

April 16, 2020 – Coronavirus update

Twinkle Thursday!

1. **Parents of Students taking the AP Exams:** There is a webinar at 7:00 p.m. **tonight** with pertinent information for parents regarding AP online testing. **Register here for the April 16 parent webinar about the online AP exams.**

2. **NEW: Information on Phase 3:** Many of you may not even know that Phase 3 of our Continuity of Education Plan had been occurring. Phase 3 was our way to help those students who may have been failing a course or the entire school year as of March 13th. Teachers communicated with these students/parents this past week about the opportunity to complete work to bring their Qtr 3 grades up to passing. These students/parents are to inform the teachers by Monday, April 20, 2020 IF they are going to attempt to do work to pass. All work must be completed by May 11th. If you or your child did not get teacher communication about Phase 3, your child was determined to be passing the 3rd quarter and passing the school year.

3. **NEW: A Phase 4?** There will be a Phase 4 to our plan. It was to be dispersed to teachers today and start on Monday. However, the PA Secretary of Education, released a statement yesterday to all superintendents about future learning up until the last day of school. The statement made has been deciphered by many in many different ways. Today, in meeting with 16 other Superintendents, we were given the guidance to let this play out until further clarification is given. Therefore, continue with our current Continuity Plan of Review and Enrichment. With that being said, either way we are directed, our plan for Phase 4 will be enacted next week but it may look different from what we have planned. Please bear with me and the administrative team as we travel this journey into early next week.

2. **NEW:** PHEAA will be offering a webinar on Thursday, April 23, from 6:00 to 7:00 PM to help students and families gain a complete understanding of the financial aid process. Representatives from the Pennsylvania Higher Education Agency (PHEAA) will be providing an overview of how to apply for all types of financial aid, including completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), which is required to determine eligibility for most student aid programs such as the Pennsylvania State Grant, Federal Pell Grant, institutional offers, and federal student and parent loans. This will also be a great opportunity to have PHEAA representatives answer questions you may have. **CLICK HERE** to register for the April 23 webinar.

3. **NEW:** Resource list for families in Clarion/Jefferson County. Attached are a variety of resources to help you in this unprecedeted time. There are multiple tabs to click to look for assistance you may need.

2. **11th and 12th graders taking the ACT's:** Also, ACT is offering digital learning and workforce resources to assist students, teachers, schools and workers impacted by COVID-19. You can either follow the link I provided or to do act.org and click on COVID-19 updates.

Included in this are some free Online ACT Test Prep classes:

- ACT Prep Class – April 18, 2 pm to 3:30 pm ET
- ACT Boot camp – April 29, 7 pm to 8:30 pm ET

3. **Scholarships for seniors:** All scholarships are available on the HS resource site. If you need a scholarship mailed to you, please email dsmith@clasd.net and she will mail it out to you. The Priority First Federal Credit Union scholarship deadline has been extended to May 31, 2020.

4. **CL Elementary PTO on Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/CLElementaryPTO>

NEW: Attached are answers to questions many of you have been waiting for. I am happy to share these with you. The list is not conclusive; however, the answers should give you and your children a bit of comfort knowing some decisions have now been made and can be shared.

With that all said, the administrators of the district have a request. We promise not to give any strict orders. ☺

Mr. Edmonds, Mr. Lowrie, Mr. Aaron, Mrs. Taylor, and I need to rejuvenate to continue our challenge of making the best decisions for our school community.

Our request is simple. Even if you have more questions for us after this email or even if you want to call to talk, please do these things on Monday. We, as a “team” need a few days off. We will all be out of the district tomorrow for the first time in a month, not checking emails or phone calls but will return on Monday ready to go!

YOU Help Us to Roar with Pride!

Questions that now have answers:

1. When is the last day of school? The last day for students will remain the original date of Thursday, May 28, 2020.
2. Will I get grades for the 3rd 9 weeks? Yes, all students will receive 3rd quarter grades in all classes.
3. Will I get a report card for the 3rd 9 weeks? No, but these grades will be reflected on a final report card sent out on the last day of school via email.
4. Will I get 4th quarter grades? Yes and No. We are still working out the logistics of this and what is best for our CL students. There are a few different options: Do not give 4th quarter grades, give Pass/Fail grades, give the same grade as the 3rd quarter grades, etc.
5. Without 4th quarter grades/work, will I receive credit for the 4th quarter? Yes. All year long courses will be 1.0 credit. All semester courses will be .50 credit and all quarter courses will be .25 credit.
6. But I only did one quarter of my semester course and my friend didn't even get to do his 4th quarter elective class, will we receive credits? Yes. Even without having any 4th quarter classes, #5 applies.
7. How do I return my books and when can I get my things in my locker? This will happen but when it will happen is unknown. This will be decided once the governor's "stay at home orders" are lifted.
8. I have field trip money I paid for and the trip was cancelled. Will I get my money back? Yes. We are working on all of the trip refunds. We know this money is greatly needed by families right

now. Please bear with us; there are many refunds that need to be given back.

9. How do I pay any fines I may have? You will be given direction on this in May. Again, we need to compile the lists first.
10. How can I return my sports equipment/uniforms? You will be given direction on this as well from the AD/Coaches in May.
11. Will there be a prom? There may be a possibility of a summer prom; again, we need to see where the state goes with the virus restrictions.

Questions specific to Seniors:

1. When and where is graduation? Graduation will be held on the original date, Saturday, May 30, 2020. It will be held at the Moonlite Drive Inn, Brookville with a 9:00 pm. start. More details on this will come as preparation begins.
2. Will scholarships be given out at a Senior Awards ceremony? These scholarships will be given for sure. How is the question. More information will come to the seniors as plans move forward now that a graduation date has been set.
3. Will Seniors get Honor Stoles? Yes.
4. Will there be a Salutorian and a Valedictorian? Yes.
5. Will there be a senior trip? No. Money will be refunded.

April 14, 2020 – Coronavirus update

Thankful Tuesday!

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2. **NEW:** As the teachers connect with you and your child (ren) please request paper copies through them. They will contact the appropriate person to make the copies for you. If you are on the Monday/Thursday bus route food deliveries, your packet will be delivered that way. If you are not on the food delivery, you will be directed to pick up your packet on either Monday or Thursday at the high school from 12:30-1:00. **We do have limited human resources here at the district so if your child can see the activities on the computer, we encourage them to use plain paper and a pencil to write their answers down. Nothing is collected or graded.**

3. **NEW: Personal Connections:** If you have not had any contact from your child's teacher(s) by **tomorrow**, please email the building principal.

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5. **NEW: Safe to Say:** Students, please remember that we want you to continue to reach out to a staff member you can trust if you need to talk. It is especially important that you aware that SAFE to SAY SOMETHING is still available and active. You can download the app, call 1-844-SAF2SAY or go to SAFE2SAYPA.ORG.

6. **NEW:** Let's thank the hospital workers: Please see the attached flyer for the opportunity to make cards/artwork for the Clarion Hospital workers.

7. **NEW:** The Clarion-Limestone Area School District Board of School Directors' regular voting meeting on April 15, 2020, beginning at 6:30 PM., **will be held virtually**. The meeting will be online only and will be streamed live. The meeting

agenda and online process information will be located on the Clarion-Limestone Area School District's website at <https://www.clasd.net>. Public comments will be accepted by email prior to Wednesday, April 15, 2020 at Noon at dsmith@clasd.net. Comments must include the sender's name and home address to be included.

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We are Roaring with Pride!



Help Us To Support Our Front Line

We are asking schools in the community to help us encourage our hospital employees, caregivers and those on the front line during this very challenging time.

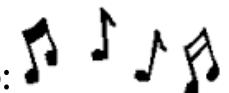
Students can make cards or artwork that we can hang in our hospital to encourage and uplift our staff and send them by mail to:

Clarion Hospital Cancer Center

Attention: Tracy Myers

150 Doctors Lane

Clarion, PA 16214



Or drop them off at the picnic table outside of the Cancer Center entrance at the Clarion Hospital . Monday through Friday
8 am to 4 pm (weather permitting)



Students can make videos of prayers , songs,
or inspiring messages that we can share on Facebook.

