### Lynchburg – Clay High School Announcements Wednesday October 12, 2016 Our Students Will Be Champions in the classroom and Ambassadors for Our Community!! We are... L-C!

## Detention is on Tuesday and Thursday in room 305 from 2:35 to 3:35. Detention for Thursday October 13<sup>th</sup>.

## • <u>Reminder students there are to be NO Pictures taken in the building at all unless approved</u> by Mrs. Hatten.

•<u>Senior Clothing</u> will be on sale during lunch and before and after school. All clothing must be paid for or it will not be ordered.

#### • Picture retakes will be October 18<sup>th</sup>.

•<u>The following students will have the opportunity to view a live heart surgery</u> through the Museum of Science and Industry in Chicago. On Wednesday October 12th it will begin @ 9:30 and probably end by 12:30- 1:00. Let me know if you have any concerns. Alicia Shope

#### <u>General</u>

- OU Chillicothe: Will host a College Night on Wednesday, October 12 from 6:30-8:00 p.m.
- The ESC in Wilmington is offering ACT PREP Courses:
  - See Guidance office for flyer and details. Great way to boost your ACT score.
- End of the first nine weeks is Friday, October 21<sup>st</sup>.
- Report Cards distributed Friday, October 28<sup>th</sup>.

#### Scholarship Opportunities

• <u>www.studentscholarships.org</u> : Registered Users will be matched with Scholarships, Bursaries, and Grants, that fit their profile. To access our Free Scholarship Database, simply create your own profile.

• <u>www.fastweb.com</u> : The leading online resource in finding scholarships to help you pay for school. Register today!

# <u>Seniors</u>

- **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 <u>www.actstudent.org</u>
- Keep up to date with deadlines and information. Sign up for Counselor reminders
  - To receive messages via text, text **@1649f** to **81010**. You can opt-out of messages at any time by replying, 'unsubscribe @ 1649f'.
- Financial Aid Completing the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)
  - Every student applying to a college or university needs to complete this form
  - NEW THIS YEAR Beginning this year students may begin completing the FAFSA as early as OCTOBER 1<sup>st</sup>.
    - Visit our webpage for links to information that was discussed during our Financial Aid Night.
    - Visit this link for important highlights for changes w/ the FAFSA
      - <u>https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/sites/default/files/2017-18-fafsa-updates-students-parents.pdf</u>
  - Helpful Financial Aid Websites
    - https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/fafsa
    - www.fafsa.gov
    - https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/fafsa/filling-out/fsaid
      - Big 1<sup>st</sup> Step is Creating your FAFSA ID

# <u>Juniors</u>

- Take advantage of the 3 College Days.
  - Pick up College Visit Form in Guidance Office.
  - Schedule a College Visit with School of your Choice.
  - Bring back documentation from college the next school day.
- SAVE THE DATE: Wednesday, October 19, 2016 the PSAT will be given at LCHS.

### **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.
  - Take advantage of the live person you will be meeting with.
  - Ask Questions
  - Get information that you cannot find on a website

| College                   | Date of Visit | Time            |
|---------------------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Wilmington College        |               | Activity Period |
| Wright State University   | 10.20.2016    | Activity Period |
| The Ohio State University | 10.26.2016    | 10:00 am        |
| OU-Chillicothe            | 11.1.16       | Activity Period |
| School of Advertising Art | 11.8.2016     | Activity Period |

## **CCP 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.
- SSCC Students: Be sure to pick up and return books to the high school library!
- 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!

# <u>ACT</u>

• **SAVE THE DATE**: Saturday October 22 ACT will be offered here at the High School. • High School Code: 363120

• ACT PREP BOOKS are available for loan in the Guidance Office. Sign-up to check one out.

ACT Prep Opportunity available in Wilmington: See flyer for details!!!

