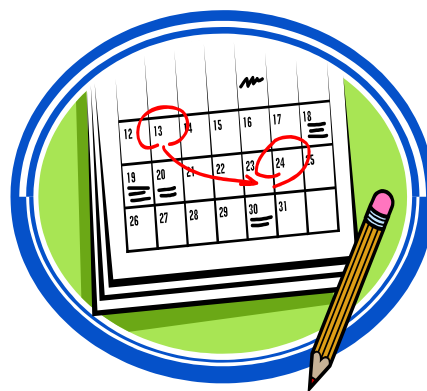


HIGHLIGHTS

- Mark your Calendars
 - Academic Rally, March 28th
 - WLAE Tuition Auction, March 30th
 - LHS Nights at Area Restaurants
 - State Literary Rally, April 5th
 - ACT Prep Workshop, April 6th
 - Apply now for Next Year
- Mission Trip forms
- Service Hour Opportunity
- Junior/Senior Prom
- Freshmen Class Bake Sale
- Sports
- ACT



21st ANNUAL ACADEMIC RALLY – REMINDER

Thanks to everyone who volunteered to help with the Academic Rally this Saturday, March 29th. We have 291 participants registered! How exciting! Just a reminder that LHS students are to arrive by 9:00 a.m. and should finish shortly after 1:30 p.m. Student volunteers are expected to wear their school uniform or may receive permission from Ms. Loughmiller to wear other clothing supporting LHS – i.e. a cheerleading uniform, a sports jersey, a music polo, etc. School pants/skirts and school shoes must be worn! Student volunteers will earn service hours. Please contact Ms. Loughmiller if you have any additional questions (mloughmiller@lutheranhighschool.net).

WLAE TUITION AUCTION REMINDER – SUNDAY, MARCH 30TH at 7:45 p.m. (time approximate)

Lutheran High is once again participating in the WLAE Tuition Auction. This community outreach program is used by WLAE to help promote area schools. The auction is scheduled for Sunday, March 30th. Our live interview segment will air at approximately 7:45 p.m. See the attached WLAE flyer for more information about the auction.

APPLICATION FORMS FOR 2014-2015

The application form for the 2014-2015 school year is now ready. You can either download and print one from the school website, or call the office to have one sent home with your child. *We need an application form filled out by all returning students.* The application fee for tuition-paying students is \$225 and should accompany the application form when it is returned to the office.

THANKS

A great big “thank you” to all the students, parents, board and faculty members, and friends of LHS who helped with the Gryphon Gala last Saturday. It was a tremendous undertaking and we couldn’t have done it without you. Tuition does not cover all the expenses of running the school, so your help and cheerful attitudes make it all worthwhile! We give a shout out to the Gala chairperson, Mrs. Arlene Jones, and to her trusty assistant, Mrs. Percy Russo, as well as to all the members of the Gala Committee.

LHS NIGHT AT AREA RESTAURANTS

Thursday, April 3rd - Reginelli’s (4529 Clearview Pkwy. – just north of West Esplanade on the right) - 10% will be donated to LHS if you simply write the name of our school on your dinner receipt – dine in, delivery or take-out! Why not pick up a pizza on your way home!

SMILEAMAZON GIVING 5% BACK

Now, through March 31st, Smileamazon.com will be donating 5% back to Lutheran High from your purchases. If you plan to purchase anything in the immediate future, please do it now. Simply go to www.smileamazon.com and designate Lutheran High School as your charity. Thanks.

STATE LITERARY RALLY

The State Literary Rally will be held at LSU in Baton Rouge on Saturday, April 5th for the following students who qualified from the district rally. These students have received instructions this past week.

- 12th Grade Zayda Carcamo – Financial Math – 2nd place - State
 Lindsey Carroll – Civics – 2nd place - State
 Alexa Heltz – Advanced Math – 1st place - State
 Kaelin Waterman – English IV – 3rd place - State
- 11th Grade Michael Boleware – U. S. History – 2nd place - State
 Jared Drew – Chemistry – 3rd place - State
 Linda Nguyen – Spanish II – 2nd place - State
 Colt Schmidt – Physics – 2nd place - State
 Gracian Zenon – English III – 1st place - State
- 10th Grade Destiny Gautreaux – English II – 3rd place - State
 Nick Lawson – Biology – 2nd place - State
 Ethan Ortiz – World History – 1st place - State
 Harley Rihner – Spanish I – 3rd place - State
 Jessica Waddell – Algebra II – 3rd place - State
- 9th Grade Annelise Batte – English I – 2nd place - State
 Trenton Williams – Physical Science – 2nd place – State

ACT PREP WORKSHOP

There is an ACT Prep Workshop – Sunday, April 6, 2014, 2-4 p.m., UNO, Milneburg Hall, Room 165. To register go to http://www.uno.edu/admissions/event_registration.aspx

SERVICE CLUB FOOD DRIVE

Start shopping now, the Service Club Food Drive begins on Monday, April 7th! The themes for the days have been chosen based on those items most needed by the Second Harvest Food Bank.

Milk Monday (4/7) – (evaporated milk, dry milk, or boxed shelf-stable milk)

Tuna Tuesday (4/8) – (canned tuna fish)

Wheat Wednesday (4/9) – (cereal, pasta, crackers, rice, or healthy snacks)

Fruit Friday (4/11) – (apple sauce, canned fruits in juices, or dried fruit (raisins, banana chips, etc.))

