

Metro-East Lutheran High School



HIGHLIGHTS

March 17, 2017
TOGETHER IN CHRIST
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Please pray...

- For many attendees at the Home & Garden Show this weekend.
- For our staff and students as they take the journey of learning through their interim class.



Important Upcoming Dates

March 17 No School - Faculty Professional Development
March 18-19 Metro East Home & Garden Show
March 26 Knights of the Round Table Banquet
March 31 Thespian Troupe Trivia Night

Announcements

Interim Week - Next week will be our interim week. Parents, please check with your child as to their exact schedule. The classes vary by subject, content, and activity as to the times they meet throughout the week. This is our second year of offering interim. It is a continuous learning experience for all of our students, staff, and families. Together, we are growing with this interim experience to the point that it will be one of the most unique educational offerings in the entire Metro-East.

**Metro East Home & Garden Show
this weekend! Please Attend!!!**

Service Interim - The service interim group is seeking donations of paint/cleaning gardening supplies for our tasks next week. We especially are seeking anyone who may donate some cedar mulch and bags of sand for a couple of our projects. We also would welcome extra adult volunteers who may be willing to help our students and staff. Contact Mr. Giordano at jon.giordano@melhs.org if these might be possibilities for you!



Knights of the Round Table Banquet - We invite all Lutheran High supporters to attend the Knights of the Round Table Banquet and Hall of Honor Induction on March 26th at 5:30pm. RSVP to the school office. There is no charge for the event.



Trivia Night - Metro East Lutheran's Thespian Troupe is hosting a trivia night on Friday, March 31st! Come join us from 6 to 9 PM for some trivia, socializing, and a night of fun! Bring your own refreshments, and buy a seat for the solo trivia whiz for \$15 or a whole table (8-10) for all of your friends for \$100! All proceeds will go to the Thespian Troupe to help the MELHS theater department. See you there!

Re-registration for the 2017-2018 school year is now open. Please note that today is the deadline to receive the current year tuition rate (annual payment \$6850 Association Member or \$7900 Non-Association Member). After today, the re-registration fee goes up from \$300 to \$350. You can mail your forms or bring them to the office.



Awards Night Date Change - Please note the date for Awards Night has now been rescheduled to May 4th. The RenWeb calendar has been updated to reflect this change.



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Sports/Activities Schedules

Spring weather and sports do not always work well together! Please watch for updates from the coaches. There may be practice if a game gets cancelled.

Baseball– 3/17 V H v. Mascoutah, 3/18 V at Calhoun (doubleheader), 3/21 JV at Wood River, 3/24 V at Bunker Hill, 3/27 JV/V at Gillespie, 3/28 JV at Alton Marquette, 3/28 V H v. Red Bud, 3/30 V H v. Wood River, 3/31 V H v. Brussels, 4/1 JV/V H v. Greenville, 4/3 JV at Althoff, 4/3 V H v. Althoff

Boys Volleyball– 3/27 JV/V H v. Mehlville, 3/30 JV/V H v. Cape Girardeau Catholic, 3/31 JV/V at East St. Louis, 4/1 Varsity at Vianney Tournament, 4/3 JV/V H v. Gibault

Girls Soccer– 3/20 H v. Hillsboro, 3/28 at Breese Central, 4/3 H v. Staunton

Softball– 3/17-18 V Arkansas Trip, 3/20 V at Dupo, 3/21 H v. Roxana, 3/27 at Gillespie, 3/28 at Carlinville, 3/31 H v. Brussels, 4/1 at Bunker Hill

Track– 3/28 at Litchfield w/Marquette, Gillespie, Vandalia

Trap– Practice on Tuesdays at EGC (5pm) and league starts on Wednesday. Check with the coaches for squad assignments and shoot times.

MELHS Spirit Wear - Get your spring MELHS spirit wear from our on-line apparel store. There are many great customizable options.

<http://www.sidelinestores.com/schools/illinois/edwardsville/metro-east-lutheran-high-school>



Yearbooks Now on Sale! 2016-2017 yearbooks are now on sale for a limited time price of \$45. This offer ends April 1st! Buy your yearbook today! All yearbooks must be ordered online. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Keily-Vann at katie.vann@melhs.org.



Bus Wrap Watch - The coach bus and the new short bus have received a new look. The coach bus still has a few areas still needing wrap. Fenix 5ive in Carlinville posted progress pictures on their Facebook page. You can watch the transformation of our buses by clicking this link:

<https://www.facebook.com/FenixCarlinville/>

Home & Garden Show

Home & Garden Show - The 4th Annual Metro-East Home & Garden Show will be held at MELHS on March 18th and 19th. This is a big fundraiser for the school, and it takes lots of help to make it successful.



Help is needed in two main areas. First, we need help with preparations. Please sign up to help by going to this link: <http://signup.com/go/648H9h>
Contact Karen Johnson for information: 618-304-3492 or rjkj3413@sbcglobal.net.

Second, please come to the show! Companies that rent out our booth space want to see lots of foot traffic. More attendees will mean more success of this event, now and in the future.

Home & Garden Show Yard Signs - It is time to start displaying the Home & Garden Show yard signs. Please stop by the office and pick up a couple of signs to place around where you live (yard, church, etc.) . Remember to obey local ordinances when placing signs.



From the Academic Advisor

* **Course Request Forms** - If you have not done so already, please turn in your course request forms to the office. They were due March 3rd!

* **College visits** are taking place. Check the calendar outside Mr. McLaughlin's office, and sign up with him if you are interested in meeting with any of those representatives.

* **Seniors**, Please send Mr. McLaughlin an email if you receive a scholarship. We would love to hear from you. So far we have over **\$2,400,000** worth of scholarships for the graduating class of 2017!

