
Panther Prints

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Principally Speaking

By the time you read this newsletter, we will be two weeks into the new semester. We are already busy advising our upperclassmen for registration so they will be prepared for the 2008-2009 school year. At the same time, we are advising the incoming ninth graders from our two feeder middle schools. Next year's ninth graders will have a new Georgia Graduation Rule that includes an extra year of science and 23 total units to graduate. Also, the new rule has only one diploma (our current 9th-12th graders have both Career/Tech Prep and College Prep Diplomas). We have already begun working with both Lakeside and Riverside Middle Schools to make sure these new graduation expectations are clear from the start. Our teachers are already busy preparing the course frameworks to make the transition occur smoothly.

Our Board of Education has been busy rezoning the system's middle school zones to accommodate the opening of Stallings Island Middle School. The middle school rezoning has affected virtually every school, so now that the two public hearings have occurred, the Board has the task of finalizing attendance zones so that registration can proceed. Next on tap will be rezoning for the high schools. Our county will be opening Grovetown High School in the fall of 2009, so there will be a necessary shifting of students in order to streamline the attendance zones. When it is time for this to happen, stay abreast of the

reports in the paper and on the county web site at www.ccboe.net. As always, there will be an opportunity for public input; so, stay tuned so that you can be informed as it unfolds.

As I mentioned earlier this year, the Georgia High School Association (GHSA) has completed the region realignment process that occurs every two years. We were very pleased to find out that we will be playing in an Augusta region next year for our athletic program. For the past two years, half of our region was located 3 ½ hours south in Brunswick, Georgia. For the next two years, our farthest region game will be 30 minutes from here in Hephzibah. This will greatly reduce the amount of travel time that our student athletes need in order to compete in our new region. Additionally, our athletic travel costs should be cut at least in half. It will be nice to renew old rivalries with the Augusta schools which will also allow our fans to travel to away games that will be much closer to home. Check out exactly which schools will be in our new region by reading the article located within this newsletter.

In closing, I would like to take this opportunity to apologize to the Lakeside community for the embarrassing attention that we received at the end of our football season. As the Principal, I am ultimately responsible for everything that happens at Lakeside. I don't know much about football, but I do know that the play seen around the world on YouTube was wrong-very wrong. Coach Grooms has taken full responsibility for that play and he and his family have paid a heavy price. However, with that being said, Lakeside is moving on. Assistant Principal Tim Reeve is the interim Athletic Director and is

doing a fantastic job guiding our athletic program through the second semester. Later this year, when the time is more appropriate, we will make a permanent appointment to that position. For now, Mr. Reeve is providing us with the continuity we need to succeed in the busy winter and spring sports seasons. In the meantime, we've had great fan support for our winter sports teams, so join the crowd and support our Panther athletes as we enter this busy time of the year. Soccer, baseball, track, and lacrosse will be getting started shortly, so check out our athletic web site and attend as many events as you can!

Principally Yours,

Dr. Jeff Carney



Front Office

Lost and found articles are turned in to the front office daily. Owners rarely come to check and claim belongings that have been turned in. Please encourage your children to check the lost and found closet each week. All items not claimed are donated to charity at the end of each 9 weeks.

Attendance Office

Text messaging during school hours is a violation of the rules. Having cell phones even turned on during the school day is in violation of school rules. Parents, we need your support with this.

When students bring in parent/medical notes after being absent for a whole day, they should be sure to have each teacher sign the note and enter that reason code into the computer for them. If the student shows one teacher their note, but doesn't show it to another teacher, the absence will remain unexcused until all teachers have signed off on it. All teachers must see, sign and make the data entries, and the student's final teacher of the day must keep notes on file for the student. Students have only TWO (2) DAYS to take care of this. If the student signs in late or out early, those notes should be given to the Attendance Office, and will be kept on file there.

SENIOR BOARDS are coming soon, and we need *your* help! Our seniors are eagerly preparing for their "big night" as are we. We need volunteers to serve as judges on March 17th and 18th from 4:00-8:00 each afternoon. A Lakeside faculty member will be in each classroom and serve as head judge, and there will be a brief training session before you begin. You are qualified! If interested, please email Norm Cox or Claire Simons. Your support is *greatly* appreciated!

ncox@ccboe.net
csimons@ccboe.net



Shop at Kroger and support LHS. Go to the Lakeside web site -- under Parent Info-, click on Kroger Bar Code. Just print out the letter and take it to Kroger. All purchases will support our students!

Battle of the Bands

Battle of the Bands is scheduled for Saturday, March 8--7 to 10pm. The fee for bands is \$25.00; six bands can participate. Bands need to contact Don Caluson at dclauson@thomson-mcduffie.net (706-868-0520) or Annette Shipp at kws11158@aol.com (706-860-4760) for applications. We welcome any parent who wants to help us with this event. All elementary students attending need to be accompanied by a parent. Tickets are \$5.00 and will be sold at the door. Extra votes may be purchased at \$1 each. Concessions will be available. Come out and support your favorite band!

Advanced Placement Scholars

Lakeside High School is proud to announce that seventy-two students at Lakeside High school have earned the designation of AP Scholar by the College Board in recognition of their exceptional achievement on the 2007 college-level Advanced Placement Program Exams.

Jian Huang qualified for the National AP Scholar Award. Students qualify by earning an average grade of 4 or higher on a 5 point scale on all AP exams taken, and grades of 4 or higher on eight or more of these exams.

