

May 5, 2021

Lake Superior College graduates featured in the Duluth News Tribune



Lake Superior College medical assistant and phlebotomy graduate Breauna Peterson (right) holds a sample diploma with Anna Sackette-Urness, LSC dean of Allied Health and Nursing, while the two are photographed by Lifetouch Photography employee Vicki Gray on Monday, May 3, 2021. The photo will be included in the virtual commencement celebration the college will post on its website May 17. The prerecorded presentation will honor graduates from the past year. The school expects to have 850 graduates this spring. (Steve Kuchera / skuchera@duluthnews.com)

Duluth News Tribune photographer Steve Kuchera stopped by the LSC Commons this week to photograph students preparing for the virtual commencement celebration that will be posted on the LSC website on May 17. An estimated 850 students will graduate from LSC this spring. Congratulations to all of our graduates on reaching this significant milestone! See more photos in the [Duluth News Tribune](#).

LSC students among top finishers at Minnesota Data Derby Competition



Lake Superior College teams secured 2nd and 3rd place finish on the Novice Level of the annual Minnesota Data Derby Competition organized by the

Minnesota State IT Center of Excellence in April. Of the ten teams that competed in the Novice Level, three of them were from LSC.

The competition gives students from across the state a chance to use their data science and analytical skills to solve real-life problems. This year, students analyzed raw, unformatted data sets about astronomy and telescope readings.

"It was awesome to see student team presentations and hear them answer judges' questions about their findings. I am so proud of these first-year students, and the judges were impressed with all of their work," said faculty advisor Anup Parajuli.

LSC Group 2 (2nd Place):

Landon Dahl
Peggy Walsh
Samantha Bosch
Nolan Kivley

LSC Group 3 (3rd Place):

Gabrielle Bremer
Liam Gaeuman
Langdon Hubbard
McKenzie Kowarsch

Pictured clockwise from top: Anup Parajuli (advisor), Liam Gaeuman, Gabrielle Bremer, Landon Dahl, Samantha Bosch, and McKenzie Kowarsch. Not pictured: Peggy Walsh, Nolan Kivley, and Langdon Hubbard.

**Star Tribune highlights partnership between LSC
and DFD to help recruit, train and retain
firefighters in the Northland**



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Lake Superior College instructor Dave Werner moved debris around inside a shipping container during a residential fire simulation for recruit training.

The Duluth Fire Department is hiring and Lake Superior College is stepping up to help recruit, train and retain highly-skilled firefighters in the Northland. Check out the article in the [Star Tribune](#).

Lake Superior College Class of 2021 to include over 800 graduates. Lieutenant Governor Peggy Flanagan to serve as keynote speaker during the virtual commencement ceremony on May 17.



Minnesota Lt. Governor
Peggy Flanagan



Minnesota State Trustee
Dawn Erlandson



LSC Student Senate
President Jada Guthrie



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Commencement 2021 Congratulations, graduates!

#LSCgrad2021

More than 800 students are already confirmed to graduate from Lake Superior College as part of the 2021 Commencement Ceremony, which will be held virtually this year due to COVID-19. Among the graduates will be at least 411 first generation students and over 40 high school students who will have completed their degrees through Post Secondary Enrollment Options (PSEO).

The virtual ceremony will be pre-recorded and made available on LSC's website, lsc.edu/commencement, on May 17. Commencement speakers include Minnesota Lt. Governor Peggy Flanagan, Minnesota State Trustee Dawn Erlandson, and LSC Student Senate President Jada Guthrie.



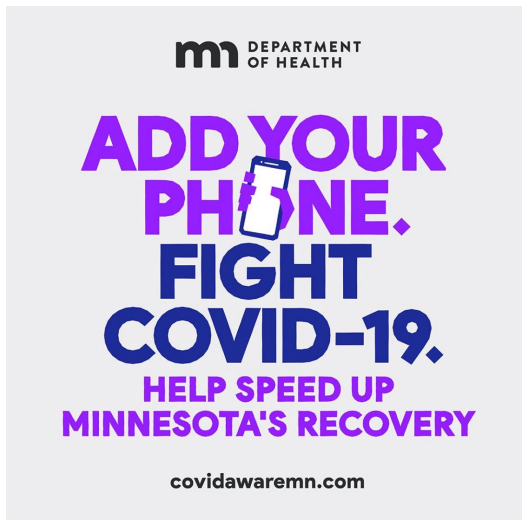
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Sign up for the COVID-19 Vaccine Connector

