



**MILWAUKEE LUTHERAN  
HIGH SCHOOL**

# THE RED KNIGHT NEWS



December 20, 2024

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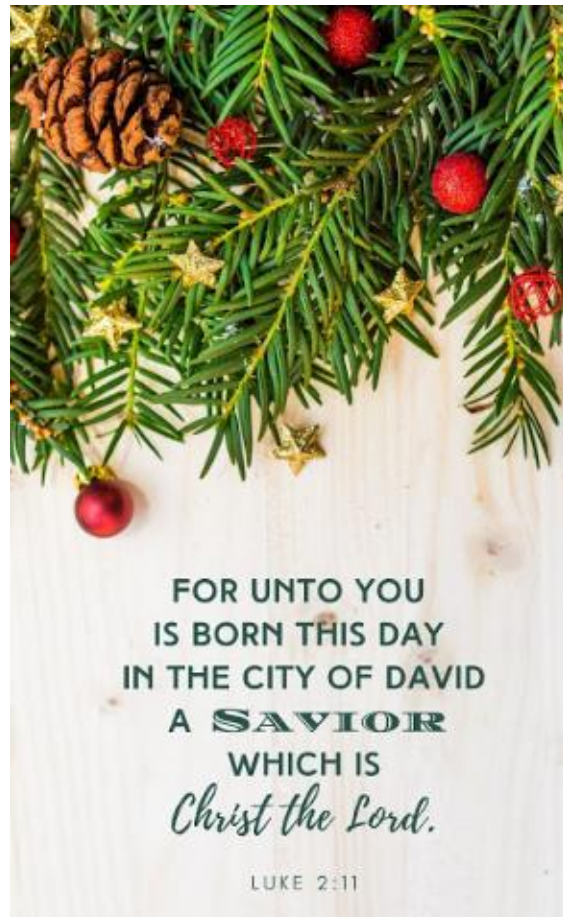
[WeTeachTruth.org](#)

## CONTACT US

**Main Office: 414-461-6000**

**Attendance Line: 414-461-6062**

\*Please note that due to the large volume of calls and activity in the attendance office, you may have to leave a message. Messages are checked often and the call will be handled accordingly.



## MLHS Chapel Spotify Playlist

### IMPORTANT DATES

**Winter Break: December 23 - January 3**

Have a wonderful, blessed Christmas and New Year!

**The office will be open December 26-27 and January 2-3, 8:00am-1:00pm.**

**Semester 2 Begins: January 6**

We resume our normal schedule. Welcome back!

**No School: January 20**

Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday



### IMPORTANT ATTENDANCE ANNOUNCEMENT

**A friendly reminder to our families:**

All attendance calls should be directed to 414-461-6062 to leave a voicemail. Due to the busy nature of the attendance office, voicemails are the best way to handle attendance matters.



Note, that all early releases require a 1-hour advance notice. **Any requests after 2pm will not be granted.** You may also email [attendance@milwaukeeelutheran.org](mailto:attendance@milwaukeeelutheran.org) before 2pm.

Thank you for your cooperation with this policy.

### UPDATED SCHOOL CALENDAR

MILWAUKEE  
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2024-2025  
CALENDAR

August 2024						
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School Hours: 8:00am-3:20pm  
 School Office: 7:30am-4:00pm  
 Telephone: 414.461.6000  
 Attendance: 414.461.6062  
 Fax: 414.461.2733  
 www.milwaukeeelutheran.org

- August**  
 14 New Teacher Orientation  
 15 Teachers Report  
 20 New Family Orientation  
 21 Returning Students (So/Jr/Sr)  
 22 Freshman Orientation  
 23 Firm Foundations  
 26 FIRST DAY OF CLASSES—All Students

- September**  
 2 Labor Day Holiday—NO SCHOOL

- October**  
 3 Open House  
 4 6 Week Progress Point  
 7-11 Homecoming Week  
 17 Parent-Teacher Conferences (PM)  
 18 Parent-Teacher Conferences (AM)  
 NO SCHOOL  
 23 Fall Testing (Fr/So/Jr), Seniors VIRTUAL (11:30 Dismissal)  
 24 Open House

- November**  
 1 Virtual Day All Students  
 4 Professional Development NO SCHOOL  
 5 Professional Development NO SCHOOL  
 15 12 Week Progress Point  
 27-29 Thanksgiving Holiday—NO SCHOOL
- December**  
 18-20 Final Exams (18/19 dismiss@11:10; 20 dismiss@10:05)  
 23-31 Christmas Break—NO SCHOOL