Seventeen (17) students qualified for the AP Scholar with Distinction. Students qualify by earning an average grade of at least 3.5 on all AP exams taken, and grades of 3 or higher on five or more of these exams. Students that qualified are **Matthew Bedsole, Komal Boar, Benjamin Bowers, Joseph Brejda, Jian Huang, Naijia Huang, Robert Kirschner, Yi Liu, Wenlan Ma, Muktha Natrajan, Kinav Patel, Renee Redington, Mili Shah, Rosemary Song, Malisa Thompson, Kara Todd and Linda Yi.**

Eighteen (18) students qualified for the AP Scholar with Honor Award. Students qualify by earning an average grade of at least 3.25 on all AP Exams taken and grades of 3 or higher on four or more of these exams. Students

that qualified are **Santiago Araque, Benjamin Chan, Tiffany Chang, Emily Dynan, Christina Hennecken, Christopher Jackson, Hema Kondur, Taejin Lee, Emily Masghati, Laila Masghati, Angela Murro, Aarthi Murugappan, Marcie Odom, Paul Peterson, Joseph Phillips, Anu Pillai, Angela Pocta, and Janki Vashi.**

Thirty-six (36) students qualified for the AP Scholar Award. Students qualify by completing three or more AP Exams, with grades of 3 or higher. Students that qualified are **Benjamin Albrecht, Caitlin Amick, Kara Barlow, David Barnes, Angela Bush, William Crews, Matthew Dosch, Eric Fisher, Patrick Garcia, Elizabeth Gardner, John Geeter, Cason Gordy, Revant Gupta, Zaina Hashmi, Anne Hatcher, Daniel Hess, Praachi Jani, Adam Jansen, Anjali Khosla, Kaitlyn Leaf, Dian Li, Jason Lind, Brian Maleck, Sonal Mistry, Evan Mulloy, John Nelson, Michael Palmese, Paul Park, Eleanor Paschal, Morgan Pawl, Carol Skenes, Michael Thomason, Lee White, Osman Yousufzai, Megan Yu, and Quincy Zhong.**



Lakeside High School 10th, 11th, 12th Grade Registration Information



What: Registration for 2008-2009
When: January 16th - February 13th
Where: Guidance Office
Why: Choose your classes for next year!



Guidance Appointments

- You will be given an appointment slip for an individual guidance appointment by your first period teacher. Available dates: January 16th - February 13th
- If you miss your appointment, you will not be rescheduled until after all other students have met with their counselor.
- We will begin with Seniors, Juniors, then Sophomores.

Registration Forms

- A course catalog describing all courses and a registration form has been provided for you. Please bring the catalog and the registration form with you to your guidance appointment.
- When you take the form home, please review it with your parents so you know which classes you plan to take when you meet with your counselor. The registration form will be completed when you meet with your guidance counselor.
- **After you meet with your counselor, take the registration form home to be signed by your parents. The signed registration form should be returned to the guidance office the next day. Your counselor will choose classes for any students that do not return a registration form.**

Changes to Course Selections

- If you decide to change a course selection, you must notify your counselor **February 13th** by email or by written request
- **After February 13th, no schedule change requests will be accepted**

Deadlines

- **February 13th** - Completed registration forms must be returned to the guidance office.

Advanced Placement Showcase

- Any students interested in Advanced Placement classes should attend the Advanced Placement Showcase on January 15th at 7 p.m. in our auditorium.

New Guidance Counselor Assignments

For the past several years, we have had one Freshman Counselor and three Upperclassmen Counselors. Due to new graduation requirements for the incoming ninth graders, we are dividing up the student body evenly so that all four counselors are able to manage an efficient student load. In essence, we will have 9th graders with one set of graduation requirements and 10-12th graders with another set of graduation requirements. It will take the next three years to transition our students to one final set of requirements (when our 10-12th graders graduate). To help keep up with this important transition, each counselor will have approximately ¼ of the student body (grades 9-12). These new assignments will begin immediately as we begin the registration process for next school year. Contact your counselor if you have any questions. The counseling assignments will be as follows:

Counselor Assignments for 2008-2009

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| • 9 th -12 th grade students with last names beginning A-D: Janice Williams | jawilliams@ccboe.net |
| • 9 th -12 th grade students with last names beginning E-J: Darla Andrews | dandrews@ccboe.net |
| • 9 th -12 th grade students with last names beginning K-Q: Donnie Burch | dburch@ccboe.net |
| • 9 th -12 th grade students with last names beginning R-Z: Mae Guinn | mguinn@ccboe.net |

News and "To Do's" for Juniors & Seniors

Seniors – If you plan to attend college, you still need to take the SAT if you have not already done so. There are test dates in March and May. Get the details and register at www.collegeboard.com.

Juniors – All college bound students should consider taking the SAT or the ACT once this spring. That way there will be a SAT on file when submitting college applications next fall. Juniors who are taking Algebra II, Algebra III, or Trig this year should consider taking the SAT in **May or June 2008**.

Juniors who plan to apply to very competitive colleges need to remember to schedule SAT **Subject Tests** in May or June. Many competitive colleges require Subject Tests in writing, math, and a third subject of the student's choice. Register for the SAT or the SAT Subject Test online at www.collegeboard.com. Remember almost all colleges accept the ACT or SAT. There are some differences in the tests, and students may check out the details on the online web pages. SAT information is at www.collegeboard.com. ACT information is available at ACT.org.

College Applications

Seniors may still submit college applications to the guidance office. Seniors may complete college applications even if they still anticipate taking *another* SAT/ACT. The \$41.50 fee to take the SAT includes sending copies of your scores to colleges. Be sure to take advantage of that service!

When registering for the test, be sure to request that your test scores be *sent to any colleges where you plan to apply*. Colleges regularly update applications with the latest scores, but you must request that they be sent. Most seniors should consider applying to at least two colleges.

Online Applications for Colleges in Georgia

ONLINE COLLEGE APPLICATIONS: You will find most Georgia college admission applications at this website: www.GAcollge411.org. It is a great place to start planning for college or to submit your college applications.

Be sure to look for OPEN HOUSE and CAMPUS TOUR DATES at each college. Some dates are posted on the OPEN HOUSE Calendar in the guidance office.

