



# KNIGHTWATCH

February 22, 2019



## FROM THE PRINCIPAL . . . God has chosen you to LIVE IN PEACE

**Adam  
Kirsch**

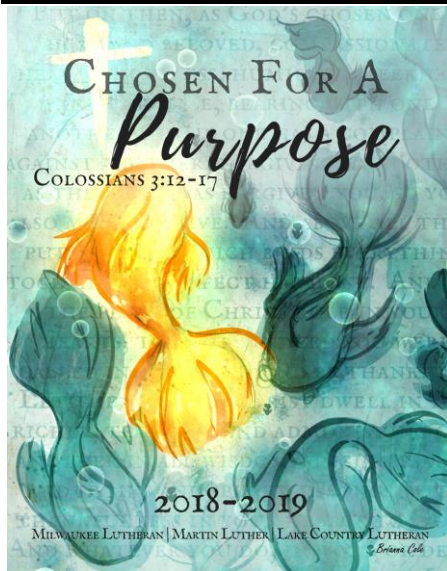
*Repay no one evil for evil, but give thought to do what is honorable in the sight of all. If possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all. (Romans 12:17-18)*

These verses fall into a section of Paul’s letter to the Romans where he is focusing on love. He specifically calls us to love in the way that Christ loves us. The challenging part of this Scripture is that we are called to demonstrate love to those that can be hard to love. In other parts of Scripture, we are told to love our enemies. Even when we disagree with someone, we are called to live at peace with them.

Doesn’t this seem at odds with the concept that we hold up Truth? How do we reconcile our responsibility to hold each other accountable with the charge of keeping the peace?

This issue continues to remain at the forefront of our culture. This verse compels us to hold each other accountable – in love. I recognize that there are very different perspectives that form our worldview, yet as Christians we are called to love and to live at peace. Issues of peace constantly come across our headlines. Our world is more interested in creating conflict – even if it has to be artificially manufactured. We try to create issues where there may be none with the intent of seeing others suffer. We are often drawn to conflict with a perverse interest rather than appreciating peace.

And this is where we, as Christians, must be set apart in how we live and in how we interact. This is why we have been Chosen. We are instructed to never intentionally create hostility. We are called to live at peace with those around us. We are called to demonstrate love – even when it is difficult. May we experience and live in peace.



## UPCOMING EVENTS . . .

- Mar. 2 Band Concert, 7:00 pm
- Mar. 8 Dodgeball Tournament, 5:00 pm
- Mar. 14 Parent/Teacher Conferences, 5:00-7:30 pm
- Mar. 15 Parent/Teacher Conferences, 7:30-10:00 am
- Mar. 18-22 Spring Break
- Mar. 29 & 30 Jubilee Concert, 7:00 pm

## ATTENDANCE PROCEDURES . . .

Absences must be reported to the Attendance Office at (414) 461-6062 or [attendance@milwaukeeelutheran.org](mailto:attendance@milwaukeeelutheran.org) by a parent/guardian prior to 9am on the day of the absence. A written excuse must also be submitted to the Attendance Office on the day the student returns to school.

**SNOW DAYS** In the event severe weather conditions would occur, please check one of the local media outlets for information on school closings. **Our recommendation is that you check the WTMJ website ([www.todaystmj4.com](http://www.todaystmj4.com)) for the earliest and most up-to-date information.** Other media outlets broadcasting school closings include:

- Television: WTMJ-4, FOX-6, WISN-12, CBS-58
- Radio: 94.5 KTI Country, 620WTMJ
- Internet: [fox6now.com/weather](http://fox6now.com/weather), [WISN.com](http://WISN.com), [cbs58.com](http://cbs58.com)

Since our students come from many parts of the metropolitan area, weather conditions may vary from one area to another. Please use discretion in sending your child to school even though school may be in session. A guideline to use in making your decision would be the decision that your local public school district has made. (Example: If you live in Cedarburg and the Cedarburg school district has closed due to the weather, consider keeping your child home from school that day.)

In the event that a sudden snowstorm forces school to close before the regular closing time, make certain that your child knows exactly where to go and what to do should no one be home during the school day.