You can post them to your page and tag Clarion Hospital so we can share them on our page. To do this you must like our page

<https://www.facebook.com/ClarionHospital>

then post your video and tag us.



You may also email your video to:
Julie.Kunselman@butlerhealthsystem.org
if you do not have a Facebook account.

If you have any questions or need further details, please call
Bridget Thornton at 814-221-8923.



April 13, 2020 – Coronavirus update

Marvelous Monday!

1. **NEW: Food Option:** The Giving Tree and Family Friendship Bag programs will travel to local neighborhoods for drop-offs tomorrow between 11:00-12:30.
2. **NEW: Meal drop off:** The next meal drop off will be Thursday! If you miss the van/bus at your stop, you are able to come to the high school from **12:30-1:00** to pick up the meals.
3. **NEW:** As the teachers connect with you and your child (ren) please request paper copies through them. They will contact the appropriate person to make the copies for you. If you are on the Monday/Thursday bus route food deliveries, your packet will be delivered that way. If you are not on the food delivery, you will be directed to pick up your packet on either Monday or Thursday at the high school from **12:30-1:00**.
4. **NEW: Personal Connections:** If you have not had any contact from your child's teacher(s) by Wednesday, please email the building principal.
5. **NEW: Elementary Students' Heart Challenge:** Please check out the American Heart Association challenge attached and get active!
6. **NEW: Students in Title classes:** Here is a link to lots of activities and ideas for Title students and their parents. Thank you Mrs. Cumpston!
<https://sites.google.com/a/clasd.net/title-i-resources/>
7. **NEW:** Enjoy watching the elementary staff video again. We have some new updates. <https://youtu.be/Dd5nULVpkno>
8. **NEW: Elementary Library Lessons:** Please click this link to weekly library lessons! *The [Library link](https://www.symbaloo.com/home/mix/c-elementarylibrary2)(<https://www.symbaloo.com/home/mix/c-elementarylibrary2>) on the [Elementary School website](https://www.clasd.net/elementary) (<https://www.clasd.net/elementary>) has weekly Library Special lessons for [Phase 2 Learning](https://www.symbaloo.com/home/mix/phasetwoeducationplan) (<https://www.symbaloo.com/home/mix/phasetwoeducationplan>).*
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10. **CL Elementary PTO on Facebook!**<https://www.facebook.com/CLElementaryPTO>

Hi Clarion-Limestone Parents,

While these closures find us in an unusual situation, it's important for us to continue to keep kids active and busy to reduce stress and anxiety that can arise from being disconnected from friends, school and out of routines.

Our trusted collaborator, the [American Heart Association](#), will provide virtual solutions to you to help fill the indoor days ahead. It is more important than ever to maintain a heart-healthy lifestyle and keep moving. That's why I'm writing to remind you that our school is participating in the virtual [Kids Heart Challenge- Kick Cabin Fever to the Curb](#) program, which includes two weeks of home activities, recipes and tips for parents to prioritize mental health and physical activity.

Our campaign brings students together online and pumps in the fun with **30 minutes of heart-healthy activity or learning while schools are closed**. We are challenging families to accomplish the following over a period of 10 days:

- 1. DANCE**
- 2. KNOW YOUR HEART**
- 3. COMPLETE FINN'S MISSIONS**
- 4. JUMP!**
- 5. CONNECT THE DOTS**
- 6. KNOW THE STROKE SIGNS**
- 7. TIME TO COOK HEALTHY!**
- 8. GAME DAY**
- 9. SLAM DUNK! BE GRATEFUL**
- 10. MOVE MORE**

You can expect resources such as interactive heart-healthy bingo, 25 ways to keep moving at home, Kids Heart Challenge games and word puzzles, daily activities, life skills and inspiring stories.

To green light the fun for your child, make sure they are registered for the [Kids Heart Challenge](#) online or through the app. Log in to headquarters and complete the registration to add your child to the fun!

Thank you for your support!

Mrs. Kristie Taylor,
Elementary Principal

Mrs. Tracey Johnston
Elementary Physical Education Teacher

April 09, 2020 –Coronavirus update

Terrific Thursday!

1. **NEW:** Per the Governor today, schools are closed for the remainder of this school year. What does that mean for our C-L students and families? The administrative team will begin next week to put together the next steps that will be taken and to answer the unknowns. We will continue to provide review and enrichment. (Phase Two) It is our intention to promote our students to the next grade level and for those who need some extra guidance to be promoted, our teachers will assist them. What I want you to do this weekend is enjoy your families!
2. **NEW:** PA211 Did you know that you can simply dial 211 or text your zip code to 898-211 and this will connect you with resources in your area from help with childcare, to housing, finding food?
3. **NEW:** CHIP Health Care Coverage: Are you in need of health care coverage for your child? CHIP is available. See the flyer attached.
4. **NEW:** Interested in looking at colleges? Go to www.campustours.com/ Type in any college or university into search. When search completes, click “View Details.” This will provide general information, enrollment information, tuition, degrees offered, and virtual campus tours.
5. **NEW:** Brookville Laurel Festival Scholarship Pageant Below are links for the application and also rules and information on this pageant.
6. **NEW:** Meal drop off: The next meal drop off will be Monday! If you miss the van/bus at your stop, you are able to come to the high school from **12:30-1:00** to pick up the meals. (Due to limited staff it is now 30 min. and not an hour.)
7. Continuity of Education: Some of you may have gotten calls from teachers and/or emails or some kind of direct communication this week. PLEASE be patient. Some teachers have many students. In the letter I stated that by next Wednesday, if you do not have any contact from your child’s teacher to let the building principals know.
8. Scholarships for seniors: All scholarships are available on the HS resource site above! If you need a scholarship mailed to you, please email dsmith@clasd.net and she will mail it out to you. The Priority First Federal Credit Union scholarship deadline has been extended to May 31, 2020.

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Nightly 5:00 emails will begin again on Monday!

Happy Easter to all! Mrs. Glasl





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SCHOLARSHIP PAGEANT 2020

APPLICATION FORM

PLEASE RETUN COMPLETED FORM TO:

MS. SANDRA YOUNG, PAGEANT COODINATOR 18 WESTERN AVE STE D, BROOKVILLE PA 15825
NO LATER THAN APRIL 22,2020 BY 11:59PM.

NAME _____

MAILING ADDRESS _____

PHONE_____

DATE OF BIRTH _____

HIGH SCHOOL/COLLEGE _____

EMAIL _____

TALENT _____

SPECIAL INTERESTS AND HOBBIES: _____

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES: _____

PARENTS: MOTHER _____ PHONE _____

ADDRESS IF DIFFERENT _____

FATHER _____ PHONE _____

ADDRESS IF DIFFERENT _____

OTHER GUARDIAN _____ PHONE _____

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PLEASE INCLUDE BIOGRAPHY TO BE USED IN OUR PROGRAM

PLEASE CONTINUE ON BACK



SCHOLARSHIP PAGEANT 2020

Dear Participant,

I would like to welcome you to participate in the Brookville Laurel Festival Scholarship Pageant. Please make yourself familiar with the contest rules and regulations that are enclosed and please be aware of all deadlines and practice dates.

There will be an informational meeting on Sunday, April 26, 2020 at 2:00PM at a location to be announced, all interested scholarship candidates are encouraged to attend, and you may bring a parent with you. Please no boyfriends.

We are requesting a photograph (head shot). Our Photographer will take your picture at our first meeting April 26th
PLEASE BE PREPARED TO HAVE YOUR PHOTO TAKEN!

This photograph will be used for our program the night of the pageant, along with your short biography.

If chosen Brookville Laurel Festival Queen you will receive at minimum \$1,500.00 scholarship prize money, crown, sash, and reign over the entire festival!

