

September 15, 2021

## LSC to Host Integrated Manufacturing Open House on October 7



Lake Superior College is excited to host the annual <u>Integrated Manufacturing</u> <u>Open House</u> on Thursday, October 7, 3-6 p.m., at the Downtown Center. Prospective students are invited to learn about the programs offered in the high-demand fields of manufacturing, tour LSC's downtown campus and learn more about beginning the application process. To help ensure the safety of all involved, masks and RSVPs are required and tour times will be spaced out.

Much like last year, the series of upcoming open houses will highlight all four campus locations and will be modified to ensure the health and safety of all involved. LSC's marketing and recruitment teams are working with faculty, academic deans, advisors and other support services on schedules, promotions and the important follow-up process after these tours take place. While tours can be scheduled on the advertised dates and times, they can also be schedule on different dates. These open houses are just as much about promoting the programs and campuses, and following up with those who express interest, as they are about the events themselves. We received very positive feedback and saw much higher conversion rates (tour guest to applicant) at open houses last year, even during a pandemic. Students and parents appreciate the more customized approach of having small group tours, having materials prepared in advance, and then having individual follow up after the tours.

Thank you to everyone involved with this first open house. We're looking forward to it. There's already high and growing workforce demands in manufacturing, and tours have already been scheduled.

## Exciting New Ads Feature LSC Students in Various Programs, Highlight What Makes LSC So Special



Check out one of several new ads being rolled out in the coming months! Students, like Chelsea, are choosing LSC for many reasons including the supportive and welcoming environment, where faculty and staff genuinely care about students and supporting student success. Lake Superior College is nationally-recognized for quality and affordability, and the word is spreading.

Chelsea is an international student from South Africa. She already graduated from LSC's nationally-ranked and accredited nursing program, and now she's finishing up her AA degree. She's also a proud campus ambassador in LSC's Admissions Office and enjoys sharing her positive experience at LSC with prospective students as they tour our beautiful campus.

You can check out <u>Chelsea's story</u> on social media and share the links to help spread the word about why students choose LSC! A :15 version is now airing locally on multiple TV stations. #LSCproud



#### Thank You to Local NAPA Auto Parts Business Development Group!

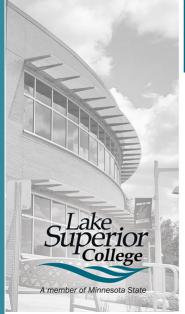
Earlier today, the local NAPA Auto Parts Business Development Group (made up of several local NAPA stores/owners) stopped by LSC's auto shops to donate nearly \$10,000 worth of tools and equipment to LSC's auto program, through the Lake Superior College Foundation. Pictured here (from left) are Micah Faust from NAPA, LSC's VP of Advancement Daniel Fanning, LSC auto instructor Dean Magnuson, and several students in LSC's auto tech program. Please join us in thanking NAPA for their generous contribution and ongoing partnership! These types of community relationships and industry partnerships really help strengthen our already impressive academic programs, as well as help connect students and employers, and help LSC continue to address regional workforce needs. Thank you, NAPA!



#### LSC Firefighting Program Representatives Climb Height of Twin Towers on 9/11

Representatives from the Lake Superior College Firefighting Program joined members of the Duluth Minnesota Fire Department, Superior Fire Department, Cloquet Fire Department, and others in climbing 110 flights of stairs in honor and remembrance of the attacks on 9/11 twenty years ago. LSC student Isaiah Johnson was featured in this great story on Fox 21 News.

## **COVID-19 Related Updates**



Please help keep our campus community safe. Mask up and take the shot.

Masks required on all campus locations.

\$100 incentive for current LSC students who receive a vaccine.

More information at **lsc.edu/coronavirus**.

### Mask Up and Take the Shot, IceHawks!

Safety remains our highest priority. Masks/face covering continue to be required inside all public spaces on all Lake Superior College campus locations, regardless of vaccination status.

Vaccinations: Minnesota State is following the guidance from the State of Minnesota and Minnesota Department of Health on vaccinations of our students and employees. An all employee email went out today, September 8, and is also available on the <u>website</u>.

All state workers, including all LSC employees, must either be fully vaccinated or be tested for COVID every week. Employees are able to find additional information on available vaccines at <u>www.mn.gov/covid19</u>. While students are not currently required to be vaccinated (with exceptions in some programs, including some healthcare programs), we are strongly encouraging all students to get vaccinated as soon as possible. The most effective way we can reduce the spread of COVID-19 and avoid further restrictions as we move forward is to get vaccinated as soon as possible, if you're not already. For more information on this and how to find a vaccine location, please visit <u>mn.gov/covid19/</u>.