# ACADEMIC ADVISING . . .

## STUDENT/COUNSELOR ASSIGNMENTS:

E. JANOUSKY: Freshman

CUCINELLO: Sophomores

OECHSNER: Juniors & Seniors - Career

STEINKE: Juniors & Seniors - College

L. KOEBERT: Transition



Joel Bahr  
Assistant Principal

**JUNIORS AND SENIORS** – Now is the time to start thinking about COLLEGE!! The following colleges will be visiting our school in the near future. You **MUST** obtain a pass from Mrs. Dummann in the Advising Office at least 2 days prior to the college visit and get the signature of the teacher whose class you will miss.

- Monday, February 18<sup>th</sup>: **Dordt College**, 3<sup>rd</sup> hour
- Wednesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>: **Bethany Lutheran College**, 2<sup>nd</sup> hour
- Wednesday, April 10<sup>th</sup>: **UW-La Crosse**, 3<sup>rd</sup> hour



Milwaukee Lutheran's U.S. Army representative, SSGT. Livingston, will be in the cafeteria all three lunch hours every 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month. Please look for him along the windows to answer any questions you may have about serving our amazing AMERICA.  
Thank you!

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# OFFICE of SCHOOL CULTURE/Dean of Students

## 10 MINUTE RULE

Due to the excessive number of school tardies, even on late start Thursdays, we have instituted a new morning procedure. Students who arrive after 8:00 AM will no longer be given passes to their first hour classes. They will instead be sent to a holding room for the hour. Repeat offenders will be given detentions and writing assignments to complete. We cannot continue to allow the classes and instruction to be interrupted by late students. We ask that you make an extra effort to have your students arrive before 7:45 AM.

## SAFE and SECURE

Let's face it, the world today can be a dangerous place. We lock our doors, we walk through metal detectors, we place security devices on our phones and guard our identities. We put a lot of faith in the all-seeing security cameras mounted on buildings, streets, and even in many of our homes. But those cameras that offer us home protection wouldn't exist without the efforts of African-American inventor, Marie Van Brittan Brown, who invented the first home security system.

As a nurse living in Jamaica, Queens, New York, Brown's schedule often left her home alone at a time when the crime rate in her neighborhood was steadily increasing. Frustrated by slow police response times and a lack of interest on behalf of the local politicians, in 1966 she invented a sophisticated video and audio system with help from her electrician husband, Albert. The couple received a patent in 1969 for this first of a kind system. Their invention laid the foundation for all future home security systems and was soon in demand for use in apartment buildings and businesses. Their original patent is now the basis for 13 major home security systems that use some aspect of their closed-circuit or remote-control model.

We can employ all sorts of security devices to keep us safe in our daily journey, but our real home is with our Savior Jesus in heaven. Proverbs 14:26 puts it this way, "He who fears the Lord has a secure fortress;" and in Proverbs 28:26 we read, "He who trusts in himself is a fool, but he who walks in the wisdom and trusts in the Lord is kept safe." While great inventions have, and will continue to make us feel safe on the street and in our homes; it is God, who, through the Holy Spirit, guards our souls for eternal life with Him. Although our earthly safety and security are important to us, it is the security of our souls that takes precedent. In Baptism we were washed with the sign of the cross to remind us that "JUST AS CHRIST WAS RAISED FROM THE DEAD BY THE GLORY OF THE FATHER, WE TOO MAY — SECURELY—LIVE A NEW LIFE, IN RIGHTEOUSNESS AND PURITY FOREVER."

Through the blood of Jesus Christ we have the hope and security of eternal life. This is our Christian culture here at Milwaukee Lutheran High School.



Neil Boettcher  
Dean of Culture



Marcus Jackson  
Dean of Students



Joe Kalkopf  
Dean of Students



Chip Wyllie  
Counselor



# ADMISSIONS...

## IMPORTANT ADMISSIONS DATES FOR THE CLASS OF 2023

Milwaukee Parental Choice Program (MPCP) Enrollment Period: March 1-20, 2019

**Class of 2023 -Freshman Course Registration Nights:** Pick one to attend: March 11, April 8 or May 6  
(For students who have taken a placement exam AND have a payment plan (MPCP seat or tuition) setup).

