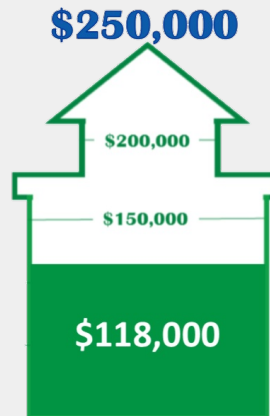


## SCHOOL-WIDE NEWS

### Invest in Excellence

We are almost at the halfway point and we still have a ways to go to meet our [Invest in Excellence](#) \$250,000 goal and accomplish the sports fields, the outdoor science classroom, teacher PD and Tech for our classrooms! Have you have been meaning to donate, but haven't quite found a chance? Please take this moment to make an easy, [online donation](#) OR [establish a recurring gift](#). We have over 60 [families](#) now supporting LNC on a monthly basis through recurring gifts at levels of \$20-\$250/month and we are extremely grateful for their constant and steady support. Every bit helps! Every gift matters! Work on the practice fields is underway at the elementary school land and 12 teachers are preparing to attend the technology education conference, NCTIES, next month. Both were made possible through our parents' support! We are prepared to build the outdoor science classroom this summer for our students' use next fall, but need to raise the funds to make it happen. Many of our teachers have applied for various PD and again, the ability to send them is dependent on our community's support. Thank you for your [Investment in Excellence!](#)



### Encore Performance of LNC's Theater Department

Students are definitely working hard to represent LNC and the entire state of North Carolina before heading to Nationals in Kentucky next month. This is your last chance to catch these top two distinguishing plays on one stage! Tickets are going fast, but are still available until sold out. This will be the largest single high school theatre encore performance in the history of North Carolina with an estimated 1,200 people in attendance. There will be fresh homemade baked concessions to help with our fundraiser, and an auction at the conclusion of the plays. The auction will consist of the only poster with the complete cast and crew signatures!

The performance will be held on Thursday, February 9 at Elevation Church, 8325 Copley Dr. Cornelius, NC 28031. Doors open at 6:00pm and the show starts at 7:00pm. Tickets are available at

<https://www.lncharter.org/Page/393>: General Admission tickets are \$10.00; Lower Orchestra tickets are \$20.00. Please support our Theater students! *Note: the plays contain some material that may not be appropriate for audience members 12 and under.*



### Spring Soiree



We need your help to make our annual social event, The LNC Spring Soiree, a success! Can you volunteer? We have opportunities that you can do from home, the day of (Saturday, 3/25 9AM-1PM) and at the event itself (Saturday, 3/25 6-10PM). Please check out the Sign Up Genius links below to view all our opportunities to get involved and help make this event our best ever:

[Soiree Setup volunteers](#)  
[Soiree Event volunteers](#)

### Need a Form? Go to Schoology

Many of the forms that parents used to get from our website can now be found on [Schoology](#). Looking for the Athletic Eligibility Form, Prescription Drug Authorization Form or Request for Excused Educational Absence? All of these and many more can easily be accessed in the Resources area of either the MSP2P or HSP2P groups. Watch the short video below to learn more about how to find these forms.

February 2, 2017



### STRATEGIC AREA OF FOCUS

#### GLOBAL DIVERSITY and INCLUSION

The objective of the Global Diversity & Inclusion Strategic Focus Area is to create an environment that values and appreciates differences and prepares our students to participate and thrive in an increasingly integrated world.

As a result:

- Students will be sensitive to diversity and demonstrate an understanding of differences through their actions.
- Teachers will thoughtfully design curriculum and instruction to be responsive to student differences, empower students to take action, and model diverse and inclusive behaviors.

To read more, click [here](#)

### QUICK LINKS

[LNC Website](#)

[Donate to LNC - Invest in Excellence](#)

[HS PayPal Portal](#)

[MS PayPal Portal](#)

[2017-18 Calendar](#)

[2016-17 Calendar](#)

[Schoology](#)

[LNC Report Card](#)

[Lunch Program](#)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8IHSZTpJKQw&feature=youtu.be>

Remember we want all parents to be a member of either MS Parent to Parent (MSP2P) and/or HS Parent to Parent (HSP2P).

