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Lakota East High School  
**T-HAWK NEWS**  
 May 19, 2022



### PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

We have reached the time for the final T-Hawk News of the 2021-22 School Year. Thank you for your ongoing support for this school year, and we will check in periodically over the course of summer break with pertinent updates. Here are the final items for the Principal's Corner for this school year!

#### **One Hour Early Release May 20**

Our building will be on a one hour early release. Click [here](#) for the schedule.

#### **Graduation - May 20th @ 8:00pm**

- *Please note that the gowns that the students wear are rented and will be returned the night of the ceremony. We have a system for this in place. Males will wear black caps and gowns. Gentlemen should wear a white shirt, dark slacks, dark socks and dark shoes. Jeans, shorts, tennis shoes and sandals are not permitted.*
- *Females will wear white caps and gowns. Ladies need to wear light dress shoes. Females should plan to wear white or light pastel clothing under their gown. Clothing with a print will tend to bleed through the white gown and affect the quality of pictures.*
- Graduation will be streamed live. Here is the link <https://www.cintascenter.com/livestream>

#### **Diploma Pick-Up for Those Who Do Not Attend Graduation**

Starting on May 24, diplomas will be available in the Front Office at East High School for those that did not participate in the Graduation Ceremony on May 20. If you ordered a cap & gown from Graduate Services and didn't attend the ceremony, please return the gown to us when you pick up your diploma. If you still have a Chromebook, please return the Chromebook, charger and stylus as well so you are not charged for those items.

Final transcripts will be available by mid-June and will be sent to the college you designated in your Graduate Survey in Naviance. If you need to change the destination or did not include that information in your survey, please email BOTH [stacy.lewis@lakotaonline.com](mailto:stacy.lewis@lakotaonline.com) AND [gina.nelson@lakotaonline.com](mailto:gina.nelson@lakotaonline.com) prior to June

### IMPORTANT DATES

**May 20**  
 Last Day of School/  
 One hour early release

**May 20**  
 Graduation

**May 31**  
 Report Cards Posted

[Lakota East Calendar](#)

[District Calendar](#)

### **2022-2023 School Year**

**July 30**  
 Senior Parking Lot Painting

**August 3**  
 Senior Parking Lot Painting

**August 9**  
 9th Grade Orientation

17th . Please also contact us if you need a transcript for the NCAA or NAIA and did not include that information in your survey.

Have a great weekend,  
Rob Burnside  
Lakota East High School Principal

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**August 10**  
10th Grade Orientation

**August 16**  
First Day of School -  
Staggered Start Last Names A-L

**August 17**  
First Day of School -  
Staggered Start Last Names M-Z

**August 17**  
Main Campus Curriculum Night

**August 18**  
All Students Return to School

**August 18**  
Freshman Campus Curriculum Night

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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### Summer Office Hours

Summer Office Hours will begin Monday, May 23.  
Lakota East's summer office hours are 8:00am-3:00pm.

Both Freshman and Main Campus will be closed from June 27 - July 8 for building maintenance and cleaning.

Work permits will still be processed at that time. Please email [susanne.linder@lakotaonline.com](mailto:susanne.linder@lakotaonline.com) to set up an appointment.

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### Summer School 2022 Prep

Lakota will offer AIR/EOC testing times for students who need to make these up or retake them during the week of June 27th with sessions at 8:00 AM and 12:00 PM each day, held at Lakota Hopewell Junior High School. Students can take these test free of charge. If you would like to, you may [sign up here](#).

The tests are divided into two parts, and students can select two, different days to take them or in one day. If the student is taking both parts in one day, we recommend starting during the 8:00 AM session. The registration deadline is June 10th by 2PM.

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### Parking Applications

The application for parking spots for next school year is available. The parking applications are open to all currently licensed drivers. In order to reserve your spot make sure to have a copy of your license, insurance card and current registration for your vehicle and apply below:

[Parking Application for 2022-2023 school year](#)

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### 2021-2022 Yearbooks are For Sale

The 2021-2022 Yearbooks are on sale until May 31, 2022 for \$75.00. Order at the link below.

[Yearbook Sales](#)

## COUNSELOR'S CORNER

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[Counseling Office Updates](#)

## Meningococcal Vaccine for Upcoming Seniors

All students entering 12th grade for the 2022-23 school year must have **two (2) doses of the MCV4 (Meningococcal) vaccine before the school year starts** (the final dose must be given on or after your child's 16th birthday).

If your child has not gotten these shots, please contact your doctor and make an appointment to do this soon. Many offices get busy or have vaccine shortages during the "summer rush".

