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Lake Forest High School  
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**PRESS RELEASE**

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**FOR RELEASE:** Immediately

There will be a senior parent seminar “College Application Workshop” on September 2 at 7:00pm in the Raymond Moore Auditorium at LFHS East Campus.

LFHS students in Symphony Orchestra, Wind Ensemble, Advanced Percussion, Foresters, and Balladiers, are eligible to apply for Honors Credit. Detailed program information will be given during the first week of classes, but interested students should begin preparing for auditions now. Auditions will take place on Thursday, September 2, 3:30-5:30 pm. Choir and Orchestra students should prepare a solo piece (no accompaniment necessary) and Band students should prepare one of this year’s IMEA etudes.

There will be a parent coffee, “Recap of College Application Workshop” on September 3 at 9:00am in the CCRC (College Career Resource Center) Room 103 A.

There will be no school on September 6 in recognition of Labor Day.

There will be a regular meeting of the Board of Education of Lake Forest Community High School District 115, Lake County, Illinois on Tuesday, September 7, 2010 at 7:00 p.m., Board Rm, LFHS West Campus, 300 S. Waukegan Road, Lake Forest, Illinois.

Lake Forest High School will kick-off its celebration of our 75th anniversary at the homecoming pep rally on Thursday, September 9 at 6:30 pm with a celebration of the fall sports teams under the lights at Varsity Field. Food will be available for purchase from the Booster Club. At 7:30 pm the “parade of athletes” will begin where each fall team will be recognized and celebrated. There will also be plenty of performances and old traditions--including the crowning of the homecoming king and queen. LFHS Varsity Football will be playing Zion Benton with a kick-off at 7:30pm (sophomore game is at 5pm). The gates will open at 3:45pm. Adults entrance is \$5, Children \$2, Senior Citizens \$1. The community is encouraged to attend. More information can be found at [www.lfhs.org](http://www.lfhs.org).

Lake Forest High School’s Class of 2010 set a record for the highest ACT scores in the school’s history with a composite score of 26.3. Additionally, each and every section or subset of the college entrance examination was also the highest score in Lake Forest High School’s history. This year’s results surpassed the previous record high of 25.6 set in the 2007-08 and 2008-09 school years. The state average was 20.7 and the national average was 21.0. The ACT scoring scale is 1 to 36.

Lake Forest High School also heralds 3 students with a perfect score of 36. Only 90 students in the state of Illinois achieved this honor and one tenth of 1 percent get a perfect score nation-wide.

“Our community and school can certainly be proud of these record-breaking scores. Our talented students, dedicated staff and rigorous curriculum are exemplified in these results,” states District 115 Superintendent Dr. Harry Griffith. “Our students leave Lake Forest High School well prepared for college and careers.”

This comes at a time when Illinois schools posted slightly lower scores and, on a national level, according to the Wall Street Journal, “data for 2010 high school graduates who took the ACT show performance stagnating.”

The ACT assesses high school students’ general educational development and their

ability to complete college-level work. The latest ACT results indicate that Lake Forest's graduates are well prepared for college in all four skill areas, English, mathematics, reading and science reasoning. Dr. Griffith noted, "I would also like to underscore that though we are very proud of these scores it is just one part of our mission. We are here for the whole child – that is the magic of Lake Forest High School."

The Class of 2010 received all-time high scores on the mathematics, English, reading and science sections of the exam. The mathematics score was 26.5; the English score of 26.6, while the reading score of 26.4, and the science score of 25.3 all surpassed previous district records.

The percentage of LFHS graduates that could be expected to succeed in a first-year college course based on ACT scores far exceeded the percentage of students statewide.

- **College English Composition** – 94 percent of Lake Forest graduates, compared to 64 percent of all graduating Illinois high school seniors. The ACT benchmark score to determine college readiness in English is 18 on the English portion of the exam

- **College Algebra** -- 82 percent of Lake Forest graduates; 40 percent statewide. The ACT benchmark score to determine college readiness in algebra is 22 on the mathematics portion of the exam.

- **College Social Science** – 81 percent of Lake Forest graduates; 48 percent statewide. The ACT benchmark score to determine college readiness in social science is 21 on the reading portion of the exam.

- **College Biology** – 63 percent of Lake Forest graduates; 27 percent statewide. The ACT benchmark score to determine college readiness in biology is 24 on the science portion of the exam. *Note: ACT has a higher benchmark for Science than the other subject areas, which make it more difficult for students across the nation to achieve this, ACT*

*standard.*

The number of graduating seniors who took the ACT was 446.

Congratulations to the following LFHS students who achieved High Honor Roll Semester 2, 2009-2010.

Class of 2010: Marie Ankenman, Joseph Foley Arnstein, Aria Bagheri, Brian Barker, Jeremy D. Berman, Colin Briskman, Jonathan Briskman, Ryan T. Christensen, Michael Thomas Dent, Claire DiMario, Brittni DiTomasso, Claire Dillon, Claire Anne Donohue, Andrew Farver, Kelsey Goon, Anders J. Gullberg, Claire Hewes Haffner, Mihar Hayashi, Emma Heizer, Natalie Horcher, Suzanne Keck Huszagh, Bianca C. Kapoor, Kristin Karst, Krysti Marie Kiesel, Catherine Morgan Leider, Leland Joseph Masek, Michael Henry Oliver, Julia Retzky, Christine Emily Maza Robinson, Elizabeth Anne Skinner, Stephanie Staton, Mitchell Stoehr, Mary Pepperrell Sullivan, Matthew TenPas, Lauren Elizabeth Van Crey, and Mykel Vandenberg.

