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MEET ME AT THE HOP!

Your options for celebrating Homecoming week-end just got a whole lot more fun! The Lancaster High School Tigers will battle the Waxahachie Indians in the LHS Homecoming football game on Friday night, October 1st, and then on Saturday, October 2nd, another LHS – the Lancaster Historical Society – will present a 1950s-style Sock Hop in the gymnasium of the Lancaster Recreation Center. A DJ will be on-hand to spin your favorite “Golden Oldies” for dancing – there’s sure to be an opportunity to do the bunny hop, the stroll, and maybe even the hokey-pokey! The menu will include old-fashioned burger baskets and set-ups for your favorite adult libations. Can you imagine – a Sock Hop where you won’t get in trouble for bringing your hip flask? Dr. Larry Lewis, LISD Superintendent, will serve as the Honorary Chair of the event – or should we say Honorary *Principal* in charge of keeping wayward “youth” in line for the evening. Prizes will be awarded for the best ‘50s costumes. Anything goes, but to protect the gym floor, Coach says to wear shoes with rubber soles, or check your shoes at the door and just wear socks! It is a Sock Hop after all. Dr. Lewis will be in charge of enforcing the dress code, so beware!

Tickets are available for only \$50 per person, and a portion of the price is tax deductible. Proceeds will be used to help support the programs of the Historical Society and pay for maintenance of the MKT Depot and Rose Garden.

To purchase tickets, send your check to P.O. Box 173, Lancaster, TX 75146, or contact board president Patricia Siegfried-Giles at 972-227-5714 or Sock Hop chairs Frances and David Hitchcock at 972-227-3750. Seating is limited so reserve your spot now! For more information about the Sock Hop or other Historical Society events and programs, visit their website at www.lhsweb.org.

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