LOS MEDANOS COLLEGE

2015 Graduation Newsletter

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- Purchase cap and gown
- Arrive by 5:45 p.m.
- Pre-order your leis through the Inter-Club Council.
 Deadline: May 18, 2015
- NO high heels
- · Bring your camera!

BOOKSTORE HOURS:
Mon-Thu 7:45 am - 7:00 pm
Friday 7:45 am - 3:00 pm
PLEASE NOTE:

Bookstore will be closing at 3:00 PM on Graduation Day!

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Can I decorate my graduation cap?
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 What should I wear under my gown?

Wear comfortable clothing, for example: dress slacks and dress shirts for men. Dress slacks, blouse, dress, and NO high heels for women.

Do I have to wear the cap and gown?

YES. Everyone participating in the graduation, must wear their caps and gowns. No garments are to be worn over the gown.

 Can I bring my purse with me?

Yes, small purses may be carried under the gown. Please do not carry large purses.

 Can I bring my children to the graduation ceremony?

YES. Children are welcome to attend in the <u>bleachers</u> with an adult.

 Are there Disability Accommodations available?

YES. There is wheelchair access. Other special requests for Disability Accommodations should be made in advance by contacting Crystal Stahl at (925) 473-7424, or cstahl@losmedanos.edu by May 13, 2015

Graduation is coming soon!

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This year's graduation ceremony will be held on Wednesday, May 20, 2015 at 6:30 p.m. in the LMC Football Stadium. Students should plan to arrive no later than 5:45 p.m. to line up at the area adjacent to the men's locker room by the P.E. Annex. Students will need to check-in to receive a card which will contain their name and major to be read during the ceremony. Only one degree will be read when the student walks across the stage.

Because graduation is held in the football stadium, there is no limit to the number of guests you may invite. There is no reserved seating at the stadium. The stadium bleachers have wheelchair access; chairs will also be placed below the bleachers for additional seating and accessibility. Guests should arrive early for optimum seating.

Parking

Please allow significant time for parking before the ceremony begins. Free parking is available in Lot A, Lot B or Lot C. Visitors who have difficulty accessing the football stadium from the front parking lot may be dropped off in a designated area in Lot B, adjacent to the stadium.

No High Heels

High heels are <u>not</u> allowed on the track. If you wear them, you will be asked to remove them prior to entering the field.

Reception

We will have a reception to celebrate our graduates on the field adjacent to the stadium immediately following the graduation ceremony.



Cap, Gown, Tassel Beginning May 4, you may

pick up your cap, gown and tassel at the LMC Bookstore. Cost is \$16.80 per package (plus tax).

Honors

Students with a 3.5 GPA as of Fall 2014, including transfer units, will be eligible for honors designation at graduation. The honors tassel may be purchased at the bookstore for \$ 4.60 (plus tax).

LEI SALES!



Leis will also be sold at the entrances to the football stadium on Wednesday, May 20, 2015 from 5:00 pm until supplies run out. Pre-order your graduation leis through the Inter-Club Council with Jamila Stewart at jastewart@losmedanos.edu. **Deadline for**

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Flower Leis (purple & white; red & yellow; or white & blue) = \$20/each
Flower Bouquet = \$10/each
Fancy Flower Bouquet = \$15/each
Candy Leis = \$10/each
Kukui Nut Leis (assorted colors) = \$20/each
Ribbon Leis (assorted colors) = \$20/each

Pictures of the products are available in the bookstore. Preordered leis or bouquets will be available for pick-up inside the football stadium on graduation day. For more information or to place an order, contact Jamila Stewart at 925-473-7553 or jastewart@losmedanos.edu.