Lynchburg – Clay High School <u>Announcements for Wednesday October 1, 2014</u>

Our Students Will Be Champions in the classroom and Ambassadors for Our Community!! We are... L-C!

Word of the Week Patience

<u>Detention will be served Tuesdays and Thursdays in Room 304 from 2:35-3:35</u> <u>Detention for Thursday October 2, 2014</u>

General

- Any senior interested in going on **senior trip** need to stop by and see Mrs. Shope for important information including a permission slip.
- Students picture retakes will be October 7th. Forms are available in the office.

From the Guidance office

General

- Interims were sent home on Friday, September 26th. Please be sure to review your grades and address any issues NOW so be sure to stay up with graduation requirements!
- If you are interested in receiving updates for college and flyers via email, please send an email to whtiney.lewis@lynchclay.k12.oh.us stating you would like to be added to the email mailing for important guidance announcements.
- OGT Testing for Juniors/Seniors still needing tests for graduation will be Oct. 27th-Oct. 31st.

College Fairs

- College Fair for Students with Learning Disabilities: Wednesday, October 8th 6:30-8:00 p.m. This event will be hosted at Gahanna Lincoln High School Cafeteria. Features schools from Ohio and across the nation. For more information email Phyllis Solove at solovep@gjps.org.
- Hillsboro High School will once again be hosting a college fair this fall. It will take place October 23rd from 4:00-7:00 p.m. in the Hillsboro High School Gymnasium. Anyone that is interested is invited to attend.

 Ohio University-Chillicothe: hosting a College Night from 6:30-8:00 p.m. on October 15th @ the Shoemaker Convocation Center

Seniors

- **SAVE THE DATE**: Friday, October 10th Seniors will be able to attend the "Connect to College" program hosted by Southern State community College.
 - o Program will run from 8:30-12:00
 - We will eat at Frisch's before returning to the high school
- **RECOMMENDATION FORMS**: No letter of recommendation will be written without this form. Please make sure you have turned in your form to Mrs. Hejazifar.
- College Applications: start narrowing down your college choices and begin to think about applying.
 - Take advantage of the 3 college visits.
 - Application Process:
 - 1. Decide on top 3-5 schools to Apply
 - 2. Apply via Online Application creating a username and password
 - 3. **NOTIFY THE GUIDANCE OFFICE** once you have completed and SUBMITTED your application! This is IMPORTANT. Your application will not be processed unless an OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT is sent directly from the High School.
 - 4. Send ACT scores directly to the college through www.actstudent.org

Juniors

- Take advantage of the 3 College Days.
 - Pick up Green College Visit Form in Guidance Office.
 - Schedule a College Visit with School of your Choice.
 - o Bring back documentation from college the next school day.
- SAVE THE DATE: Wednesday, October 15, 2014 the PSAT will be given at LCHS.

PSO Students

- Please make sure a copy of your schedule has been turned into the guidance office. This includes classes you may have dropped or added.
- Reminder to check with guidance office before registering for next semester.
- Stay updated with announcements and events going on here at the High School. Check the website for IMPORTANT announcements!

College Representatives

- It's that Time of year Again: Check the announcements for College Representatives visiting the High School. This is a GREAT opportunity to get information about a college you are interested in.
 - o Take advantage of the live person you will be meeting with.
 - Ask Questions
 - o Get information that you cannot find on a website or viewbook

| College | Date of Visit | Time |
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| Morehead State University | October 9 th | 1:00 p.m. |
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| Ohio University-Chillicothe | October 16 th | Activity Period |
| Shawnee State | November 6 th | Activity Period |

ACT

- **SAVE THE DATE**: Saturday October 25 ACT will be offered here at the High School. Register to take the October ACT test in the school you know and LOVE!
 - o Sign-up for ACT Prep during Activity Period for 2 weeks before the test!
- High School Code: 363120
- ACT PREP BOOKS are available for loan in the Guidance Office. Sign-up to check one out.
- If you have previously borrowed an ACT Prep Book, please return to the guidance office!

| Deadline | Name | Amount | Information | |
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| 10.3.2014 | WENDY'S High School Heisman | | The Wendy's High School Heisman Program recognizes outstanding student athletes from high schools all over the country. We are looking for students who excel in a wide range of sports, school, and community activities. So whether you're a field hockey player from the east coast, class president from the Midwest, soup kitchen volunteer from the south, or a tennis player/year book editor/student tutor from the west coast, we want to hear from you! Visit http://www.wendyshighschoolheisman.com/about/ for details | |
| 10.3.2014 | Distinguished Young Woman Scholarship | Varies | Distinguished Young Women is a national scholarship program that inspires high school girls to develop their full, individual potential through a fun, transformative experience that culminates in a celebratory showcase of their accomplishments. Distinguished Young Women strives to give every young woman the opportunity to further her education and prepare for a successful future. | |
| 10.25.2014 | 2013 Horatio Alger Scholarship | Varies | Visit http://distinguishedyw.org/ for more information Seeks to assist students who have demonstrated integrity, perseverance in overcoming adversity, strength of character, financial need, a good academic record, commitment to pursue a college education, and a desire to contribute to society. Visit www.horatioalger.org/scholarships for application and details | |

| 11.4.2014 | Jack Kent Cooke Foundation | Varies | This scholarship rewards excellence by supporting high-achieving high school seniors with financial need who seek to attend the nation's best four-year colleges and universities. Visit http://www.jkcf.org/scholarship-programs/college-scholarship/ for more information | |
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| 11.29.2014 | Youth Volunteer Scholarship Award | \$500 | Over the past 2 years a student must have completed a minimum of 50 hours of volunteer work. Over the past 2 years a student must have maintained a GPA of 3.5 or greater .A student must be under the age of 21 years of age on the day of the deadline. A student must submit an essay on the topic prior to the deadline. Applications found @ http://www.studentscholarships.org/volunteer.php | |
| 1.5.2015 | Profile in Courage Essay Contest | Varies by award | The contest provides a unique opportunity to integrate lessons in history, writing, and current events while addressing national standards in social studies and language arts. Contest topic: In 1,000 words or less, describe and analyze an act of political courage by a U.S. official who served during or after 1956. For complete guidelines, curriculum materials, and a link to a video, please visit http://www.jfklibrary.org/Education/Profile-in-Courage-Essay-Contest.aspx | |