

Monday Message

June 28, 2021



President's Message

Dear all,

Please take a moment to read and review the Idaho Ed News article: [Eighteen months, 5,000 students: Idaho colleges and universities face a deep enrollment decline](#).

We have an uphill climb. This is no surprise. Make time for a bit of rest and take heart. We are strategically positioned to make the climb.

Cynthia Pemberton, Ed.D.
President

Events

- **June 29 – Tuesday at Two** – President Pemberton's Tuesdays at Two continue through Zoom (<https://lcsc.zoom.us/j/861031866>). All are welcome to join the conversation. Note: There will not be a Tuesdays at Two meeting July 6.
- **July 8, 15, 22, 29 – Destination LC** – The Admissions Office is holding [Destination LC](#) events for fall 2021 applicants and prospects on Thursdays in July from 3-7 p.m. in Coeur d'Alene (DeArmond Building), Boise (Coffee Mill), and Lewiston (RCH). Students will be able to drop by at their convenience and receive help from Admissions, the Advising Center, Accessibility Services, Financial Aid, Student Accounts, Registrar, Sodexo, Bookstore, SUB/CSL, Residence Life, Testing Center, and Student Employment – Career Center. Division representatives will also be available to help with registering transfer students and to provide information.
- **July 28 – Compliance Training Day** – Annual Compliance Training Day is July 28. Employees will focus on completing as much, if not all, of their annual compliance training on this one day. The morning schedule will include updated information from key departments on campus, and the afternoon will focus on annual SafeColleges Compliance Trainings.

Announcements

- **Coronavirus Updates & Risk Level:** For the latest coronavirus updates and information visit www.lcsc.edu/coronavirus. In accordance with its [Operational Levels](#), LC State's current risk level is: Minimal.
 - **Cases Update:** Currently there are **no** active cases and **no** students in isolation in campus housing.

- **Vaccine Availability:** Public Health - Idaho North Central District has opened vaccine availability to all ages. To schedule an appointment visit www.idahoprepmod.com or call 208-799-3100.
- **LC State protocols:** Ongoing protocol decisions will continue to be guided by science and safety, with summer modifications (see [Summer 2021 Outlook](#)) in effect May 17-Aug. 6 (aligned with summer hours).
- **Vaccination Challenge:** LC State is proud to partner with colleges and universities across Idaho and the country to support the [COVID-19 College Vaccination Challenge](#). The Challenge invites colleges/universities to make sure members of their campus communities know where to go to get a vaccine; and to lead and pave the way by helping to make vaccination options and opportunities readily available (e.g., our spring vaccine clinics, coordinated in partnership with Public Health, and scheduled in time for vaccination to be complete prior to the end of school, are an example of our efforts to help put the pandemic in the past).
- **CTE Assistant Dean / BTS Division Chair:** Michelle Nelson has been named assistant dean of Career & Technical Education and chair of the Business Technology & Service (BTS) Division. Nelson, who served as BTS chair from July 2019 to December 2020, is a graduate of the University of Idaho where she earned a bachelor's in office administration and a master's in adult education. She will begin in July.
- **Billing for Fall Semester:** Student Accounts will start billing students who are enrolled for the fall semester on July 6 and email notifications will be sent to students via LCMail starting July 7. Students are encouraged to contact [Student Accounts](#) as soon as possible if they have financial concerns or need clarification on what action to take prior to the semester.
- **LC Welcome Fair:** LC State offices and organizations can register for the LC State Welcome Fair, which will be held Aug. 25 at 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Registration [online](#) is free until Aug. 4. A \$10 late-registration fee will be assessed from Aug. 4-11. Registration will close after Aug. 11.
- **HR Updates:**
 - [June Newsletter](#)
 - Summer hours will be in effect May 17-Aug. 6. See intranet for details.

