

METRO-EAST LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

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Please pray...

- For a successful week of interim activities.
- For all the students, staff, and families traveling for interim week trips.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Interim Week Begins

April 20, 2026

Prom

May 1, 2026

Awards Night

May 7, 2026

Finals Begin

May 12, 2026

Graduation

May 16, 2026



Announcements

MELHS_KnightLife

Are you interested in helping with the KnightLife Social Media campaign next school year? Mrs. Spelbring is looking for students interested in helping research ideas for content, help film, and edit posts. If interested, e-mail her at faith.spelbring@melhs.org.

MELHS After Prom takes place at the Edwardsville YMCA, Meyer Center from 10:30pm-1:30am on the night of Prom, May 1st. Students may come to After Prom even if they choose not to attend the dance. Tickets are \$15 and available where Prom tickets are sold. This event is put on by the parents. How can you help? Donations: Please use [this sign-up](#) to donate prizes. We could also use monetary donations to fund this event. We will need "Night of" help: Donations of food and help supervising the event. Use [this link](#) to sign up to help! If you have any questions, please reach out to skoch@zionbethalto.org.

Juniors and Seniors inviting an outside guest to prom will need to pick up a form on the office counter. Please return it by Monday, April 27.

Cross Country: There will be a meeting for all returning and potential cross country runners during homeroom on Tuesday, April 28th in the Auxiliary Gym. This meeting will go over summer workouts, summer XC camp, fall schedule and team outings. This is a great opportunity for you to ask questions and learn more about cross country.

Prom tickets are on sale in the office commons this week before school starts at 7:45. This week, April 13-17 tickets will be on sale before school at 7:45 AND after school till 3:30. Tickets are \$55 dollars and include Bella Milano dinner and all night long soda bar! Tickets do not include after prom. The theme is Greek Garden Gala and will be held on May 1st!

Enrollment: Enrollment for the 2026-2027 school year is now open! Please spread the word to family and friends that may be looking at high school options for next fall.

SAT: The registration deadline for the May 2 SAT test is April 17. Please go to <https://satsuite.collegeboard.org>.

Enrollment is open for our 2027 International Trip to Scandinavia! Visit www.eftours.com/3016213RA to learn more. Reach out to Mrs. Wudtke for more information.

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Philios – It's a friendship club

Any MELHS student is welcome to join in April as we are continuing these Philios Friendship Lunches! And, mark your calendars, Knights! Philios is taking to the ice! Join us at RP Lumber Ice Skating Rink on Friday, April 17th from 6:45pm–8:15pm!

Opportunity for NHS Service Hours

The Knight Stewards invite all NHS students (congratulations to the newly inducted Honors Students!) to sign up to work in the concession stands to get service hours. Please sign up with an adult by going to this link: <https://signup.com/go/UQmNYSa> Each concession stand (girls soccer, boys volleyball, and softball/baseball) has detailed instructions. There are hours slips in the stand and you can ask the adult working with you to sign your slip.

Seniors – Please check out this Busey Bank Bridge Scholarship \$2500 opportunity. Go to <https://www.busey.com/busey/busey-bank-bridge-scholarship> for more information. The application deadline is June 3.



Thanks to everyone came out to see Shrek the Musical this past weekend and to the students, staff, and volunteers that made it a success!

Sports/Activities Schedule

Boys Volleyball – 4/18 Home vs Cape Girardeau, 4/22 at Bunker Hill

Baseball – 4/16 at Granite City, 4/18 at Marquette, 4/21 JV at Father McGivney, 4/23 at Father McGivney, 4/24 at Bunker Hill

Softball – 4/18 Home vs Southwestern, 4/20 at Roxana, 4/21 Home vs Father McGivney, 4/22 Home vs East St. Louis, 4/24 at Father McGivney

Girls Soccer – 4/16 Home vs Father McGivney, 4/21 at Althoff, 4/22 Home vs Salem, 4/23 at Althoff

Boys Tennis – 4/16 Home vs Hillsboro, 4/21 at Lutheran North, 4/23 Home vs Granite City

Track & Field – 4/16 at EAWR, 4/17 at Staunton

College Reps

College visits are starting. Watch the daily announcements for more information about which schools will be sending representatives. To attend a college visit, juniors and seniors need to see Mrs. Behrhorst the day before the visit to receive a pass. You must still get permission from your teacher for the time that you will miss from class.

“Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or drink; or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothes? ²⁶ Look at the birds of the air; they do not sow or reap or store away in barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not much more valuable than they?”

Matthew 6:25–26

Stay Updated!

Follow our social media pages so you can stay up to date on everything happening during the school year. Please email any pictures to kori.krause@melhs.org.



Looking for some great MELHS gear to support your spring sports team? Please select the link to shop:

Baseball:

<https://bsnteamssports.com/shop/vE5vFQFQyk>

Girls Soccer:

<https://bsnteamssports.com/shop/Cvgxc22CYS>

Boys Volleyball:

<https://bsnteamssports.com/shop/deoB4qfLhJ>

Softball:

<https://bsnteamssports.com/shop/tF4mGhhEgo>

Track:

<https://bsnteamssports.com/shop/TXZhaQg9Kb>