Each can/container of a themed item will earn 5 points. Other canned items (i.e. canned vegetables, soups, etc.) will earn 2 points. Packages of macaroni and cheese or ramen noodles will earn 1 point each. All items for the class challenge must be brought to school by the end of the day on Friday, April 11th. The food will be delivered to Second Harvest the following week. The winner of the class challenge will win a “Food for Food” lunch. A special lunch brought in just for their class to enjoy! Let’s collect for a good cause as we enjoy Student Council Week!

Just a reminder that items past their expiration date will **NOT** be accepted. Also, **NO** glass containers.

MISSION TRIP NEWS

All students intending on attending the mission trip to Camp Penuel, USA this summer must have all permission forms and deposits turned in to Mr. Taylor no later than Thursday, April 3rd.

DEADLINE TO SIGN UP WITH METAIRIE BANK

For the last couple of years our parents have been given the opportunity to finance the school tuition through Metairie Bank. June 20th is the deadline to apply for the 10-month loan. If you are interested in the 9-month loan, the deadline date is July 18th. We would appreciate it if you would send your school application and fee to the office **before** you apply to Metairie Bank so that we will have an accurate count of students for next year. Parents who currently have a tuition loan will be sent the forms to sign and return to Metairie Bank.

SERVICE HOUR OPPORTUNITY – ST. JOHN AUCTION (APRIL 5th)

On Saturday, April 5th St. John Lutheran School is hosting their annual Blackboards and Blue Jeans auction. Monies from this event will be used for technology in the 7th grade classroom which is being added in 2014-2015. Ms. Loughmiller, who is a member of the St. John School Board, is looking for student volunteers to help with this event. Students would work in pairs and serve “tastes” of some well-known dishes provided by local New Orleans restaurants. Students will earn service hours. Students need to be at St. John (3937 Canal St, New Orleans, LA) by 6:00 p.m. and will finish no later than 10:00 p.m. If enough students are interested from the Metairie/Kenner area, Ms. Loughmiller will coordinate transportation from LHS. The dress for the evening is a white shirt with black pants or nice blue jeans. Comfortable shoes should be worn (*NO* tennis shoes). A sign-up sheet is posted outside of Ms. Loughmiller’s room. Parents/guardians with questions should contact Ms. Loughmiller at (mloughmiller@lutheranhighschool.net).

STUDENT COUNCIL WEEK

Student Council will be hosting its annual Student Council week April 7th - 11th. Each day of the week is accompanied by a themed dress-down day, class competitions at lunch, and our crawfish boil. Themed dress-down days are free and the cost of the crawfish boil will be announced next week after we get an updated price per pound. This is always a fun week for the students.

LUTHERAN HIGH PROM – “Jackson Square Masquerade”

The Lutheran High prom will be held Saturday, May 3rd from 8:00 – 11:00 p.m. at the Hilton Riverside in downtown New Orleans (Poydras at the River). The prom is open to Lutheran High juniors and seniors and their dates! The ticket price will be finalized next week and tickets will go on sale Monday, April 7th. Remember that a prom guest pass form will need to be completed for dates who are not Lutheran High students. The form must be returned to Ms. Loughmiller by Wednesday, April 30th. Dress guidelines and the prom guest pass will be attached to the parent e-mail next week. Please contact Ms. Loughmiller if you have any immediate questions (mloughmiller@lutheranhighschool.net).

SPORTS COLLAGE PHOTOS BY KEN REDLER PHOTOGRAPHY

If your child participated in volleyball, soccer, basketball or cheerleading, be sure to check out the poster collages on view in the LHS hallway near the office. Thanks to Ken Redler Photography for creating these displays. If you are interested in purchasing a copy or viewing other photos he may have on file, you may contact him directly at ken_1@bellsouth.net.

FRESHMEN CLASS BAKE SALE

The Freshmen Class will begin their fundraising effort by holding a bake sale on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month. Students have signed up for the Tuesday of their choice, and they are expected to bring in homemade items or something store-bought – cupcakes, cookies, cakes, donuts, etc. No bag cookies or donuts, please. Students that do not participate by bringing in items will be assessed dues of \$5 for the month. Thank you for your help in this endeavor.



TRACK UNDERWAY



Track practice is in full effect everyday after school from 3:45 - 5:30 p.m. Our first meet will be coming up next Friday, April 4th at St. Martin, it has yet to be announced if this is varsity only or JV and varsity. Thank you to everyone for getting your order forms in on time for the fundraiser, it looks like we sold enough items to reach the goal to receive money back for each item sold.

ACT 2013-2014 TEST DATES

Registration must be completed online at www.act.org. Lutheran High is a test center and is available for all six (6) test dates. Students needing accommodations should contact Ms. Rost and begin the application process as soon as possible.

For more information, refer to the ACT website.

Test Date (Saturdays)	Early Registration (last day for)	Late Registration (last day for)	Standby Registration (last day for)
April 12, 2014			Fri., April 4
June 14, 2014	Fri., May 9	Fri., May 23	Mon., June 6

NOTE: Students should plan to take the ACT no later than April of their junior year.