

"Together we learn, lead and serve."

SCHOOL-WIDE NEWS

We LOVE Volunteers

THANK YOU to all our parents and grandparents who served the school through volunteering this school year. Please give us the opportunity to show you our appreciation by joining us at a breakfast in your honor. If you have volunteered for LNC in any capacity, we hope to see you and say THANKS in person on May 17 at 8:15am in the HS MPR.





Science Olympiad

A huge weekend for LNC's Science Olympiad team with two of its members qualifying for the state competition held in Raleigh! Jacob Crawford and Nithya Sampath competed as a team and placed in three areas!

3rd place - Indoor Bottle Rockets

7th place - Buoy oh Buoy

9th place - Outdoor Bottle Rockets (125 teams competed in this category!)

Great job Jacob and Nithya and thank you to Coach Wilson and all the team parents for their support!

Board of Directors Vacancy

The Lake Norman Charter board of directors is accepting applications to fill a vacancy for

the 2017-18 school year. The primary purpose of the board of directors is to set policy, provide oversight, and approve and oversee the management of the school budget. Our charter provides for the role of the board in the form of several committees: Budget and Finance, Audit and Evaluation, and Policy & Personnel, as well as several board approved subcommittees that revolve around our strategic areas of focus and needs (Technology, Global Diversity, Family Engagement, Finance, etc.). Service on committees requires a time commitment, as well as some prior knowledge and/or skill in the particular area. Whereas all candidates will be given serious consideration, the board is especially interested in candidates with backgrounds and experience in areas such as finance, strategic planning, public relations, marketing, primary/secondary or higher education.

More information and an application package is available here. If you have any questions, please contact Steve Jones by phone at 704-488-5925 or by email.at smjones01@bellsouth.net.

April 27, 2017







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THANK YOU TO OUR SCHOOL SPONSOR



Precision Dance Center

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HS Chorus Sings at the Intimidators Game:

Our wonderful LNC chorus, led by Mrs. Heather Connell, sang the National Anthem at the Intimidators baseball game last Saturday.



Math Club at MathCon

Kudos to Nikhil Sampath (bronze), Sean Huynh (honorable mention), Mason McElroy (honorable mention), Jeeya Shah, Jacob Grinberg (bronze), Nat Nguyen, Bhargav Vaduri (silver), and Ajay Pandya for doing a phenomenal job at MathCon Nationals in Chicago. Aside from winning the medals, being invited is quite an accomplishment as they were selected from the top 1% of the 50,000 online participants from 43 states. Congratulations to Coach Kendrick and the entire team for a outstanding year!

Calling All Harris Teeter VIC Card Shoppers!

Harris Teeter has announced a new promotion running through May 30 that will gives double earnings on any HT brand frozen vegetables. Stock your freezer and earn extra VIC card \$ for LNC! Thank you.

Contemporary Lyrical Hip-Hop Ballet

5104 Reagan Dr. Suite 1 Charlotte, NC 28206 704-494-4777 Director@precisiondance.net http://www.precisiondance.net

UPCOMING EVENTS

In April, we observe AUTISM/DISABILITY AWARENESS

April 28

HS Prom, 8:00pm (Mint Museum)

April 24 to 28

MS Spirit week

May 2 & 3

MS Talent show auditions, 3:00pm (MS cafetorium)

May 11 to 19

Spring book fair (MS media center)

May 11

MS All Pro Dad meeting, 7:00am (MS cafetorium)

LNC Board meeting, 7:00pm (MS media center)

HS Spring chorus concert, 7:00pm (HS MPR)

May 16

Senior Awards Night, 6:30pm (HS MPR)

May 17

Volunteer Appreciation Breakfast, 8:15am (*HS MPR*)

National Junior Honor Society induction ceremony, 6:00pm (MS cafetorium)

May 18

MS Knight of the Arts, 6:00pm (MS media center, courtyard & cafetorium)

May 22-June 2

MS food collection for Angels & Sparrows food kitchen

May 23-26 MS EOG testing

May 25

7th & 8th grade Semi-formal dance, 6:30pm (MS courtyard)



Earn twice as much for your school on the purchase of any HT brand Frozen Vegetables between April 19 and May 30!

