

Monday Message

Sept. 16, 2024



Dear all,

First, I want to give a shout out of thanks to Ms. Kristi Brown, director of the Center for Arts & History, and Ms. Alexandria Scalise, program coordinator, for bringing back Grape & Grain. The event paired tastings of local wines and craft beers with hors d'oeuvres and the stunningly impactful "Primal Forces: Earth" art exhibit. It was a terrific event and I am already looking forward to next year!

Second, I thought folks might enjoy an alumni affairs update. Read on... "Warrior for Life" is more than just a catchphrase!

Friday, Sept. 27, from 4-6 p.m., we will host an LC Valley Alumni & Friends Social at Vista House. The event will feature light appetizers, no-host beverages, and great conversation with our new athletic director, Mr. Ronnie Palmer, joined by LC State basketball coaches, Mr. Austin Johnson and Ms. Caelyn Orlandi.

Our Inland Northwest Chapter (CDA region) has events scheduled throughout the fall, beginning with Warrior Wednesday, Sept. 18, from 4-6 p.m. at Sweet Lou's Restaurant and Tap House. I'll be there along with Mr. Palmer. CDA Warrior Wednesdays are also planned for Oct. 16 from 3-5 p.m. at Evans Brothers Coffee, and Nov. 20 from 4-6 p.m. again at Sweet Lou's.

Moving down south, our Treasure Valley Chapter is planning to schedule an LC State night at one of the Idaho Steelheads hockey games, and will host an alumni event during the legislative session. Stay tuned for dates and times via our web information at: www.lcsc.edu/alumni.

Finally, if you or an alumni you know owns a business, locally or elsewhere, check out the [Warrior Business Directory](#). Registrants will receive an LC State alumni decal to display in their business window.

Go Warriors!

Cynthia Pemberton, Ed.D.
President

Announcements

- **Athletics Pass:** LC State faculty and staff and their immediate family members can enjoy free admission to regular season Warrior Athletic events. Passes can be obtained at www.lcwarriors.com and for instructions click here: [How to get your pass](#).
- **Carryforward:** The FY24 departmental support funds carryforward have been posted to Fund 10 appropriated accounts in Colleague. Departments/divisions should be able to see this in WarriorWeb.
- **Compliance Trainings:** Solutions (formerly SafeColleges) compliance trainings have been emailed to all LC State employees. Please check your junk mail if you haven't received it in your lcsc.edu email. The trainings are due on or before Oct. 25, however, please be sure to sign your

Conflict of Interest/Personal Relationship Form before Oct. 1. If you have questions, please email hr@lcsc.edu or call 208-792-2269.

- **Holiday Schedule:** LC State's up-to-date [holiday schedule](#) can be found on the Intranet.
- **NAIA Hall of Fame:** Former Warrior women's basketball coach Brian Orr, longtime volunteer Denny Grubb, and Olympian Sam Atkin have been inducted into the NAIA Hall of Fame ([news release](#)). "National recognition of these three LC State athletics leaders is a tribute to their outstanding achievements, dedication and contributions to excellence," LC State President Cynthia Pemberton said. "It is certainly unusual, if not unheard of to have three individuals selected in the same year to the NAIA Hall of Fame; and one more example of the exceptional legacy of accomplishment that is a hallmark of LC State athletics. Congratulations to coach Brian Orr, LC alum Sam Atkin, and Mr. Denny Grubb. We couldn't be more proud!"
- **PDT Payoff:** Starting Sept. 1 and ending Dec. 6, join the ultimate journey! Register for Professional Development Training (PDT) or Wellness events to earn points through our special system. Each session and event is an opportunity to climb the leaderboard as each opportunity will be weighted based on function. The top 10 scorers will be entered for a chance to win an exclusive prize at this year's Winter Revels! Get ready to be part of something thrilling, brought to you in partnership by the Offices of the President and Human Resources. Hop on to [HR's PDT/Wellness Website](#), embrace the challenge by registering for different PDT and Wellness Initiatives, and let the games begin!
- **RRF Award Summary:** The FY 2025 Resource Request Form (RRF) award summary is now posted on the Program Assessment, Plan, & RRF Teams site: [Summary of FY25 Resource Allocation Decisions.pdf](#). Ongoing RRF awards are already in Colleague in the FY2025 operating budgets. For areas that have one time funding awards, please contact the Budget Office.
- **Student Employment & Career Readiness Center Upcoming Events:**
 - **Sept. 18 – Career Closet Donation Day:** Help support students as they prepare for interviews and the Career Fair! Last year, nearly 250 students shopped the Career Closet, which operates entirely on donations and is free for students and the items are theirs to keep. If you have new or gently used professional clothing to donate, please drop it off in SUB 202. Your contributions make a big difference!
 - **Oct. 2 – Pop & Prep for the Career Fair:** From 4-6 p.m., students can shop the Career Closet, get their resumes reviewed, use the headshot photo station, and ask questions to ease their Career Fair jitters.
 - **Oct. 10 – LC State Fall Career Fair:** Mark your calendars! The Fall Career Fair will be held from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. in the P1FCU Activity Center. Students are encouraged to dress professionally (visit the free career closet in SUB 202) and take advantage of this great opportunity to explore job and internship possibilities.