Online or Night School Options: Juniors and seniors who may need to earn a credit should see their counselor as soon as possible. Options may become available to earn an extra credit, but you must see your counselor first to discuss the details. (continued page 5)

SAT

Scholastic Aptitude Test

School Code: 111257

Go to this web site for registration info:

www.collegeboard.com/student/testing/sat/about.html

Test Dates	Registration Deadline
January 26, 2008	December 26, 2007
March 1, 2008	January 29, 2008
May 5, 2008	April 1, 2008
June 7, 2007	May 6, 2008

Free Online SAT prep: Any student at Lakeside High School can enroll in a free online S.A.T. Prep course by:

- Log onto this site: www.satonlinecourseschool.com
- Type in our school code of: 111257
- Register for an account with the College Board. This will also enable you to register for the SAT when you are ready.

Once a student registers for an account, he/she will have access to the following items that are featured in the Official SAT Prep Online Course:

- 18 interactive lessons
- Six full-length, official SAT practice tests, plus diagnostic pretests;
- Over 600 practice questions
- Explanations of answers to all questions
- Automated essay scoring
- Personalized score reports for students

See page 5 for ACT test dates...

Juniors & Seniors (cont)

ACT *American College Test*

Test Dates	Registration Deadline
February 9, 2008	January 4, 2008
April 12, 2008	March 7, 2008
June 14, 2008	May 9, 2008

College Financial Aid Information

What is the FAFSA? That is The FREE Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). There is NO charge for it. BEWARE...there is a site that will charge \$60 to \$90 for this FREE document. If you see a fee, YOU ARE NOT AT THE REAL SITE! For information on the FAFSA:

- www.fafsa.ed.gov (Don't use .com.....It'll COST you \$\$\$\$)
- For Help completing the FAFSA...www.ed.gov/prog_info/SFA/FAFSA
- For Direct Loan information web site: www.ed.gov/DirectLoan
www.finaid.org

Georgia Student Finance Commission - It's a great source of funding and information.

Toll free in Georgia –	800-505-GSFC
Student Loans Toll-Free	800-776-6878
Web Address for GSFC	www.gsfc.org
Keeping track of student aid:	www.studentaid.ed.gov

Remember: The best source of information about financial aid will be through the office of Financial Aid at your college/university. There are primarily 4 types of aid: grants (free—don't have to repay); Federal Loans; Private Loans; Work-Study (opportunity to earn money by working on campus.)

Juniors

We know...This is a busy and tough year. Yes, grades are very important. Yes, you need to be involved. Participate in something you care about: band; chorus; youth group; sports; volunteering; club activities; art...or even....Work! Working offers great opportunities to expand your world.

Teacher of the Quarter

Congratulations to Mrs. Kelli Hardin who was voted the LHS Teacher of the Quarter! Mrs. Hardin is one of our math teachers and is well deserving of this honor. Mrs. Hardin was surprised with a banner, a stuffed panther mascot, and \$100. The two runner-up teachers, Mr. Arrington (Science) and Mr. Cox (Social Studies), joined Mrs. Hardin for a catered lunch. Congrats to all of our Teacher of the Quarter Finalists!



The Spanish Club Students donated and then bagged "Weekend Snacks" for needy children from elementary schools in the area. Way to go Spanish Club.

Angélica Eubanks
Spanish Instructor



Freshman Focus

It's hard to believe another school year is half-way over. Hopefully all of your students have done well so far this year. By the time you get this newsletter, your student will have received his/her first semester report card.

Remember, in high school, grades and credits are earned **each semester**. Grades from the first semester are not averaged with grades earned second semester. If students fail a core course they will have to retake that course in order to graduate. It is very important for students to understand that the grades they earn in the 9th grade count toward their grade point average, HOPE eligibility and class rank.

The chart below explains HOPE eligibility requirements for the class of 2007 and beyond:

	<u>College Preparatory Diploma</u>	<u>Technical/Career Diploma</u>
English Language Arts	4 units	4 units
Mathematics	4 units	3 units
Social Studies	3 units	3 units
Science	3 units	3 units
Foreign Language.	2 units	0 units
Total	16 units	13 units

Requirements for the High School Class of 2007 and Beyond

Beginning with the Class of 2007, HOPE Scholars in the college preparatory curriculum track must graduate from an eligible high school with a minimum of a 3.0 cumulative grade point average on a 4.0 scale. Numeric averages will no longer be accepted. Each grade for a student in attempted coursework in English, Mathematics, Science, Social Science, and Foreign Language that would have satisfied a core curriculum graduation requirement for the college preparatory diploma if the student had successfully completed it must be equated to a grade on a 4.0 scale, such that a grade of "A" equals 4.0, "B" equals 3.0, "C" equals 2.0, "D" equals 1.0, and "F" equals 0. Beginning with the Class of 2007, HOPE Scholars in the career/technology curriculum track must graduate from an eligible high school with a minimum of a 3.2 cumulative grade point average on a 4.0 scale. Numeric averages will no longer be accepted. Each grade for a student in attempted coursework in English, Mathematics, Science and Social Science that would have satisfied a core curriculum graduation requirement for the career/technology diploma if the student had successfully completed it must be equated to a grade on a 4.0 scale, such that a grade of "A" equals 4.0, "B" equals 3.0, "C" equals 2.0, "D" equals 1.0, and "F" equals 0. Regardless of the curriculum track, grades in coursework that is classified as "Advanced Placement" or "International Baccalaureate" will be weighted by the Commission when calculating the grade point average for HOPE Scholarship eligibility. Grades for Honors courses or other special courses will not be weighted. In addition to the Class of 2007 and beyond, the above requirements will also apply to all HOPE Scholarship, regardless of their year of high school graduation, who first begin receiving the HOPE Scholarship as an entering Freshman after May 1, 2007.

