

Dear LSC Community:

Happy spring to you!

I know it is spring, because we just had a wonderful and well-attended LSC Foundation Dinner. I know it is spring because our annual awards and honors for outstanding Icehawks is coming right up. And we just held our employee years of service awards and ceremony. Many folks were taking some well-deserved vacation or were otherwise unable to attend. I have attached the list of awardees and also those who are retiring this year. Please congratulate your colleagues and friends on their accomplishments.

This time of year, we gear up for the end of the spring semester, with students studying in every nook of the campus and its locations. This year, we meet the end of the semester with great anticipation, as we will hold our commencement ceremony in-person.

I want to thank everyone for a wonderful year. Thank you for your patience and perseverance in navigating the changing parameters under which we have had to operate. Thank you for being kind to each other Thank you for helping our students reach their goals and fulfill their dreams.

Thank you all!

For those of you who do not care about what I am reading, you can stop right here. For those of you who have requested my latest reading list...well, it is a bit long and I provide it below:

The Sentence-Louise Erdrich
All In-Bille Jean King
Nice Racism-Robin DiAngelo
A Carnival of Snakery-David Sedaris
Apparently There Were Complaints-Sharon Gless
State of Terror-Hillary Rodham Clinton & Louise Penny
56 Days-Catherine Ryan Howard
When Harry Met Minnie-Martha Teichner
Sled Dogs to St. Paul-Frank Moe
On Animals-Susan Orlean
I Was Better Last Night-Harvey Fierstein
The Ursulina-Brian Freeman
Klara and the Sun-Kazuo Ishiguro

and coming up:

1619 Project-Nikole Hannah-Jones
The Great Upheaval-Arthur Levine & Scott Van Pelt
The Secret to Superhuman Strength-Alison Bechdel

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Employee Service Awards for FY22

One Year Certificates – No gift	
Alexander	Bailey
Dohlin	Ella
Emig	Aprill
Rotering	Loralee
Stiller	Taylor
Stoll	Marnica
Swanson	Karen
Terwey	Kathleen
Turner	Adoness

Five Year Awards	
Boisjoli	Jerod
Fanning	Daniel
Johnsrud	Suzanne
Kohlts	Leah
McMahan	William
Mitchell	Shawn
Nading	Craig
Raveill	Brittany
Shoberg	Chandra
Swardstrom	Cheryl

Ten Year Awards	
D'Angiola	Pasquale
Finlayson	Alan
Levine	Linda
Mills-Lemire	Denise
Schaefer	Ryan
Stimpson	Keri
Vittone	Jay
Zimmerman	Randi

Fifteen Year Awards	
Beckwith	Carly
Doolittle	Melissa
Reistad	Bridget

Twenty Year Awards	
Dalager	Sherry
Dalager	Steven
Hutson	Victoria
Leno	Brandon
Pihlaja	Jocelyn
Robillard	Georgia
Vukelich	Jennifer

Twenty Five Year Awards	
Bich	Brian
Schubitzke	Martin
Swing	Amy Jo

Thirty Year Awards	
Annable	Cynthia
Brashaw	Susan
Kresky	Richard

Retirees	
Annable	Cynthia
Carter Brooks	Marie
Coughlin	Colleen
Reistad	Bridget