MSP2P Access Code: 2MB34-KX3ZB

HSP2P Access Code: M4XT8-043FD

## Second Quarter Honor Roll

Congratulations to the students on the [LNCharter honor roll](#) for the second quarter, 2016-17 school year.



**THANK YOU** to our parents for providing the delicious soup and salad lunch for staff Friday and for monitoring the lunch rooms for teachers so they could eat and talk together during their lunches. As always, we appreciate your tremendous support!

## February E-Learning Half-day

Friday, February 17 is a half-day for students. They will have E-Learning in the morning and staff will have professional development in the afternoon. Schedule information will be given to the students and made available to parents closer to that date.

## HIGH SCHOOL NEWS



### Knights of Honor

Congratulations to the Knights of Honor for January, pictured with Principal Smith, back, left to right: Max Doherty and Jake Chambers; front, left to right: Anita Hendricks, Caitlin Lancaster and Katie Bergmann!



### Principal's Coffee Chat

The HS coffee chat is this Tuesday, February 7 at 8:00am in the HS gym lobby. Please park in one of the visitor's spots at the HS campus or in the MS main lot (north lot). Principal Smith will again be live streaming the chat through [Twitter](#). Parents who cannot attend but who want to watch can access the live stream link on [Mr. Smith's Twitter page](#) or on [Schoolology](#) HS Parent to Parent once the chat begins. This link will be archived so parents who can't watch live can watch the chat at their convenience. We are excited about providing the opportunity to every HS parent who wishes to "participate" but can't attend in person. Parents do not need to have a Twitter account to participate. The link can be pasted and watched using any internet browser. We hope you can attend either in person or virtually!

### Saturday Knight Live

Join us for our HS Talent Show, a "knight" of great entertainment! Click [here](#) for more information.

### Regional Scholastic Art Awards

Congratulations to (left to right) Bree Roark, Jacob Piller, Savannah Schroeder, and Christina Torres for winning Regional Scholastic Art Awards! There were 2600 individual entries, making this the largest high school art competition in the country. Jacob's video and Savannah's painting won 1st place gold keys and therefore will be sent to New York in

[Volunteer / Serve10](#)

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[Student Handbook](#)

[Athletic Calendar](#)

## THANK YOU TO OUR SCHOOL SPONSOR



Huntington Learning Center has treated students as individuals and has tailored programs to fit every student's unique needs, academic goals and schedules for almost 40 years. Our results are proven, so you can trust us to help your child succeed.

For the month of February, Huntington is offering a special to LNC families on their services. See [this flyer](#) for more information.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

In February, we celebrate **Black History Month** and **Random Acts of Kindness**

### February 7-10

MS Candy gram sales sponsored by Student Council

### February 7

HS Principal's Coffee Chat, 8:00am (*HS gym lobby*)

PTO meeting, 6:30pm (*MS media center*)

### February 9

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

### February 11

HS Talent Show - Saturday Night Live, 7:00pm (*HS MPR*)

### February 13

PSAT and Pre-ACT Information night, 6:30pm (*HS MPR*)

### February 14

MS Principal's Coffee Chat, 8:15am (*MS community room*)

### February 15

Lunch ordering period opens. 12:00pm (*lunches served 3/15-4/21*)

March to be judged at the national level. These pieces will also be on display in the Knight Gallery at Spirit Square from February 2-22.



**February 16**  
LNC Lottery, 4:00pm (HS MPR)

**February 17**  
E-Learning morning for students  
HS: 7:45-11:15am  
MS: 8:00-11:00am  
Staff PD in the afternoon

**February 20**  
School holiday

**February 27**  
Deadline to order lunches,  
11:59pm (lunches served 3/15-  
4/21)

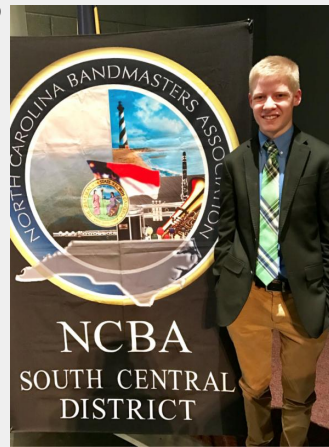
[More upcoming MS events](#)

[More upcoming HS events](#)

[2016-2017 calendar](#)

### All District Band

Two weeks ago, several LNC Band students auditioned to play in the All-District Band. This is a very challenging endeavor that requires a high level of self-discipline to achieve. We are proud to announce that Patrick Dukes excelled at the audition and represented Lake Norman Charter at the All-District concert last Saturday on snare drum. Congratulations Patrick!