## \$100 Vaccination Incentive Scholarship

Lake Superior College is now offering a \$100 scholarship incentive for those who receive the COVID-19 vaccination.

Eligibility:

- Must be an enrolled LSC student, regardless of your home address. 100% online students are eligible.
- Must be fully vaccinated (two shots for Pfizer and Moderna, one for Johnson) on or after August 1, 2021.
- Must provide proof of full vaccination.
- Sorry, PSEO students are not eligible.

The scholarship is disbursed through the financial aid process. To claim your \$100 scholarship, provide your student ID and proof of vaccination by:

- 1. Stopping in the financial aid office on the main campus in Student Services S105 or S107. Please note: International students will also provide a substitute W-9 form as required under federal tax law.
- 2. Emailing financial aid at: <a href="mailto:studentfa@lsc.edu">studentfa@lsc.edu</a>.
  - Provide your student ID. NOTE: International students will also provide a substitute W-9 form as required under federal tax law.
  - Take an image of your proof of vaccination.
  - Send it in to studentfa@lsc.edu.

For more information and to continue to stay up to date on the latest COVID-19 related info, please visit: <u>lsc.edu/coronavirus</u>.

## Upcoming Events and Campus Updates

• Applications for Professional Nursing AS and Professional Nursing - LPN Track AS will be accepted through September 22. <u>Apply</u> <u>online</u>.



- <u>Handshake</u> is Lake Superior College's online job board and career management platform that connects students to employers and vice versa. Find great opportunities to network, attend or host career fairs, and post/review resumes and jobs. Students and employers can learn how to get started by visiting <u>Career Services</u>.
- Please consider being part of the Bandana Project and attend training to become a mental health advocate at Lake Superior College. You will be a safe place for someone to talk to who may be struggling. Several

one-hour <u>training date/time options</u> are available starting September 15.

- LSC Men's Soccer will host Riverland Community College at Egerdahl Field in Proctor on Sunday, September 19, at 2:00 p.m. The LSC Cycling team will be heading to Wildwood, Missouri this weekend for their first competition of the season at Lindenwood University. You can view updated men's and women's soccer schedules, the updated cycling schedule and the updated LSC Coed Clay Target roster all at <u>lscathletics.com</u>. Go IceHawks!
- Latinx Heritage Month is September 15-October 15. On Wednesday, September 22, you're invited to join the Center for Equity and Inclusion for a presentation titled, Changing the Narrative of Success for Latinx Students, with Samantha Diaz of Pillsbury United Communities. The presentation will take place 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m., at the Center for Equity and Inclusion (M125).
- Affinity Plus Credit Union will celebrate its grand opening on Thursday, September 23 at 11:00 a.m. Stop by to check out the beautiful new space and please join us in thanking Affinity Plus for being such an outstanding community partner with LSC and the LSC Foundation.
- Student Success Day is Wednesday, September 29, 9:00 am. to 4:00 p.m., with keynote speaker John Kriesel at 11:00 a.m. in the LSC Commons. Attend sessions that will help you continue to succeed in academics and life. Keynote speaker is Iraq War Veteran John Kriesel who will share his inspirational story in the LSC Commons at 11:00 a.m. Find the latest session info and read more about John Kriesel at <u>lsc.edu/StudentSuccessDay</u>.
- Renowned horror film experts and authors Kelly Florence (LSC communications faculty) and Meg Hafdahl will discuss their latest book, The Science of Serial Killers, Thursday, September 30 at 11:00 a.m., at the Erickson Library. Books will be available for purchase.
- All students, faculty and staff, lock down your login to protect your information and the keep the college safe by enrolling in <u>Multi-Factor</u> <u>Authentication</u> by October 1. Visit the Technology Help Desk at M145 for assistance.
- A flu vaccination clinic for LSC employees and their families is scheduled for Tuesday, October 5, 8:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. in room C270. Employees can <u>sign up online</u>. Walk-ins are welcome.
- Congratulations once again to the <u>Going There podcast</u> for being selected as a finalist for the podcast competition through Catalyst!

If you have any story ideas, pictures/videos you'd like to share and/or any other updates, please submit a <u>marketing request</u> (or email <u>marketing@lsc.edu</u> but it's best to submit a request if you want a response/want your request tracked) so we can include it in the newsplash and/or on LSC's official social media. Thanks for helping promote all the positive things happening in #IceHawkNation.

# THE BANDANA PROJECT ™

### **Mental Wellness Matters at LSC**

Will you take the pledge and be a mental health advocate through the Bandana Project? VAR (Validate-Appreciate-Refer) training will be available to all student and employees at LSC. Once you are VAR trained, you will receive a green bandana and we ask that you display it for others to see. You will be a safe place for someone to talk to that may be struggling.

## **BANDANA / VAR TRAINING**

Wednesday, September 15 @ 10:00 a.m. - Student Life Conference Room Tuesday, September 21 @ 2:00 p.m. - Student Life Conference Room Tuesday, September 28 @ 10:00 a.m. - VIA ZOOM Wednesday, October 6 @ 2:00 p.m. - Student Life Conference Room Tuesday, October 12 @ 3:00 p.m. - VIA ZOOM

Note: One hour session, choose a time that best fits your schedule

**PRESENTERS:** Marie Carter Brooks & Roxanne Frederick

**REGISTER:** Email: Roxanne Frederick - roxanne.frederick@lsc.edu







## **NURSING** APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED

## September 1-22, 2021

Professional Nursing AS Professional Nursing - LPN Track



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## Isc.edu/ApplyToNursing

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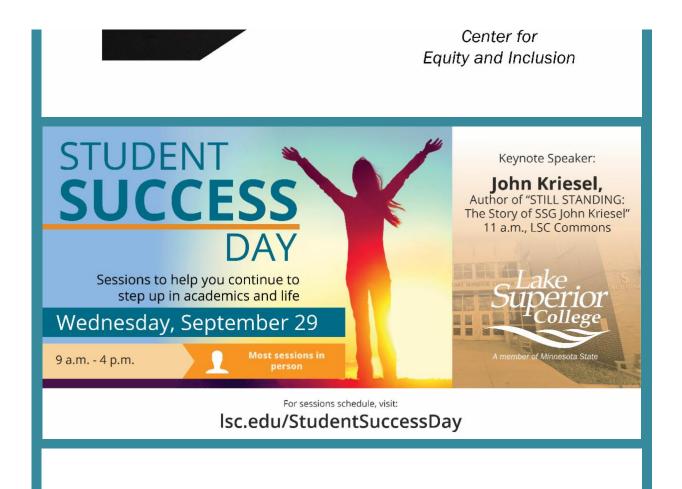


Samantha Diaz Pillsbury United Communities Former Education Legislation & Policy Director at the Minnesota Council on Latino Affairs

DATE: TIME: LOCATION: September 22 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Center for Equity and Inclusion (M125)

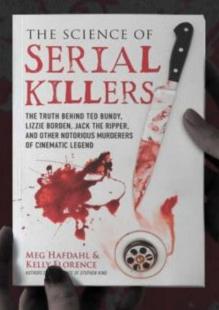
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# THE SCIENCE OF SERIAL KILLERS

THE TRUTH BEHIND TED BUNDY, LIZZIE BORDEN, JACK THE RIPPER, AND OTHER NOTORIOUS MURDERERS OF CINEMATIC LEGEND

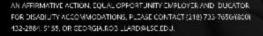


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Renowned horror film experts and authors Kelly Florence (LSC communications faculty) and Meg Hafdahl will discuss their latest book and answer your questions. They'll reveal the eerie truth about how the most famous serial killers in history mirror their portrayal in movies...as we learn what really makes them tick.

Books also available for purchase.



#### Handshake The #1 way college students find jobs



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Handshake is Lake Superior College's online job board and career management platform that connects students to employers. Find many opportunities to network together, attend career fairs, post resumes, and view part-time & full-time jobs, internships, and oncampus positions. Students can login to Handshake with your StarID and password & complete your profile today!



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## MULTI-FACTOR AUTHENTICATION SIGN IN + VERIFY = ACCESS

Lock Down Your Login Today! Visit the Technology Help Desk M145 - Student Lounge

Enroll in Minnesota State's Multi-Factor Authentication by October 1, 2021



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WASH YOUR HANDS. WEAR A MASK.

KEEP DISTANCE. COVER YOUR SNEEZE.

### GET YOUR FLU SHOT.

During the COVID-19 health pandemic, it's more important than ever to take action to reduce the risk and spread of the flu.

We're hosting flu shot clinics at various sites, where you can safely get your flu shot.

Learn more at mn.gov/flu

STAY SAFE N MINNESOTA



### For LSC Employees & Family Members

Tuesday, October 5, 2021 8:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Lake Superior College Room C270

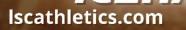
Sign up at Isc.edu/FluShot

## LAKE SUPERIOR COLLEGE



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