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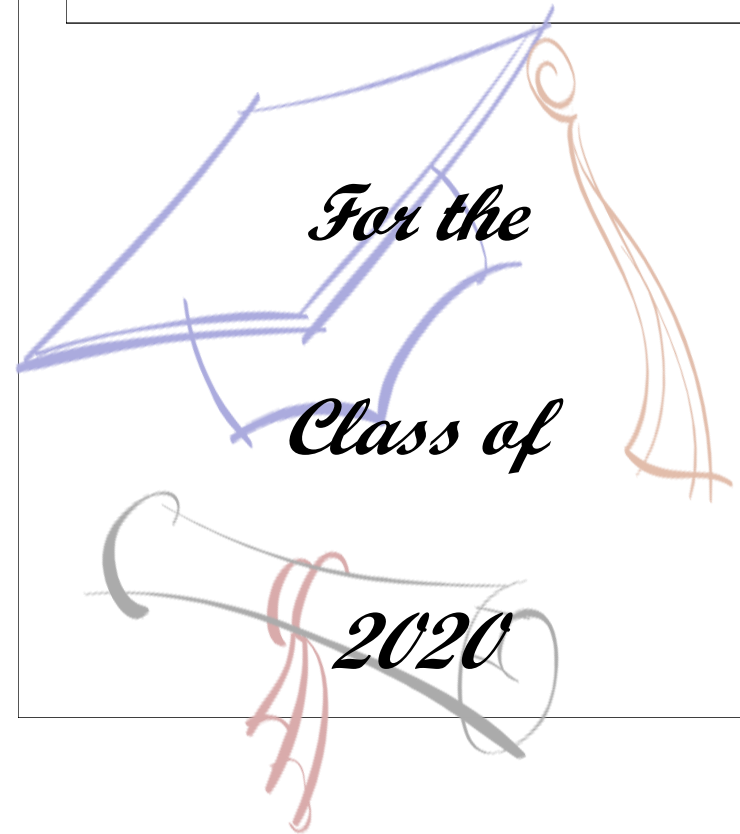
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LANCASTER HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR BOOKLET



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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



Dear Class of 2020,

Congratulations, Class of 2020! I am excited to celebrate your many accomplishments and participate in the variety of senior activities that will take place this year. Be sure to remain aware of all senior deadlines as the time will pass quickly. Enjoy yourself this year and make positive decisions. Know that the staff are here to support you in any way we can. Have a wonderful year and I look forward to seeing you cross the stage on Wednesday, June 3, 2020.

Dr. Tepper

SENIOR ACTIVITIES

YOU DRINK & DRIVE. YOU LOSE.

THE SOBERING FACTS ABOUT IMPAIRED DRIVING

Chances are you, a friend or a family member have been involved in an alcohol-related motor vehicle crash, resulting in personal injury or property damage. In fact, recent studies have shown that three in ten people will become involved in an alcohol-related crash in their lifetimes.

Last year alone, 10,874 traffic fatalities were attributed to impaired driving. Remarkably, these numbers represent a 38.4 percent decrease from previous years. While these results are encouraging, the fact remains that too many lives are lost each year to a tragedy that can be avoided. That's why the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) has initiated the ***You Drink & Drive. You Lose.*** campaign, with the goal of reducing the current fatality rate to no more than 11,000 per year **by the year 2020.** Through this effort, NHTSA hopes to educate the public about the dangers associated with impaired driving, creating not only a change in attitude, but a change in behavior.

What constitutes impairment?

Impairment begins with one alcoholic drink – whether it be "hard" liquor, wine or beer. Once alcohol is consumed, it is absorbed by an individual's blood system, and can be measured as Blood Alcohol Concentration (BAC). Studies show that even one drink decreases one's ability to react quickly, a factor that can prove fatal when an impaired individual gets behind the wheel of an automobile.

How do I know when I'm past my limit?

While accepted BAC levels vary from state to state, the rate of absorption in one's body varies according to an individual's height, weight, experience with alcohol and food consumed prior to alcohol consumption. So it is a good idea to assign a designated driver and/or plan alternate modes of transportation when even a minimal amount of alcohol is consumed in any given situation.

