

## FREE SUMMER MEALS

..... for children ages 0-18

### WHEN:

Starting tentatively on June 15.  
FREE BREAKFAST will be served  
from 8:45 a.m. until 9:45 a.m.  
FREE LUNCH will be served from  
12:30 p.m. until 1:30 p.m.  
(Monday through Thursday)

### WHERE:

R. S. PAYNE ELEMENTARY  
1201 Floyd Street  
PERRYMONT ELEMENTARY  
409 Perrymont Avenue

### WHO:

All children ages 0-18  
Adults over 18 can eat with  
their children for a small fee:  
Breakfast \$1.25  
Lunch: \$2.50



## ONLINE REGISTRATION

..... for 2015-2016 school year



### WHEN:

Opens for all students on July 6.

### WHY:

To make the registration process faster and more efficient for families and school staff. Through online registration, parents will be able to register multiple students at one time. While you will still be required to attend registration day at each of your child's schools, you no longer have to fill out the paperwork at the school. Your information is saved until there is a change in your address or other information that you submit for your child.

### HOW:

Log on to [www.lcsedu.net](http://www.lcsedu.net) and click on the "Online Registration" link. If you do not have internet access, contact your child's school or call 515-5000 to arrange for a time to register at one of our schools.

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These are only a few of the many LCS highlights and events. Log on to our website to learn more about Lynchburg City Schools. We also invite you to share your stories at [www.lcsedu.net/my-lcs-story](http://www.lcsedu.net/my-lcs-story).



## 2014-2015 HIGHLIGHTS

### HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

Both E. C. Glass and Heritage high schools were recently recommended for accreditation by the AdvancED Committee. This spring, the committee visited both schools and provided an extensive evaluation that led to this recommendation.

### PERSONNEL UPDATES

- Lynchburg City School Board approves increase in substitute teacher pay: substitute teachers with a non-bachelor's degree and 60 credit hours earn \$60/day; with bachelor's degree they earn \$75/day; with a state teaching license they earn \$85/day; substitute instructional assistants earn \$60/day (pay is based on 7.5-hour workday);
- Budget passes to include: instructional assistants in every Kindergarten classroom; 2 percent raise for all employees.

### TEACHER RECOGNITION

- R. S. Payne 5th-grade teacher Kira Roberts named 2015 LCS Teacher of the Year;
- Hutcherson PreK/Preschool Special Education teacher Gerin Martin named Region V Teacher of the Year;
- R. S. Payne 2nd-grade teacher Kim Beuerle receives Lynchburg College Undergrad Alumni Award;
- Linkhorne Middle School History teacher Jeanne Skinner named the Junior Level Virginia History Day Teacher of the Year;
- E. C. Glass Business and Personal Finance teacher Terri O'Hara named Regional Outstanding Economics and Personal Finance teacher by the Center for Economics Education at Lynchburg College.



Students at R. S. Payne raise money for United Way Education Readiness Initiative. Through a friendly classroom competition, students collected change over three weeks to raise \$455.

### COMMUNITY SUPPORT

- *Beacon of Hope*, which promotes college readiness, extends program to work with middle and elementary schools;
- *James K. Candler Opportunity Fund* provides financial assistance for students to attend early college program;
- *Max & Victoria Dreyfus Foundation* donates \$15,000 to the LCS Strings Program;
- *Human Kind*, with grant funded by *United Way Education Readiness Initiative*, develops program to benefit families of LCS preK students identified as at risk;
- *Education Foundation* gives \$74,229.95 for classroom innovation grants;
- *William E. McBratney Career Studies Program* provides \$200,000 to allow students to earn a Career Studies Certificate in Machine Technology or Pre-Nursing I and II during their high school career.

### HHS CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

On April 28, school board members and reporters got an inside look at the ongoing construction for the new Heritage High School. Log on to [www.lcsedu.net/new-hhs](http://www.lcsedu.net/new-hhs) to see photos, video, regular updates, and the countdown to completion for Fall 2016.

## SAVE THE DATE

(all dates are tentative; log on to [www.lcsedu.net](http://www.lcsedu.net) or call 515-5000 a few weeks before event to confirm)

- **Back to School Registration Day (Bass ONLY):** Wednesday, July 15
- **Back to School Registration Day (all schools EXCEPT Bass):** Tuesday, Aug. 11
- **PreK, Kindergarten, and 6th grade Orientation:** Friday, Aug. 14
- **Back to school celebration event:**  
**When:** Saturday, Aug. 15  
**Where:** Miller Park and Miller Center  
**Who:** All families of school-aged children



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### ■ David Verborg | E. C. Glass High School Class of 2009

This former E. C. Glass track star, who currently holds the school's record in the 400-meter run, has won four gold medals at world competitions in the last two years, including most recently helping the U. S. team earn the gold medal in the 4 by 400 relay in the Bahamas. He is the indoor world record holder in the event and team captain of the U. S. relay team.

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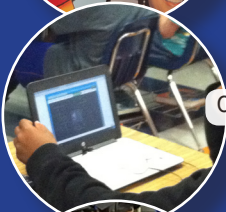
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#### READING PROGRAM HONORS LONGTIME EDUCATOR

In honor of the late Barbara Parks, who worked for LCS for more than 50 years, family members kicked off a reading initiative intended to provide books to all preK students in Lynchburg City Schools.



#### CHROMEBOOKS DISTRIBUTED TO EVERY NINTH-GRADER

The technology initiative LCS-ONE kicked off by issuing every 9th-grade student a Chromebook. Next year every high school student will receive one, and by 2017, all students in grades 4-12 will have a device.



#### FIRST CLASS OF LCS EARLY COLLEGE GRADUATES

Nineteen LCS high school students were the first class to graduate from the LCS Early College Program. They graduated with an Advanced Studies High School Diploma as well as an Associate's Degree from CVCC.

**Thank you Lynchburg for supporting our mission:**  
Every Child, By Name and By Need, to Graduation

**Please see INSIDE for more important information about your local school division:**

- Summer Food Programs
- Online Registration
- Student, Staff, & Community Recognition

