Metro-East Lutheran High School



HIGHLIGHTS

September 9, 2022 *Led to Serve*

Philippians 2:3-4

Please pray...

- For our students as we approach the midquarter point.
- Giving thanks for the many talents of our students.



<u>Important Upcoming Dates</u>

September 11 Lutheran High Sunday at Zion Bethalto September 15-16 Parent Teacher Consultations September 16 No School September 17 Homecoming Coronation and Dance

Announcements

Homecoming Week: Students can show their school spirit next week by dressing up for Homecoming Spirit week! Student Council will be tabulating the class that has the best participation. Please remember that the dress code still applies.

Monday – PJ Day Tuesday – USA Day

Wednesday – Generation Day

Thursday – Biker vs Surfer Day

We will follow the Pep Rally/Assembly Schedule next Tuesday and Wednesday and the Spirit Week schedule next Thursday for Homecoming week.

Homecoming dance tickets will be on sale before and after school next week for \$10 each in the office commons. Students that would like to invite a guest to the Homecoming dance from outside our school please pick up a form at the office.

Parent/Teacher Consultations will be held Thursday, Sept. 15, from 5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Friday, Sept. 16, from 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. Teachers will be available for five minute sessions. Parents can sign up on the teachers'

doors when they arrive, or students can sign up in advance for a time slot for their parents. If you feel you need more than five minutes or cannot make it on these dates, please request a separate time to meet with those teachers.

College Info: On Monday, Sept. 12, Lutheran High is hosting a College Information Night, led by representatives from College Preparation Station in Maryville. All Sophomore/Junior/Senior students and parents are invited. This is a free event covering such topics as College Admissions, Financial Aid, Scholarships and especially the ACT and SAT. It will start at 7 p.m. in the main gym.

Ireland and England Interim Trip Interest Meeting:

There will be an informational meeting on Wednesday, Sept.14, at 6:30 p.m. in the Media Center for MELHS families interested in traveling to Ireland and England next spring during Interim Week. If you've already signed up for the trip, you do not need to attend this meeting. We will cover trip details and the updated COVID policy. Contact Ms. Thompson if you have any questions. (ruth.thompson@melhs.org)

Drama Club: Everyone is welcome to join us for our first Drama Club and Thespian Troupe meeting of the year on Monday, Sept. 12, from 3:30-4:30 p.m. in Mrs. Wudtke's room. We will be doing theatre exercises and talking about upcoming Theatre Department events. Questions? Email Mrs. Brown at theatre@melhs.org.

Theatre Workshop: Students are invited to an audition and tech interview workshop on Wednesday, Sept. 21, in Mrs. Wudtke's room. This workshop will give you tips on how to audition well and give a good tech interview, with fun games and exercises along the way! It also involves a Q&A session, so bring any questions you have. The workshop will be from 6 p.m. to 7:30.p.m. Thespian points will be awarded to workshop attendees.

Sports/Activities Schedules

Cross Country — 9/17 at Althoff Catholic Invitational

Football — 9/10 at Schlarman; 9/12 JV Home vs. Pawnee; 9/16 Home vs. Galva

Golf — 9/12 at Marissa with Red Bud (White Oak); 9/14 at Staunton with Civic Memorial, Roxana (Spencer T. Olin); 9/15 Home vs. Civic Memorial with Father McGivney (Oak Brook)

Boys Soccer — 9/12 at Carlyle; 9/13 Home vs. East Alton-Wood River; 9/15 at Raymond Lincolnwood; 9/17 at Litchfield/Gillespie; 9/19 at Roxana

Girls Tennis — 9/19 Home vs. Mascoutah

Girls Volleyball — 9/9–9/10 JV at St. Charles Tournament; 9/13 at Bunker Hill; 9/15 Home vs. Marquette; 9/17 at Varsity Belleville East Tournament; 9/17 Freshman at Civic Memorial Tournament; 9/19 Home vs. Litchfield





Football spirit: The cheerleading squad would like us to help show our school spirit at upcoming home football games. Here are the dates and the themes:

Friday, Sept. 16 - 7 p.m. (Home vs Galva)- theme: (Homecoming) Green/Glow

Friday, Sept. 30- 7 p.m. (Home vs?)- theme: White out **Friday, Oct. 14**- 7 p.m. (Home vs Decatur)- theme: Jersey **Friday, Oct. 21**- 7 p.m. (Home vs South Fork)- theme: Pink out

Announcements Continued

Josten's will be here on Sept. 13, during homeroom to do a class ring presentation to Sophomores. They will return Sept. 28, during lunch to take orders.

Scholar Bowl: Students interested in joining the MELHS Scholastic Bowl team this year, please sign up outside of Mrs. Covarrubias' classroom. This is not a commitment, but will get you on the email list to receive further information. Come see what our team is all about!

The Dancer Knights are back! Any student interested in competitive dance, please sign up outside Room 18. (Signing up is not a commitment; we just want to see who is interested!) The season runs October to February. See Mrs. Wudtke for more information.

Night of Knights: Mark your calendar now for Nov. 4, the date of the 43rd annual Night of Knights dinner auction. See the attached flier for details about how you can be a part of this important fundraiser for our school.

Cross Country Gear: Please support the MELHS Cross Country Team by checking out the items for sale in their store: https://bsnteamsports.com/shop/eGuPhtBZ3t

ACT: Sept. 16 is the registration deadline for the Oct. 22 ACT test.

<u>College</u>

College visits are starting. Watch the daily announcements for more information about what 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.

- Blackburn College (12 p.m.) 9/21
- Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville (11 a.m.) 9/26

Concordia University Chicago will hold their Annual Careers for Christ Program Oct. 28-30. Future students can learn about ministry to the church, connect with current students and faculty in church work programs, and be inspired by the Word of God. Young women are also invited to a special Women of Mercy event starting 24 hours beforehand. Online registration is available at CUChicago.edu/C4C.



Learn More about an Educational Travel Opportunity in

Ireland & England

Scan the code or enter the link to get started









For Meeting Details: Scan QR Code or Visit Link Below



SAVE THE DATE

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 4TH GATEWAY CENTER, COLLINSVILLE **DOORS OPEN AT 5:00**

TICKETS WILL BE ON SALE FOR \$55 OR 2/\$100

FEEL FREE TO COME DRESSED IN THE 1920'S OR THE 2020'S!

HOW CAN YOU HELP THE AUCTION?

BUY A TICKET TO ATTEND

IN PERSON DINNER TICKET IS, ONLINE PARTICIPATION TICKET IS

BE AN AUCTION SPONSOR

(LISTED IN OUR PROGRAM)

VALEDICTORIAN - DONATION OF \$1000 AND ABOVE HIGH HONOR - DONATION OF \$250-\$999 HONOR - DONATION OF \$100-\$249

PURCHASE A PROGRAM AD

FOR YOUR STUDENT OR COMPANY \$25 QUARTER PAGE, \$50 HALF PAGE, \$100 FULL PAGE

DONATE AN AUCTION ITEM

SERVICES, EXPERIENCES, ITEMS
BABY AND PET SITTING, LESSONS, MEALS, CAR DEATILING, TICKETS, VACATIONS, PARTIES, ELECTRONICS, JEWELRY, SPORTS MEMORABILIA, OR WHATEVER ELSE YOU CAN THINK OF!

PLEASE CONTACT IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN DONATING, OR NEED HELP PURCHASING TICKETS AT STEPHANIEFEDDER@GMAIL.COM

ALL NON-PERISHABLE ITEMS ARE NEEDED BY OCTOBER 14TH,
ALL DONATIONS ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE