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Dear Sophomore, Junior, and Senior Parents and Students,

At LP, Lion Pride is not just a slogan. We have much to be proud of:

- We are once again ranked in the Top 100 High Schools by Newsweek/Washington Post.
- We were the # 2 performing arts program in the state for the second year in a row.
- We had extra-curricular success in sports, Science Fair, Chicago and Illinois History Fair, National History Day, Model UN, Debate, Math Team, and more.
- The vast majority of our graduates continue their studies at colleges and universities, many at the country's top schools.

Our students are accomplished, and they are also friendly, outgoing, and respectful. For all of the reasons above, Lincoln Park is a great place to attend high school.

All of you should participate in Quickstart Registration, which will take place on Weds, Aug 24th, and Thurs, Aug 25th, for 10th-12th graders. Details about registration and forms to be completed are included in this mailing. I ask everyone to complete the enclosed forms and submit them at registration. Accurate phone numbers, address, and email address are very important to maintaining good communication between school and home.

It is also critical that all students submit a completed Free and Reduced Lunch application, even if you do not think you qualify, and even if you are not going to participate in the lunch program. These applications generate critical funding for our school, which is used to support our academic programs, purchase books and technology, and provide for daily operations of the school. As our district continues to face major budget challenges, we will rely more heavily on funding generated from Free and Reduced Lunch Applications. As an incentive, all students who submit a completed lunch application by September 23rd will be entered in a raffle to win a pair of tickets to our homecoming dance. We will raffle off several pairs of tickets throughout September.

Due to our ongoing renovations, there will be no parking at LP during Quickstart. We apologize for the inconvenience, but the improvements to our buildings, including all new washrooms and major improvements to the auditorium, library, and FB gym will make up for this inconvenience.

We look forward to seeing you at Quickstart and again on the first day of school on Tuesday, September 6th.

Sincerely,

Michael Boraz, Principal