**WIN THIS** Tickets \$5,  
5 for \$20  
**Coolest**  
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Coolest.com

All proceeds go to Lake Norman  
Charter Athletics. [www.lknccs.org](http://www.lknccs.org)

### Athletic Booster Club Raffle

The LNC Athletic Booster Club is giving away a Coolest Cooler at the last home high school basketball game this season! Have you seen the Coolest Cooler? It is simply that, the Coolest! Tickets can be purchased at every home LNC high school basketball game for \$5 or 5 for \$20! Come out and support your LNC Knights and take a chance on winning the Coolest Cooler! All proceeds benefit the LNC Athletic Booster Club.

### HS This Week in Pictures

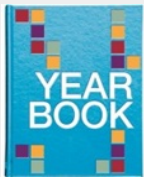
[See](#) what our students, teachers and parents are doing on campus this week.

## MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWS



### Knights of Honor

The middle school Knights of Honor for the month of February have been selected by their teachers for displaying exceptional effort, character, acts of service and a positive attitude. Congratulations to Sophia Phillips, Ivan Dudley, and Elizabeth Barteldt, pictured with Dr. Graham!



### Yearbooks

It's time to order your 2016-17 yearbook for \$29.70 at [www.jostens.com](http://www.jostens.com). The last day to order is Tuesday, February 28.

### Congratulations Geography Bee Winners!

Congratulations to the winners of the LNC Geography Bee: Caleb Bass(right) and runner up Elijah Ford (left). All the contestants did a great job!



### All Pro Dad Meeting

The next meeting of All Pro Dad is Thursday, February 9. All MS dads and their kids are invited to this quick, before-school breakfast and a 45-minute program of fatherhood and family topics beginning at 7:00am in the MS cafetorium.

### Ms. Mervine is Looking for Art Frames

Mrs. Mervine is looking for 8x10" and larger black frames to display our students' art work and help beautify the MS! Please check your attics, basements and closets for any large, black frames at least 8x10" (larger is preferred) that you are not using. Frames can be brought to the MS Office. The Art Department thanks you!



### LNC Summer Volleyball Camp

Attention rising 5th to 8th grade girls. Coach Kiley is holding a Volleyball Camp this summer at the HS gym from June 26 to June 30 from 9:00am to 12:30pm. See [the flyer](#) for information and to sign up.

### MS This Week in Pictures

[See](#) what our students, teachers and parents are doing on campus this week!

## ATHLETICS NEWS

### Knights in the News:

[LNC swims to Big South sweep](#)

[Knights unbeaten in league play, winners of six straight](#)

## [This Week's Athletic Results](#)



### **Senior Lady Knights Basketball Players**

Front row left to right: Summer Taylor, Adrienne Mitchell, Rachel Nguyen

Back row left to right: Conlyn Zogzas, Megan Potuzak, Maggie O'Brien, Juliette Smetana



### **Senior Swim Team Knights**

Front row left to right: Cameron Callahan, Will Napier, Brian Hack

Back row left to right: Kara Jones, Allison Schimmoller, Sydney Carte, and Coach Roy Burch



Teddy Spooner signed to play football at Wingate University.  
Congratulations Teddy!

# KNIGHTS

If you have photos of our MS & HS athletes in action, please email them to [slay@lncharter.org](mailto:slay@lncharter.org) and [mjoseph@lncharter.org](mailto:mjoseph@lncharter.org) for placement on our social media, website and Knights News.



Click here to view the [Knights News](#) at [www.lncharter.org](http://www.lncharter.org)

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