

# ROYAL LEDGER



Lynnwood High School "Home of Royal Pride"



*Save the Date:*  
**The 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual  
 Staff vs.  
 Students of 2009  
 Basketball Game**

June 10th 7pm  
 LHS gymnasium  
 BBQ at 6pm



### Important Yearbook Info

Attention parents and students, through a special program we are piloting with Jostens this year, we are able to offer a last minute opportunity to purchase yearbooks on their website

[www.shopjostens.com](http://www.shopjostens.com) while supplies last. You can also reach this ordering site through the school homepage. If you have not yet purchased a yearbook, please take advantage of this great opportunity as soon as possible. Prices are still \$65 on the site. You can also pay in the ASB office for \$60 with ASB and \$65 without. Act now before we run out for good!

### Yearbook Premiere

Yearbooks will be distributed early to those who have purchased one at our annual fundraiser, The Premiere, on May 21 at 2pm. If you'd like to receive your yearbook early, please plan to attend. Entrance fee is \$4 with ASB and \$5 without. Refreshments will be available for purchase, entertainment and door prizes will be provided as well.



Dear Parents,

As our year draws to an end, we are gradually shifting our focus to the closing of this building, with its many memories, and the move to the new Lynnwood High School. I encourage all parents, students and alumni to attend our day long closing activities to be held on May 30th.

In connection with the close and the move, there are a couple of things you should know. First, we are hoping to make this an activity in which everyone has a part. During our final school days, teachers may be asking your child to assist in some simple classroom packing. We would also welcome volunteers to help with the huge task.

Secondly, the district is committed to salvaging or selling anything of value that we do not move. Furniture and equipment will go to other buildings or be auctioned. This site will be a center of activity from June 19th (the last day of school) until July 5th, when we turn over the property to the developer. I encourage you to take time to say goodbye to our building before that time.

### **District facing difficult budget challenges**

As you may have heard, the state's budget deficit is very large and, as a result, our school district will be facing the most difficult budget cuts we've experienced to date. Prior to Spring Break, our district was preparing to cut more than \$5 million from the budget, and we took that to be a worst-case scenario. Now that the Senate and House released their proposed budgets, we know we will be looking at cuts much deeper than that. Our district may have to cut more than \$13 million from its general fund. Cuts that deep will inevitably impact our school community, and it's important to be aware of what this means for us and how you as parents can get involved.

The district is hosting four public meetings in May to gain feedback and input on how to address these challenges. At that time, they will have a list of possible cuts and will want to know your thoughts on how those cuts will impact your family and your child's education. Cuts are never easy, and everything that could be cut is important, but in these tough economic times, we have to make difficult choices. Here is the information about the meetings:

- May 6 – 7-8 p.m. at Lynnwood High School Library
- May 14 – 4-5 p.m. at Meadowdale High School Library
- May 20 – 7-8 p.m. at Edmonds-Woodway High School Library
- May 27 – 4-5 p.m. at Mountlake Terrace High School Library

The school board ultimately must approve the district's budget this summer, so now is an important time to get involved. For more information about the district's budget for 2009-10, please visit the district's website at [www.edmonds.wednet.edu](http://www.edmonds.wednet.edu).

# Your Parent Involvement Booster Club

Supporting Student Success



# PTSA

In honor of the first week of May being Teacher Appreciation Week, this will be the Booster Club's "kudos to you" article.

Many thanks and much appreciation goes to...

- **Elma Hampton** for filling the role of Vice President, running the concession stand, being the creator of flyers/ads extraordinaire, and putting on a smile when given only one more thing to do.
- **Steve Gordon** for being Secretary, working the concession stand, organizing the Royal Rally Ice Cream/Hot Dog Social, putting our alumni list together and having so much passion for our kids.
- **Dave Hampton** for being Treasurer, again. Those of you who have ever been on an executive committee know how important this role is and Dave's records are impeccable.
- **Kathi Ogle** for being Vice President, working the concession stand and organizing the fall raffle.
- **Bill Jackson** for jump starting, organizing and basically, making our golf tournament happen *and* making it a success in these hard times.
- **Vicky Hopper** for being our ever willing staff representative.
- **Lori Hill and Laurie Edwards** for stepping in to help make the concession stand always open.
- **Kris Kriscovich** for donating much of his abilities in making an impressive web site.
- **LHS staff** for supporting us whenever we needed it.
- **All those who helped cook hot dogs, dish ice cream, work the concession stand, bought raffle tickets, joined our golf tournament, donated items or money, or became a member.**
- All of you have had some part in making our LHS Booster Club stronger and more affective in helping our kids succeed. You're the best!

**Thank you to everyone who has supported the LHS PTSA this year.** We have a strong school community and are proud of our many accomplishments in 2008-2009. If you are interested in serving on the PTSA Board for 2009-2010, please contact Madeline Herzog at (425) 742-2528. The time commitment is not excessive – our meetings are held just once a month in the evenings at LHS. It's going to be an exciting new year in our new building. Come be a part of the action!

## **ATTENTION JUNIORS – CLASS OF 2010**

It is that time to start thinking about saving for your GRADUATION ALL NIGHT PARTY! Tickets will go on sale in June and information will be available during Friday donut sales. If you are interested in helping with 2010 Senior Class Activities please e-mail Jennifer Goudzwaard at [mjcgou@verizon.net](mailto:mjcgou@verizon.net). GO CLASS OF 2010!

