

Linn-Mar High School
Daily Announcements
Tuesday December 11 2018

Linn-Mar students who have outstanding detentions must serve them before Friday, Dec 21st. This is the last day before holiday break. You may serve your detention each morning in the 9/10 Office or 11/12 Office starting at 7:30am. Your second option is to serve your detention after school Monday through Thursday in the Learning Center starting at 3:35pm.

The annual Student Council sponsored all school Pancake Breakfast & Festive Holiday Sweater day will be THIS Friday Dec 14th! We will be serving fresh hot pancakes in the Food Court from 7:30-8:25am. This is for ALL staff and ALL students here at the High School.

Don't forget to get in the spirit of Fun and find an Ugly/Festive Holiday Sweater to wear! We encourage everyone to dig out their ugly holiday sweaters, or create your own!

Linn-Mar and Marion PD want you to be safe! Attend one of the five self-defense classes, Dec 17th, 18th and 21st. All will be, held in the Aux gym the week before winter break. You can sign up by scanning the QR code on the self defense posters posted in the halls or the link on the LM website Everyone is welcomed and classes are free but hurry because there's a limited spots available!

Are you wondering who won the November Wildcat Food Pantry Grocery Cart contest and by how much?! Look for the posters posted around the building with pictures! With all of the donations we received, we have doubled the size of our food pantry! Thank you to Linn Mar's Head Custodian, Brenda Long, Student Supervisor, Chris Duggan, Key Club and NHS for your help with this project. A special thank you goes out to the 11th & 12th graders- you won! You came from behind filling the equivalent of 2 grocery carts! Staff came in 2nd filling just a little over a grocery cart and 9th/10th graders came in strong filling their cart to the top. All Staff & students you did an amazing job - thank you everyone who participated in the competition. Our Pantry is overflowing and ready to help our students!!!

Clubs

There will be a Teens Against Human Trafficking meeting this Wed Dec 12 at 8am in rm L110, Mrs. Murrays room, Any student interested in getting involved in this organization is welcome to join.

Any softball players looking for NHS or CORDS hours, lease see Coach Murray about heling with this Thursday Wrestling meet.

The Linn-Mar FFA Chapter will be having their December Chapter Meeting and Winter Break Party this Thursday, December 13th after school at 3:45 pm in Ms. Lemmer's room, E130! We will have our regular meeting, snacks, watch a movie and a White Elephant gift exchange! Those that would like to participate in the White Elephant need to attend the meeting and bring a gift to participate. Spending limit is 5-7 dollars! All are welcome to attend!

Individual Contest Speech member, There will be a meeting TODAY December 11th at 3:30 in the Lecture Hall. We will sign up for events that day. If you can't attend that meeting, see Mrs. Fry after Tuesday.

Attention SODA & TRY students. Bowman Woods Elementary is looking for High School students to help with childcare Friday, December 14th from 5:45-8:00pm. If you are interested see Mr. McCauley.

The Riff Room Blog is up and running! Check it out to read work written by some of Linn-Mar's top writers. If you are interested in writing for the blog, click on the 'Writing for the Blog' tab on the Riff Room Blog website.

SPORTS

GIRLS Basketball T-shirts are in and can be picked up in Rm G149, Mrs. Azelborn's room.

BOYS BASKETBALL T-shirts are in and can be picked up in the Athletic Office.

TUESDAY, DEC 11, 2018	6:00pm	Prairie High School	Linn-Mar High School	
Basketball: Girls JV Game				
Basketball: Boys Sophomore Game	6:00pm	Prairie High School	Cedar Rapids Prairie High School	4:40pm
Swimming: Boys Varsity Meet	6:00pm	Iowa City West	Linn-Mar High School	Linn-Mar Aquatic Center
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Basketball: Girls Varsity Game	7:30pm	Prairie High School	Linn-Mar High School	Main Gym
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COUNSELING NEWS

Exciting news! The counseling offices have launched a new instagram account. Follow @linnmarhscounseling Another easy way for you to stay in the know on important news and opportunities you won't want to miss out on!

Wednesday, December 12th 8 a.m.: PSAT Score Information Lecture Hall – Sophomores/Juniors that took the PSAT in October are invited to the Lecture Hall for more information on understanding their score and what it means. For more information, see Mr. Kennedy or stop in the College/Career Center.

****Seniors:** Make sure you fill out the [FAFSA](#) (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) ASAP. **We encourage ALL families with students heading to college to fill this out regardless of financial situation.** This is the only way to be eligible for federal aid to help pay for colleges and many colleges require it to be filled out for

scholarships. If all you receive is loans and don't want them, you can decline aid! It's better to have the form filled out and not need it, than to not have it filled out at all and need it!

Coming Up...

Wednesday, December 19th 8 a.m. Finding Scholarships in College/Career Center: Overwhelmed by the scholarship process? Don't know where to start to find scholarships or where to focus your efforts? Stop in to the College/Career Center to find out everything there is to know about the scholarship process.

Wednesday, December 19th 1:55 p.m. - 2:40 p.m. College Student Panel in Little Theater: Former Linn-Mar students are coming back to talk about their experience in college. Come find out what they wish they had known in high school, tips that they recommend to current high school students, and more. Also, get any questions you have answered. This is always a popular event! Stop in the College/Career Center or 11/12 office to sign up and receive a pass.

Thursday, December 20th 10 a.m. Iowa BIG Information Session in College/Career Center: Current sophomore/junior students are you interested in Iowa BIG next year? Not quite sure what it's all about? Sign up to attend this information session during Study Table time. Sign up in the College/Career Center. **Note: If you are requested by a teacher for Study Table, you will be required to attend that instead.**

Community Events and Other Information...

****Seniors:** Just a reminder that all transcript requests to colleges and teacher recommendation letters are done through Family Connection. If you need help with this process stop in the College/Career Center or see your School Counselor.

Parking 18-19

****Students who have parking tags to park on campus MUST advise Mrs. Sturenfeldt in the 11/12 Office of any changes of vehicle information including new license plates. Vehicles not registered to park on campus will be ticketed.**

Students must park in their designated parking lots. The North parking lot is set up for students and staff to have designated areas to park. The South parking lot is blended parking which means student and staff share the parking lot together. Students need to have their parking tags displayed at all times.

Parking Lot Reminder! Students are not allowed to park in the visitor or staff parking areas during school hours. This is a parking violation and you will receive a parking fine of \$25.00.

Park in your designated lot with your parking tag displayed to avoid being ticketed.

Students who drive their moped to school need to park on the designated area in the South Lot. Please register your moped before driving it on campus. Students who have the privilege of parking on campus please remember to follow the Linn-Mar parking guidelines to avoid getting a parking fine:

- Park in your designated parking lot.
- Always have your parking tag displayed in your vehicle.
- Register any car you drive on campus to the 11th/12th office. •

Parking tags are not transferable.

- Do NOT parking in staff, visitors or handicap areas.
- Parking fines costs \$25.00 and must be paid within 14 days.
- Receiving 3 parking fines will result in the loss of your parking tag for the school year. •
- Students are NOT allowed to park at Excelsior Middle School.
- Students are NOT allowed to park in the apartment lots across the street.
- Students parking on the street, please do not block driveways or fire hydrants or you will get ticketed by the Marion Police.
- The East Lot is for South Lot overflow parking only.

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