What will happen to me if I get caught?

If an individual is found to be impaired while driving, he/she will experience criminal repercussions. These repercussions can include fines, the loss of driving privileges, incarceration, higher insurance rates and a criminal record. Law enforcement officers are cracking down on impaired drivers, stepping up their policing activities on a regular basis, and implementing a network of sobriety checkpoints and saturation patrols throughout the year.

The question of being caught, however, is a major factor in the impaired driving problem. The public needs, instead, to ask, what will happen if I don't get caught? This answer is much more frightening, and carries with it much more dire consequences than fines, prosecution or the loss of one's license. The destruction impaired drivers inflict upon their communities is immeasurable. Everyone is affected by the impaired driver's irresponsible and malicious behavior, whether it be from higher taxes or the emotional destruction a family experiences after losing a loved one. Because no matter how you look at it, when ***You Drink & Drive. You Lose.***

SENIOR ACTIVITIES

LANCASTER HIGH SCHOOL ALMA MATER

Oh dear Lancaster High School with all our Eagle pride,
The memories that we've made here we'll keep all through our lives.

We had a lot of fun with friends we've loved so well,
We've learned the things of tomorrow for the years we can't foretell.

We'll sing our Alma Mater, our memories will stay true,
To our Lancaster High School Eagles the colors red white and blue.

CAUTION AND CONGRATULATIONS

Remember, this booklet does not ensure graduation. All seniors must fulfill the academic requirements as set forth by the State of California, The Antelope Valley Union High School District, and Lancaster High School. Congratulations to all of you who are graduating members of Lancaster High School's

CLASS OF 2020!!

NOTES FROM GUIDANCE

Graduation requirement: 230 credits in the 11 Curricular areas and 10 credits of Algebra 1 (or equivalent).

FAFSA (Financial Aid) deadline: March 2nd



CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

February 1	Last day to turn in & pay for Senior Dedication Page Form
February 21	End of Pre Sale - Yearbooks \$80.00 with ASB CARD \$85.00 without ASB
February 26	Prom & Grad Nite Rush Day 1:30p - 3:00p Student Store by Appt
March 12	Last day to pay for Prom
April 4	The Odyssey - Apollo & Garden Ballrooms
April 24	Online Graduation Packets Available to Seniors
May	Yearbooks due to arrive. If not Pre-Ordered price will be \$90.00
May 1	Last Day to order Cap and Gowns with Jostens
May 15	Online Graduation Agreement - Final Due Date turn in to the Activities Office by 3:00p (No Agreement no Ceremony)
May 19	Senior Awards Night in the LnHS Lg. Gym (6:00p)
May 22	Senior Sunset - Football Field
May 25	No School - Memorial Day
May 29	Senior Check Out & Library Clearance - Clear all financial obligations with <i>CASH or credit card</i> by these dates at 2:30p
May 28 - 29	Senior Finals & I.S. & APEX work needs to be completed
May 29	Distribute of caps and gowns in Library with Civics/Econ Class
May 29	Grad Night at Universal Studios "Grad Bash" Boarding @ 4:00p
June 1	Graduation Practice (1) (MANDATORY) 8:00a – 11:30a All Senior Grad Practice in Lg. Gym/Football field
June 2	Graduation Practice (2) (MANDATORY) 8:00a – 11:30a All Senior Grad Practice in Lg. Gym/Football field
June 2	Distribution of Graduation Tickets after Grad Practice 10:30-11:30
June 3	GRADUATION 6:00p (Students be in Large Gym at 4:30p)
June 3	Distribution of Diplomas after graduation in front of school.

~ Dates, Times, & Information are subject to change without notice. ~

SENIOR ACTIVITIES

This booklet is designed to assist you in planning for your upcoming senior activities. These activities are specifically for graduating seniors. Please note the events and the details that describe them. If you have any questions, feel free to contact the Activities Office at 726-7649, ext. 789.

STANDARDS OF CONDUCT

School rules and regulations are expected to be followed at all Senior Activities. Appropriate behavior is expected as well as regular school attendance to be eligible for all senior activities. Remember senior activities, in particular graduation, are privileges. Participation in activities and the graduation ceremony can be revoked by Administration.

SENIOR AWARDS

DATE: May 19, 2020

TIME: 6:00 p.m.

PLACE: Lancaster Large Gym

The Senior Awards Night will honor seniors for achievements in various areas from outside organizations and universities.

The event is by invitation only

Senior girls should wear dresses, dress slacks and blouses. Senior boys should wear slacks, dress shirt with collar and tie. **NO JEANS.**

GRADUATION ANNOUNCEMENTS DISTRIBUTED

Date Early Spring

All graduating seniors who have placed orders for announcements will be contacted when the Graduation Announcements arrive.



SENIOR ACTIVITIES

GRAD NIGHT AT UNIVERSAL STUDIOS "Grad Bash"

DATE: Friday, May 29, 2020

TIME: Bus Boarding at 4:00 p.m.
Bus Leaves 4:30 p.m. **sharp**
Returning LnHS – 3:30 a.m. (approx.)

COST: **One-Day Discount Sale** on Wednesday, Feb. 26th by appt only

Tickets will be on sale at Student Store from 1:30pm-3pm
Tickets will be \$100.00 w/ASB \$105.00 w/o ASB card.

Regular Ticket Sale will be February 27th - March 12th
Tickets will be available for sale during the school day only.
The tickets will be \$110 with ASB and \$115 without ASB.

PLACE: Universal Studios - Hollywood

Transportation: By chartered buses or school buses (no exceptions) departing from LnHS parking lot.

ALL TICKET SALES ARE FINAL!! NO REFUNDS!!

Following items are PROHIBITED:

Weapons, knives, laser pointers, and chemical irritants of any kind over-the-counter medications; electronic cigarettes, tobacco or tobacco related products such as lighters, matches, pipes, etc.; and alcohol or any controlled substance.

Any containers with fluids of any kind; this includes water, any drinks and Perfumes Aerosol cans/bottles of any type

Bags and backpacks (All purses/bags must be smaller than 8 ½" x 5.5")

Dress code will be available with the Application. The cost for the Universal Grad Bash is per person. Included is transportation, entrance, unlimited use of attractions (with the exception of the arcade), dancing, and entertainment. Consent forms are required for each participant. Behavior standards are strictly enforced; Universal Studios sets the requirements for transportation, dress and behavior. If a problem arises, parents/guardians will be called to pick up the graduates. Tickets must be purchased in advance at the Student Store or Accounting Office with **CASH or credit card**. For further information, see Mrs. Mendoza or call 726-7649, ext. 796.



SENIOR ACTIVITIES

COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

DATE: Wednesday, June 3, 2020

TIME: 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

PLACE: Lou Bozigian Football Stadium

All graduates are to report at 4:30 p.m. to the large gym. BE ON TIME! Caps and gowns must be worn. Girls are reminded to wear dresses or skirts and blouses and to leave purses with parents. Boys should wear suits, or slacks and jackets with shirts and ties. Please do not wear sandals or white socks. Students should leave presents or other items with parents during graduation. Do not bring items to carry (camera, sunglasses). There will be no check-in of valuables and the school will not be responsible for them.

Graduates are not permitted to carry anything, nor adorn their cap and gown.

NOTE: Graduates will be photographed as they receive their diplomas by a professional photography company. Proofs will be mailed to the graduates in the summer with prices and information packets. Be sure we have your current address in Powerschool to insure you receive your Proofs.

The Graduation Ceremony is not mandatory! It is a privilege which comes only once in a person's lifetime!

DIPLOMA PICK UP

DATE: Wednesday, June 3, 2020

TIME: After Graduation

PLACE: in front of School

Graduates will receive only the cover of their diplomas when they go through the ceremony. The actual diploma will be passed out in front of school immediately after Graduation. Please make every effort to pick it up at this time. Otherwise, diplomas are available the following day from 8:00am-11:00am, then Monday through Friday from 8:00am-11:00am with the Registrar, Mrs. Boehm, 661-726-7649 ext. 783.