Your VIC card must be linked to a Together in Education code for your school to earn.

Check your Harris Teeter receipt to see if you are linked.



HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

Greece - Summer, 2018



Are you going to be in high school for the 2017-18 school year and are interested in traveling to Greece in June of 2018? The trip is after school is out for the summer and is a 12 day tour of Greece, including time in Athens, Olympia, and Delphi along with a 3 day cruise of Mykonos, Crete, and Santorini. This EF Tour also includes the flight to and from Greece

along with transportation while on tour, all lodging accommodations, guided tours and entry into attractions, breakfast and dinner each night, and a full time tour director. Visit our tour website at www.eftours.com/1954542dy and contact Ms. McFarland at Im darland@Incharter.org for questions.

Paris/Barcelona Spring Break 2018

If you are or will be a high school student next year, you are invited to sign up for the Spring Break trip to Paris and Barcelona. We have a few spots left on this trip and would love to round out the group before the end of the school year. With these EF Tour Trips, you get TONS for your money and see much more than you would be able to on your own. These are also study tours, so there is the opportunity to learn AND sightsee. Please contact Mrs. Davis (aka Ms. McDaniel) at the HS for more information or visit the tour link and find out more.



HS This Week in Pictures

See what our students, teachers and parents are doing on campus this week.

ATTENTION FAMILIES OF SENIORS



Mark Your Calendar for These Remaining Important Dates!

We are drawing to the close of your senior's final year at LNC and you don't want to miss these important events:

• Tuesday, May 16: Senior Awards Night

May 26

All students half day HS dismisses @ 11:15am MS dismisses @ 11:30am

May 29

School holiday

May 30-June 2

HS exams

May 31

MS field day

June 1

MS awards ceremony, 8:30am (MS gym)

June 2

Last day of school

All students half day HS dismisses @ 11:15am MS dismisses @ 11:30am

8th grade Recognition Ceremony, 6:30pm

June 3

HS graduation, 9:00am (*The Park Church, 6029 Beatties Ford Road, Charlotte*)

More upcoming MS events

More upcoming HS events

2016-2017 calendar

- Friday, June 2: Graduation Rehearsal, 9:00am at The Park Church (6029 Beatties Ford Road, Charlotte)
- Saturday, June 3: Graduation, 9:00am at The Park Church (6029 Beatties Ford Road, Charlotte)

Scholarship Awards

Make sure your students are turning in copies of their scholarship award letters. This can include any scholarship they have earned, whether or not they are accepting the scholarship or attending that school. So far, the senior dass has already turned in almost \$6 million in scholarship money, which is incredible! Any student who has earned a scholarship will be recognized at Senior Awards Night on May 16. Questions? Contact Ms. Faccone at cfaccone@Incharter.org.

Graduation

The 2017 graduation ceremony will be held on Saturday, June 3 at 9:00 am at The Park Church (6029 Beatties Ford Road, Charlotte). Those attending must have a valid ticket to enter the facility.

Each graduate will receive 10 tickets at no charge. Families may purchase up to 5 additional tickets at \$10 each. The graduate does not need a ticket. Additional tickets are granted on a first come/first served basis by completing the order form and returning it to the high school office as soon as possible. Payment must accompany the order form. Checks should be made payable to LNC. Additional tickets may sell out quickly, so submit your request early. If you do not need all 10 of your complimentary tickets, please have your student check with his or her classmates to see if anyone else could use them. All tickets (both complimentary and additionally purchased) will be distributed to your graduate at the graduation rehearsal, scheduled for Friday, June 2. Questions about graduation tickets should be directed to Incgraduation@gmail.com.

**Please make sure that your friends and family are aware that the formal announcement that is mailed is not a "ticket" into the ceremony; the venue has a maximum capacity which is monitored by using the tickets that are distributed at practice.

MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWS

Attention MS Parents: It's Time to Order Pre-packaged School Supplies

Order your EduKit now! Everything your MS student needs for the school year comes packaged in one convenient box, customized to your teacher's requests! Go to www.edukitinc.com to order today. Order by June 20 for the BEST pricing and FREE shipping. A confirmation will be emailed to you after your order has been placed.



