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PRESS RELEASE

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FOR RELEASE: Immediately

LFHS students in Symphony Orchestra, Wind Ensemble, Advanced Percussion, Foresters, and Balladiers, are eligible to apply for Honors Credit. Detailed program information was given during the first week of classes. Interested students should begin preparing for auditions which will take place on Thursday, September 3, 3:30-5:30 pm. Choir and Orchestra students should prepare a solo piece and Band students should prepare all of the IMEA etudes for their instrument.

NCAA Student Athlete Night will be held on Monday, September 4 at 7:00p.m. at Vernon Hills High School. All potential collegiate athletes should attend this informative evening hosted by Vernon Hills High School. Information from experts in the areas of compliance, roles and responsibilities of parents, students, coaches and recruiters.

There will be a cheerleading clinic for 1st – 8th grade students on September 4, 2009 from 4:30 pm—8:30 pm at LFHS West Campus Gym. Participants will perform their cheer routine at the first varsity football game against Bradford High School. More information can be found at www.lfhs.org.

There will be no school on September 7 in recognition of Labor Day.

Theater at LFHS PALS (Producers-at-Large) & ITS (International Thespian Society) will be hosting a LFHS Theater Open House on Wednesday, September 9 at 7:00 pm in the Raymond Moore Auditorium. The evening will provide an overview for parents and students to learn of all the opportunities to be involved in theater, including the Junior/Senior Play, Frosh/Soph Play, Talent Show, Musical, Forensics (4N6), ITS and Tech Crews. Time will be allotted for questions from the audience and tours of the theater facilities will be available. Light refreshments will be provided by the PALS Board, the parent booster group for LFHS Theater - parents can play a role too! Please plan on joining the LFHS Theater Advisors, PALS Board Members and our Student Leaders for this new event. We look forward to seeing you there!

This year there will be four meetings prepared for parents of LFHS freshmen students. These meetings will keep parents aware and informed of issues pertinent to freshmen year. The first meeting will be on: Thursday, September 10 at 10:00 am in the David Miller Theater. This will be an opportunity to “Meet the Administrators.” Participants include Superintendent, Dr. Harry Griffith, Principal, Jay Hoffmann, Director of Counseling, Dr. Merry Quinn, Service Coordinator, Kathleen O’Hara and other staff members. This is a great opportunity to get questions answered.

There will be an LFHS senior class parent meeting “College Application Workshop” on September 10, 2009 at 7:00 pm., in the Raymond Moore Auditorium. Beginning in the RMA with an overview, participants will breakout into sessions to include: the essay, state universities, presenting oneself on the application, and the return visit/interview.