Schedule:

- **April 22, 2020, WEDNESDAY AT 11:59PM**, Application deadline (NO APPLICATIONS WILL BE RECEIVED AFTER THIS TIMESTAMP!!!)
- **APRIL 26, 2020 SUNDAY 2:00 PM** Informational meeting to be held at a location to be announced.
- **May 3, 17, 21 2020** (subject to change) Rehearsals 2pm -5pm please bring all items (talent items needed), shoes planning on wearing with gowns, etc. WARDROBE WILL NEED TO BE APPROVED!
- **June 5th, 2020 FRIDAY 6:00PM-10:00PM** **MANDATORY **DRESS REHERSAL to be held at Brookville High School please bring all items (talent items needed) shoes planning on wearing with gowns etc. DO NOT BE LATE
- **June 6th, 2020 7:00pm** SHOW TIME!! Arrival time to be announced.

I am EXCITED to meet with each and every one of you and wishing you the very best of luck to be Our Next Brookville Laurel Festival Queen!

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at 814-715-0525 (please leave me a message as I will return your call as soon as possible, or email me at mrspops3006@hotmail.com .
YOU MAY EMAIL YOUR APPLICATION TO ME AT THE ABOVE EMAIL ADDRESS!

Sincerely,

Ms. Sandra Young,
Brookville Laurel Festival
Board Member,
Pageant Coordinator

2020 Brookville Laurel Festival Pageant Qualifications

1. Open to any female between the ages of 16-20.
(MUST turn 16 ON OR BEFORE June 6th, 2020 **AND ** CANNOT have turned 21 before June 20th, 2021)
2. Must be a legal resident of Pennsylvania.
3. Must not have been married; married & annulled; or separated/divorced.
4. Must not have been previously pregnant, cannot be pregnant at time of application or time of pageant, or have an adopted child, and if selected, cannot become pregnant or adopt a child during reign as queen or court for the ensuing year.
5. Must not have been charged of any offenses or convicted of any criminal offenses.
6. Must be of good moral character.
7. Contestant applicants must compete in ALL of the following pageant categories:
 - a. 30 points Essay= (to be completed at the informational meeting AND announced at the pageant who scored highest) This will be scored by 2 separate teachers using a rubric.
 - b. 10 points = Personal Interview (to be completed prior to pageant)
 - c. 0 Points= Opening Number (not to be judged, but will be first impression to the audience)
 - d. 20 points = Talent
 - e. 20 points = Evening Gown
 - f. 20 points = Impromptu Question(s)100 points = TOTAL

Depending on number entrants the field will be narrowed to top three based on highest scores before the impromptu question.

8. Contestant must be present at ALL rehearsals as well as an informational meeting on Sunday April 28th, 2019 2pm at a location to be announced, to be able to participate in the pageant.
9. ALL tattoos must be covered at all times and piercings except ears must be covered or removed at all times.
10. MUST FOLLOW dress code and if asked to change must change or forfeit winnings.
Dress code: must be modest! *Dresses will be of length long enough to reach finger tips when arms are at side. No showing of mid drift. No clothes with holes (of any kind), rips tears, etc. Cleavage is to be covered, shorts will be of appropriate length as to not expose any part of buttocks. Shoes are to be clean and neat with no tears rips and COMFORTABLE.*
11. NO DRINKING, SMOKING OR DRUGS AT ANY TIME DURING EVENTS WHEN REPRESENTING. IF YOU ARE CAUGHT DRINKING, SMOKING OR USING DRUGS at any time during your reign YOU WILL BE FORCED TO RELIQUINSH ALL TITLES, AND Winnings. You will be representing for an entire year.
12. SOCIAL MEDIA-be careful of what you post, and what is posted of you by other people, AT ALL TIMES (everyone will be watching you and us) Please have approval before posting anything BLF related.
13. In the event that a Queen or a member of her court becomes disqualified or breaks any of the above rules, she will immediately lose her title and the runner-up to her will automatically move up one full position in the court, and winning scholarship prize money, crown, and sash, must be forfeited.
14. Contestants will be having their picture taken at the informational meeting to be held April 22, 2020 thus providing a photo electronically for publication in the local newspapers, other news sources, as well as the program for the pageant.
 - a. By participating you give Brookville Laurel Festival and its Board of Directors to use your photo and likeness in advertisements, pamphlets, newspapers, social medial, and etc. ...when appropriate.
 - b. No personal photos will be accepted
15. Deadline for application and all attachments must be submitted by 11:59pm on Wednesday, April 22, 2020. *** NO EXCEPTIONS! ***
16. You will be asked if chosen queen to possibly participate in the following festivals:
Punxsutawney parade (end of June 1st of July)
Brockway 4th of July parade
Corsica 4th of July parade
Summerville's Labor Day Parade
New Bethlehem's Peanut Butter Festival in September (pageant and parade)
Clarions Autumn Leaf Festival in October (pageant and parade)
Brookville Lite Up Night Black Friday
Other area Holiday parades
Other events as deemed necessary