Your child's EduKit will be available for pick-up at Distribution Day. If you are not able to attend, your child's kit will be available in the office for pick-up. Extended online ordering is available through EduKit's Last Chance program from June 21-July 23. Last Chance orders are subject to an additional fee and will be delivered to your home shortly before school begins.

Knight of the Arts

The LNC Middle School Electives Team and LNC PTO
Cordially Invite You to the 7th Annual
Knight of the Arts Event

"Knight of the Arts" will be held on Thursday, May 18 from 6:00-8:00pm in the middle school media center, courtyard, and cafetorium.



Join us in celebrating our amazing young artists and see what they have been creating all year. Enjoy music performed by some of our youngest musicians and our guitar club. Sit back and listen to our chorus students perform their spring concert. Don't forget to shop our large book fair and stock up on summer reading for your middle school students.

A light snack will be provided at the event, but we need your help for donations. We will also need a few helpers to work at the book fair and help organize the food and break down the tables at the end of the event. Please use this sign-up genius link:

www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C0D4EAEA728A2FB6-knight2 to donate food or your time. Thank you for supporting the arts at LNC.

All Pro Dad Meeting

The final meeting of All Pro Dad for this school year is Thursday, May 11. All MS dads and their kids are invited to this quick, before-school breakfast and 45-minute program of fatherhood and family topics. The meeting begins at 7:00am in the MS cafetorium. Please RSVP with your breakfast order by **May 4** to https://allprodadsday.com/3967. Please be prepared to pay in cash (\$3 per meal) on the morning of the breakfast. Bojangles breakfast choices are: sausage biscuit, chicken biscuit or Bo Berry biscuit and coffee, water or OJ.

Pennies for Juvenile Diabetes



Right now at tax time, it seems like everyone wants our money, right? To add insult to injury, the Builders' Club wants your pennies! We are sponsoring our annual coin drive to raise money to find a cure for Juvenile Diabetes. For the past four years, we have sponsored one of our own LNC high school students in the Carowinds' Walk-a-

Thon with the proceeds going to the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation. Every year we have raised no less than \$500 just from collecting coins during the month of April. The top three homerooms collecting the most coins receives a party. If you find some loose change in your couch cushions, your coat pockets, car console, or dresser drawers, please consider tossing them our way. We appreciate your generosity! Happy Spring!

It's Allergy Season and We Have Noses in Need of Wiping!

Sadly, the school office has finally depleted their supply of paper towels and Kleenex generously donated during last year's Staff Appreciation week and are asking for parents to replenish the supply. You or your student can bring these items to the front desk. Thank you in advance for your support!

LNC Summer Camps:

Basketball Camp

Coach Williams and LNC Knights HS basketball players are holding a summer basketball camp for boys and girls ages 6-13 from June 12 to 16 in the LNC high school gym. The cost, including T-shirt & pizza lunch on June 16, is \$125. Click here for information and a registration form.

Volleyball Camp

Coach Kiley from the HS is holding a Volleyball Camp this summer for rising 5th to 8th grade girls. The camp will be at the HS gym June 26 to June 30 from 9:00am to 12:30pm. See the <u>flyer</u> for information and to sign up.

Football Camp

The LNCharter football team is holding its annual Youth Football Camp June 5 to June 8 on the LNC Varsity football field. The camp is open to rising 5th to 8th graders at all levels. Click here for more information and a registration form.

MS This Week in Pictures

See what our students, teachers and parents are doing on campus and on field trips this week!

ATHLETICS NEWS

Farkas has been on fire



Congratulations to the seniors on the baseball team and their parents (left to right) Daniel Alperi, Kanyon Combs, Jacob Hege, Grayson Hickert and Ryan Farkas



MS Softball

This Week's Athletic Results



If you have photos of our MS & HS athletes in action, please email them to slay@Incharter.org and mjoseph@Incharter.org for placement on our social media, website and Knights News.





Click here to view the Knights News at www.Incharter.org

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