## JR. RED KNIGHT INFORMATION



Rachel Janousky  
Director of  
Admissions

**JR. RED KNIGHTS  
SOFTBALL  
2019-2020**


**WHO: ALL INTERESTED GIRLS ENTERING  
7TH & 8TH GRADE IN 2020.  
NO EXPERIENCE REQUIRED.**

**WHAT: JR. RED KNIGHT SOFTBALL WILL  
PARTICIPATE IN THE  
WAUWATOSA REC LEAGUE.**

**WHERE: GAMES WILL BE PLAYED  
AT VARIOUS  
FIELDS IN THE WAUWATOSA AREA.**

**WHEN: PRACTICES AND GAMES WILL  
BEGIN AT THE END OF MAY.**

For more  
information  
please contact:  
**Kyle Barth**  
Head Varsity Softball Coach  
School: (414)-461-6000 ex. 232  
Cell: (262)-720-8676  
Email: [kbarth@milwaukeeclutheran.org](mailto:kbarth@milwaukeeclutheran.org)



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## ***Jr. Red Knight Soccer Club***



***FOR GIRLS AGES 9-12***

***The program offers competition at both club and recreational levels in order to challenge skilled player and give an opportunity for beginners to learn and develop their soccer skills. No experience is required, and the price is the most affordable in the area.***

***To Enroll please contact:***

***Email: [Jrredknightsoccer@gmail.com](mailto:Jrredknightsoccer@gmail.com)***

***Phone: 262-225-8691***

***Website: [www.jrredknightsc.com](http://www.jrredknightsc.com)***

**Important Dates: May 31<sup>st</sup>, Parent Interest Meeting, 6:30 pm, at MLHS in the Red Knight Rm  
June 24-28, Free Soccer Camp, 8:30 am-12:00 pm  
August 12-16, Jr. Red Knight soccer tryouts (No cuts!)**

# STUDENT ACTIVITIES . . .

**BLOOD DRIVE:** We will be hosting our second blood drive of the school year on Thursday, February 28<sup>th</sup>. We are looking forward to making a difference in our community!

**STUDENT COUNCIL MEETING:** Our next mandatory Student Council meeting will be on Tuesday, March 5<sup>th</sup>. I will be taking out interest forms to see who is interested in being a member of the executive board, so please consider participating as a student council leader next school year!

**DRESS DOWN FOR PROM:** We will be having a handful of “sweatpants days” in the next few months. Students are able to purchase stickers during lunch the day before the dress down day. The stickers are considered their dress down passes, and they must be visibly worn for the entire day. Stickers cost \$3, with \$2 going towards prom and \$1 going towards a local charity. The dress down opportunities will take place on the following dates: Feb 22, March 29, April 26.

## SAVE THE DATE!

**Prom and Post Prom** will be on Saturday, May 4<sup>th</sup>!

**Fellowship Day** will be on Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup>!

**Senior Farewell** will also be on Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup>!



Rachel  
Vonderheide  
Student Activities  
Director

# ATHLETICS . . .

Milwaukee Lutheran Athletics Week of February 25th to March 2<sup>nd</sup> :

**Please refer to our website for Athletic events:**

**[www.RedKnightAthletics.org](http://www.RedKnightAthletics.org)**

## Track Coaches Needed:

MLHS is in need of coaches to fill the following positions. Each of these positions carries a stipend. Please contact Jerad Luedtke ([JLuedtke@MilwaukeeLutheran.org](mailto:JLuedtke@MilwaukeeLutheran.org) or 414-461-6000 ext. 208) if you are interested, or know of someone who might be.

Head Boys Track Coach	March 4-June 1
Head Girls Track Coach	March 4-June 1
Assistant Track Coaches (both boys and girls)	March 4-June 1

## SWIM INSTRUCTOR NEEDED

Milwaukee Lutheran is looking for a swim instructor for our summer swim programs. Swim lessons will be scheduled based on the instructor’s schedule. Please contact Jerad Luedtke if interested. [jluedtke@milwaukeeelutheran.org](mailto:jluedtke@milwaukeeelutheran.org) or 414/461-6000 ext. 208



Jerad Luedtke  
Athletic Director



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## CURRENT NEWS . .

A poster for a Spring Concert. On the left, there is a detailed illustration of a bouquet of roses in various colors (yellow, pink, white) in a glass vase, with a brass instrument (likely a trumpet or trombone) partially visible behind it. The background is a light orange color. To the right of the illustration, the text reads: "Spring Concert" in a large, dark green serif font. Below that, "Travel & Hymns" is written in a smaller, dark green serif font. Underneath, "Symphonic Band, Concert Band, & Red Knight Band" is written in a smaller, dark green serif font. At the bottom, "March 2, 7:00 PM" and "Gymnasium" are written in the same dark green serif font.