Class of 2011: Madeline Aby, Lily An, John Johansen Andersen, Alison Marie Bailey, Danielle Beckett, Maureen Anne Beirne, Ethan Daniel Borre, Iain M. Brearton, Mitchell William Burns, Andrea Cella, Belinda C. Chen, Liam James Rocco Connell, Blake T. Dethlefsen, Yegor Elkin, Lindsey Ann Giangiorgi, Carson Goldman, Calla Margaret Jordan, Kelsey A. Kolasa, Christopher Caleb Kyriazis, Ashley Lakin, Alexander Reed Nelson, Nicholas James Palermo, Evan Popiel, Kasey Moy Quon, Jori Richman, Kelly Mackenzie Schultz, Andrew William Shaw, Zachary Price Silver, Marc Anthony Spehlmann, Benjamin Allan Spiegel, and Zachary Alexander Tan.

Class of 2012: William Frederick Arnson, Collin R. Barnwell, Michele Marie Becker, Laura Anastasia Beshilas, Mary Katherine Dooley, Paige D. Douglass, Michael Joseph Felzan, Hannah Bell Geldermann, Will Reeves Gregg, Erin Marie Hart, Annika Linnea Heilman, Mika Hlavin, Meredith Clingan Huszagh, Emily Charlotte Johnson, Katherine A. Lachner, Sally Jeanne Lape, Mackenzie S. Mardjetko, Margaret Jayne Massar, Danielle Jacquelyn Moews, Kelly A. Murphy, William R. M. Oakley, Anne Desenis Peterson, Krista Marie Peterson, Margaret Crotty Rogers, Katherine A. Rowe, Riley Charles

Scholer, Katherine R. Schott, Rebecca Lane Scribner, Katherine Therese Sentell, Philip Michael Sheridan, Michael Macalister Shipp, Samuel Stull Tauke, Matthew Charles Wagener, Lilly F Wang, William Joseph Willis, Lauren Kristine, Yarkony Amanda Zhou, and Elizabeth Dryden Zoller.

Class of 2013: Arjan Abar, Sabrina Maureen Acker, Eric James Asmussen, Camron Bagheri, Annie Nicole Belgrade, Mark William Benson, Janna Leala Berman, Kira Shaina Berman, Maia Alexandra Brearton, Shannon Dempsey Brown, Kylie Nei Carlson, Saisha Chadha, Thomas Michael Doherty, Madeleine Jane Fawcett, Kevin Lin Fu, Amanda C. Gottschalk, Margaux N. Guysinger, Marisa Emily Houlahan, Mathew Christopher Kohout, Abigail Wray Kordell, Sarah Lenny, Margaret Mary Mass, Peter Leander McCormick, Katherine Elizabeth McKeon, Mia Mae McMahon, Isabelle K. Montagne, Hannah Leigh Murrens, Elizabeth Marlene Passalino, Brooke Pamela Payton, Allison Nicole Penn, Gabriela E Perino, Daniel Harry Saffrin, Helen Wells Schlachtenhaufen, Faelyn Morahan Sheridan, Samantha Rose Shipp, Caleigh Ilan Silver, Kelsey A. Simet, Olumide Temitope Sosan, Layne Morrell Suhre, Katherine Jean Sullivan, Adekore B. Taiwo, Mihaela Stoitsheva Tshobanova, Jessie Lauren Tubbs, Nicole Kathryn Vargas, Sarah K. Whitney, Emily Christine Woidat, Lauren Elizabeth Wyatt, and Jeffrey Thomas Zillner.

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Morgan Elizabeth Luttig, Ryan Patrick Mark, Michael McMEnamin, Rohan Nilesh Mehta, Jessica Camille Minorini, Meghana Moodabagil, Megan Moore, Kelly Moran, Leah Moreno, Nikhil Mulani, Alexandra Murphy, Emily Neal, Eleanor Parker Nesbit, Lauren Nicole OKane, Andrew O'Neill, Matthew R Ochalski, Elizabeth Paddock, Evan Donato Rivera, Stacey Robberson, John Taylor Rockwell, Karen Ann Rosenbaum, Brittany Sacco, Megan Salzer, Julia Cathleen Saran Alexis Serbin, Sayre A. Shannon, Angela Shin, Harrison Shipp, Ashley Smith, Ryan Nicholas Sparrow, Charles William Spencer, Faith Svigos, Todd Szerlong, Eeshan Talwar, Kristin Tanabe, William Tauke, Lindsey Taylor, Kurtis Teskoski, M. Parker Teufel, Maria Theodore, Tessa Torcivia, Albert Sharpe Trefts, Noah R. Wagemann, Rachel E. Wagner, Diane Wang, Leland Alexander Warren, Adele Odette Watel, Caroline Williams, Elizabeth Willis, Samuel Winkler, Matthew Wyatt, Seth Yarkony, Timothy Scott Zage, Anna Zhou, Patricia Zicarelli, and Erik N Zillner.

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Michael Prousis, Daniel Steven Roper, Bryan Parker Rossman, Caelan Diandre Rottman, Hally Elizabeth Ryan, Kathryn Mary Ryan, James Michael Schmid, Jennifer Ann Schmidt, David Michael Schyns, Julie Shen, Michael J Simet, Caitlin Marie Sperzel, Faith Lyn Steckel, Shane B. Stewart, Allison H. Stride, Herbert Parker Stride, Matthew Brandon Summers, Kyle Daniel Svec, Andrew C Swisher, Katherine Mary Syc, Weston A. Terrasse, Matthew Louis Terry, Jason J. Thomson, Carly Jane Tubbs, Christopher Michael Turansick, Austin James Wands, Jamie Denise Warren, Alex Wettermann, Jack Ericson Wold, Leah Marie Wurster, and Sarah Margaret Zavitz.

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