

## SPARTAN WEEKLY UPDATE

#SpartanPride

April 24, 2022

*The Mission of Lakewood High School is to create and nurture a foundation for learning and academic success where students take pride in their accomplishments and develop character traits, which have a positive impact on their education experience.*

*The Mission of the Lakewood High School AVID program is to close the Opportunity Gap by preparing all students for College and Career readiness with the goal of securing their success in a Global Society.*

Greetings Spartans,

As we continue in the season of Covid-19, if your child is exhibiting symptoms of Covid-19, please keep them home, notify the school and follow-up with their physician. Please send COVID Lab Test results to Ms. Mudd at [muddl@pcsb.org](mailto:muddl@pcsb.org).

### Construction

Construction will begin on the front parking lot on Monday April 18<sup>th</sup>. We will be limited to only half of the front parking lot. For the safety of our students, please do not use the front parking lot as a student drop off or pick up. Students can be dropped off and picked up safely from the 54<sup>th</sup> Avenue lane. If you have to do business in the front office, please make sure you are adhering to the School Zone Speed Limit and watch out for pedestrians.

### Attendance Matters



Parents, Lakewood Cares about your Scholars. **There are 24 School Days left in the 2021-2022 school year.** Each day we are seeing an alarming amount of students not coming to school, arriving late and leaving campus early. Attendance does matter and we need all students in school on time, every day. School starts at 7:10 A.M and dismisses at 1:55 P.M. Attendance has a direct correlation to your child's grades and test scores. Please ensure that your child is making the most of their instructional time by arriving to school on time.

### Yearbook Sales

April is Yearbook Sales Month! We still have a few left, so get yours ASAP. The book is \$80 and is only being sold online. Go to Balfour.com and search Lakewood High School, St. Petersburg, Fla., and you will be given directions on how to buy. Don't delay, buy today!

### Performing Arts Spring Concert Series

- Thursday, April 28<sup>th</sup> 6pm - Chorus, Jazz, and Steel Band
- Thursday, May 12<sup>th</sup> 7pm - Band
- Saturday, May 14<sup>th</sup> - Bay Area Battle of the Bands

## **Spring Testing**

Parents, Spring Testing is here, your child(ren) at school in order to complete FSA/EOC and AP Testing and Final Exams. These tests have heavy implications on your child's Semester 2 final grades, graduation status as well as scheduling options for the next school year. Below is a snapshot of the upcoming testing schedule. Please make sure your son/daughter receives a good night's sleep and is present at school for the next 6 weeks.

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|---------------------------|-----------------|
| • FSA Reading Part 1      | May 3 - May 4   |
| • FSA Reading Part 2      | May 5 - May 6   |
| • Biology                 | May 10 - May 11 |
| • U.S. History            | May 11 - May 12 |
| • Algebra/Geometry        | May 18 - May 19 |
| • Advanced Placement (AP) | May 2 - May 13  |
| • Senior Exams            | May 13 - May 18 |
| • Underclassmen Exams     | May 23 - May 26 |

## **SENIOR CORNER**

### **Jump Start Scholarship**

The Pinellas Education Foundation is offering scholarships to current Seniors. The deadline is April 30 and students can apply at the link below. Lakewood has a number of Seniors who have started the application but have not completed the process. Please do not miss this unique opportunity for your Senior to receive this scholarship.

<https://www.cognitofrms.com/PinellasEducationFoundation1/JumpStartScholarshipApplication>

### **Graduation**

**We have about 3 and 1/2 weeks (18 School Days)** until graduation (Thursday May 19). We have a number of Seniors who are off-track for graduation. While we have complete confidence that your scholar will join us at Graduation on 5/19, but we are in dire need for some to pep up their step and "Get it Done".

**Seniors who are enrolled in APEX Credit Recovery - your attendance matters!** You have two additional opportunities after normal student hours to complete classes. They can attend Lakewood Community School between the hours of 2:00 P.M - 8:00 P.M. Monday - Thursday or from 9:00 A.M. - 12:00 Noon on Saturdays. Please contact your child's School Counselor, Mr. Serra or Ms. Calderon if you have questions about their Graduation Status.

### **Counselors**

	<b><u>Alphabet</u></b>	<b><u>Email</u></b>
Ms. Ashwood	ALL	<a href="mailto:ashwoodc@pcsb.org">ashwoodc@pcsb.org</a>
Mrs. Heatly	A-G	<a href="mailto:heatlyc@pcsb.org">heatlyc@pcsb.org</a>
Mrs. Compas-Orange	H-P	<a href="mailto:compas-orangel@pcsb.org">compas-orangel@pcsb.org</a>
Dr. Jackson	Q-Z	<a href="mailto:jacksonkay@pcsb.org">jacksonkay@pcsb.org</a>

### **Assistant Principals**

Mr. Serra	<a href="mailto:serraiij@pcsb.org">serraiij@pcsb.org</a>
Ms. Calderon	<a href="mailto:calderonc@pcsb.org">calderonc@pcsb.org</a>

### Parent Focus Password Reset

If you are unable to change your password online or if you do not know your username or password, we prefer for you to visit your child's school to have your identity confirmed and password changed. Please bring your identification with you to the school. If you are unable to visit the school, you can call the school's administration, and they will utilize a screening protocol. You can also send a copy (scanned or picture) of your identification card with your request to the administration of your child's school.

### Weekly Calendar

<b>Monday 4/25</b> <b>A-Day</b>	<b>Senior Breakfast @ 8:00 A.M. (Gym)</b> No Evening Activities
<b>Tuesday 4/26</b> <b>B-Day</b>	<b>In-School ACT (Seniors Needing Concordant Score)</b> <b>Senior Movie Night @ 7:00 P.M. (Gym)</b> Baseball @ Parrish Flag Football (Districts) vs. Jefferson
<b>Wednesday 4/27</b> <b>A-Day</b>	<b>Senior Skate Party @ 10:00 A.M. (Astro Skate)</b> Flag Football (Districts) @ Robinson (TBD) Softball vs. Pinellas Park
<b>Thursday 4/28</b> <b>B-Day</b>	<b>Senior Cap &amp; Gown Fitting 8<sup>th</sup> Period (Aud.)</b> Spanish Honor Society Inductions @ 6:00 P.M. (Café) Chorus, Jazz, and Steel Band Concert @ 6:00 P.M. (Aud.)
<b>Friday 4/29</b> <b>A-Day</b>	<b>Senior Picnic @ 10:00 A.M. (Practice Field)</b> No Evening Activities
<b>Saturday 4/30</b>	<b>Senior Grad Bash (Universal Studios)</b> <b>(3:00 P.M. - 3:00 A.M.)</b>  <b>Have a Great Weekend!</b> <b>Enjoy Your Weekend!</b>

Sincerely,

*Ms. Savage*

Principal

Lakewood High School