Monday Message

May 24, 2021



President's Message

Dear all.

As our pandemic world continues to evolve and change, be assured we will keep our finger on the pulse of contagion statistics and trends locally, regionally, nationally and globally. As noted, I urge you to review the Monday Message for ongoing updates.

Given recent guideline adjustments, I thought it relevant to share information brought forward during last week's State of Idaho Agency Directors' meeting reemphasizing the importance of vaccination and expectation that unvaccinated individuals will follow CDC guidelines – which means following the 2-out-of-3 rule. Individuals not vaccinated for medical or religious reasons should contact Human Resources for assistance with accommodations.

As we move into summer, the sunshine, outdoor activities, *the Avista NAIA World Series*, and continued progress toward reclaiming a new normal, please stay safe, well, rest, enjoy and *Let's Play Ball*! Cynthia Pemberton, Ed.D. President

Events

- May 25 Tuesday at Two President Pemberton's Tuesdays at Two continue through Zoom (https://lcsc.zoom.us/j/861031866). All are welcome to join the conversation.
- May 28-June 4 Avista NAIA World Series Volunteers are needed! LC State employees who
 receive supervisor approval, can volunteer for up to two shifts at the Avista NAIA World Series at
 Harris Field without using vacation time. Volunteers are needed to sell and take tickets, sell
 programs, help in the concession stands, and serve as ushers. To register to volunteer online
 visit naiaworldseries.com. For questions, contact Caelyn Orlandi at naiav@lcsc.edu.
 - Volunteering: Volunteers are needed in main concessions for the following shifts:
 - May 28 2:30-6:30 p.m., 6:30-10 p.m.
 - May 29 2:30-6:30 p.m., 6:30-10 p.m.
 - May 31 2:30-6:30 p.m., 6:30-10 p.m.
 - Parking: The parking lots across from the Activity Center will not be available from May 27-June 4. The 11th Avenue lot will not be available from May 26-June 5.

Announcements

Coronavirus Updates & Risk Level: For the latest coronavirus updates and information
visit www.lcsc.edu/coronavirus. In accordance with its Operational Levels, LC State's current risk
level is: Minimal.

- Cases Update: Currently there are no active cases and no students in isolation in campus housing. The college has had 29 confirmed cases this spring.
- Vaccine Availability: Public Health Idaho North Central District has opened vaccine availability to all ages. To schedule an appointment visit www.idahoprepmod.com or call 208-799-3100. COVID-19 Vaccine FAQ (PDF).
- LC State protocols: Ongoing protocol decisions will continue to be guided by science and safety, with summer modifications (see <u>Summer 2021 Outlook</u>) in effect May 17-Aug.
 6 (aligned with summer hours). Reminder: fall 2021 protocols will be determined and posted late summer.
- **Commencement:** Congratulations again to our graduates and a big thank you to all the faculty and staff who helped make the three ceremonies a success. The recordings can be watched at https://livestream.com/lcsc/commencement21.

HR Updates:

- o May Newsletter
- Summer hours will be in effect May 17-Aug. 6. See intranet for details.
- Annual Compliance Training Day is July 28. Employees will focus on completing as much, if not all, of their annual compliance training on this one day. The morning schedule will include updated information from key departments on campus, and the afternoon will focus on annual SafeColleges Compliance Trainings.

