

Metro-East Lutheran High School



HIGHLIGHTS

April 25, 2025
Grace and Kindness
Ephesians 4

Please pray...

- For all the students, staff, and volunteers involved in this weekend's spring musical production.
- For the ongoing health and safety of our school community.



Important Upcoming Dates

April 25-27 Spring Musical
May 2 Prom and After Prom
May 12 End of Quarter 4
May 13-15 Final Exams
May 17 Graduation

Announcements

The Addams Family musical is this weekend and tickets are available for purchase online: It's family first and family last and family by and by when you come join Gomez, Morticia, Wednesday, and the rest of the Addams clan for a creepy and kooky musical comedy this weekend. Welcome to the family as Metro East Lutheran High School Theatre Company presents The Addams Family High School Edition at MELHS Henschen Alumni Hall on Friday, April 25, Saturday, April 26 at 7pm or Sunday, April 27 at 2pm. Tickets are now on sale [HERE](#)

Grade School Student Coupon
Code: ADDAMSFAMILYGS

NEW RESOURCE RESOURCES IN THE STUDENT SUCCESS CENTER

Stop by the student success center and check out some of our new books! We have everything from small group Bible studies to personal devotionals and even a Christian fiction series!

Yearbooks!! The 23-24 and 24-25 yearbooks are on sale for a limited time. Students can purchase 23-24 yearbooks in the office until the end of the school year and 24-25 yearbooks at the link [HERE](#).

Juniors and Seniors - MELHS After Prom takes place at the Edwardsville YMCA, Meyer Center from 10:30pm-2:00am on the night of Prom, May 2nd. Students may come to After Prom even if they choose not to attend the dance.

Juniors and Seniors – Prom guest forms are available in the office. They must be completed and returned by Wednesday, April 30.

FTC Robotics Information Meeting:

Metro East Lutheran High School will be holding an informational meeting for all students and parents interested in joining our **FIRST Tech Challenge (FTC) Robotics Team** for the upcoming 2025-2026 season.

Date: Monday, May 5th

Time: 6:30 PM

Location: MELHS Media Center

This meeting is a great opportunity to learn more about FTC, what it's like to be on the team, the commitment involved, and how students can get involved in building, programming, and competing with robots. No experience is required—just curiosity and a willingness to learn!



Sports/Activities Schedules

Boys Volleyball — 4/28 vs Alton, 4/29 at Maryville Christian, 4/30 vs Belleville West

Baseball — 4/28 at Marquette, 4/29 vs Marquette, 4/30 at Gillespie, 5/1 at Southwestern, 5/5 at Breese Central

Softball — 4/28 vs Althoff, 4/29 vs Marquette, 5/1 at Marquette, 5/5 vs Cahokia

Track & Field— 4/28 Madison County Meet, 4/30 North Mac Meet, 5/2 Madison Invitational, 5/3 Track Night in Loo

Boys Tennis— 4/28 at Triad, 5/5 vs Bunker Hill

Girls Soccer — 4/28 at Southwestern, 4/29 at Marquette

Announcements (continued)

Registration is now open for SLU's Summer Medical & Surgical Workshop. This program runs June 23rd to June 27th at Saint Louis University and is available for all students who have completed their freshman year of high school to incoming college freshmen (ages 15-19) that are interested in science and medicine. Their website also has more information at <https://www.slu.edu/medicine/clinics-community/aims/summer-workshops.php>.

Do you have gently used sports equipment that you no longer need? Please consider donating it and dropping it off in a bin located in the office commons. The equipment will be cleaned and refurbished to be redistributed to members of the community that need it as a part of Cody Morgan's Eagle Scout project. Examples of donations include: cleats, baseball bats, track spikes, tennis rackets, balls, training cones, etc. Questions may be submitted to Cody Morgan at 760-907-8285 or reddanger2007@icloud.com.

Trinity Lutheran Church Worden Dinner Auction will be on May 2, 2025. Tickets are available for \$25. Please contact Paul Prusacki (618)830-0362, Rhonda Poehler (715)741-0605, or Deneed Messer (618)806-5750 for more information.

After Prom

What happens at After Prom?

- Food- lots of food!
- Activities- Gym Games, Pickleball, Roller-skating, Board Games, "Casino Night" Table...
- Prizes- door prizes for everyone! Chances to win big prizes!

Parents - How can you help?

- Join in the planning: The committee has begun planning the event and a lot of the organization and preliminary planning has been completed. We could use help organizing the following- additional activities, registration, prizes, and food. If you would like to help with planning please reach out to Sarah (skoch@zionbethalto.org). We will get you the information and help you with planning.
- Donations: We could use a lot of donations for this event. We typically give door prizes and also draw for larger prizes throughout the evening. Please use [this sign-up](#) to view what is needed and contribute. If you are willing to ask local businesses for donations, especially gift cards and large prizes, [here is the donation request letter](#).
- Dine-to-Donates: Would you be able to set up a Dine-to-Donates at a local restaurant during the month of April to help raise funds?
- "Night of" Help: The night of the event we need donations of food and help supervising the event. Please [use this link](#) to sign up to help!

METRO EAST LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL

THEATRE COMPANY PRESENTS

MELHS Theatre
Company

Directed by
Judy Brown &
Joseph Meador

Music Performed
by MELHS Music
Department



The Addams Family

A NEW MUSICAL
COMEDY

THE ADDAMS FAMILY SCHOOL EDITION
BOOK BY: MARSHALL BRICKMAN AND RICK ELICE
MUSIC AND LYRICS BY ANDREW LIPPA
ORCHESTRATIONS BY LARRY HOCHMAN
BASED ON CHARACTERS CREATED BY CHARLES ADDAMS

FRIDAY, APRIL 25 @ 7PM
SATURDAY, APRIL 26 @ 7PM
SUNDAY, APRIL 27 @ 2PM

Ticket Link: <https://our.show/melhs-theatre-addams-family>



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