If you have any questions or need more help finding where to get these shots, please contact Valerie Hobbs, RN at (513)755-7211 or [Valerie.hobbs@lakotaonline.com](mailto:Valerie.hobbs@lakotaonline.com)

## DISTRICT NOTES

### Master Facilities Community Feedback Series Begins May 31

[After narrowing down several options for Lakota's Master Facilities Plan](#), the Board of Education is ready to gather input from the community about each proposed plan. The series of upcoming meetings will share more information about the need for a facilities plan, the four options selected by the Board and next steps.

The meetings will be held at different schools throughout the district. Attendees will have the opportunity to take building tours, ask questions and share feedback via ThoughtExchange.

"Just driving by our schools won't give you a clear picture of the state of the building," said Passarge. "It's important that our community gain a better understanding about anticipated costs for updating and maintaining our aging facilities." The average age of Lakota's facilities is over 33 years.

The first three community meetings are scheduled for:

- May 31 - West Freshman School
- June 1 - Hopewell Junior School
- June 6 - Woodland Elementary School

Building tours will begin at 6:30 p.m., with the meetings starting promptly at 7 p.m.

### Summer Food Service Program Begins May 31

The Lakota Local School District, in partnership with the Faith Alliance, is participating in the USDA's Summer Food Service Program this year. Meals will be provided daily to all children (ages 1-18 and individuals with disabilities through age 21) - free of charge and regardless of income - beginning May 31 through July 29 (except for July 4). The summer program is funded through the USDA and implemented at no cost to the district.

Summer meals will be distributed at five different locations. [Click here to view the complete Summer Food Service Program schedule.](#)

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## **Submit 2022-2023 Transportation Requests by Aug. 4**

To ease the transition to a new school year and honor families' requests for alternative pick-up and drop-off locations for transportation, [Lakota is asking that families submit transportation forms by Aug. 4 to receive transportation on the first day of school.](#)

- **Grades K-2:** Early childhood schools ask that all families complete a form to have on file, even if transportation is not needed.
- **Grades 3-6:** By default, transportation for all eligible students is based on the home address listed in Home Access Center (HAC). **All alternative transportation plans are automatically cleared at the end of each school year, so please complete the form before each school year if you'll require transportation to or from an address different than your home address.**

[Please honor the published deadlines to receive transportation for the upcoming school year.](#) Note that this is for current families already enrolled at Lakota. New families enrolling will receive transportation information approximately 48 hours after registration is completed.

Bus information will be available to families in HAC beginning on Monday, July 25.

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## **Changes Coming to OneLogin for Parents**

Lakota Local Schools is expanding two popular tools for parents and guardians: OneLogin and FinalForms. These changes, which are being introduced over the summer, will save time and increase efficiency for parents and guardians when accessing digital tools and completing district forms. [Click here to read more about upcoming OneLogin changes.](#)

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## **District Seeking Input on 2023-2024 Calendar**

Lakota is soliciting community input on the 2023-2024 district calendar. Lakota staff, students, parents and community members are invited to review the current draft before any final recommendation is presented to the school board.

Lakota considers many different factors when drafting the district calendar, including everything from scheduled state assessments and other state mandates to observed holidays and staff training days. When comparing the 2022-2023 calendar to this proposed calendar, there are no major changes.

We value any input you have regarding possible changes to the calendar. Please provide your feedback by Friday, June 10. Feedback will be reviewed and adjustments made, as appropriate. [Please click to review the calendar and submit your feedback.](#)

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## **Staff and Returning Families: Open Enrollment Applications due May 31**

Each school year, the Lakota Board of Education re-evaluates the district's open enrollment policy and votes on whether or not to approve its renewal. If renewed, students residing in other Ohio school districts can apply to attend Lakota.

Due to the high volume of returning open enrolled students, at this time we are not accepting first-time applicants for the 2022-2023 school year. Per Board Policy 5113 and Administrative Guidelines, we will only be accepting applications from current Lakota staff, as well as returning open enrolled students and siblings of returning open enrolled students. Applicants may not always receive their first school of choice, depending on the school's base enrollment for students residing within its attendance zone.

Current open enrolled students and current Lakota staff will be receiving an email with directions on how to apply for open enrollment. New staff requests must email [enroll@lakotaonline.com](mailto:enroll@lakotaonline.com) to receive an application. All completed applications must be submitted to [enroll@lakotaonline.com](mailto:enroll@lakotaonline.com) by 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 31, 2022.

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