

**Linn-Mar High School
Daily Announcements
Thursday February 20, 2020**

The Kernels visit was snowed out last Thursday but they are coming back today Feb 20!! It's not too early to start looking for that spring/summer job! Representatives from the CR Kernels will have an informational table during lunches THIS Thursday Feb 20. Be mindful, they are also in charge of staffing at the new Prospect Meadows Baseball/Softball complex, so there are a lot of positions available to apply for.

Seniors! For those that ordered Graduation Announcements and other Grad items, they will be distributed **TODAY THURSDAY** Feb 20 before school in the South Commons. **Note this is Grad announcements only. Caps & Gowns will not arrive and be distributed until late April early May!**

WPA Guest Permission Forms are due TODAY Thursday Feb 20th! If you are planning on bringing a date to the WPA Dance who does NOT attend Linn-Mar High School, you must complete the Dance Guest Permission Form and return in to the 11/12 office by Thursday Feb. 20. Questions, see Honey Sue in the 11/12 office.

Food February Classroom Challenge is underway!! This week, in your 3rd block/5th period participating classroom, we are holding a COMPETITION! The class that collects the most MONEY will win a pizza Party! THIS week we are collecting Money instead of food! **We are challenging every person in the High School building to donate at least \$1 toward this fundraiser.** If we can accomplish this goal, our school could raise over \$2400! This money will help keep the LM Pride Food Pantry stocked for our students! **There is a reward!!! The winning classroom will win a Pizza Party! AND a \$1 discount on WPA ticket!** PLEASE, challenge yourself to just donate at least \$1. **Think of the difference we can make!**

Any student who has outstanding Library book and/or library fines, parking fines or detentions will not be able to attending the upcoming WPA dance. Pay your fines and serve your time.

Clubs

FBLA will have a meeting this Friday morning at 7:45 AM in the Lecture Hall.

SPORTS

THURSDAY, FEB 20, 2020	TBD	IHSAA	Wells Fargo Arena - Des Moines	
Wrestling: Varsity State				
Basketball: Boys Sophomore Game	6:00pm	Washington	Cedar Rapids Washington High School	4:40pm
Festival of Orchestra Concert	6:00pm		Auditorium	7th-12th grades- 6pm & 7:30pm performances
Basketball: Boys Varsity Game	7:30pm	Washington	Cedar Rapids Washington High School	5:30pm Senior Night

Anyone interested in playing Intramural Basketball sign ups today and are due THIS Friday Feb 21. There will be a coaches meeting on Feb 24 at 8am in the main gym. Games will start on Feb 25th. Questions, see Coach Wood.

Are you interested in joining an exciting new contact spring Club sport? Join Linn-Mars Rugby Club. If you are interested in please see Ms. Schult in room F160 or find Kai Wynkoop.

There will be a LM Cheer Tryout meeting next Wednesday 2/26 at 5:30 in the Lower Commons (use Door #10 please). Prospective applicants and a parent should attend.

Counseling Office News

EDD Presentation Day is this Monday Feb 24th at 8am in the Four Corners. Come hear EDD presentations and vote on your favorite designs. There will be a limited supply of candy for all voters.

SENIORS IMPORTANT SCHOLARSHIP UPDATE! The Linn-Mar Foundation Scholarship Deadline has been extended! They are now due this coming Tuesday February 25th to the 11/12 office! Go look through the scholarship list on YOUR Naviance Student account TODAY! If you have questions or problems please come see your counselor! You can't receive one if you don't apply!

Friday, March 6th 8:30 a.m. ASVAB Testing in College/Career Center: Linn-Mar will be hosting the ASVAB Military Test. Students interested in enlisting in a military branch after high school should take the ASVAB. Sign up in the College/Career Center.

Graphic design, photography, writing experience earned in a real-world workshop class. Yearbook is an early session blended course. We will meet Monday and Wednesday mornings before school...time to be determined. Other days are blended. Students get credit for the class. Same as for a regular class. We will work with Band kids during 1st quarter if scheduled conflict. If you are interested in being a part of Yearbook next year, please see your counselor.

Registration for the Pre-ACT is now open. **Open to Sophomores ONLY!** To register, students will pay \$14 to the cashier's office.

The February 26th date is full.

Monday, March 30th from 8:30-11:30 (no cap - this is a non-school day for students) - Deadline to register is Wednesday, March 11th

Information about testing location and additional details will be distributed at school the week prior to testing.

If you are looking for practice before the Pre-ACT, there are paper practice tests books in the College/Career Center, www.actstudent.org has free practice information, and www.prepfactory.com is another online test resource. Questions should be directed to Sheryl Cline in the 9-10 office (sccline@linnmar.k12.ia.us).

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!

Parking 2019-2020

Attention Linn-Mar students who have permission to park on campus. Students who are designated to park in the South Lot must have their orange tags displayed during the school day. The South Lot, which includes the South Overflow lot, are for Orange tags only. North Lot tags are purple. ALL tags must be displayed during the school day. No exceptions. If you have questions about parking please see Mrs. Sturenfeldt in the 11/12 Office. Also, a reminder if students park in the staff or visitor parking they will be guaranteed to receive a parking violation of \$25.00. Students who receive 3 parking violations/tickets will lose their parking privileges for the school year.

***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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