- January**  
 1-3 Christmas Break—NO SCHOOL  
 6 First Day of Second Semester  
 20 MLK Jr. Holiday—NO SCHOOL

- February**  
 7 Firm Foundations—VIRTUAL  
 14 6 Week Progress Point  
 17 Presidents' Day—VIRTUAL  
 27 Parent-Teacher Conferences (PM)  
 28 Parent-Teacher Conferences (AM)  
 NO SCHOOL

- March**  
 11 ACT Testing (Jr only), Fr/So/Sr VIRTUAL 12:25 dismissal  
 17-21 Spring Break—NO SCHOOL  
 28 Pre-ACT Testing Day (non-testing students VIRTUAL) 11:15 dismissal  
 31 Pre-ACT Testing Day (non-testing students VIRTUAL) 11:15 dismissal

- April**  
 4 12 Week Progress Point  
 18-21 Easter Holiday—NO SCHOOL

- May**  
 21-23 Final Exams (21/22 dismiss@11:10, 23 dismiss@10:05)  
 24 Graduation

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Green – Finals  
 Black – NO SCHOOL  
 Blue – Virtual (All Student)

## COLD WEATHER AND DISMISSAL



With cold weather quickly approaching, please be sure your students dress accordingly and be mindful of our dismissal policy.

School is regularly dismissed at 3:20 pm. Students not involved in after-school activities must report to the gym by 3:30 pm and wait for their rides inside the building or leave campus immediately. At 4:00 pm students must leave not only the school building, but also the campus itself. Students who can leave campus immediately at 3:20 should do so. Likewise, students who are driven home, drive home, or Uber home should also make every effort to leave campus as closely to 3:20 as possible.

## SEVERE WEATHER CLOSURE POLICY

If it is necessary to close school because of severe weather conditions, please watch for an MLHS email or text alert, if you opted-in the School Messenger Service. To opt in to receive text alerts type "Y" or "YES" to 67587.

Announcements will be made on local television (channels 4, 6 or 12). The web

sites [todaystmj4.com](http://todaystmj4.com), [fox6now.com](http://fox6now.com) and [wisn.com](http://wisn.com) will have a listing of all closings as well. When Milwaukee Public Schools close, Milwaukee Lutheran will automatically close. If MPS does not close, we may still do so. The lack of an announcement means that school **will** be operating.

If school remains open and you feel that streets are too hazardous, please contact the school attendance office, (414) 461-6062, to let us know if your child will be arriving late or not at all.



## HOW TO STAY IN-THE-KNOW

**School Website:** Our school website is [milwaukeeelutheran.org](http://milwaukeeelutheran.org). If you hover over "Current Families", most of the information you need can be found there.

**Red Knight News:** Our bi-weekly newsletter sent from Constant Contact, typically on Fridays.

**Daily Bulletin:** Our daily bulletin is posted on Schoology for all students each school day. Important announcements for the day/week are listed.

