



LHS joins elite by becoming model AVID school

By JIM HUNT
Lynchburg High School has earned a national reputation as a model AVID (Advancement Via Individual Determination) school. The school was named one of the top 100 AVID schools in the nation by the AVID organization, a national nonprofit that provides the program to schools across the country. The school's success is attributed to its commitment to providing a rigorous, college-preparatory curriculum to all students, regardless of their background or ability. The AVID program is designed to help students develop the skills and habits necessary for success in college and beyond.



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Newly obtained Benghazi emails suggest White House aide involved in prepping Rice for 'video' explanation

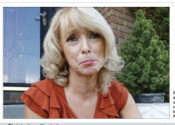
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A newly obtained email suggests a White House aide was involved in prepping Secretary of State Hillary Clinton for a video explanation of the 2012 Benghazi attack. The email, dated in late 2012, shows the aide discussing the details of the attack and the need for a clear and concise explanation. The aide is identified as a senior advisor to the Secretary of State. The email also mentions the need to coordinate the response with other government agencies. This revelation has sparked speculation about the role of the White House in the attack and the government's handling of the situation.



Jim Hunt reports on the inside of the U.S. Consulate in Benghazi, Libya, after the Sept. 11, 2012, attack. The building was destroyed by a combination of gunfire and a gas explosion. (AP Photo/Jim Hunt)

Judge OKs decision to sell widow's home over \$6.30 debt

By JIM HUNT
A judge has approved the sale of a widow's home to satisfy a \$6.30 debt. The widow, who is unable to work, has been struggling to pay the debt for several years. The judge's decision allows the home to be sold, and the proceeds used to pay off the debt. This decision has been met with relief by the widow and her family, who were facing the prospect of losing their home. The case highlights the challenges faced by vulnerable populations in dealing with debt.



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