

KNIGHTWATCH

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Adam Kirsch

FROM THE PRINCIPAL . . . God's Name is Holy

What is in a name? As a parent looks to name their child there may be many factors taken into consideration – family tradition, starts with the same letter as all the other children, works with the last name, is taken from Scripture, or maybe even going for the unusual. While we appreciate our earthly names – none of them are holy. God, however, was named by no earthly entity, but his name is to be revered.

Great and marvelous are your deeds, Lord God Almighty. Just and true are your ways, King of the ages. Who will not fear you, O Lord, and bring glory to your name? For you alone are holy. All nations will come and worship before you, for your righteous acts have been revealed. Revelation 15:3-4

Our God is the only one who can assume the name of holy. He alone is the only one who is completely separated from sin and its effects. It is the reason why we worship Him. It is also the reason why we refrain from using His name in an improper way.

You shall not misuse the name of the Lord your God, for the Lord will not hold anyone guiltless who misuses his name. Exodus 20:7

In the Old Testament, no one was allowed to speak the name of the Lord (Yahweh) out of respect and fear. While those restrictions have changed, as Christians today, we are called to keep the name of the Lord holy. We are commanded to let no unwholesome talk pass our lips (*Ephesians 4:29*). We do this because our God is sacred. We do this out of respect for our Creator, our Redeemer, and our Sustainer. We do this, not simply out of obligation, but in love to Him who has graced us with life – our eternal life. May God continue to bless us with His presence as we trust and believe in Him who is holy.



Martin Luther Milwaukee Lutheran Lake Country Lutheran

UPCOMING EVENTS . . .

3/11 Bel Canto Concert, 6:00 pm

Cancelled: 3/12 Bel Canto Concert

3/16 & 3/17 Parent Teacher Conferences

3/20 - 3/24 Spring Break

4/7 Spring Dance, 7:00 - 10:00 pm

ATTENDANCE PROCEDURES . . .

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Absences must be reported to the Attendance Office at (414) 461-6062 or <u>attendance@milwaukeelutheran.org</u> 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.

ACADEMIC ADVISING . . .

JUNIORS AND SENIORS – Now is the time to start thinking about your post graduate plans!! The following colleges/organizations 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. UW-Milwaukee: Thursday, March 16 at 10:51 am in the RK Room Concordia Chicago: Thursday, March 16 at 1:38 pm in the RK Room

FEDERAL AID FOR COLLEGE BOUND SENIORS

Seniors at Milwaukee Lutheran who plan on attending college in the fall of 2017 must file for federal aid using the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) online as soon as possible. If you would like to be considered for financial aid from the federal government or from a college, you need to file the FAFSA. If you have questions about this process, please contact Joel Bahr, College Advisor at joel.bahr@milwaueelutheran.org.



Mike Waugh Assistant Principal Of Academics

ACADEMIC ADVISING CONTINUED... 2017-2018 MLHS Re-Enrollment

All current students who will be returning to Milwaukee Lutheran High School in the fall for the 2017-2018 school year must re-enroll in Skyward. Over 300 families have completed this process. By verifying your student's information in Skyward, you are declaring your intent to return to Milwaukee Lutheran High School. To re-enroll in Skyward, follow the steps below:

- 1. Login to Skyward FAMILY Access (available under "Quick Links" at the top of <u>www.milwaukeelutheran.org</u>)
- 2. Click 2017-2018 MLHS RE-ENROLLMENT
- 3. Complete Steps 1a-1e to review & update student/family information
- 4. Click "Submit" to complete the re-enrollment process

Additionally, Tuition and Choice families must complete the following information:

- <u>Tuition Families</u>: Current tuition agreements in TADS for the 2016-2017 school year will automatically roll over in May for 2017-2018 school year. Contact Elizabeth in the Business Office at 414-421-9100 ext. 215 with any questions.
- <u>Milwaukee Parental Choice Program Families</u> (MPCP): Re-apply for your CHOICE seat for the 2017-2018 school year.
- <u>Wisconsin Parental Choice Program Families</u> (WPCP): Re-apply for your CHOICE seat for the 2017-2018 school year.

ADMISSIONS...

Important Admissions Dates

Saturday, March 18th – Placement Test #5, 8:30 am – 12 noon (Study Center)

OFFICE OF STUDENT LIFE...

PROPER ATTIRE FOR WISCONSIN WEATHER: Now that the weather is changing and warm clothes must be worn, please be reminded of our dress code: Students are not permitted to wear coats or hats to class, chapel or assemblies. Please see to it that your student has a sweater or other appropriate warm clothing to wear to school on cold, winter days. Hooded sweatshirts must be a Milwaukee Lutheran High School approved organization print and they must be the outer most layer. Hoods must be removed as students enter the building.

ARRIVING TO SCHOOL: Please ensure your student is arriving to school with enough time to get to their lockers and get to class. The school day begins at 7:50, this means students should be arriving prior to 7:45. Students can use the Study Center at 7:00 am, so "if you cannot be on time, be early."



Jim Datka Director of New Student and Alumni Relations



Justin Armitage Assistant Principal Of Student Life

STUDENT ACTIVITIES . . .