## CAFETERIA MENU

### *Breakfast/ Lunch Menu—January 2025*

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
6 ALL BEEF HAMBURGERS W/ CHEESE  BREAKFAST: FRENCH TOAST BREAKFAST SANDWICH	7 MEATBALLS IN BROWN GRAVY W/ MASHED POTATOES  BREAKFAST: EMPANADA & TREAT	8 BBQ CHICKEN SANDWICH W/ TATER TOTS  BREAKFAST: SCRAMBLED EGG PATTIES W/ SAUSAGE	9 HAM & CHEESE W/ GERMAN POTATO SALAD  BREAKFAST: PANCAKE WRAP W/ HASHBROWNS	10 SLICED PEPPE AND ASSORTE  BREAKFAST: P SAUSAGE PAT
13 MINI CORN DOGS W/ ASSORTED FRUITS & VEGGIES  BREAKFAST: BAGEL BREAKFAST SANDWICH	14 SPICY CHICKEN SANDWICH W/ POTATO SALAD  BREAKFAST: TOURNADOS AND CHURROS	15 CHILI & CHEESE HOT DOGS W/ FRITO CHIPS  BREAKFAST: BISCUITS AND JELLY W/ BOILED EGG	16 SPAGHETTI & MEATBALLS W/ GARLIC BREAD  BREAKFAST: CHEESE OMELETTE W/ HASHBROWNS	17 BAKED MACAR CHEESE W/ BC  BREAKFAST: F W/ SAUSAGES
20  NO SCHOOL	21 CHICKEN NUGGETS W/ DIPPING SAUCE & VEGGIES  BREAKFAST: EMPANADA & TREAT	22 BBQ BURGER W/ CHEESE AND ALL THE FIXINGS  BREAKFAST: SCRAMBLED EGG PATTIES W/ SAUSAGE	23 BAKED LASAGNA ROLL UPS W/ GARLIC BREAD AND VEGGIES  BREAKFAST: PANCAKE WRAP W/ HASHBROWNS	24 SLOPPY JOES CHIPS & FRUIT  BREAKFAST: P SCRAMBLED E
27 ALL BEEF HOT DOGS W/BBQ BEANS AND CHIPS  BREAKFAST: BAGEL BREAKFAST SANDWICH	28 MEATLOAF W/ PARSLEY BOILED POTATOES  BREAKFAST: TOURNADOS AND CHURROS	29 FRENCH BREAD PIZZA W/ FRUIT SALAD  BREAKFAST: BISCUITS & JELLY W/ BOILED EGG	30 COLD LUNCH SPECIAL W/ SPECIAL TREAT  BREAKFAST: CHEESE OMELETTE W/ HASHBROWNS	31 CHICKEN TENI DIPPING SAU  BREAKFAST: O ALL THE FIXIN

**CALLING ALL RED KNIGHT FAMILIES!**



## Attention 8th Grade Parents

Academic applications for the 2025-2026 school year are now open. Please create an account and apply to Milwaukee Lutheran High School. You can RSVP for one of our Open Houses, schedule a placement test, and schedule a shadow date. If you have any questions throughout this process, please contact Mr. Darnell Bennett at [dbennett@milwaukeeelutheran.org](mailto:dbennett@milwaukeeelutheran.org) or call 414-461-6000 ext. 283.

\*\*This academic application is only for new students and returning families do not need to complete this.

## BASKETBALL GAME ENTRY

Please note: Students, for admittance to ANY basketball game, boys or girls, your plastic ID and a pre-purchased ticket is required. If you do not bring your MLHS student ID you will not be able to enter the game. Skyward and/or Schoology will not allow you into the game.

### Softball Open Gyms

Softball Open Gyms will be in January on Tuesdays after school from 3:45pm - 5pm

## 2ND ANNUAL LUTHERAN NIGHT AT THE ADMIRALS

### Looking for a Fun Winter Break Activity?!

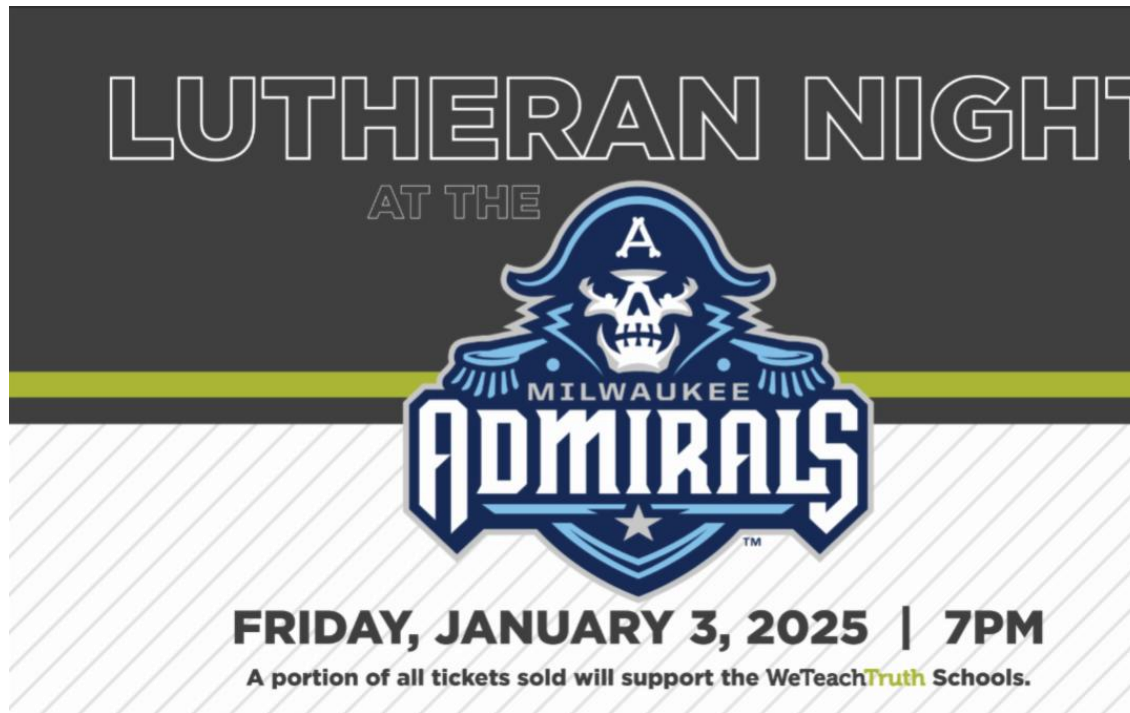
Join us for an exciting Milwaukee Admirals game on Friday, January 3rd, at the UW-Milwaukee Panther Arena!