April 08, 2020 –Coronavirus update

It's Hump Day!

1. **NEW: Meal drop off:** The next meal drop off is tomorrow! If you miss the van/bus at your stop, you are able to come to the high school from 12:30-1:00 to pick up the meals.
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Goodnight! Mrs. Glasl

PS: Chloe misses all of you!!!

April 07, 2020 – Coronavirus update

Good evening everyone.

Below you will find a letter from me explaining "Phase Two" of our Continuity of Education Plan. After you read this, please await a personal connection from your child(ren)'s teacher(s) starting tomorrow and into next Wednesday. They will give you more guidance specifically for your child(ren).

I will continue to update you nightly. If your child's teacher cannot answer your question, please direct them to the building principals and then to me.

Have a nice evening. Hope you got to go outside and get some fresh air today!

Amy J. Glasl

Clarion-Limestone Area School District

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April 7, 2020

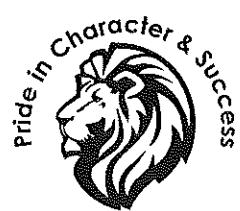
Dear Parents/Guardians,

In this letter, I am sharing “Phase Two” of C-L’s “Continuity of Education” plan. As like in Phase One, Secretary of Education, Pedro Rivera, has given schools two options to continue schooling through at least the end of April. The 2 options are:

1. Planned Instruction. This is formal teaching and learning similar to that which occurs in a classroom setting. Teachers use planned courses of instruction or new concepts/skills aligned to grade level standards.
2. Enrichment/Review: This consists of informal activities to reinforce or extend students’ prior learning.

******* C-L will continue to use option #2, with these additions, beginning Thursday, April 9th *******

You may ask, “Why did C-L not choose option #1”? The simple answer is that we chose this option in order to meet the state mandate of providing a free and appropriate education for all students of our district, also known as FAPE. Without naming all of the reasons, I would like to touch on ones special to our district: lack of training for students and faculty in proper online education, not all families (nor teachers) have internet, access to wifi, computers, etc., lack of appropriate work and learning environments; some may be taking care of siblings or living in a place full of distractions. With option #2, we limit the inequalities, stress, anxiety and potential mental health issues for everyone, children and adults alike, during this unprecedeted time.



CLASD Enrichment and Review Framework

Student Role:

Access the district website (www.clasd.net) for recommended sites for enrichment and review (or request materials if you do not have online access).
Communicate with your teacher(s) at least weekly.
Review the work that you have completed throughout the year.
READ for at least 20 minutes each day.

Parent Role:

Assist your child in accessing the websites or printed materials.
Contact your child's teacher(s) if you need assistance with anything. Each teacher will have office hours available.
Our faculty and staff are here for you!

Teacher Role:

Communicate with your students.
Communicate with the parents of your students.
Create or use existing resources to encourage review and enrichment based on student needs.
Be available during your established "office hours".
Continue attempts to engage students who are not participating in review or enrichment activities.
Review grades for all students and contact all students who are in danger of failing (based on the first 3 quarters). Contact the students and parents to inform them of the makeup work option.

In summary, what has been added to this Phase?

