

Metro-East Lutheran High School



HIGHLIGHTS

October 20, 2023

Inseparable

Romans 8:38-39

Please pray...

- For our student athletes as they wrap up the fall season.
- For our driver's education students who have started their behind-the-wheel lessons.



Important Upcoming Dates

October 27-28 Fall Play

October 29 Comedy Sketch Fundraiser

November 3 Night of Knights Dinner Auction

November 12 Open House

Announcements

Fall Play: Bring your family and friends to see this unique set of 3 one-act comedies. We'll start the night with the swashbuckling tale of Treasure Island. Then, we will travel with a group of teens through a rinky dink art museum where epic mystery and romance are found around every corner. Finally, end the evening with a groovy disco take on what would happen if Shakespeare characters starred in the reality TV show "The Bachelorette." Come see "The 3 Chaotic Comedies" on Friday, Oct. 27, or Saturday, Oct. 28, at 7 p.m. Buy tickets today at <https://our.show/metro-east-lutheran-high-school/oneacts>

Program Advertisements: Do you know of a business looking to advertise their services or would you like to send a shout-out or picture of your favorite actor in the show programs? MELHS Theatre Department is selling ad space in their show programs this fall. To purchase ad space, click this link <https://www.onthestage.tickets/metro-east-lutheran-high-school/campaigns/program-ad-sales-2675> and then send your advertisement (picture, business card, or message) to Angela Mueller at angela.mueller@melhs.org by Monday, Oct. 23.

Comedy Sketch Fundraiser: Join us for the first ever MELHS Comedy Sketch Fundraiser on Sunday, Oct. 29, in Henschen Hall. Doors open at 1:30 p.m., and the show starts at 2 p.m. There will be 3 rounds of Improv games and scenes to enjoy. Audience members can participate in the action as much or as little as they want to by sharing scene suggestions, volunteering to join the actors on stage, or your table group can volunteer to perform a scene together for the audience. Feel free to bring food/drinks for your table to share. Small concessions and water can be purchased with cash or check only. Seating will be in tables of 8. Tickets are on sale now at <https://our.show/metro-east-lutheran-high-school/comedy-fundraiser> Come enjoy an afternoon of laughs!

FCA: Our next FCA event will be Monday, Oct. 23, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. We will meet outside at the picnic tables near the football press box. Join us for food, devotion, and competition! We'll be outside, so dress appropriately.

Swim Meet: Any girls interested in participating in the IHSA swim meet on Saturday, Nov. 4, please see Ms. Sparks.

The Junior Class Shoe Drive fundraiser is still going strong! We have collected over 1,000 pairs of shoes, but we need nearly 2,000 more to meet our goal at the end of October. If you have shoes in gently used, worn, or new condition that you no longer need, please bring them to the last home football game of the season on Fri., Oct. 20 to help us FILL THE TRUCK with shoes! Our goal is to fill the bed of Señora Covarrubias' truck with shoes at this event. All shoes collected will go to micro-enterprises around the world to help families create sustainable economic opportunities for themselves!

Concordia Seminary is hosting a Lutheran College Fair featuring our Concordias on Saturday, Nov. 4. Go to: <https://mo.lcms.org/college-fair/> to check out this great opportunity!

Sports/Activities Schedules

Cross Country — 10/21 at Regionals; 10/28 Sectionals at Benton

Football — 10/20 Home vs. Pawnee; 10/23 JV Away at Peoria Heights

Girls Volleyball — 10/23 Regional vs. Maryville Christian at Carrollton; 10/25 Regional at Carrollton; 10/26 Regional Championship at Carrollton



The girls tennis team has wrapped up its season. Congrats to the team for all they accomplished!



Announcements (Continued)

The FUEL Bible study is off to an amazing start! About 20 percent of our students have joined this group to connect with God's Word and one another on Thursdays during homeroom. If you are interested in supporting this student ministry, we would love donations of snack foods to put out during the study. Non-perishable snacks can be brought to the office at any time (labeled "FUEL") or you can provide a grocery store gift card and we will pick up the goodies. Thanks in advance!