Grades are not rounded up to determine HOPE eligibility. For example if your student earns 3.0's (80-89) for all of his classes except one 2.0 (73-79), s/he will have a final HOPE average of 2.97 and will not be eligible for the hope scholarship. (continued on page 9)

To be promoted to the 10th grade, students must have at least five credits before the beginning of school in August. Students earn ½ credit for each class they pass with a grade of 70 or above. No credit is earned for grades of 69 or below. If your student earned less than two credits first semester, s/he will need to take online, summer school or credit recovery courses in order to be promoted before the beginning of next school year. If you need additional information, please contact me at 706-868-3667 x 243, or e-mail me at dandrews@cboe.net. We should have information on summer school in late April. Registration for summer school normally begins the first week of May. Students are encouraged to register early because classes get full very quickly.

Parents, please encourage your student to do all their homework and turn it in when it is due. The purpose of homework is to provide additional practice which in turn prepares them for quizzes and tests. Also, please remind your student(s) that our teachers are available before and after school to help students. This is a great resource for students. Please encourage your student to take advantage of this. We also have a list of student and adult tutors available through the Guidance Department.

From the Career Center

“Exploring Tomorrow Today”
LHS Career Center

It is hard to believe we are in the beginning of a second semester. If you did not have the chance to visit the Career Center please come by and check it out. January starts the busy time for scholarship information; seniors come by and see what is new.

*Seniors.....*Scholarship information is available in the Career Center. Every little bit of money for college is helpful. Even if you are HOPE scholarship eligible there are lots of hidden cost associated with fees and books. Come by the Career Center and see what is new. Are you still undecided about post-secondary plans? Mrs. Fox can help assist you and work with the resources available if you don't have a “Plan” in place. The Financial Aid Night is set for Thursday January 17, 2008. Tons of great information will be available including information about FAFSA and HOPE.

*Juniors.....*I look forward to working with each of you this semester. We will work in the computer lab and explore college, career and scholarship opportunities. We will use GCIS (Georgia Career Information System) and look at post-secondary options so you will be more prepared coming back in the fall to your senior year ready to apply to college and have some ideas of scholarships you might qualify for. I hope many of you had the opportunity to job shadow this year with Junior Achievement and Job Shadow Day on February 4, 2008

*Sophomores.....*Career planning first semester was fun. Looking at your career portfolio and comparing the Career Cruising interest assessment to the GCIS IDEAS interest assessment was the same for most and eye opening for others. Now that you have been through two years of gathering career interests, we will put that information to work next year and explore colleges, post-secondary options and some scholarship opportunities. Please come by the Career Center if you have not had the chance to work with me. The Energy Solutions scholarship is a great opportunity for 10th grade students (only) interested in the fields of math, science or engineering. I spoke of this scholarship when I met with you in November and December. I hope you took the opportunity to apply, (deadline January 31st).

*Freshman.....*Working and getting to know you and your career interests has been great. Starting the career interest process using GCIS and the O'Net Interest Profiler has assisted many of you on the path to some exciting career interests and choices. This will be the first time of many I will meet with you to explore career interests and start the planning process for your future career plans. I am excited to have met each of you and getting to know you.

Please come by and visit the Career Center (located in the Media Center) and see Mrs. Fox, she can also be reached by phone 706-868-3667x280 or email tfox@ccboe.net

Have you ever wondered why there are so many students walking around in scrubs? These students are taking part in an awesome learning experience that is unlike any other. They are either in the 2nd year Healthcare class or in Pre-Pharmacy class. They leave the classroom three days a week to gain knowledge and skills working alongside professionals in various healthcare fields. A student's clinical sites are catered somewhat to their area of interest so that one student may be in a veterinarian office while another is in the dentist's office. Some are spread throughout the units of the hospital while others are in doctors' offices. Of course, the pharmacy students are all over the community at various retail pharmacies, but also learn in the hospital arena. If you are seriously considering a career in healthcare, these are the classes for you! Talk to your guidance counselor today!

Students interested in attending the Spring Leadership Conference and Competitions in Atlanta, GA need to start preparations for their competitions. The dates are March 20-22. There are over 50 different events from which to choose. Examples of events are: CPR, First Aid, Medical Terminology, Researched Persuasive Speaking, Medical Photography, and HOSA Bowl. Please see Mrs. Carter or Mrs. R. Dunn for more details.

HOSA will be sponsoring a community blood drive for Shepherd on March 14th. This is open to the public, as well as students and staff. Shepherd has an award for “High School Heroes” that raise the most blood donations. If you go to any Shepherd location, please tell them you are donating for LHS.

Members need to remember to attend meetings on the 2nd Thursday of every month to find out what activities are on the calendar. Everyone should be working toward obtaining 10 credits for each semester. Keep it up!!

Amanda Carter, RN, BSN



Career and Technical Education

Earn college credit at LHS

Did you know that courses taught in the Career and Technical Education Department at Lakeside High School count toward college credit at any Georgia Technical College?