Events

Keep up on events and activities through the [Campus Calendar](#).

- **Sept. 17 – Tuesday at Two** – This fall semester President Pemberton will host Tuesday at Two meetings, informal gatherings that are open to all, at various locations on campus on the following Tuesdays: Sept. 17 (**new location:** SGC 122), Oct. 22 (SPH 109), Nov. 12 (MLH 140), and Dec. 10 (RCH 202)

- **Sept. 20-21 – Home Athletic Events** – The Warrior volleyball team will host matches against Oregon Tech and Southern Oregon on Friday and Saturday, respectively, at the P1FCU Activity Center. Learn more at www.lcwarriors.com.
 - **Oct. 7-11 – Homecoming** – LC State is officially entering its Homecoming Era, with Homecoming scheduled on Oct. 7-11. Get ready to join the fun by ordering your exclusive homecoming shirt today! [Place your order](#) by Monday, Sept. 16, at 5 p.m. to guarantee your size. Also, register your office to be crowned the [Office Decorating Champion](#). For a full listing of homecoming events and activities, check out the [schedule](#).
 - **Oct. 8 – Faculty/Staff Alumni Lunch** – From noon-1 p.m. at the Williams Conference Center, the Alumni Association invites all LC State faculty/staff alumni to enjoy a lunch, connect with fellow alumni colleagues, and have the chance to win LC State swag! Registration is required to receive giveaway items and guarantee your spot. If you didn't receive this invitation and are an LC State alumnus, [RSVP here](#).
 - **Oct. 11 – Faculty/Staff vs. Students Dodgeball** – Calling all LC State employees! Faculty and staff will need to bring their Warrior spirit to take back the trophy from the students. Please take a moment to [sign up](#) to play and/or cheer. The match is scheduled for Friday, Oct. 11, at 1:15 p.m. in the Activity Center West Auxiliary Gym.
 - **Oct. 30 – Annual Pumpkin Carving/Decorating Contest** – The Fifth Annual Pumpkin Carving/Decorating Contest will be held Wednesday, Oct. 30. Pumpkins will be on display in the SUB/CSL through the afternoon of Oct. 31. Limit of three pumpkins per office, but you must register EACH pumpkin. Sign-ups accepted now through noon on Oct. 29. Offices can [review contest guidelines and sign up](#) for the competition online.
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News & Features

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- [LC State radiographic science program ranked No. 1 nationally](#)
 - [Atkin, Grubb and Orr to be Enshrined in NAIA Hall of Fame](#)
 - [Warrior Athletics Sets Department Record with 15 NAIA Scholar Teams](#)
 - [LC State Homecoming Week set for Oct. 7-11](#)
 - [LC State to celebrate Constitution Day with panel discussion Sept. 17](#)
 - [LC State to hold Multicultural Discovery events in September](#)
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Song for the Week: "[Long Live](#)" by Taylor Swift