The State of Minnesota continues to encourage residents to sign up for the [COVID-19 Vaccine Connector](#), a tool to help Minnesotans find when,

where, and how to get their COVID-19 vaccine. All state employees, who are Minnesota residents, are encouraged to sign up on the [Vaccine Connector](#). Signing up means you will be alerted when you are eligible for vaccination, connected to resources to schedule an appointment, and provided vaccination opportunities in your area.



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COVID-19 Related Updates

Thank you for all you're doing to help stop the spread of COVID-19. While more vaccinations are made available, please know we also continue to see positive cases in our community and must remain vigilant against this virus. Please continue to mask up, wash your hands, keep your distance, get tested, stay home when you're sick, get vaccinated when you're able ([St. Luke's has vaccines available this week](#)) to and continue to do everything possible to keep yourself and others safe.



You can always stay up to date on the latest COVID-19 related info at lsc.edu/coronavirus. The Minnesota State [dashboard](#) is updated weekly and serves as a tool to inform campus communities about changes in COVID-19 cases and community spread.

Please remember to continue to complete the online [COVID-19 Self-Assessment](#) each day you will be on campus. Thank you!

Upcoming Events and Campus Updates



- St. Louis County will administer second doses of the Pfizer vaccine and a limited number of Johnson & Johnson vaccines on Thursday, May 6, 10:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. in the LSC Commons. A limited number of walk-ins will be accepted. Please register at lsc.edu/vaccine.
- Lake Superior College will offer [Career Exploration Camps and Academies](#) in June for ages 12-18. Choose from Robotics Academy, Welding Camp, Virtual Intro Computer Camp and the new Computer Aided Design/SolidWorks Camp. The deadline to register is June 1, and camps start June 14. Find dates, details and registration links at lsc.edu/camps.
- The [LSC Store](#) has reopened for in-person shopping, with a Welcome Back Sale featuring a large 50% off apparel selection and \$5 tee shirts.
- The main campus will host a [Spring Open House](#) on Friday, May 7, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. To help ensure the safety of all in attendance, RSVPs are required, and tours will be spaced out and limited to small groups. RSVP at lsc.edu/OpenHouse.
- A textbook buy back event will take place Thursday, May 13. Stop in front of the [LSC Store](#) 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. to sell your used textbooks.
- Lake Superior College will recognize an estimated 850 graduates with a virtual commencement celebration that will be posted on the LSC website on May 17. Speakers include LSC Student Senate President Jada Guthrie, Minnesota State Trustee Dawn Erlandson, and Minnesota Lt. Governor Peggy Flanagan.

If you have story ideas, pictures/videos you'd like to share and/or any other info you'd like to share, please email marketing@lsc.edu so we can include it in the newsplash and/or our LSC's official social media pages. Thanks for helping promote all the exciting things happening in #IceHawkNation.

Pfizer 2nd Dose Vaccine Clinic at Lake Superior College

LSC Commons, Thursday, May 6, 10:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Please register at:

lsc.edu/vaccine

A limited number of walk-ins will be accepted. A limited number of Johnson & Johnson vaccines are also available, now that it is back in circulation.

This clinic is ONLY for Lake Superior College students and employees. *No insurance is needed and all information provided is confidential.*