Tickets are only \$25, and \$20 from each ticket goes directly to support our schools: Milwaukee Lutheran, Martin Luther, Lake Country Lutheran, Mount Calvary Lutheran, Trinity Lutheran Classical, and Our Redeemer Lutheran.

**Get Your Tickets Today!**

Don't miss this opportunity to support our schools while enjoying a night downtown!



## COUNSELING OPPORTUNITY



Milwaukee Lutheran is excited to partner with Lutheran Counseling and Family Services of Wisconsin for the upcoming school year! The purpose of this partnership is to provide Christian based therapy and counseling services to our students during the school day. LCFS and MLHS understand how difficult it can be to find quality therapy services that work with the school schedule. This opportunity to receive therapy and counseling within the school day hours helps both the family and the student.

Lutheran Counseling & Family Services of Wisconsin puts God's love into action by strengthening individuals, families and communities with professional mental

health, addiction and adoption services because every person deserves the opportunity to thrive.

LCFS does take most major insurance providers and will work diligently to find a payment option that works for everyone. Their goal is to eliminate any reason that a student would not be able to receive services.

For more information about the services or to sign your student up, please contact **Mr. Wylie** (414-461-6000 ext 223) or **Mrs. Sterling** (414-491-6000 ext 214).

Or for more information about LCFS, please visit their website directly at **<https://lcfswi.org/>**

## CHOICE INFORMATION MEETING



The Board of Directors meetings for Choice for Milwaukee Lutheran High School are coming up. Members of the governing body of our school will be present, and parents may meet and communicate with the members regarding

Choice.

The meetings will take place on the following dates:

Thursday November 21st, Martin Luther High School, 5:00pm

Tuesday January 21st, MLHS Red Knight Room 5:00pm

## YEARBOOK INFORMATION

Don't forget to purchase your yearbook! Yearbooks will be delivered in May with a spring supplement given out in the fall. To order, go to **Jostens.com** and search for Milwaukee Lutheran. Please contact **Miss Siebarth** if you have any questions about purchasing a yearbook. All other yearbook questions can be directed to **Ms. Olson**.





## YEARBOOK ADS

Senior Parents!

Senior Ads are available to be placed in the yearbook! You can purchase  $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}$ , or full page ads to recognize your graduating senior. Pages can be designed by yearbook staff with your words and pictures added in. Please contact Miss Siebarth at [msiebarth@milwaukeeelutheran.org](mailto:msiebarth@milwaukeeelutheran.org) for information.

## Parents and Guardians You can take advantage of our Text Messaging Service

Our school utilizes the SchoolMessenger system to deliver text messages, straight to your mobile phone with important information about events, school closings, safety alerts and more.

You can participate in this free service\* just by sending a text message of “Y” or “Yes” to our school’s short code number, **67587**.

You can also opt out of these messages at any time by simply replying to one of our messages with “**Stop**”.

SchoolMessenger is compliant with the Student Privacy Pledge™, so you can rest assured that your information is safe and will never be given or sold to anyone.



Opt-In from  
your mobile  
phone now!



Just send  
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to 67587

 *Information on SMS text messaging and Short Codes:*

*SMS stands for Short Message Service and is commonly referred to as a “text message”. Most cell phones support text messaging. Our notification provider, SchoolMessenger, uses a true SMS protocol developed by the telecommunications industry specifically for mass text messaging, referred to as “short code” texting. This method is secure and highly reliable because it is strictly regulated by the wireless carriers and only allows access to approve if you’ve ever sent a text vote for a TV show to a number like 46999, you have used short code texting.*



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