# Metro-East Lutheran High School



# HIGHLIGHTS

August 23, 2024 *Grace and Kindness*Ephesians 4

## Please pray...

- For all of our volunteers who serve our school, helping us make it a success.
- Giving thanks for the opportunity to worship together on Chapel days.



# Important Upcoming Dates

Aug. 29 School Picture Day Sept. 2 No School, Labor Day Sept. 12-13 Parent Teacher Consults

## <u>Announcements</u>

Fall Play Auditions: This fall MELHS Theatre Company will be presenting the play "Cheaper by the Dozen." All students are welcome to participate in putting on the show! If you are interested in performing on stage, please sign up for an Audition slot at the link below. Students looking for large roles should sign up for a time slot that says "Monologue Slot" and students looking for a medium to small role should sign up for a time slot that says "Cold Reading Only." Auditions will be on Monday, Aug. 26, from 3:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. in Mr. Meador's room: <a href="https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0A4CADAC2EA1F94-50727031-fall">https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0A4CADAC2EA1F94-50727031-fall</a>

If you are interested in helping with a nonperformance job for the show please sign up for a Tech Interview slot at the link below. Interviews will happen on Tuesday, Aug. 27, from 5:40 p.m. to 7:40 p.m. in Mrs. Wudtke's room. <a href="https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0A4CADAC2EA1F94-50726990-tech">https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0A4CADAC2EA1F94-50726990-tech</a>

There are also QR codes with the links on the Theatre bulletin board, outside Mrs. Wudtke's room, and Mr. Meador's room if you would like to sign up that way. Any questions about what to prepare or bring with you should be directed to Mrs. Brown at <a href="mailto:theatre@melhs.org">theatre@melhs.org</a>. Mark your calendar now for our performance dates of Nov. 8 and Nov 9. Check out the attached flier for more details.

**Board Game Club:** Join us for board game club on Wednesday, Aug. 28! Bring your own favorite games or learn to play one of the games Mr. Moldenhauer brings. We will meet in the Media Center from 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

School pictures are scheduled for Thursday, Aug. 29, at 8 a.m. All students will receive a school ID and need to have a picture taken whether they purchase photos or not. Senior girls should wear a nice top, and senior boys should wear a collared shirt for the class composite. Extra order forms are available in the office.

Touchdown Club: The MELHS Football Team invites to you join The Touchdown Club! A membership fee of \$25 will get you an exclusive Touchdown Club T-Shirt to wear at all the games this season. Plus, you have the opportunity to additionally support the team by pledging a pertouchdown amount! Visit The Touchdown Club table at the home game on Sept. 6, at the JV home game on Sept. 10, or join online by visiting:

https://forms.gle/646yxCM5s6yDcMLj9.

Auction planning meeting: There will be a planning meeting for the Night of Knights Dinner Auction on Wednesday, Aug. 28, at 6:30 p.m. in the Media Center. We need many volunteers doing a wide variety of tasks to make this event a success! Come out and see how you can be part of supporting our school fundraising efforts!

Interim 2025 Service Trip: Do you want to spend a week in Costa Rica next spring serving the Lord? If you're ready to commit to this Interim Mission Trip, the registration deposit is \$100. You can give your deposit to Mrs. Covarrubias. Registration for the trip closes on Friday, Sept 13. If you'd like to know more, please contact Mrs. Covarrubias via email at <a href="mailto:shanna.covarrubias@melhs.org">shanna.covarrubias@melhs.org</a>.

Knight Stewards: Come to the first Knight Stewards meeting of the school year on Thursday, Sept. 5, at 6:30 p.m. in the Media Center. The Knight Stewards is our parent booster club and provides support to our school in many ways. The Knight Stewards are looking for people interested in taking on a leadership position in this important organization.

# Sports/Activities Schedules

**Cross Country** — 8/31 at Civic Memorial Twilight; 9/3 at Carlinville

**Football** — 8/24 Scrimmage at Home vs. Christian Life-Hopedale; 8/29 at Unity Christian

**Boys Soccer** — 8/26 Home vs. Carlinville; 8/27 at Wesclin; 8/29 at Staunton; 8/31 Home vs. Gibault

**Girls Tennis** — 8/27 JV Home vs. Alton; 8/29 Home vs. Bunker Hill

Girls Volleyball — 8/27 Home vs. Murphysboro; 8/28 at Alton; 8/30-8/31 at Springfield Lutheran Tournament; 8/31 Freshmen at St. Charles Tournament; 9/3 Home vs. Gibault

Golf — 8/26 vs. Dupo at The Prairies; 8/28 Varsity at Oak Brook vs. Maryville Christian and East Alton-Wood River; 8/30 Varsity Panther Classic Tournament at Litchfield Country Club; 9/3 at Acorns vs. Gibault, Valmeyer



Congrats to the varsity golf team for placing second in the small schools division at the Madison County Tournament this week. Special congrats to Jacob Kober, who placed second individually, and Ryan Suhre, who placed third.

MELHS Media—Please follow our social media pages so you can stay up to date on everything happening around campus this year. Please email any pictures to angela.mueller@melhs.org.

Facebook-@MetroEastLutheranHS Instagram-@melhs.knights





## Announcements (continued)

Marine Corp: A representative from the Marine Corp will be here during lunch on Friday, Sept. 20.

**ACT/SAT:** The registration deadline for the Oct. 26 ACT test is Sept. 20. Please go to <u>ACT.org</u> and use our school code 144463. The registration deadline for the Oct. 5 SAT test is Sept. 20. Please go to <a href="https://satsuite.collegeboard.org">https://satsuite.collegeboard.org</a>.

Are you looking for Lutheran High apparel or accessories? Please check out this link: <a href="https://bsnteamsports.com/shop/9uWLh6Qn]A">https://bsnteamsports.com/shop/9uWLh6Qn]A</a>. Great prices on customizable items! You can place your order online, and it's shipped directly to you. The shop will close on Sept. 11.

#### College

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.

• Illinois Wesleyan, 9/26 at 9:30 a.m.

#### **Seniors:**

• If you need a transcript sent to a college or university, please fill out a transcript request form. They can be found in the office. There is no charge to send transcripts while you are a current student here.

MELHS alum Jennifer Pickerell was back on campus this week to talk to the senior class about college and career paths. Jennifer (Class of 1995) is



now director of career services for McKendree University. She led a resume-writing workshop for the seniors.





# **MELHS THEATRE Company** Fall Play Auditions and Tech Interviews



Auditions Monday August 26, 2024 3:30-6:30pm Mr. Meador's Room

**Tech Interviews** Tuesday August 27, 2024 5:40-7:40pm Mrs. Wudtke's Room

Adapted by **Christopher Sergel** 

From the book by Frank B. Gilbreth Jr. and Ernestine Gilbreth Carey

Fall Play Audition Sign Up Sheet



Tech Interview Sign Up Sheet



Performance Dates: November 8, 2024 and November 9, 2024

Any student interested in helping with behind the scenes Tech Theatre Jobs or being on stage for the fall play should sign up for a time slot to audition (on stage) or interview (backstage) Email theatre@melhs.org for questions or concerns.