

The Eagle's Cry

April 28, 2016

Nurturing students spiritually, emotionally, and academically.

HOT LUNCH

Thursday– Chicken Fiesta Salad w/ Tortilla Chips, Pineapple, Cookie

Friday– Pizza, Carrots w/Ranch, Cookie

Monday– Hot Dog on a Bun, Chips, Pickles, Fruit

Tuesday– Chicken Fiesta Salad w/ Tortilla Chips, Pineapple, Cookie

Wednesday– Baked Pasta w/ Meat sauce, Salad, Garlic Bread, Fluff



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Principal's Pennings by Mrs. Arndt

It is Administrative Assistants Day as I write this. That made me think of the job descriptions for our administrative assistants, which might go something like this: Sort mail, screen visitors to the office, type as needed, answer the phone, handle registration procedures, make sure all school forms are turned in on time, disperse medications as dictated by law, assemble handbooks, etc.

As I watch Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Nyquist around the office, I think they are not aware of their job description. Now don't get me wrong! It's not that they are NOT doing their job, it is that they do MUCH MORE than the aforementioned job description. To them, the job description might read more like this, because these are the things I see them doing. Mop bathroom floors as

needed, unclog stools as needed, comfort children with scraped knees and splinters as needed, fix office machines if possible, run off papers for teachers, answer phones cheerily even though they've answered the same question ten times, determine when and if parents should be called over minor scrapes and bruises, cheerily say Happy Birthday and look hungry when children of all ages bring in birthday treats, play school nurse when appropriate, spread the Lysol when warranted, exterminate stray wasps, etc.

It was at an administrators' conference years ago that our head supervisor reminded all of us who the most important one in the office is, as they are the first link to the outside world.



It's not the administrator, but the administrative assistant! It's that person that gives those on the other end of the phone that first impression or glimpse into our Lutheran School!

On this, Administrative Assistant Day, we thank God we have competent, well liked, administrative assistants. Jen and Rhonda, we all thank God for you and your many talents. Thank you for all you do for Martin Luther Academy!

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LOOKING AHEAD

Apr. 28 – Spring Extravaganza

May 4 – Donuts for Dads

May 5 – 5-8, Nelson Art Gallery

May 12 – 2nd grade to Pony Express

May 12/13 – 7/8 Grade Class Trip

May 17 – Zoo, 5/6

May 17 – Nature Sanctuary, K/1

May 19 – 2/3/4 to Nelson Art Gallery

May 19 – Kindergarten and 8th Graduation

May 20 – Jump Rope for Heart

May 20 – Last Day of School

June 11– MLA Golf Tournament at Liberty Hills Golf, Liberty, MO at 1:00 pm

July 6-8 Basketball camp in the MLA gymnasium



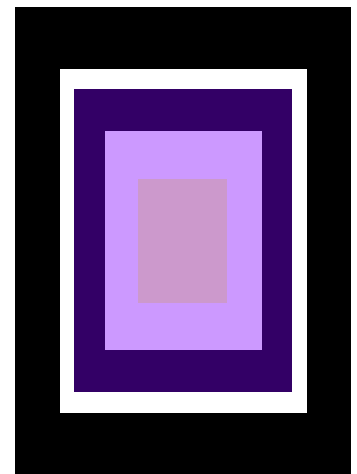
We had our first cross country meet of the season last Thursday. The athletes that competed were; Joshua Bean, Spencer Engle, Joey Engle, Caroline Hinrichs, McKenzie Bean and Rebekah Malone.

McKenzie and Joey placed in their divisions.

Our second track meet was the Alma Meet this past weekend. We had a great showing for this event. All of our athletes did a great job. Thank you for all of your support.

Our next cross country meet will be this Tuesday, May 3rd at Bethany Lutheran Church in Stillwell, KS. The more athletes

we have compete the more points we will be awarded toward the school trophy.

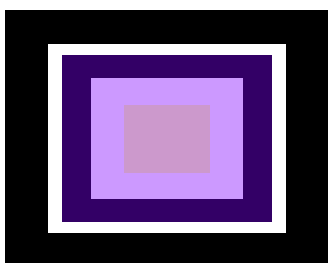


MLA is hosting a Basketball Camp July 6, 7, and 8. Pastor Calvin Kapels from St. Stephen Lutheran Church will lead the camp. The camp is open for all boys and girls in 1st – 8th grade.

- 1st – 4th boys and girls 10:00 am – 1 pm
- 12 pm – 1 pm Lunch/Bible Study
- 5th – 8th boys and girls 12 pm – 3 pm



- All moms who joined us for Muffins for Moms!
- The lower grade teachers, Mrs. Thompson, and Mrs. Schult for all your work on the Spring Extravaganza
- Everyone who came and helped sing at our Association Churches this past year.



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You are Invited to a Ladies May Day Tea

Please join us for a late afternoon of food, friends, faith, and fellowship. Grab an apron and bring your mother, daughters, neighbors, or other special ladies in your life for a spot of tea and a ton of fun! Prizes will be awarded for some of the best aprons!

Sunday, May 1– Doors open at 4:00 pm

Program by Anna Marie's Tea Shop at 4:20 pm

Meal at 5:00 pm

King of Kings Fellowship Hall

Tickets are \$10.00 for adults

\$5.00 for children (10 and under)

Tickets available at the door

Reservations can be made at kok.tuition@gmail.com

Proceeds benefit the king of Kings Tuition Assistance Committee

Donuts WITH DAD

DONUTS FOR DAD – May 4

7:30 am – 8:30 am Donut time

8:30 am – 9:00 am Chapel

You are invited to school for a little extra quality time with your kiddos! We look forward to seeing you here! (If Dad can't make it, invite Grandpa or a special friend to join!)



wikiHow

The Lutheran High School of Kansas City is hosting a Middle School Dance on Saturday, May 7 from 6:30 pm to 9:00 pm and all 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students are invited. Please contact Lucy Kettler at 816-241-5478 for more details.

A Trip through American History
Kindergarten through fourth grades will present the Spring Program tonight at 6:30 p.m. in the gym. Being that 2016 is an election year, the teachers chose to prepare a program about our great country. Join us for an evening of skits, recitations, readings and songs that will take you on a journey through some of our nation's history. Performing students are to be in their seats at 6:15 dressed in their solid red, white, or blue top with dress code bottoms. We give a special thank you to Mrs. Joy Schult for sharing her gift of piano accompanist.



The Spring Book Fair is a buy one– get one free. Purchases can be made both before and after school. The Fair started on Wednesday, April 27 and Friday, April 29 will be the last day.

If you are looking for a way to help out your child's classroom– look for the yellow and red "wish list" display near the register. You can pick out one of the desired books and gift them to the classroom.