Requirements:

Grade of 85 in each articulated course at Lakeside High

Enrollment in Georgia Technical College

Registration appointment to review transcript for articulated credits

CSRA Articulated Courses—Free College Credit <http://www.augustatech.edu/TechPrep/>

Business/Marketing/Accounting			
06.41500	Legal Environment of Business	MKT 103	Business Law
06.41700	Entrepreneurial Ventures	MKT 110	Entrepreneurship
07.41100	Principles of Accounting I	ACC 101 (or)	Principles of Accounting I (or)
		BUS 208	Office Accounting
07.44110	Computer Applications	SCT 100	Intro to Microcomputers
07.46210 (or)	Business Procedures (or)	BUS 106	Office Procedures
07.47500	Cooperative Business Ed. I		
07.48110	Bus. Document Processing	BUS 108	Word Processing
07.48110 (or)	Bus. Document Processing (or)	BUS 161	Desktop Publishing
07.48310	Multimedia Presentations		
08.474001 (and)	Marketing Principles A (and)	MKT 100	Intro to Marketing
08.474002	Marketing Principles B		
Family & Consumer Sciences/Culinary Arts/Early Childhood Education			
20.41610	Nutrition & Wellness I	CUL 110 (and)	Safety, Sanitation, and Equipment (and)
		CUL 137	Nutrition & Menu Development
20.41710	Adv. Nutrition & Wellness	CUL 110 (and)	Safety, Sanitation, and Equipment (and)
		CUL 137	Nutrition & Menu Development
20.53210	Professional Foods I	CUL 100 (and)	Professionalism in Culinary Arts (and)
		CUL 110 (and)	Safety, Sanitation, and Equipment (and)
		CUL 137	Nutrition & Menu Development
20.53310	Professional Foods II	CUL 100 (and)	Professionalism in Culinary Arts (and)
		CUL 110 (and)	Safety, Sanitation, and Equipment (and)
		CUL 137	Nutrition & Menu Development
20.52510 (and)	Early Childhood Education I (and)	ECE 101 (and)	Intro to Early Childhood Care & Education (and)

Career and Technical Education (cont)

20.52610	Early Childhood Education II	ECE 112	Curriculum Development
20.523 (and) 20.52510 (and)	Child Development & Parenting (and) Early Childhood Education I (and)	ECE 103	Human Growth & Development I
20.52610	Early Childhood Education II		
20.523 (and) 20.52510	Child Development & Parenting (and) Early Childhood Education I	ECE 105	Health, Safety and Nutrition

Allied Health/Health Occupations

25.52100 (and) 25.52200 (or) 25.56100	Introduction to Healthcare Science (HS-HIS) (and) Application of Therapeutic Services (HS-ATS) (or) Nursing Essentials (HS-NE)	AHS 104 (and) MAS 101	Introduction to Health Care (and) Legal Aspects of Medical Office
25.52100 (and) 25.52200	Introduction to Healthcare Science (HS-HIS) (and) Application of Therapeutic Services (HS-ATS)	AHS 109	Medical Terminology
26.07300	Anatomy & Physiology	AHS 101	Anatomy & Physiology

DRAMA

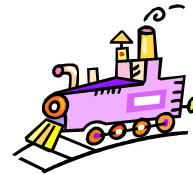
Got the January Blahs! Relief is on the way! The drama department is performing "Babes in Toyland" a family-friendly fun-filled musical that will lift your spirits.

Babes in Toyland



Book by
R.J. Ryland
Music and Lyrics by
Bill Francoeur

7 PM
Thursday, January 24th
And
Saturday, January 26th
At
Lakeside High School



Tickets are
\$5 for students and adults
\$1 for elementary students

Business and Computer Science Department

Plan your course schedule to include preparation for college or work! Let us help you plan your career path.

Computer Applications—needed for school and work---includes Microsoft Word, Excel, Access and PowerPoint and **STUDY SKILLS**

Web Design—HTML, FrontPage, and Dreamweaver—design and production of e-commerce web sites

Digital Media and Design—Fireworks, Flash, Photoshop CS3—Advertising layout and design for printed and digital materials---animation for cartoons, photographs, and text formats

Accounting — computerized accounting---if you plan to major in business, this course is necessary!

Entrepreneurship---business plans, financing, day to day operations, human resource, marketing, etc.

Internship in the medical field, legal field, service industry, banking, insurance, retail, etc.

CBE Internship Program for 2008-09 is now taking applications! Internship hours 2-5 pm Monday – Friday—Internship is paid and earns academic credit—Call Mrs. Hancock for information 863-0027 ext 219

Something to think about!!!!

Have you been thinking about a career path?
Did you know that every career occupation requires the use of technology?
Do you have the technology skills you will need for college or work?

If we can be of any assistance, please call us.

Sheila Hancock 863-0027 ext 219



The Lakeside Panther Band has been busy since the end of the football season. Nine students were chosen to represent Lakeside High School at the UGA JanFest:

Ben Chan---Bassoon	Sam Elia---Percussion
Paul Park---Clarinet	Jenna Abdelhadi---Clarinet
James Newton---Oboe	Will Evans---Tuba
Leland Evans---Trombone	Kara Silver---French Horn
Michael Palmese---Contra Alto Clarinet	

These students will be performing at the University of Georgia January 17-20.

The Lakeside Trumpet Ensemble consisting of Matt Dosch, Michael Cheatham, Taylor Adkins, Prateek Kumar, Dennis Quinlan and Josh Puryear was chosen out of 145 groups to perform at the Georgia Music Educators Association Annual Conference in Savannah, Georgia on January 24th. This is an incredible honor and the band program is very proud of their accomplishments.

Lakeside will be well represented at the All State Band in Savannah this year. The following students auditioned and made the band:

Jenna Abdelhadi---Clarinet	Paul Park---Clarinet
Sam Elia---Percussion	Matt Dosch---Trumpet
Jenny Mi---Flute	Yoonmi Choi---Flute
James Newton---Oboe	

The following students made District Honor Band and will be part of that weekend February 21-23.

Flute:

Yoonmi Choi
Jenny Mi
Sei Young Lee
Kimi Wang
Adrienne Mundy
Kayleigh Crossan

Clarinet:

Susan Heo
Sydney Knapp
Caroline McGill
Paul Park
Jenna Abdelhadi
Tiffany Hsu
Miranda Sindelar

Oboe:

James Newton
Ali Kimm

Bassoon:

Ben Chan
Richardson Lan

Bass Clarinet:

Nick Rhea

Contra Alto Clarinet

Michael Palmese

Alto Sax:

Thomas Anderson
Dexter Chan
Josh Montgomery

French Horn:

Kara Silver
Roger Zhong
Michael Valerio
Johnny Dunn

Trumpet:

Josh Puryear
Nathaniel Hitt
Matt Dosch
Michael Cheatham
Prateek Kumar
Taylor Adkins

Trombone:

Leland Evans
Brian Rickerman

Tuba:

Will Evans

Percussion:

Sam Elia
Jonathan Puryear
Matt Hess

Congratulations to all these wonderful instrumentalists!!!!