YEARBOOKS ARE LIMITED: If you have not purchased your book yet, please know that we have placed the order for books and have only ordered a limited number of extras. If you would like to claim one of these extras, please place your order online at <u>www.jostenyearbooks.com</u> in the near future.

LOOKING AHEAD TO FUN STUDENT ACTIVITIES - Mark your calendars now!

The **DRIVE ONE FUNDRAISER HAS BEEN POSTPONED** due to a scheduling conflict at the Lincoln/Ford car dealership. Listen for the new date to be announced soon!!

SPRING DANCE: Mark your calendars for Friday, April 7th, for the last casual dance of the year. This dance is from 7-10pm for MLHS students only. Admission is \$3 with your current MLHS ID.

LOOKING AHEAD TO PROM AND POST PROM ON MAY 6: A "A Night at the Museum": All Junior and Senior students were given general rules, information and permission slips last week. Junior and Senior parents were also emailed the same information. In addition, here is some general information on Prom and Post Prom for you to use as you start planning for this event. The time line for the evening is as follows: The Grand March and Coronation will take place in the gym at 5pm. Arrival at the Milwaukee Public Museum should begin at 6:00, with dinner being served at 6:30pm. Prom will conclude at 11pm. Post Prom is from 11:15-2:00am at Stone Fire Pizza. Permission slips, guest passes and general details was handed out to all Junior and Seniors today and can also be found on the main office counter. Tickets will go on sale Tuesday, April 18th – Tuesday, April 25th during lunches only. Tickets for this all-inclusive Dinner/Prom/Post Prom evening will be \$55/person or \$110/couple. If you have any questions regarding Prom/Post Prom, please contact Mrs. Janousky at rjanousky@milwaukeelutheran.org.

UPCOMING POST PROM FUNDRAISERS:

The new date is to be announced soon

Driven to Give event with Uptown Ford/Lincoln/Mercury. Includes Lincolns this year! You should plan to come and test drive a brand new car! (See above for more information on this event.)

Wednesday, April 5th

You have the awesome opportunity to eat some yummy food at Chipotle and help the Milwaukee Lutheran High School students attend a safe post prom at the same time. Come and eat at the Chipotle on 124th and Capitol in Brookfield and MLHS will receive 50% back from all food sales between 5-9pm. Just tell them when you pay that you're with MLHS. Thanking you in advance for your help and support of a safe post prom at Milwaukee Lutheran! Upcoming Events

Krispy Kreme Donut Mornings - February/March



Rachel Janousky Student Activities Director ATHLETICS . . .

Milwaukee Lutheran Athletics – Week of March 13th to March 18th:

Please refer to the athletics website for events: www.redknightathletics.org

<u>SPRING SPORTS on the HORIZON:</u> As a reminder to all who plan to participate in a spring sport, here are the starting dates for all our spring sports:

Softball (Girls) – begins on Monday, March 13th @ 3:20 PM Baseball (Boys) – begins on Monday, March 20th - start timeTBA Soccer (Girls) – begins on Monday, March 20th – start time TBA Tennis (Boys) – begins on Monday, March 27th @ 3:15 PM Golf (Boys) – begins on Monday, March 27th @ 3:15 PM

Remember, before you will be allowed to practice you have to make sure all your pre-season obligations have been met for your sport (coaches meeting, athletic forms current). If you aren't certain your forms are up to date, check in the Athletic Office with Mrs. Cheryl Alles for that information.

CURRENT NEWS ...

SPRING MUSICAL: "Don't miss the last Fine Arts show of the 2016-2017 theatrical season......Milwaukee Lutheran High School proudly presents the Rodgers and Hammerstein classical tale "Cinderella" (1997 telefilm version) from Friday April 28th – Sunday April 30th 2017. Show times are 7pm Friday and Saturday and 2pm on Sunday. <u>TICKETS</u> are \$12 for reserved/preferred seating, \$10 adults, \$8 seniors, \$6 non-MLHS and Free for all MLHS students and staff. Appropriate for all ages. A large 24 kid cast and the Pitt orchestra would love for you to come out and support their efforts.....Thank you!"

<u>PIANIST NEEDED</u>: Cinderella, the spring musical, is still seeking a pianist for the show! We are looking for someone who is available from March 27-April 30. This is a paid position where you would get to work with 24 extremely talented actors and 20 extremely talented pit members. If you know anyone who may be interested in this position, please contact Sara Pfenning at <u>spfenning@milwaukeelutheran.org</u>