Spirit Wear Christmas Shop: The MELHS Spirit Wear Christmas Shop will open Monday, Oct. 23, and be open two weeks. All Spirit Wear ordered here will be shipped directly to your home and be delivered by early to mid-December, just in time for the holiday. Start shopping here:: <https://bsnteamssports.com/shop/3RCdIxURkS>

ACT/SAT: The registration deadline for the Dec. 9 ACT is Friday, Nov. 3. Please go to act.org to register for the test. The registration deadline for the Dec. 2 SAT test is Thursday, Nov. 2.

The Night of Knights Auction is just around the corner. Get your tickets today at this link: <http://events.handbid.com/auctions/2023-night-of-knights-dinner-auction>. Information on sponsorship opportunities and how you can still be involved is attached. Please consider how you can support this event, our largest fundraiser of the year!

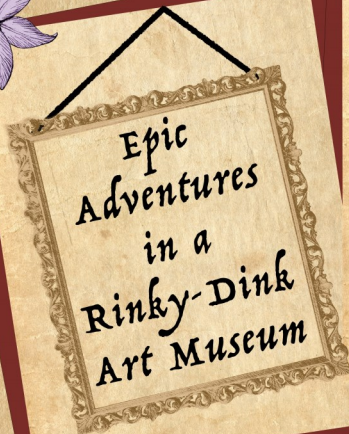
Thanks to Student Council for a great Trunk or Treat! Congratulations to the Robotics Team for earning first place for its recreation of the Millennium Falcon dashboard, to FUEL's Noah's Ark for earning second place, and to the Art Club's graveyard for earning honorable mention. The Alvin and the Chipmunks trunk earned first place for individual trunk.



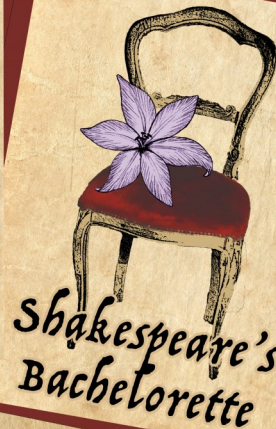
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Theatre Department
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CHAOTIC COMEDIES



Treasure
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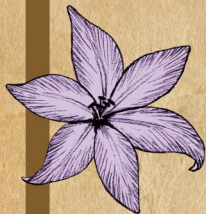


Treasure Island (One Act)

adapted by Todd Espeland from Robert Louis Stevenson

Epic Adventures in a Rinky-Dink Art Museum by Ken Preuss

Shakespeare's Bachelorette by Lea Marshall



Friday, October 27 @ 7pm
Saturday, October 28 @ 7pm



Directed by Judy Brown & Deb Wudtke

Produced by special arrangement with Theatrefolk (theatrefolk.com)

Ticket Link: <https://our.show/metro-east-lutheran-high-school/oneacts>



MELHS Theatre Comedy Sketch Fundraiser

Sunday October 29

Doors open: 1:30 Show: 2:00

Where: MELHS Alumni Hall

Join us for a fun night of 3 rounds of improv comedy games! The audience members choose suggestions for the actors to act out and can volunteer to perform themselves.

What to Bring: Snacks/Drinks for your table, Ideas, Scene Suggestions, and Fun Family or Movie quotes

Ticket Prices:

*\$25 per person if you would like a front row table

*\$20 per person at all other tables (8 people for all tables)

Scan for Tickets:





44th Annual Night of Knights Sponsorship Opportunities

_____ \$300 Event Sponsorship

An event sponsorship includes signage at the event (eg, Desserts donated by Your Business Name), business card placement at tables, a full-page ad in this year's printed auction program, an ad on the big screen, an ad on the MELHS Facebook page, AND your business name will appear on the Handbid splash page.

_____ \$100 Sponsor

Full-page ad in this year's printed auction program. Your ad will also appear on the big screen at the event and on the MELHS Facebook page.