• If you have previously borrowed an ACT Prep Book, please return to the guidance office!

| Deadline   | Name   | Amount             | Information   |
|------------|--|--------------------|---|
| 11.30.2016 | Caption<br>Scholarship                       | \$500              | <ul> <li>Applications @<br/><u>https://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/13572/odenza_caption_scholarship_scholarship.php</u></li> <li>Be attending college/university no later than the fall of 2017</li> <li>Submit a caption in the comment section of any post on the Odenza Facebook page, prior to the November 30th, 2016 deadline. Please ensure to place a #OdenzaCaption at the end of your caption/comment.</li> <li>Have a GPA of 2.5 or greater.</li> <li>Be a resident of the United States or Canada.</li> <li>*A Caption consists of a title or brief explanation appended to any photo or illustration on Odenza's facebook page.</li> </ul> |
| 12.31.2016 | Rove Pest<br>Control<br>Scholarship          | \$500              | Rove Pest Control in Minneapolis is pleased to offer The Rove Pest Control<br>Scholarship application for 2016. This scholarship opportunity is open to<br>high school students and graduates nationwide in the United States of<br>America who have been accepted to a college or university. Applicants for<br>this scholarship must be attending college by the Fall 2017 semester and<br>have a minimum 3.0 GPA. This scholarship is open to anyone seeking a<br>higher education.<br>Visit <u>http://www.rovepestcontrol.com/rove-pest-control-scholarship/</u> for<br>applications and details  |
| 12.31.2016 | South<br>Central's<br>Power's<br>Scholarship | \$1,000            | <ul> <li>Contestants must complete the official application form.</li> <li>A complete high school grade transcript must accompany the application.</li> <li>Application information must be confined to the official application form with NO ATTACHMENTS, other than the grade transcript.</li> <li>Visit <u>https://www.southcentralpower.com/community/scholarshippprograms/</u> for application and details</li> </ul>  |
| 1.4.2017   | Profile in<br>Courage Essay<br>Contest       | Varies by<br>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.<br>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 <a href="http://www.jfklibrary.org/Education/Profile-in-Courage-Essay-Contest.aspx">http://www.jfklibrary.org/Education/Profile-in-Courage-Essay-Contest.aspx</a>   |

| 1.17.2017 | GECU 20 <sup>th</sup><br>Annual Robert<br>A.<br>Cunningham<br>Memorial<br>Scholarship | \$2,000 | Criteria includes: College bound, graduating HS senior, Primary member of<br>GECU*, Activities must demonstrate a Steadfast and longer-serving spirit of<br>volunteerism, Strong academic record with "B" average. Visit<br><u>www.gecreditunion.org/promotions</u> or see Guidance office for details   |
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| 3.22.2017 | "B. Davis<br>Scholarship"   | \$1,000 | The creators of the "Student Award Search Aid" website are offering a scholarship for 2017.<br>Please visit our website at<br><u>http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm</u> to read about us<br>and to apply for our scholarship. While you're there, please browse<br>through the rest of the site to learn more about applying for scholarships.<br>Our website was developed solely for the purpose of helping students<br>locate and apply for scholarships. We are trying to improve the students'<br>chances for success. The site is free and we charge nothing for the<br>information or the application |
| 5.31.2017 | Robert A.<br>Klinger Co.,<br>L.P.A. Ohio<br>Problem-<br>Solving<br>Scholarship        | \$1,000 | The team at Robert A. Klinger Co., L.P.A. wants to share their passion for<br>education by helping to make college more affordable for one local student.<br>How to Apply: Write an essay that is 500-1,000 words in length tells us the<br>one thing you would change about this world if you could, and how you<br>would do it. Submit your application along w/ your essay.<br>For more information visit <u>http://klinglerlaw.com/scholarship/</u>  |
| 6.1.2017  | Groth &<br>Associates   | \$1,000 | <ul> <li>The Lawyers here at Groth &amp; Associates are proud to offer a generous \$1,000.00 scholarship for any individuals who qualify. To qualify for this scholarship:</li> <li>1. Must have a G.P.A. of 3.0+</li> <li>2. Fill out the form with your contact information</li> </ul>   |

| 3. Attach school transcript to verify enrollment   |
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| 4. Attach a 500-word essay about difficulties or hardships you have had to personally overcome |
| http://www.grothlaw.com/scholarship/   |
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