

LSM High School Headlines

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Believe it or not, we are already half-way through the year! While the first 5 months of school have seen a variety of learning models and schedules, I cannot tell you how impressed I have been by the continuing dedication of our students, teachers, and staff. I know that everyone wants a return to “normal”, but the willingness to make a variety of challenging situations work is what I take away from the first semester of this year.

As this past week’s quarantines and remote learning plan showed, we must continue to be flexible and ready to adapt. At the same time, our winter sports teams have started practicing, we have student clubs and activities finding ways to meet and move forward, and many of our seniors have received acceptances to schools and are already planning for their life after LSM.

I am looking forward to having students back in the building this coming Monday, the 25th. While the coming months may still hold a lot of uncertainty, I know the LSM community will make the best of them. We are ready for Semester 2 and are excited for what it will bring.

Please keep in mind, if students are feeling ill, please keep them home. Also, if anyone in the family, or who is a close contact, is getting tested, please keep students home until you confirm a negative test result. It is vital that we all work together in order to avoid quarantines whenever possible.

Here are some important dates to be aware of. Do not hesitate to contact the school at 860-673-0423 if you have any questions or need more information.

January 25th – First Day of Quarter 3/Semester 2

February 12th – No School for Students – Teacher PD

February 15th – No School – Presidents Day

Some Additional Details:

Yearbook: Yearbooks are still for sale. Use the link on the LSM website to purchase one.

Project Graduation: Check out this flyer for information about a fundraiser next week. We appreciate your support of this great event! [PG-Flyer.pdf](#)

Class of 2022 Can and Bottle Drive: Save your cans and bottles to support the Class of 2022! The next drive will be on Friday, February 12th, from 3-6pm, and Saturday, February 13th, from 10am-2pm. Please drop off your refundable cans and bottles at the LSM main entrance. Any questions, please contact class22advisor@region10ct.org. Hope to see you there!

Athletic Booster Club Meetings: Our booster club would love to have you join their efforts to support our sports teams. They meet on the first Monday of each month. Here is the meeting schedule and link to join:

Feb 1, 2021 07:00 PM

Mar 1, 2021 07:00 PM

Apr 5, 2021 07:00 PM

May 3, 2021 07:00 PM

Jun 7, 2021 07:00 PM

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us05web.zoom.us/j/86772915131?pwd=d2d6cit4b01MZmJ3aFlrVk5YYkgxUT09>

Meeting ID: 867 7291 5131

Passcode: L3GSPf

Athletic Information

The winter season has started! Practices got going this week. We look forward to games happening in February. Don't hesitate to reach out to Mr. Pelchar, our AD, with questions. Further information about our spectator policy and live-stream opportunities will be coming out soon.

Have a nice weekend. We will see everyone on Monday!

Stay Safe,

Chris Rau

Principal

[Contact Information](#) – Have questions for us? Here are some quick contacts. Information for all teachers and staff is available on the Region 10 website: region10ct.org.

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