or [christina.williams@lincolncharter.org](mailto:christina.williams@lincolncharter.org)

## ATHLETICS - MANDATORY MEETING

Mandatory Parent Meeting – all winter student-athletes

All parents of winter student-athletes should plan to attend this mandatory meeting tonight at the MS/HS, starting at 7:15pm. MS cheerleaders are exempt from attending this meeting. Questions? – e-mail [daniel.schmitz@lincolncharter.org](mailto:daniel.schmitz@lincolncharter.org).

## MIDNIGHT MADNESS

Come out to support our cheerleaders, dance team and basketball teams at their first event of the season – Midnight Madness! The Sports Boosters will provide concessions, prizes will be awarded and you will have your first chance to get a sneak peek at our winter teams. The festivities start at 7pm sharp!

## JEANS PASS

LCS is offering you an opportunity to help raise money for LCS Varsity Basketball & our LCS Students Travelling to England next Summer.

Buy a Jeans Pass \*Jeans may not have any rips or tears\*

Elementary & Middle School Students and all Staff may wear jeans on Thursday, November 10th.

The cost is \$5 for the first child and \$1 for each sibling. The cost for teachers is \$5.

Money is due by Wednesday, November 9th.

## IMPORTANT DATES

November 9th	Kindergarten to Lenoir Rhyne 11th Grade to Wake Forest Unicycle Club
November 10th	Citizenship Field Trip Midnight Madness
November 11th	Veterans Day Breakfast Half Day
November 14th	College Week Activities 11th Grade to Wingate University
November 16th	Senior Breakfast CFNC College Application Day
November 17th	2nd Grade to Latta Plantation
November 18th	Powder Puff Activities
November 21st	School Board Meeting
November 22nd	Half Day
November 29th	Blood Drive 9th Grade Discovery Place
Date changed	Talon Challenge now scheduled for February 3rd
January 20th	Homecoming

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

It's Papa John's Week!! 25% OFF any order if you give them the code LCSEAGLES!! Plus, they give 20% of their profits to the kids travelling to Europe next summer! EAT GREAT PIZZA AT A GREAT PRICE FOR A GREAT CAUSE!! And Thanks!!!

Don't forget French Class/Club this Thursday! Madame Isabelle Gascon will be with us for French food and fun!! 3:30-5 in Room 120 ( only \$6 per lesson, \$3 for family members). Bonjour! See you there!! Everyone is welcome.

The Unicycle Club meets this Wednesday afterschool behind the MS/HS. Members should bring their helmet & unicycle.

**MIDNIGHT MADNESS**  
**Thursday, November 10th**  
**7:00pm**  
**MS/HS GYM**

## ATHLETIC SCHEDULE

Tuesday Nov 8th

Winter Sports Meeting 7:15pm

MS Girls 3:30pm – 5:15pm-Denver United Meth. Church

MS Boys 3:45pm – 5:30pm – Lincolnnton

HS Cheer 3:15pm – 5:30pm

HS Girls 5:15pm – 7pm

HS Boys 3:15pm – 5:15pm

HS Dance 3:15pm – 5pm

HS/MS Swim 5:30-7am- HFFA

Wednesday Nov 9th

MS Boys 7pm – 8:30pm

HS Cheer 3:15pm 5:30pm

HS Girls 3:15pm – 5pm

Varsity Boys 5pm-7pm

HS Dance 3:15pm – 5pm

HS Swim 4-6pm- Lincolnnton YMCA

Thursday Nov 10th

Mid-Night Madness 7:00pm

HS Girls 3:45pm – 5:45pm- Lincolnnton

HS Cheer 3:15pm – 5:30pm

MS Boys 3:30- 5:30pm - Denver United Meth. Church

Varsity Boys 5:15pm – 7:00pm

JV Boys 3:15-5:15pm

HS Dance 3:15pm – 5pm

MS/HS Swim 3:30- 4:30pm- HFFA

Friday Nov 11th

Half Day

MS Boys 12:15- 2:45pm- Lincolnnton

HS Cheer 3:15pm – 5:30pm

HS Boys 1:30-4pm

HS Girls 11:45pm – 1:30pm

HS Swim 4-6pm- Lincolnnton YMCA

Sat Nov 12th

JV and Varsity Boys 1-3pm

MS Girls 3-5pm

HS Girls Scrimmage 9:00- 1:00pm