

Metro-East Lutheran High School



HIGHLIGHTS

September 6, 2024

Grace and Kindness

Ephesians 4

Please pray...

- For all of our teachers as they minister to our students each day.
- For our drama department as they begin preparations for the Fall Play.



Important Upcoming Dates

Sept. 6 Mid-Quarter

Sept. 12-13 Parent Teacher Consults (No school Sept. 13)

Sept. 17 MELHS Field Day for 3rd and 4th Grades

Sept. 27 Homecoming Football Game

Sept. 28 Homecoming Coronation and Dance

Announcements

Parent/Teacher Consultations will be held Thursday, Sept. 12, from 5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Friday, Sept. 13, 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 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. There will be no school on Friday, Sept. 13.

Debate club will host its first formal debate after school today from 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 pm in room 110. We will start our meeting with an explanation of how to conduct a formal debate, then move to our first debate of the year: "What should the debate club mascot be?" We will choose between two possible choices, the Debating Ducks or Debating Bears. We will have free snacks for all who attend.

FCA: Monday, Sept. 9, is the first FCA event of the year! All students are welcome to join us for eating food, spending time in God's Word, and having some friendly athletic competition. It will be from 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m., and we will start in the cafeteria with some walking tacos. We plan to go outside (weather permitting), so dress accordingly.

Fall sports pictures will be taken on Monday, Sept. 9.

Coaches will hand out order forms or you may order online at <https://accessmyevent.com/P4GWD3>.

Touchdown Club: The MELHS Football Team invites you to 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 per-touchdown 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 Meeting: The next planning meeting for the Night of Knights Dinner Auction will be on Wednesday, Sept. 11, at 6:30 p.m. in the media center. More volunteers are needed, so come out and see how you can be a part of making this event, our largest fundraiser of the year, a success.

Tutoring: Any student who is interested in becoming a tutor or would like to be tutored for the school year in any subject please contact Katie Wright at kathren.wright2025@melhs.org to be put on the list. (NHS hours will be given to tutors in NHS).

Are you looking for Lutheran High apparel or accessories? Check out this link: <https://bsnteamssports.com/shop/9uWLh6QnJA>. Great prices on customizable items! You may order online, and it is shipped directly to you. This shop will close on Sept. 11.

ACT/SAT: The registration deadline for the Oct. 26 ACT test is Sept. 20. Please go to [ACT.org](https://act.org) and use our school code 144463. The registration deadline for the Oct. 5 SAT test is Sept. 20. Please go to satsuite.collegeboard.org.

After Prom: Mark your calendars for Sunday, Oct. 13, to support the After Prom fundraising efforts. MOD Pizza at 2300A Troy Road in Edwardsville will donate 25 percent of your bill to our efforts. Use the code MODGIVES25 or show the attached flier.

Sports/Activities Schedules

Cross Country — 9/14 at First to the Finish

Football — 9/6 Home vs. STM; 9/10 JV Home vs. Christian Life Hopedale; 9/14 at Martinsville; 9/16 JV Home vs. South Fork

Boys Soccer — 9/7 at Father McGivney; 9/10 at Marquette; 9/11 Home vs. Roxana; 9/12 Home vs. Maryville Christian; 9/14 at Wesclin; 9/16 at Carlyle

Girls Tennis — 9/9 Home vs. Gibault; 9/12 at Waterloo; 9/16 at Marquette

Girls Volleyball — 9/6-9/7 JV at St. Charles Tournament; 9/10 at Marquette; 9/11 Home vs. Granite City; 9/12 at Father McGivney

Golf — 9/9 at The Prairies vs. Dupo; 9/11 at Legacy vs. Father McGivney, Maryville Christian, Christ our Rock; 9/12 at Oak Brook vs. Civic Memorial and East Alton-Wood River



Announcements (continued)

Y4Life is a motivated group of youths following Jesus' call to affirm life from fertilization to natural death. We strive to offer support and extend the love of Christ to all grappling with life issues such as abortion, euthanasia, human trafficking, mental illnesses, drug awareness, suicide. Our goal is to restart a group in favor of life from conception to natural death. In past years we have heard from educated speakers, hosted a hygiene drive, traveled to Washington, D.C., for the March For Life, and had fun sharing God's love. Please sign our survey if you're interested in participating. Surveys are located in the band room, student success center, rooms 103 and 109, and the bulletin board outside Mrs. Wudtke's classroom. Contact Ella Schnare at ecschnare@gmail.com or (618)-973-5716 for more info.

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

College

College visits are under way. To attend a college visit, juniors and seniors need to see Mrs. Behrhorst to receive a pass. You must still get permission from your teacher for the time that you will miss from class.

- Principia College, 9/17 at 9:30 a.m.
- University of Louisville, 9/19 at 9:30 a.m.
- Illinois Wesleyan, 9/26 at 9:30 a.m.
- University of Illinois, 10/4 at 10 a.m.



The Knights Robotics team brought home a third-place trophy from the "Robot Rumble at the Raceway" event held over the weekend at the World Wide Technology Raceway. This competition brought together 12 of the best robotics teams in the St. Louis region, all competing with robots they designed and built last season. The Knights will officially kick off the FTC Robotics season Saturday, when they will join a dozen other teams from across the Metro East to watch the livestream of the game release at the SIUE Engineering building. FTC Robotics is a fantastic opportunity to learn, innovate, and compete in a rapidly growing field. Any students interested in learning more about joining the Knights Robotics team should email Daniel Staake at ddstaake@gmail.com.



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