- Weekly communication between teacher, students and parents.
- Teachers will send specific review and enrichment activities to their students, with new activities sent out each Monday.
- With paper and pencil tasks students can write their answers to worksheets on plain paper. Work will not be handed in or graded. If necessary, packets of such activities will be provided to those who request them.
- Hands on and real life learning activities for review and enrichment will be encouraged by teachers such as: keep a journal, make multiplication cards for review, make a board game for a story you read, etc.
- Teachers will have "office hours" that are established in order to assist students with the review/enrichment activities provided by that teacher. We encourage you to reach out during those times if you need anything.
- Documentation by teachers/administration as to activities provided and connections to students and families.

- Soon, "Phase Three" of the Education of Continuity Plan will be sent out. This phase is specifically for seniors and others who are in danger of failing. These students will be personally contacted next week.

What do we need from you as a parent/guardian?

- Please contact the administrators, Mr. Aaron, Mrs. Taylor or Mr. Edmonds, if you do NOT receive communication from your child's teacher(s) by Wednesday, April 15th. Please email them at: maaron@clasd.net, ktaylor@clasd.net, jedmonds@clasd.net.
- If you know someone who is not getting my nightly emails, please have them send their email to Donna Smith at dsmith@clasd.net
- Be patient. We successfully got almost ¾ of the school year in! The PSSA/Keystones are cancelled and we will do everything in our power to graduate our seniors.

A note for students and parents:

During this unprecedented time, we acknowledge the challenges and difficulties that may keep you from engaging in continuing education, but we are here to support you the best that we can. We strongly encourage engagement with the teachers and the resources, but it is ultimately your decision. Students will not be penalized if they do not participate.

"Love before lessons. Patience before programs. Relationships before rigor. Grace before grades." - Dr. Brad Johnson

Sincerely,



Mrs. Amy J. Glasl

Superintendent

Monday It Is!

1. NEW: Meal drop off: The next meal drop off is Thursday! If you miss the van/bus at your stop, you are able to come to the high school from 12:30-1:00 to pick up the meals.
2. NEW: Food Option: The Giving Tree and Family Friendship Bag programs will travel to local neighborhoods for drop-offs tomorrow between 11:00-12:30.
3. NEW: Continuity of Education: Next step for CL: We will be sharing Phase Two of our plan tomorrow in a letter and a phone call from me to you.
4. NEW: C-L Cyber students: Mrs. Pence will be contacting you tomorrow or Wednesday about your cyber program.
4. Elementary site for educational parental/student support: <https://sites.google.com/a/clasd.net/ehockenberry/parental-support>.
5. High school site for educational parental/student support: <https://sites.google.com/clasd.net/clhighschoolresources/home>.
6. Scholarships for seniors: All scholarships are available on the HS resource site above! If you need a scholarship mailed to you, please email dsmith@clasd.net and she will mail it out to you. The Priority First Federal Credit Union scholarship deadline has been extended to May 31, 2020.
7. CL Elementary PTO on Facebook! Click this link to be a part of the PTO Facebook activities: <https://www.facebook.com/CLElementaryPTO> Also, at 7:00 pm, watch as a staff member reads a book.

Miss you all even more! Mrs. Glasl

CLARION-LIMESTONE CLASS OF 2020
DON'T MISS THESE SCHOLARSHIP
OPPORTUNITIES -----
APPLY!!!

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES FOR C-L SENIORS ONLY:

BETTY H. WILLISON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP(S)

One scholarship is for a student pursuing a career in the Agriculture Science field – veterinarian, Ag teacher or any post-secondary school for the designed agricultural science field and/or technical trade school. **The second** is for a student pursuing an education degree.

CLARION-LIMESTONE HEALTHY LIVING SCHOLARSHIP – Applicant planning to attend a post-secondary school

C-LAEA Scholarship - Applicant must be pursuing an education degree

C-L FACULTY/STAFF SCHOLARSHIP – Applicant planning to attend a post-secondary school

GILSTRAP FAMILY SCHOLARSHIPS – Three scholarships: Arts, Mathematics and Science

GRANT AND ETHEL KING MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Applicant cannot be in the top 10% of the class

RICK WEAVER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Applicant must be in the top 20% of the class. The Rick Weaver Application is given directly to the qualifying students.