## **PARENTS WE NEED YOUR HELP!**

The class of 2010 only has \$1,200 in their account. We need your help to make their senior year more affordable. Please contact Jennifer Goudzwaard at [mjcgou@verizon.net](mailto:mjcgou@verizon.net) if you are interested in helping.

## **2010 SENIOR CLASS T-SHIRTS**

Are you interested in submitting a design for your 2010 Senior Class t-shirt? We will take the top Three designs and get your votes for the final decision. Please submit your design, no later than May 29, 2009 to Jennifer Goudzwaard at [mjcgou@verizon.net](mailto:mjcgou@verizon.net)



## **celebration!**

### **April**

Jared Milne

**GPA:** 3.72

**Culminating Project:** Remodel a deck

**Future Education:** Attend Washington State University

**Future Career:** No idea yet



Amanda Overdick

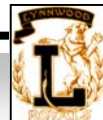
**GPA:** 3.7

**Culminating Project:** Facilitating Fitness and Nutrition (Personal Training My Mother)

**Future Education:** Western Washington University or at a community college

**Future Career:** I have thought about sports medicine or environmental work





Help Lynnwood High School  
celebrate the closing  
of the "old school"!

SAVE THE DATE -

Join us Saturday, May 30 at  
the "Old School" Lynnwood High  
for our Open House and  
Celebration Events.

1-5 p.m. Open house and tours  
5-8 p.m. ASB fundraiser dinner, auction,  
celebration and awards

For information, call 425-431-7044  
or email [jakalad@edmonds.wednet.edu](mailto:jakalad@edmonds.wednet.edu)

### Seniors – Class of 2009

Graduation is just around the corner! Although it is an exciting time for seniors, it can be quite stressful as well. In order for seniors to receive their diplomas, they must do the following:

- Complete and pass all core and required classes
- Earn a minimum of 22 credits
- Pass their senior project
- Pay all fines
- Pass the Reading & Writing WASL or state approved alternative
- Pass the Math WASL (or an approved alternative), OR complete 2 credits of math after 10<sup>th</sup> grade

The next **progress reports** will be mailed home on May 8<sup>th</sup>. If you have a question about progress in specific classes, please feel free to contact your student's teachers directly. Voice and Email addresses are available on our website <http://www.edmonds.wednet.edu/lhs/staff/>.

### REMEMBER...

Even if your senior has already been accepted to a college or university, now is NOT the time to give in to "Senioritis." We will mail out final transcripts after graduation to all universities. It is not unheard of for an acceptance to be rescinded due to poor performance during the last semester.

### Spring Spotlight from the Career Center

<http://teacher.edmonds.wednet.edu/lhs/pkeese/index.php>

The Career Center has a wonderful website that is updated regularly and is full of valuable information for students in all grades as well as great information for parents. The website is a great way for parents to see what opportunities are available for their students as well as themselves. Please call Ms. Keese in the Career Center if you have any questions.



### Sophomores - class of 2011

If you're interested in taking Running Start courses during your Junior year, see your counselor now to get information.

### Juniors – Class of 2010

#### SAT & ACT INFO.

It is recommended that Juniors take the SAT and/or ACT during spring of their junior year!

**SAT Test Dates/Deadlines:** Visit [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com) for registration information

**ACT Test Dates/Deadlines:** Visit [www.act.org](http://www.act.org) for registration information

#### Running Start

Students who are planning on taking courses at Edmonds Community College through Running Start for Fall Quarter have until June 19<sup>th</sup> to turn in their applications at ECC. Registration begins May 28<sup>th</sup>, so hurry to get the classes you want. See your counselor for details!

### OTHER IMPORTANT COUNSELING INFORMATION!!!

#### Need Credits for Graduation?

If your student has failed courses, **summer school** is an excellent way to earn retrieval credit. Please check your student's course requests for next year to see that all graduation requirements will be met. Registration for summer courses began April 13<sup>th</sup> and this year it will be held at Mountlake Terrace High School. Cost is \$200 per class. Call (425)431-7140 if you have questions. Forms are available in the LHS main office. **Online summer school** is also available for \$235.00 per class. More details can be found at <http://www.edmonds.wednet.edu/online>. Juniors may want to look into **CLIP** classes if they are behind in credit. Please feel free to contact your student's counselor regarding any credit deficiency issues.



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# PTSA

## LYNNWOOD HIGH CLASS OF 2009 GRAD NIGHT INFO

The Class of 2009 Parent Committee is offering a variety of ways to buy your ticket to this fun filled evening! This is how it works. We have set the Class of 2009 graduation night party ticket @ \$200.00 per student. You can choose to pay the ticket price in full or select one of the following:

2 payments of \$100.00 each to be paid no later than **May 20, 2009**  
(Price then increases to \$250.00)

After May 20, 2009: 1 payment of \$250.00, due no later than **May 21, 2009.**

Please fill out the form below, tear off at dotted line, and enclose **your check or money order made out to: LHS/PTSA** in the memo, please indicate student name.

### CLASS OF 2009 GRAD NIGHT VOUCHER

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please Print)

Parent(s) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle Payment Option:      **A**      **B**  
**Make check or money order payable to LHS/PTSA**

**Mail to:** Lynnwood High School  
3001 184<sup>th</sup> St. SW  
Lynnwood, WA 98037-4701

**Questions:** Kim Matzen  
(425) 745-4833 OR  
matzenhoop@comcast.net

Attn: LHS/PTSA Class of 2009

*You can also drop your payment by the doughnut table on Friday's!!*