**Spring  
Concert**

*Travel & Hymns*

Symphonic Band, Concert Band,  
& Red Knight Band

March 2, 7:00 PM  
Gymnasium

**PRAYER REQUEST BOX:** We have a group of faithful, prayer warrior parents who meet to pray for students, faculty & staff each Friday morning that school is in session. (See “Do You Want to Make a Difference” on page 8.) They have provided a prayer request box, located in the main office, for anyone who would like to submit a request to be prayed for.

*Remember your years here at MLHS...* Order your yearbook today! It's not too late to order the 2019 **YEARBOOK!** Orders for the yearbook will now be taken only online by visiting [www.jostensyearbooks.com](http://www.jostensyearbooks.com)! Ordering online is fast, easy and you can choose to spread out your payments for the yearbook. You will be able to make 3 equal payments over 3 months to help make the book more affordable. The price for the yearbook from now until May 31st, 2019 will be \$65. So, make sure to buy your yearbook online now so you can cross that off your list of things to do this school year and *cherish your years here at MLHS for a lifetime!*

**DO YOU WANT TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE AT MLHS?** Come and join us, a group of parents of ML students, as we pray for staff and students. In John 14:13-14 we read, “And I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Son may bring glory to the Father. You may ask me for anything in My name, and I will do it.” Please feel free, Moms, Dads, and anyone who wants to pray, to join us. We meet from 7:45-8:45 in Room 212 every Friday that school is in session. For questions or more information, please call or text Julie Goodman at (414) 731-7890 and [jimjuliegoodman@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jimjuliegoodman@sbcglobal.net) or Trish Kirkendoll at (414) 406-2275 and [tpkirk3@gmail.com](mailto:tpkirk3@gmail.com) .



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## CURRENT NEWS CONTINUED . . .



### Store Hours

Tuesday-Friday 10:00AM-6:00PM

Saturday 9:00AM-5:00PM

3117 S. 108th Street, West Allis, WI 53227

414-914-9225

### VOLUNTEERS WANTED!

We are looking for servant-minded people to help at the store. Sorting, tagging, working the cash register, organizing displays, and more. 3-hour shifts are ideal, but come for as little as an hour or stay the whole day! No special skills required. Just bring your smile and heart to serve!

Contact the Association offices to schedule a time to volunteer. Call 414-421-9100, ask for Jen Lau.

We are still accepting donations – all of your slightly used items that we could sell at 3in1 Thrift - clothing, furniture, jewelry, tools, dishes, etc. can be dropped off at any of our three Lutheran High Schools (Milwaukee Lutheran, Martin Luther or Lake Country Lutheran) during school operating hours. Larger items may be scheduled for pick-up, if necessary.



**MONDAY, Feb. 25 – Mock Chicken Leg, Mashed Potato**

**TUESDAY, Feb. 26 – Spaghetti, Bosco Sticks**

**WEDNESDAY, Feb. 27 – Hot Pocket**

**THURSDAY, Feb. 28 – Chicken Patty**

**FRIDAY, Mar. 1 – Pizza Patty, Pretzel w/cheese**

**MONDAY, Mar. 4 – Brats**

**TUESDAY, Mar. 5 – Cheeseburger, Hash Brown**

**WEDNESDAY, Mar. 6 – Corn Dogs, Mac & Cheese**

**THURSDAY, Mar. 7 – BBQ Rib Sandwich**

**FRIDAY, Mar. 8 – Pizza**

**PARKING LOT SAFETY: For the safety of all our students and parents, please find below a few reminders about dropping off/picking up your student(s) in the morning and after school.**

1. When picking up after school, please DO NOT park between the orange cones. This area is designated for the buses.
2. When dropping off in the morning, you may pull up next to the canopy or next to the parking lot. Please DO NOT stop in the middle of the driveway – this causes congestion.
3. Please drive slowly at all times and watch for pedestrians crossing.
4. Please use extra caution between 7:40am to 7:50am.

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**“THANK YOU FOR BEING A COURTEOUS AND SAFE  
DRIVER”**

CANOPY

△ NO PARKING BETWEEN CONES (AFTER SCHOOL ONLY) △

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DRIVEWAY-----NO STOPPING  
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DROP OFF/PICKUP