_____ \$50 Ad

Half-page ad in this year's printed auction program

_____ \$25 Ad

Business card ad in this year's printed auction program

_____ Other Donation

To become a sponsor please contact MELHS at 618-656-0043. Please make checks, corporate matches and other donations payable to Metro-East Lutheran High School.

Please email your ad and business logo to: olivia.halusan@gmail.com before October 16.

Name: _____

Business Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

WE APPRECIATE YOUR SUPPORT!

6305 Center Grove Road Edwardsville, IL 62025 (618) 656-0043 www.melhs.org



**COOKIES, CAKES,
MUFFINS, PIES,
PASTRIES NEEDED**

DO YOU LIKE TO BAKE?



THE NIGHT OF KNIGHTS AUCTION NEEDS YOU!

**BAKED GOODS ARE ALWAYS A HOT ITEM
AT THE AUCTION. SO IF YOU HAVE A
FAVORITE RECIPE PLEASE CONSIDER
DONATING A TASTY TREAT FOR THIS
YEAR'S AUCTION BAKERY!**

**IF YOU'D LIKE TO DONATE, PLEASE
EMAIL STEPHANIEFEDDER@GMAIL.COM
ITEMS CAN BE DROPPED OFF
AT MELHS NOV 2-3.**



YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED

44th Annual
Night of Knights
Dinner Auction

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2023
FESTIVITIES BEGIN AT 5:00PM

New Location

JULIA'S BANQUET CENTER
101 EASTGATE PLAZA
EAST ALTON, IL 62024

Please RSVP by October 16

TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED ONLINE AT
HANDBID.COM - 2023 NIGHT
OF KNIGHTS DINNER AUCTION.

[HTTP://EVENTS.HANDBID.COM/AUCTIONS/2023-
NIGHT-OF-KNIGHTS-DINNER-AUCTION](http://events.handbid.com/auctions/2023-night-of-knights-dinner-auction)



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THEMED EVENING OF
FESTIVITIES.

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TICKETS \$50 EACH
TABLE OF 8 \$400



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A DAY AT THE RACES



44TH ANNUAL NIGHT OF KNIGHTS AUCTION

4 TICKETS CHURCHILL DOWNS

PHENOMENAL VIEW | STAKES ROOM TABLE C9 |
PREMIUM BUFFET | CONCIERGE SERVICE

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2023
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY

Visit churchilldowns.com for details.

THERE'S STILL TIME!

If you'd like to help support the upcoming Night of Knights Auction on Nov. 3, here's what we still need.

NIGHT OF KNIGHTS AUCTION

Volunteers of all kinds

Item donations

Homemade baked goods

Bottles of wine

Bottles of bourbon

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GREATER
JOHN 3:30



**20
23**

GIRLS WEEKEND OF CHAMPIONS

NOVEMBER 3-5
REGISTER AT:
STLFCA.ORG/GIRLSWEEKEND

LADIES
GRADES 8-12
\$250



LAKE WILLIAMSON • CARLINVILLE, IL
JOIN US FOR A WEEKEND OF INSPIRATION AND PERSPIRATION

**Lake Williamson
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Carlinville, IL 62626

Financial and travel
assistance available -
contact your local FCA
staff for information.

COST **\$250**

Includes FCA Bible, SWAG, food, &
secondary insurance. Camp fee is non-
refundable after October 25th.

GIRLS WEEKEND 2023 REGISTRATION

Name _____
Cell Phone # _____ Email _____
School _____ Grade in Fall 2023 _____
Parent Name _____
Parent Cell Phone # _____ Parent Email _____

Return card to 1365 N Hwy Dr Ste 300, Fenton, MO 63099

OR REGISTER ONLINE AT STLFCA.ORG/GIRLSWEEKEND

You will receive an email confirmation from our office with instructions to complete registration.
You are not fully registered for camp until payment is received and waiver is completed.

WHAT TO EXPECT

- Growth in your relationship with God
- Competition and Connection with fellow Christian Athletes!

QUESTIONS? CALL (636) 827-7100 OR EMAIL WARTHUR@FCA.ORG