Sports News

Student/Athlete Athletic Policy

Parents and Athletes: Coming soon to the LHS Athletic Website will be a copy of our Student/Athlete Athletic Policy. From the LHS main website page click on "Athletics" and a link to this policy will be on our athletics website. This document will hopefully answer any question you may have concerning the athletic programs at Lakeside High School. In the policy you will also have access to every form needed in order for your child to participate as well as contact information. Please make use of this great tool as it benefits everyone involved.

New Region Alignment for 2008- 2010

The Georgia High School Association has completed the realignment of regions for the next two school years based on school enrollment. Fortunately for us, several Augusta area schools decided to "play up" into our size region. Therefore, we will have our own Augusta region for the next two years. The good news is that we will keep our longstanding rivalry with Evans alive and our longest region road trip will be to Hephzibah High instead of having to travel 3 ½ hours to Brunswick. Our transportation costs and loss of instructional time due to travel should be greatly reduced. Unfortunately, Greenbrier will not be in our region for at least two more years because they will play in Region 2-AAAAA in the Atlanta area. We wish them all the best!

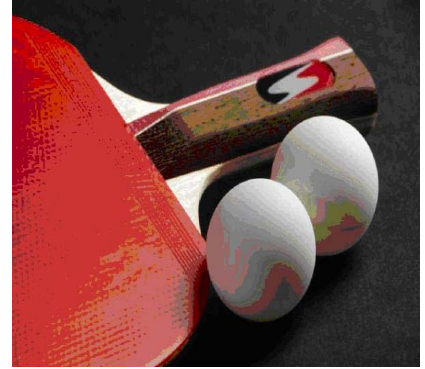
Region 3-AAAA

Sub Region A

Butler
Cross Creek
Davidson Fine Arts
Evans
Lakeside
Academy of Richmond County

SubRegion B

Glenn Hills
Harlem
Hephzibah
Johnson Magnet School
Josey
Westside
Grovettown (2009)



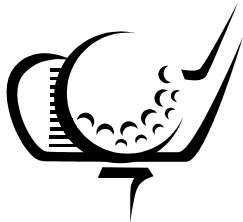
During first semester LHS students banded together to form a table tennis club, the first in several years at the school. The club, which practices on Wednesday afternoons after school, helps players at all levels polish their skills. Club members hope to sponsor a county-wide high school tournament in the future; in the meantime, club members are gaining experience with ranking and seeding procedures by competing with other LHS students.

The Table Tennis club thanks president David Ding and his family and school secretary Jennifer McCafferty who have provided three tables for the club. If anyone would like to donate additional equipment, please contact club sponsor David K a s s n e r a t david.kassner@cboe.net.



SPORTS

More Sports News



Golf team tryouts will be Feb. 5th and 7th at Jones Creek. All those interested in trying out are required to have their insurance paperwork and physical forms to Coach Richey by January 24. Lakeside expects to continue their winning ways as we return five players from last year's State Championship team.

Check the website as we update the schedule for the 2008 season.

As the new coach coming on board this year I would like to thank the parents and fans of Lakeside golf for their generous support of the program in the past. Your help and enthusiastic support has been a key reason for the success of the program. I am asking you for your support one more time because we have got to get fired up and push for the three-peat !!!!



Congratulations are in order for several members of our Lakeside High School fall athletic teams. The following were selected ALL-REGION for their sport:

Softball	1 st Team – Kaitlin Hill
	2 nd Team – Allison Clark, Caroline Mickley
Volleyball	1 st Team – Kirtley Hitt
Football	1 st Team – Dustin Banks
Cross Country	1 st Team – Atom Young, Anna Bowles, Katie Townsend
Cheerleading	1 st Team – Hannah Forrester, Shelby Drayton, Kendall Dove



Congratulations to the 2007 Varsity Competition Cheerleaders. They overcame several injuries and illnesses to place 3rd at Oconee County competition, 3rd at Loganville, 2nd at Central Gwinnett, Region Runner Up and finally Top 10 finish at GHSA State finals. Also, Kendel Dove, Shelby Drayton and Hannah Foerster were named to the All-Region Cheerleading team for 2007.

Lakeside High Cheerleader Tryouts for the 2008-9 seasons will be held in late March or early April. Please start listening for announcements in late February for details. We will have tryouts for 4 squads, Varsity Football/competition, JV football/Competition, Varsity Basketball, JV Basketball.

If you have any questions please email Mrs. Blair @ cynthia.blair@ccboe.net, Mrs. McDaniel @ emcdaniel@ccboe.net, Ms. Mixon @ michelle.mixon@ccboe.net or Mrs. Hardin @ kelli.hardin@ccboe.net.

We look forward to working with you soon.

Ms. Mixon, Varsity Football/Competition Cheer
Mrs. McDaniel, JV Football/Competition Cheer
Mrs. Hardin, JV Basketball Cheer

Lakeside JROTC Panther Battalion
"Honor unit with Distinction"

Have you looked at our calendar and seen all of the events we have done or are going to do? If not, then take a look at our calendars on our website at <http://lakesidejrotcpanthers.com>. At the end of last semester we finished strong with an awesome Halloween Trail that the whole community enjoyed and our Raider Team finished strong as well. The Drill and Rifle Teams have been working hard in preparation for their seasons and we will continue to develop our young cadets as they prepare for the Cadet of the Month Boards. On top of all this we also planned some time for a little fun with the Military Ball, but then it is back to business with our preparation for the Annual Formal Inspection on 28 February.

Our Booster Club, led by Billy Wilson, has done an awesome job this year in their support of our kids. They have done such an outstanding job in supplying meals, chaperones and fundraising events for all of our JROTC activities in which we have participated. Our Annual Halloween Trail was another huge success with well over 500 people in attendance this year. It couldn't have been accomplished without the energy and motivation of Holly and Ernie Dobson and the support of all our other Booster Club members. Thanks to all of the parents who have been active in supporting our program.

Each month we hold a Cadet of the Month (COM) Board. The board consists of our senior cadets who question and evaluate the poise, knowledge, bearing and motivation of our cadet freshman who have been nominated to appear before the board. To date we have had three cadets distinguish themselves by winning the COM and they are cadet Travis Burns, Eboni Walls and Alex Schaefer. Each of these cadets received the COM ribbon, emblem, promotion to corporal and have their names engraved on a COM plaque that is proudly displayed in the JROTC classroom. In April of this year, we will have a Cadet of the Year competition to select our top freshman cadet.

Once again this year Lakeside High School will participate in the Annual Columbia County Military Ball at Ft. Gordon, which includes Harlem, Greenbrier and Evans High Schools. The Ball will take place on 8 February 2008 from 6:45pm to 11:00pm. The first portion of the program is a formal affair, but the latter half includes a buffet dinner and dancing. A highlight of the night is the announcement of the Honorary Colonel from each school. This distinction is open to all female juniors and each school votes to select their representative. Last year our Honorary Colonel was cadet Tara Wilcox. This event is always a highlight of the year for the kids.

Our co-curricular teams continue to have great success. The Raiders, commanded by cadet Kevin Wish, ended the season on a high note by first placing fourth overall in the Nation at the Raider Nationals and second place overall at the Georgia State Raider competition. This was one of the best, if not the best Raider Season ever. Our National Championship Legion Drill Team and State Championship Color Guard, commanded by cadets Tara Wilcox and Kristy Rathkamp have their first competition of the year at the Columbia County Drill Meet at Harlem High School on 30 January. SGM Gary has been working with the team putting in some extra hours in the evening and on weekends to prepare another strong team this year. Right before the Christmas break the Legion Drill Team had a season kick off party at Ft. Gordon's Leitner Lake on 8 and 9 December. They had a good weekend of practice, but also managed to find some time to have fun as well. Thanks to all the parents who came out and supported this event. Things will start to heat up on March 1st, with the Southeastern Drill Meet in Dahlonega Georgia, so good luck to the Drill Team and Color Guard as they prepare for their season to begin. Cadet Sean Young, the Captain of our Rifle Team, led the Lakeside High School Rifle Team to their first win of the 2008 season by defeating Hephzibah High School in a very close match. The team is looking to improve upon their five wins and four loses from last year and advance past the first round of the playoffs.

Finally, if you have a student who is looking for a challenge, both mentally and physically, then have them see Major McKean or Sergeant Major Gary in the JROTC Portable. We are all about developing teamwork, leadership skills and being a part of a proud and winning organization. Please visit our website at <http://lakesidejrotcpanthers.com> for more information.



LAKESIDE HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT REGISTRATION FORM 2008-2009

NAME _____ I.D. NUMBER _____ NEXT YEAR'S GRADE _____ Major _____ POS _____

COMMUNICATION SKILLS:

LNG 211-212 Tech Prep 9
 LNG 221-222 Tech Prep 10
 LNG 231-232 Tech Prep 11
 LNG 241-242 Tech Prep 12
 LNG 260-260 Debate
 LNG 350-351 Speech

GIFTED QUALIFIED

LNG 321-322 CP 10
 LNG 331-332 CP 11
 LNG 341-342 CP 12
 LNG 250-251 Journalism
 LNG 374-375 Mythology

CAREER INTEREST

LNG 405-406 AP 11
 LNG 407-408 AP 12
 LNG 370-371 Writers Workshop
 SST 301SAT Prep (Sem1) _____ 302 (Sem2) _____
 LNG 372/373 Southern/Women's Literature (Jr/Sr only)
 LNG 361/362 Bible

LHS USE ONLY

MATHEMATICS:

MAT 251-252 Applied Problem Solving
 MAT 253-254 Applied Algebra
 MAT 255-256 Applied Geometry
 MAT 257-258 Applied Algebra II

MAT 301-302 Algebra I
 MAT 303-304 Geometry
 MAT 305-306 Algebra II
 MAT 309-310 Algebra III

MAT 307-308 Algebra/Trig
 MAT 411-412 AP Calculus
 MAT 415-416 AP Statistics

SCIENCE:

SCI 211-212 Appl Physics
 SCI 321-322 Intro to Physics
 SCI 213-214 Appl. Biology
 SCI 215-216 Appl. Chemistry

SCI 323-324 Biology
 SCI 325-326 Chemistry
 SCI 333-334 Anatomy

SCI 361-362 Astronomy
 SCI 375-376 Physics I
 SCI 381/382 Forensics

SCI 411-412 AP Enviro.Sci
 SCI 405-406 AP Chemistry
 SCI 403-404 AP Biology
 SCI 409-410 AP Physics

SOCIAL STUDIES:

SOC 301-302 U.S. History
 SOC 303 American Govt
 SOC 375 World Geography
 SOC 311-312 World History

SOC 317-318 Sociology
 SOC 319-320 Psychology
 SOC 305 Economics
 SOC403-404 AP Human Geography

SOC 405-406 AP US History
 SOC 407-408 AP World History
 SOC 409-410 AP Govt/Politics: US
 SOC 411-412 AP European History
 SOC 419-420 AP Psychology

