

# Metro-East Lutheran High School



# HIGHLIGHTS

November 3, 2023

## *Inseparable*

Romans 8:38-39

Please pray...

- For everyone involved in tonight's Night of Knights Dinner Auction.
- For our upcoming Open House and for families that are considering MELHS for their children's education.



## Important Upcoming Dates

November 3 Night of Knights Dinner Auction

November 7 Early Dismissal at 1:10 p.m.

November 10 No School, Veterans Day

November 12 Lutheran High Sunday, St. Paul Wood River

November 12 Open House

## Announcements

**The 44th Night of Knights Auction** is tonight! Silent bidding is already open online. Don't forget you can bid online from your phone wherever you are this evening as well at <https://events.handbid.com/auctions/2023-night-of-knights-dinner-auction>

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

**Senior Parents:** A mandatory graduation information meeting will take place Monday, Nov. 6, at 6:30 p.m. in Henschen Hall. Information on graduation proceedings as well as cap/gown details will be presented. At least one parent of each senior must attend this meeting. A Financial Aid Presentation for juniors and seniors will be held at 7:30 p.m. following the grad info meeting.

**ACT:** The registration deadline for the Dec. 9 ACT is today. Please go to [act.org](https://act.org) to register for the test.

**Early Dismissal:** School will be dismissed at 1:10 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 7, for a staff meeting. Lunch will not be served but students will be given a snack break after fifth hour. There will be no school on Friday, Nov. 10, in honor of Veterans Day.

**Shoe Drive:** There are only two weeks left in the Junior Class shoe drive fundraiser! Currently, we have collected 1,800+ shoes and need about 700 more pairs to meet our goal. Help us reach 2,500 pairs by Monday, Nov 13, (*extended deadline!!*) by clearing out your closet now! Thank you to everyone who has already contributed.

**FUEL After School Bible Studies are underway!** Students can still sign up and jump in this coming Thursday, 3:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m.! We will dive deeper into scripture and learn about spiritual practices like reading your Bible, owning up to your mistakes and being forgiven, praying, and serving God and others. Leah Cook leads this in the Student Success Center...and yes, of course, there's food! Sign up here: <https://forms.gle/zhjVz4ZBYUzRCcE88>



**Congrats to MELHS students who entered the Edwardsville Library's recent scary story writing contest. Ella Brennan (center) won first place, Vivienne Runnalls (left) won second place, and Emily Pinkel (right) won honorable mention.**

## Sports/Activities Schedules

**Boys Basketball** — 11/6 Practices Start

**Girls Basketball** — 11/13 at Dupo Tournament

**Robotics** — 11/11 Meet at Maryville Christian

**Scholar Bowl** — 11/4 IHSSBCA Novice tournament at Granite City; 11/7 Home vs. Cumberland/Southwestern/Alton; 11/13 Varsity at Hi-Q, SIUC

**Wrestling** — 11/6 Practices Start



Congratulations to the Knights football players selected for the I8FA South All-Conference Team (left to right): Landyn Jefferson, Ian Skelton, Zach Daly, Andrew Adams, Owen Halusan, Drake Luebbert, and Landon Wren. (Not pictured: Jakob Pedersen.)

## Announcements (Continued)

**The Christmas Spirit Wear shop is open.** Check out all the great gift options! The store will be open until Nov. 8. These orders will be shipped directly to you and will be delivered early/mid-December. Please use this link: <https://bsnteamssports.com/shop/3RCdJxURkS>.

**Turkey Trot:** If anyone is interested in running the Maryville Turkey Trot on Saturday, Nov. 11, please pick up a registration form in the office. There is a \$30 gift certificate for the overall male and female winners and attendance prizes.

**Open House:** MELHS will host an Open House on Sunday, Nov. 12, from 1 p.m.-3 p.m. Attendees can tour our campus, meet our teachers and chat with administrators. Please invite any families you know who may be interested in learning more about our school.

**Students on the Run:** Have you ever wanted to achieve something that few people ever do? Challenge yourself physically and mentally? Consider joining Students on the Run. This program is for all students; you don't have to be a runner to join. They provide free training for high school students to improve their physical and mental health while training for a half marathon. For more information, pick up a brochure in the office or visit their website: [Students on the Run](#)

**Save the Date:** Mark your calendar now for the annual Sigmund Bohnet Memorial Golf Tournament, which will be held on April 20 at Arlington Greens Golf Course in Granite City.



Bravo to the cast and crew of “Three Chaotic Comedies” for their amazing performances over the weekend.