

# Monday Message

March 29, 2021



## President's Message

Dear all,

We have been successfully navigating an incredibly challenging year. We are just four weeks out from our spring break (April 26-30), followed by “dead week,” finals, and our live [commencement events](#) Friday, May 14, (three ceremonies at 9 a.m., 12 p.m., and 3 p.m. at Harris Field). We've been steadfast in our protocol compliance and as a result kept our campus community safe and operational. We've done well together. I am both proud and appreciative.

And so, as we look toward the end of the school year and for many, a return to families and friends, **I have good news ... actually, I have GREAT NEWS!** LC State is partnering with Public Health - Idaho North Central District, and will have a vaccine clinic available to students, faculty and staff on Friday, April 2, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. This clinic will focus on the Johnson & Johnson/Janssen COVID-19 vaccine, which as you likely know, is a single dose vaccination. The one-and-done opportunity this vaccine provides will be especially helpful to many of our students as they conclude the semester and prepare to travel home. It will be administered **free of charge** to any student, faculty or staff member aged 18 or older who wishes to be vaccinated, and has not received other COVID-19 vaccine(s).

Participation in the clinic will require an appointment. To make one, follow this link: [www.idahoprepmod.com/reg/1560324914](http://www.idahoprepmod.com/reg/1560324914)

Public Health - Idaho North Central District is located at 215 10th Street in downtown Lewiston. You are welcome to drive yourself to your appointment or take advantage of a free shuttle service provided by the college. Shuttles will depart every 20 minutes from the west parking lot just outside the Williams Conference Center, starting at 8:30 a.m. on Friday. The shuttles can accommodate six people at a time and will be available on a first come, first served basis.

I want our students and employees to be able to be as safe as possible on campus and off, here and at home, wherever home is. If you have not done so already, it is my sincere hope that by the end-of-day this coming Friday hundreds of us will have had our immune response activated through vaccination (it takes about two-weeks post vaccination for the immune system to mount an antibody response to the vaccine).

Public Health will continue to maintain its weekly appointment-based two-shot vaccination schedule ([www.idahoprepmod.com](http://www.idahoprepmod.com) or call 208-799-3100); and, for those unable to attend this coming Friday, a second J&J vaccine clinic opportunity will be provided Friday, April 9, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.. To make an appointment for April 9 visit: [www.idahoprepmod.com/reg/6075129844](http://www.idahoprepmod.com/reg/6075129844).

**Let's do this Warriors!**

Cynthia Pemberton, Ed.D.  
President

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## Events

- **March 30 – Tuesdays at Two** – President Pemberton’s Tuesdays at Two will continue through Zoom (<https://lscs.zoom.us/j/861031866>). All are welcome to join the conversation.
  - **April 7 – Ask & Answer** – Mark your calendar, President Pemberton will host Ask & Answer from noon-1 p.m. on [Zoom – 891-7023-0140](https://lscs.zoom.us/j/89170230140).
  - **April 9 – Faculty & Staff Recognition** – The Faculty & Staff Recognition Event is Friday, April 9, at 12:30 p.m. This year’s event will be held in the Silverthorne for the award recipients (contingent upon COVID-19 realities). The campus community will be invited to [watch via Zoom](#).
  - **April 23 – LC Connection** – [LC Connection](#), a preview event for prospective high school students, will be held on Friday, April 23. Please join the Admissions Office in welcoming these students to our beautiful campus by wearing LC State attire and your nametags. You may even consider a welcome sign in your office or lobby, providing giveaways that highlight your program, or adding a welcome slide to monitors in your buildings. Please contact the Admissions Office if you have any questions.
  - **May 14 – Commencement** – LC State’s 2021 [Commencement](#) ceremonies will be held on Friday, May 14, at Harris Field. [Read this letter sent to graduates \(PDF\)](#) for details.
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## Announcements