MODERN LANGUAGES AND LATIN:

LLA 301-302 Latin I LLA 303-304 Latin II LLA 305-306 Latin III
 MLA 331-332 French I MLA 333-334 French II MLA 335-336 French III
 MLA 341-342 Spanish I MLA 343-344 Spanish II MLA 345-346 Spanish III
 MLA 337-338 French IV MLA 437-438 AP French
 MLA 347-348 Spanish IV MLA447-448 AP Spanish V

FINE ARTS:

Band

MUS 203-204 Int. Band (3rd)
 MUS 213-214 Adv. Band (4th)
 MUS 223-224 Int. Instrumental (2nd)
 MUS 233-234 Adv. Instrumental (1st)
 MUS 292 Music Appreciation (2nd Sem)

Chorus

CRS 201-202 Beg. Women's
 CRS 231-232 Int. Women's
 CRS 281-282 Adv. Mixed
 CRS 261-262 Adv. Women Choir
 CRS 409-410 AP Music Theory
 MUS 297-298 Guitar

Drama

FAS 201-202 Drama I
 FAS 203-204 Drama II
 FAS 211-212 Adv. Drama I
 FAS 213-214 Adv. Drama II

Visual Art

ART 291-292 Visual Art I
 ART 293-294 Visual Art II
 ART 241-242 Photography I
 ART 243-244 Photography II
 ART 251-252 Ceramics I
 ART 253-254 Ceramics II
 ART 271-272 Applied Design I
 ART 273-274 Applied Design II
 ART 401-402 AP Art Studio
 ART 411-412 AP Art History

PHYSICAL EDUCATION:

PEH 201 Personal Fitness (Required)
 PEH 240 Health (Required)
 PEH 241 First Aid and Safety

PEH 221-222 Lifetime Sports
 PEH 213-214 Weight Training
 PEH 217-218 Weight Training

PEH 230-231 General P.E. I
 PEH 270-271 General P.E. II
 PEH 260-261 Conditioning

ART 291-292 Visual Art I
 ART 293-294 Visual Art II
 ART 241-242 Photography I
 ART 243-244 Photography II
 ART 251-252 Ceramics I
 ART 253-254 Ceramics II
 ART 271-272 Applied Design I
 ART 273-274 Applied Design II
 ART 401-402 AP Art Studio
 ART 411-412 AP Art History

CAREER TECHNOLOGY PATHWAYS:

Business

BCS 231-232 Business Law
 BCS 251-252 Comp Application
 BCS 281-282 Digital Media

BCS 233-234 Entrepreneurship
 BCS 259-260 Web Site Design
 BCS 209-210 Marketing

BCS 241-242 Accounting I
 BCS 255-256 Comp. Prog I

BCS 263-264 Coop. Work Exp.
 BCS 261-262 Coop. Bus. Ed. I

Health Science

HCA 201-202 Intro to Health Care HCA 203-204 Applications to Health Care (2 hour) HCA 211-212 Pre-Pharmacy (2 hour)

Engineering

DFT 221-222 Intro to Engineering DFT 231-232 Arch. Drawing and Design I
 DFT 223-224 Engineering Concepts DFT 233-234 Arch. Draw and Design II
 DFT 225-226 Solid Modeling and Design DFT 235-236 Structural Detailing

Technology

TEC 201-202 Foundation of Tech TEC 213-214 Communication Tech. TEC 217-218 Engineering Concepts
 TEC 219-220 Engineer Application TEC 231-232 Materials/Process Tech.

Family Consumer

FCS 201-202 Nutrition FCS 203-204 Adv. Nutrition FCS 211-212 Child Development
 FCS 230-231 Food Science

JROTC

JROTC 201-202 Army I JROTC 203-204 Army II JROTC 205-206 Army III JROTC 207-208 Army IV

Alternate Choices (Select 2 additional year long courses in case your first choice is not available.)

Online/Summer School/Joint Enrollment:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Parent's Signature: _____ Student Signature _____

HOPE GPA Calculation and Eligibility for Scholarship

High School Reports to GSFC

A Complete Transcript with Course History

HOPE Grade Eligibility Determined By

Georgia Student Finance Commission

Nominal Standard for Eligibility

College Preparatory
Other Diploma Types

3.0 on a true 4.0 scale—no numerical standard
3.2 on a true scale—no numerical standard

Academic Credits Counted in Calculation

English
Mathematics
Science
Social Studies
Foreign Language-
(College Prep Only)

All Credits Attempted
All Credits Attempted
All Credits Attempted
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All Credits Attempted

**Course Weighted in GPA Calculation
Weighting Done By**

Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate Only
Georgia Student Finance Commission

Value of Weights

Uniform Across the State

*Applies to all Georgia High School Graduates who begin their college careers on or after May 1, 2007, regardless of previous eligibility determinations those enrolled and attending a college prior to May 1, 2007, are subject to the current High School Eligibility Standard.

The Statute Governing this Process, §20-2-157 O.C.G.A., may be viewed at: http://www.legis.state.ga.us/cgi-bin/gl_codes_detail.pl?code=20/2/157

High School Graduation Requirements*

SUBJECT	CP	CP+	TC	TC+	DUAL DIPLOMA
English/Language Arts	4	4	4	4	4
Mathematics	4	4	3	3	4
Science	3	3	3	3	3
Social Studies	3	3	3	3	3
Foreign Language	2	2	0	0	2
Health and Personal Fitness	1	1	1	1	1
TC/Fine Arts or 3 rd year of same Foreign Language	1	1	1	1	1
Technology Career (3 units must be in same area)	0	0	4	4	4
Electives	4	4	3	4	0
Academic Electives	0	2	0	1	2
<i>Total Units</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>24</i>

* In addition to the above requirements, students must pass all five sections of the

Georgia High School Graduation Tests.

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