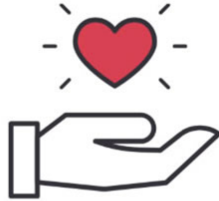


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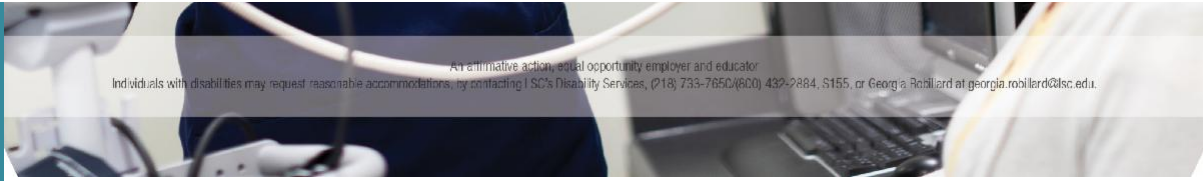
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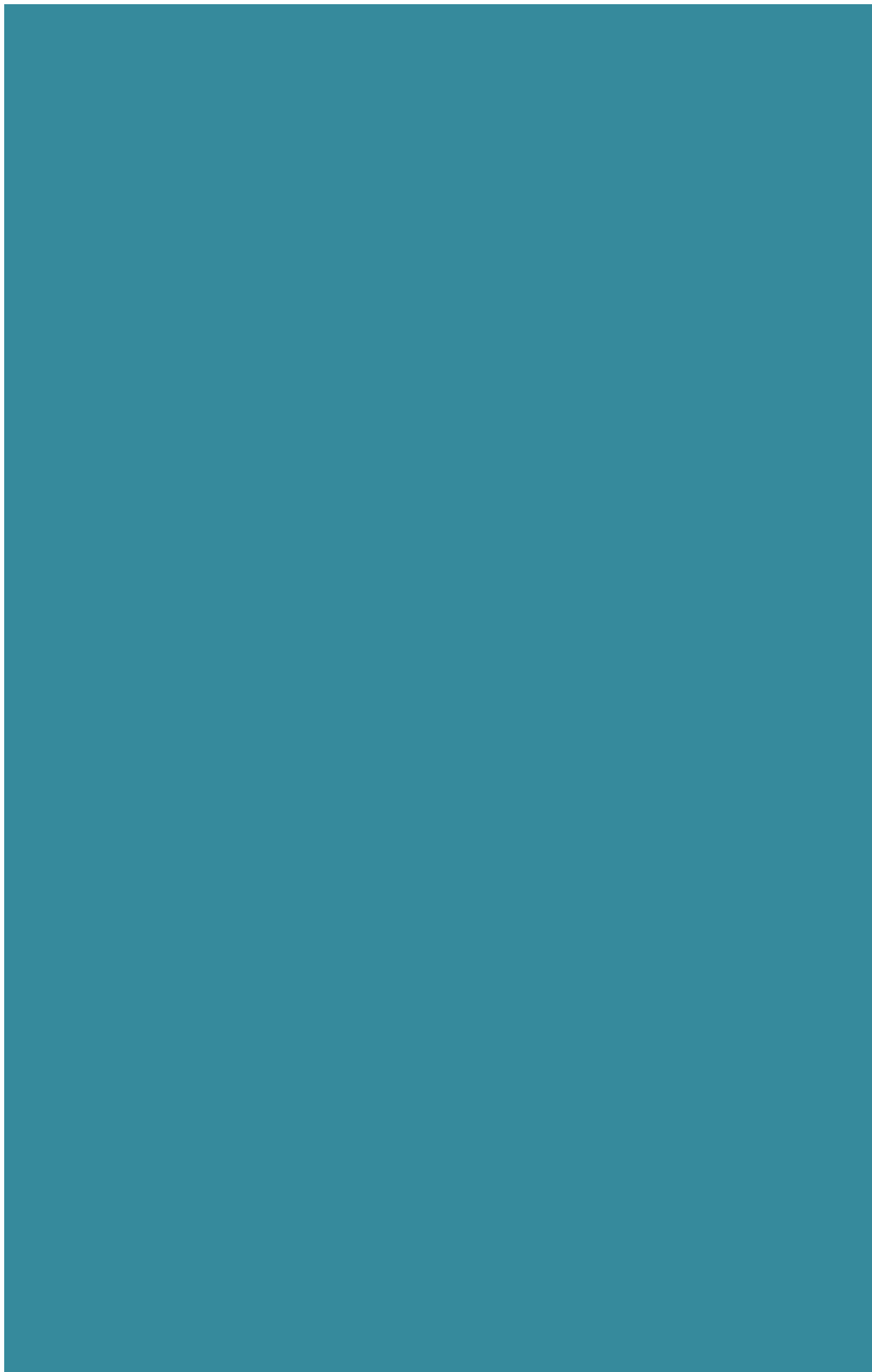
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