TUITION TAX CREDIT INFORMATION FOR TUITION & MPCP220 FAMILIES

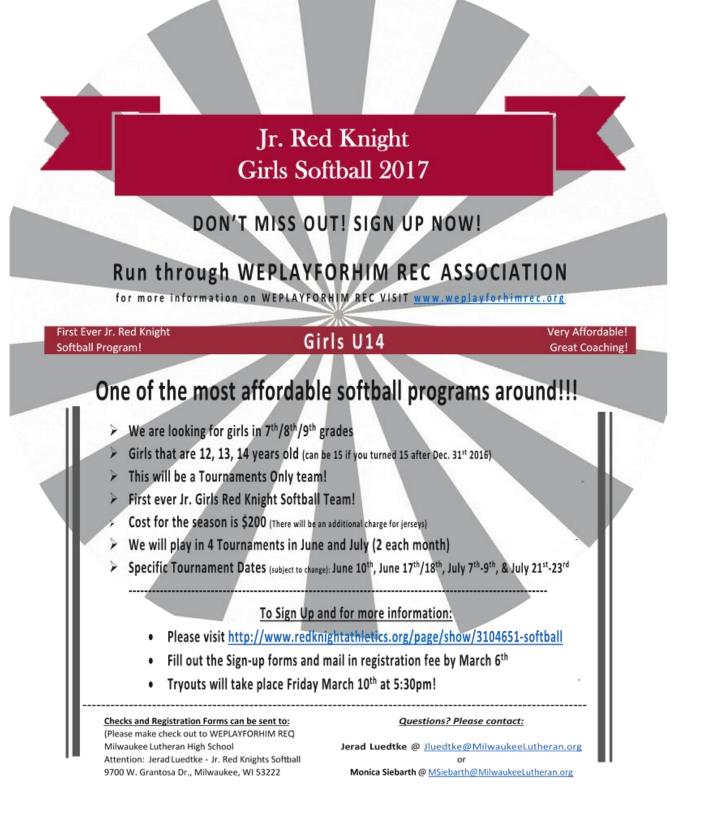
The FEIN # is: 39-0889672

There is a report that TADS generates that you can also use to prove how much you paid. It can be accessed by logging into your TADS account, going to the billing tab and then on the right hand side of the page it's called "Household Paid Tuition Tax Report" or something like that. You just need to click on it and the statement will generate.

DID YOU KNOW.....that there is a group of Moms of ML students that meet weekly to pray for the staff and the students at MLHS? We know that there is great power in prayer! Jesus tells us that "apart from me you can do nothing". (John 15:5) Please feel free, Moms, Dads, and anyone who wants to pray, to join us whenever you are able. We meet from 7:45 - 9:00 a.m. in Room 334, the Red Knight Room, every Friday that school is in session. For more information, please call or text Debi Paepke at (262) 501-1890.



Keith Kalous Athletic Director



2017 Summer Programs

The 2017 Summer Programs are out and all information is on the website www.redknightathletics.org

The Highlight of this summer is our new week long, all day Jr. Red Knight Camp which includes non-athletic options!

For your convenience, attached is the 2017 SUMMER PROGRAM GUIDE!

GO RED KNIGHTS!!!



CURRENT NEWS CONTINUED...

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY Elm Grove Lutheran is looking to fill two secretarial positions: Admin. Asst. to the Principal and Childcare Secretary. Please call (262) 797- 2970 or email <u>jfick@egl.org</u> with questions.

<u>CANCER CARE PACKAGES</u> We have a number of cancer care packages. The packages were filled in connection with Phil's Friends, a cancer support organization based in Chicago. If you know of someone who is battling cancer and who would benefit from a cancer care package and the support of Phil's Friends, please come to the main office to fill out an information sheet and pick up a care package.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: RED KNIGHT BOOSTER CLUB:

The Red Knight Athletic Booster Club is in need of your help! All events through the end of the calendar year have been added to the sign up calendar.. Check your calendar and see if any future dates would fit into your schedule. Remember.. all concession profits go to supporting all athletic teams at Milwaukee Lutheran.

We're using <u>SignUp.com</u> (the leading online SignUp and reminder tool) to organize our upcoming SignUps. Here's how it works in 3 easy steps:

1) Click this link to see our SignUp on SignUp.com: http://signup.com/go/tmmb8a

2) Review the options listed and choose the spot(s) you like.

3) Sign up! It's Easy - you will NOT need to register an account or keep a password on SignUp.com.

Note: <u>SignUp.com</u> does not share your email address with anyone. If you prefer not to use your email address, please contact me and I can sign you up manually.



MONDAY, Mar. 13 – Chicken Patty TUESDAY, Mar. 14 – Hot Pocket WEDNESDAY, Mar. 15 – Salisbury Steak, Buttered Noodles THURSDAY, Mar. 16 – Pizza Patty FRIDAY, Mar. 17 – P/T Conferences – NO SCHOOL Mon., Mar. 20 – Fri., Mar. 24 – SPRING BREAK MONDAY, Mar. 27 – Fish, Fries, Brats TUESDAY, Mar. 28 – Mock Chicken Leg, Mashed Potato WEDNESDAY, Mar. 29 – Cheeseburger THURSDAY, Mar. 30 – Spaghetti, Bosco Stick FRIDAY, Mar. 31 – Pizza

WHAT'S GOING ON AT OUR SISTER SCHOOLS...



Winter Musical, Beauty and the Beast, March 10-12

Thunder Band Concert, March 13

Visit Lake Country Lutheran Here



Symphonic Band Concert, March 26

Sacred Concert, April 9

Visit Martin Luther Here

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.

"THANK YOU FOR BEING A COURTEOUS AND SAFE DRIVER"