SENIOR ACTIVITIES

SENIOR PROM

DATE: Saturday, April 04, 2020

TIMES: 5:00pm - Boarding Buses ~ 5:30pm - Buses depart LnHS
Buses return to LnHS - approx. 12:30am - 1:00am

PLACE: The Odyssey - Apollo & Garden Ballrooms

COST: **One-Day Discount Sale** on Wed., Feb 26th by **Appt. Only**
Tickets will be on sale at Student Store from 1:30pm-3:00pm
Tickets will be \$125.00 with or without ASB card

Regular Ticket Sale will be February 27th - March 12th.
Tickets will be available for sale during the school day only.
The tickets will be \$135. with ASB and \$140. without ASB.

Prom Applications are online. Application Deadlines is
Wed., Feb. 19 for Rush Day Sales or Wed., March 4 for Reg. Sales.

ALL TICKET SALES ARE FINAL!! NO REFUNDS!!

You may make a deposit of \$30.00 to hold a ticket and make payments towards the Prom Bid. All tickets must be paid for in full with

CASH or credit card by Friday, March 12th, 2020.

The above prices are for one person. Double prices per couple.

The last date to pay with a personal check is February 28th. After that date only cashier's check, money order, cash or credit cards will be accepted. All Students must submit an application and have a 2.0 on the 1st Sem. report card. Positive Discipline & Attendances is required. Student Applications will be available online on Feb. 3rd. Guest Applications will be available on the bulletin board across from the Activities Office and must be turned in by Feb. 19th for Rush Day. This is a formal dinner-dance. Girls are to wear formal or party dresses. No bare mid-ribs or dresses that are low-cut in the front or back. Hemlines need to be at knee length or longer. Boys are to wear suits, dinner jackets or a tux. Zoot suits, chains and walking canes will not be allowed. Regular sale tickets will be sold at snack, lunch or after school only.

All students MUST show their school I.D. and be at least high school level. Only guests under the age of 21 will be permitted to attend on an approved guest pass. Guests must have a current drivers license or school I.D. (Guest applications will be available on the bulletin board across from the Activities Office and must be turned in by due dates above.) All students and guests MUST ride the chartered or school busses.

All school discipline policies apply while attending the Prom. Any Violations will result in Non participation in the Graduation Ceremony.



SENIOR ACTIVITIES

TRANSCRIPTS

If you are planning to attend a college, university, or trade school in the fall and they are expecting you to furnish an official transcript after graduation, you'll need to order your transcript on-line through www.parchment.com. Follow the instructions to set up an account and order your transcript. You'll need a debit or credit card to pay a fee for each transcript.

CAP AND GOWN ORDERS

All seniors participating in the graduation exercises should have ordered their caps and gowns. Deadline to order Cap & Gown is May 1, 2020. If you have not placed your order, Call Jostens at 800-567-8367

CAPS AND GOWNS

Caps and gowns will be issued in the Library on May 29, 2020 with your Social Studies Class ***Please press the gown to remove wrinkles.*** Put your cap on well forward with the short point almost between your eyebrow. Wear your tassel over your **RIGHT** eye.

Please do not throw your caps in the air after graduation. There are many important reasons:

You most likely will not find your cap again, and most students like to keep their personal cap as an important keepsake. Even if you could locate your personal cap, it will likely end up in the dirt and walked on before you retrieve it.

ACCESSORIES

Everyone should bring several bobby pins and a couple of safety pins for emergencies. It may be very windy, and you will need to secure your hats with bobby pins. If something breaks on your gown, you may need your safety pins. Do not chase your hat or anything else that may blow away. We will have Junior Class Ushers pick up items that are retrievable for you when possible.

Most importantly, what goes up must come down. More than one student has lost an eye from the sharp corner of a cap hitting them. Please don't take a chance on ruining a friend's graduation, their eye, or even your own from an avoidable disaster.

The graduation gown is also yours to keep. Take care of it. Many graduates keep both their cap and gown as important keepsakes.



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1. Graduates are to be courteous during the entire ceremony and are to refrain from any activity which is disruptive, distracting or dangerous. Please follow directions.
2. Graduates are not to carry anything with them into the ceremony. Caps and gowns shall not be altered or decorated in any fashion. Purses and other personal items are to be left with family members and guests.
3. Any student who appears to have been drinking prior to the ceremony or appears to be under the influence of any controlled substance will not be allowed to participate. Graduates are prohibited from drinking or smoking during the ceremony.
4. Graduates will dress appropriately for a ceremony of this nature. Examples of inappropriate dress are beach and sports clothing, thong-type sandals, jeans, t-shirts, etc. Dress code policy will be enforced. If a candidate for graduation violates any of the above behavior standards, that student will NOT receive a diploma at Graduation and will be asked to leave the ceremony. The student will be required to attend a parent conference with the principal the week following graduation.

GRADES

All requirements must be met before the school can certify graduation. **Seniors failing to meet graduation requirements cannot participate in the Graduation ceremony.**



SENIOR ACTIVITIES

GRADUATION PRACTICE

Location ~ Lou Bozigian Football Stadium

DATES: June 1st at 8:00 -11:30 a.m. in large gym & on football field
June 2nd at 8:00 -11:30 a.m. in large gym & on football field

Participation in all Graduation practices are **MANDATORY** in order to participate in the actual Graduation ceremony. **NO EXCEPTIONS.** You **MUST** have your graduation contract signed and returned to the **Activities Office on or before Friday, May 15, 2020 by 3:00 p.m.** in order to attend practice and graduation. You **MUST** also present a school ID card for entry onto the Lou Bozigian football field.

Please remember that the announcements you ordered are not invitations. There is a difference! You are announcing to family and friends of your up-coming graduation. Admission to graduation is by **Ticket Only**, and each senior will receive up to five (5) tickets for guests.

REMINDER: *Graduates must attend Graduation practice to participate in the Graduation Ceremony!! All debts to the school must be cleared in order to participate in the ceremony.*

EXPECTATIONS OF GRADUATION PARTICIPANTS

Graduation is an important and dignified ceremony, which has meaning for the graduating senior, parents, family and Lancaster High School. The ceremony signifies the successful culmination of thirteen years of education. In order to assure a graduation ceremony which is meaningful for all, the following is expected of all participants:



SENIOR FINALS & CHECK OUT DAY

LIBRARY CLEARANCE

DATE: On or Before May 29, 2020

TIME: 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

PLACE: Library

TEXTBOOKS

Seniors may return textbooks before May 29, 2020.
Please check textbooks in only after students no longer need them.

SENIOR FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS AND CLEARANCE DAY

DATE: Wednesday - Friday, May 29, 2020

PLACE: Accounting Office

TIME: 8:00 - 11:30 & 12:30 - 2:30

Seniors must pay all financial obligations before receiving Cap and Gown.

MUST BE PAID BY CASH OR CREDIT CARD ONLY!

FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE

May 28 & 29, 2020

SENIORS CHECK OUT DAYS

May 29, 2020

YEARBOOK

All Yearbooks are \$75.00 until October 18th.
2nd Quarter Price: \$75.00 with ASB card & \$80.00 without ASB card
3rd Quarter Price: \$80.00 with ASB card & \$85.00 without ASB card
(1/1/20 - 2/21/20 end of Pre-Sale)

Only a limited amount of yearbooks will be ordered after presale & will be sold 1st come 1st serve basis. When books arrive price will be \$90.00 while supplies last.

Senior Dedication Ads are available for purchase. Full page - \$100.00, Half page - \$50.00, 1/4 page - \$25.00, & Senior Portrait Size - \$15.00. Senior Dedication Ad Forms are available on the bulletin board across from the Activities Office. You may turn in your Senior Dedication form and payment to the Accounting Office no later than Feb 3, 2020. Only available while pages last!!



PROM

Date: April 4, 2020

*Place: The Odyssey
Apollo & Garden Ballrooms*

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SENIOR AWARDS

Date: May 19, 2020

Time: 6:00 p.m.

Place: Lancaster High School
Large Gym

More Details on Page 3



COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

DATE: Wednesday, June 3, 2020

TIME: 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

PLACE: Lou Bozigian Football Stadium

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Grad Bash 2020

DATE: Friday, May 29, 2020

TIME: Boarding 4:00 p.m. sharp
Leaving LnHS at 4:30 p.m.
Returning Lancaster High School
approx. 3:30 a.m.

PLACE: Universal Studios ~ Grad Bash

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