CHRISTOPHER STAHLMAN MEMORIAL AND PAY IT FORWARD SCHOLARSHIPS

Applicant must be a Clarion University applicant and have a username and password. Go to www.clarion.edu/scholarshipapp and click on the apply now button. Fill out the main application and if the GPA is high enough, the student will be shown these two applications.

ADDITIONAL SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:

(These are not limited to Clarion-Limestone students)

1. American Legion Memorial Scholarship
2. Bridge Builders Community Foundation Scholarships
3. Clarion VFW Ladies Auxiliary Scholarship
4. Clarion VFW Post 2145, Inc.
5. Clarion VFW Club 2145, Inc.
6. Clarion Hospital Foundation Scholarships
7. Clarion Federal Credit Union – must be a member
8. Kiwanis Club of Clarion Scholarship – applicant must be planning to attend Clarion University
9. Primary Health Network – applicant must be pursuing health care field
10. Clarion Garden Club
11. Pennsylvania American Water – Applicant must be pursuing a science degree
12. **VISIT www.clarion.edu/scholarships for Clarion University Scholarships as well as EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES for students not attending Clarion.**

STOP AT THE GUIDANCE DISPLAY/OFFICE FOR APPLICATIONS/INFORMATION

March 11, 2020

The following NEW scholarship information is available to seniors:

The Mechanical Contractors Association Scholarship: Deadline - 5/1/2020

The Clarion County Coalition for Suicide Prevention Scholarship: Deadline - 4/24/2020

The Alpha Kappa Scholarship: Deadline – 4/24/2020

The Rotary Club CUP Scholarship and the Rotary Club Amy Davis Scholarship: Deadlines – 3/31/2020

Seniors are encouraged to check the Guidance Display for application details!!



ALL KIDS 18 YRS. OLD AND YOUNGER

FREE MEALS STILL AVAILABLE WHILE SCHOOLS ARE CLOSED!

Schools closed to the Coronavirus (Covid-19) are able to provide free meal to all students regardless of home district.

Clarion Limestone School District is offering Free Breakfast and Lunch

Starting Monday, March 23, all caregivers and families may drive-thru and pick-up meals for their children. Lunch and breakfast for two days at a time will be provided on a first come, first serve basis.

Meals will be given to children under 18 who are present in the vehicle.

Lunches will include sandwiches, fresh vegetables, fruit and milk. Cereal and other assorted breakfast items, along with a fruit, juice and milk will be provided for breakfast.

No congregating at the location is permitted.

Mondays and Thursdays

Clarion Limestone High School

4091 C-L School Road

Strattanville, PA 16258

11:00 am – 12:30 pm

Questions?

Please contact the Food Service

Department at 814-764-5111 or

cafe@clasd.net



Clarion Area School District

Dedicated to Excellence!

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March 17, 2020

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Clarion Area School District Food Service will provide an opportunity for families to drive thru or walk up and pick up meals for **children 18 and under** at Clarion Elementary School, 800 Boundary St., Clarion, PA 16214 beginning Wednesday, March 18th from 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM. Meal distribution will be set up outside of the main entrance under the canopy. Please note:

- **Children must be present in order for meals to be provided per USDA requirements**
- If driving, please stay in your car and meals will be passed through to the driver based on the number of children in the car
- Meals provided to all students regardless of meal eligibility
- Children will be provided ONE breakfast and ONE lunch daily
- No substitutions will be permitted
- All meals will meet or exceed USDA nutritional requirements
- Children **DO NOT** need to be CASD students; however, they must be 18 years old or younger
- We ask that families not congregate in the parking lot
- Families will not have access to the building
- Meals will be provided from 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM
- While not required, parents are encouraged to complete a one-time meal request form by going to www.clarion-schools.com and clicking on the meal request form.

Grab and go meals will begin Wednesday, March 18th and will continue daily Monday through Friday until March 27th. In the event school is closed longer than two weeks, meals will continue to be provided.

More information will be provided as it becomes available or as necessary.

Thank you,

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