- **Coronavirus Updates & Risk Level:** For the latest coronavirus updates and information visit [www.lscs.edu/coronavirus](http://www.lscs.edu/coronavirus). The page will continue to be updated with resources and FAQs. In accordance with its [Operational Levels](#), LC State’s current risk level is: Minimal.
  - **Cases Update:** Currently there is **one** active case and **no** students in isolation in campus housing. The college has had **25** confirmed cases this spring. For the latest numbers visit the coronavirus webpage.
  - **Vaccine Availability:** Public Health - Idaho North Central District has opened vaccine availability to ages 16 and over. To schedule an appointment visit [www.idahoprepmod.com](http://www.idahoprepmod.com) or call 208-799-3100.
- **Recruitment at LC State:** The Admissions Office will be offering four segments in upcoming Monday Messages about recruitment and enrollment. Here’s the first:
  - If you look at the stages a prospective student navigates before reaching an enrollment decision, it is best to visualize a funnel. At the top of the funnel is the prospect/inquiry stage (student is thinking about college and inquiring about LC State), followed by applicant (student has applied but has not made a final decision about enrolling), and admit. When a student makes the decision to register for courses at LC State, they enter the enrolled stage at the bottom of the funnel. Each stage has its own unique activities to encourage students to filter down to the next one. To learn more about how the Admissions Office, Advising Center and divisions handle each stage, refer to this [Enrollment Funnel guide](#).
- **Week of Giving:** Warrior Athletics is gearing up to launch its Warriors Week of Giving, April 5-11. Ambassadors are needed to help spread the word. Contact Melissa at [mdweitz@lscs.edu](mailto:mdweitz@lscs.edu) for more info.
- **Campus Climate Survey:** Students have been sent the Campus Climate Survey. Please encourage them to respond. Responses will help the college meet its obligations as per the U.S.

Department of Education to improve our response, intervention, and prevention efforts regarding student safety. The survey will close Tuesday, April 6, at 5 p.m.

- **Sexual Assault Awareness Month:** April is Sexual Assault Awareness Month. Beginning April 1, there will be a display in the SUB for the “What were you wearing” campaign. This is an art exhibit based on student-survivor descriptions of the clothes they were wearing during their sexual assault. The stories are collected from survivors and used with their permission. You will also notice teal ribbons placed around campus in an effort to raise awareness of sexual assault. Throughout the month, students will receive information about sexual assault, consent, resources, and how to support a friend as part of the all-student email they receive each Wednesday. Lastly, April 28 is Denim Day. Please join millions of people from across the world in support of survivors, and educate yourself and others about all forms of sexual violence ([denimdayinfo.org](http://denimdayinfo.org)). For more information on resources, support, or how to report a sexual assault, visit [www.lcsc.edu/office-of-equity-inclusion-and-compliance](http://www.lcsc.edu/office-of-equity-inclusion-and-compliance).
- **Volunteer for Commencement:** Volunteers are needed for LC State’s three [commencement](#) ceremonies on May 14 at Harris Field. Those interested are asked to obtain supervisor approval and then reach out to Caroline Hatfield in the Office of the Provost at [cshatfield@lcsc.edu](mailto:cshatfield@lcsc.edu) or 208-792-2213.
- **CTL Director Position Search:** Center for Teaching & Learning director candidate, Dr. Marlowe Daly-Galeano, will deliver a campus presentation via Zoom (<https://lcsc.zoom.us/j/84307379756>) on Thursday, April 1, at 3:15 p.m. She will discuss her vision for the future of LC State’s CTL.
- **Advance Registration, April 12-15:** Advance Registration Week is just around the corner with April 12-15 reserved for current students. Now is the time to reach out to advisees and students you see on campus to put this on their radar. Early registration is not only the best way for students to obtain their most ideal schedule, it is the best way for us to begin measuring the health of our fall enrollment. To help us celebrate Advance Registration week, all staff and faculty are encouraged to wear LC gear or LC colors during the week. For more information, visit [www.lcsc.edu/registrar/student-information/register-for-classes](http://www.lcsc.edu/registrar/student-information/register-for-classes). Help us make Advance Registration for fall 2021 our most successful week yet!
- **HR Updates:** Warrior Wellness Week is April 5-9. For more information and to register for events, visit [www.lcsc.edu/hr/wellness/lc-state-wellness-week](http://www.lcsc.edu/hr/wellness/lc-state-wellness-week).
- **Cybersecurity Training:** On Feb. 16, all employees should have received an email from [cybertraining@dhr.idaho.gov](mailto:cybertraining@dhr.idaho.gov) to complete an updated Cybersecurity Training. This is a legitimate email and action will need to be taken as this training completion is due March 31, 2021.

