

Metro-East Lutheran High School



HIGHLIGHTS

January 12, 2024

Inseparable

Romans 8:38-39

Please pray...

- For our students as they start their second semester studies.
- For the families of eighth-grade students as they make decisions about high school for next year.



Important Upcoming Dates

January 15 No School, Martin Luther King Jr. Day

January 16 Early Dismissal at 1:10 p.m.

January 21 MELHS Sunday, Trinity Edwardsville

February 4 MELHS Open House

Announcements

No School: There will be no school on Monday, Jan. 15, in honor of Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

Early Dismissal: Next Tuesday, Jan. 16, school will be dismissed at 1:10 p.m. There will be no lunch that day, but students can bring a snack to eat during a scheduled snack break.

Blood Drive: The NHS is sponsoring a Blood Drive on Tuesday, Feb. 20, from 8 a.m.-1.p.m. Sign up to donate at this link: [MELHS NHS Sponsored Blood Drive Feb 20](#)

The Boys' Volleyball team store is open until Jan. 22. Please go to the following link to check out the options and support the team. <https://bsnteamsports.com/shop/nuJGFwFKuk>

The Girls' Softball team store is open until Jan. 22. Please go to the following link to check out the options and support the team. <https://bsnteamsports.com/shop/RGxhvatddG>

The Boys' Baseball team store is open until Jan. 22.

Please go to the following link to check out the options and support the team. <https://bsnteamsports.com/shop/L2mvpJ4cRU>

Support Fine Arts at MELHS: The MELHS theatre department will be presenting its spring musical, "My Fair Lady," on April 12, 13 and 14. If you'd like to support the fine arts program at MELHS, please consider purchasing an advertisement in the playbill for the musical. Ads can be purchased at [this link](#). The deadline to place an ad is April 3.

FUEL Needs Fuel



An average of 65 students attend our Thursday homeroom Youth Group called FUEL. We have some devotional time, snacks and fellowship. WOW can these kids eat! We would appreciate donations of snack items or grocery gift cards so we can fuel these students with food while we also fuel them with God's Word! Individually packaged items are always helpful. Granola bars, cheese balls, cookies and Slim Jims are popular foods, but anything is appreciated! Bring donations to the Success Center or office marked for FUEL. Thanks in advance!

Sports/Activities Schedules

Boys Basketball — 1/12 Home vs. Maryville Christian; 1/14 –1/20 at Nashville Tournament; 1/22 Frosh Home vs. Marissa

Girls Basketball — 1/13 Home vs. Murphysboro; 1/16 Home vs. Dupo; 1/17 at North Greene; 1/20. 1/22 at Carrollton Tournament

Bowling — 1/17 Conference Tournament at Bowl Haven; 1/18 Girls Home vs. Jerseyville; 1/20 Boys Regional at Bowl Haven

Robotics— 1/13 Meet at Granite City

Scholar Bowl — 1/13 at Piasa Invitational Tournament at Southwestern; 1/18 at Columbia vs. Columbia/Alton/Granite City

Wrestling — 1/13 at Carmi Invitational; 1/15 at Jerseyville; 1/16 at East Alton-Wood River; 1/22 at Highland, Carlyle

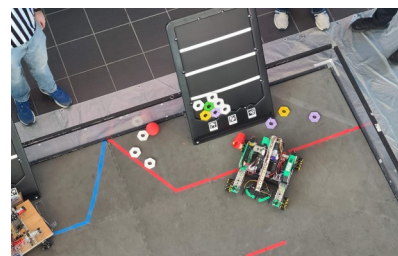
Announcements (Continued)

English Country Dance: Trinity Lutheran in Worden is hosting an English Country Dance in its parish hall on Jan. 21 for students in grades 7-12. See the attached flier for more details.

Several MELHS bowlers have started the New Year out in true celebratory fashion! Austin Koth had a career-best series last week, and Steven Norberg had a season-high 201 game against Wood River. Isaak Broekemeier and Claire Terracina each set career-best series and game scores in matches this past week. Cody Morgan obliterated his previous-best scores with a 518 series against Piasa that included a 234 game! The Knights Boys Team travels to the IHSA Regional competition this weekend at Alton, and both Boys and Girls teams compete at the Gateway Metro Conference Tournament next Wednesday.



The MELHS Robotics Team will head to Granite City this weekend for its third meet of the season. Go Knights!



ENGLISH COUNTRY DANCE

JANUARY 21 4-5:30 PM
TRINITY LUTHERAN PARISH HALL
219 W MCGAUGHEY, WORDEN

- OPEN TO 7TH-12TH GRADERS
 - DRESS IN COMFORTABLE SHOES
 - BOYS: NICE SLACKS AND SHIRTS
 - GIRLS: DRESSES OR SKIRTS AT OR BELOW THE KNEE, SHOULDERS COVERED
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*All those attending will have the opportunity to dance.
Gentlemen will ask the ladies, and ladies will accept.
Dances will be taught by hired caller.*

BRING \$5 IF STAYING FOR PIZZA
FOLLOWING THE DANCE.

TRINITY'S WALTHER LEAGUE ROOM WILL BE OPEN
UNTIL 7PM FOR SOCIALIZING.