



## EGLS MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWS

February 1, 2019

### upcoming events

Congratulations to EGLS' new principal Ms. Heather Corn! At a special meeting between services last Sunday, the Voters' Assembly unanimously voted to offer the appointment of principal of the day school to Ms. Corn. This removes the "interim" designation from her title, and makes her EGLS' new "permanent" principal. We rejoice in God's grace and thank Him for delivering a new principal for the day school, and wish Heather God's blessings as she continues in her role.

**ROOM SCHEDULING** Please remember to reserve any rooms that you would like to use with Linda Haut. Whether it be the CLC, Fellowship Hall, gym or any other room in the building before you advertise your event please make sure you talk with Linda and she will let you know whether the room is available and will then reserve it for you.



Hola amigos! Spanish Club will meet the following days from 3:30-4:15 PM:

Wednesday, February 6th

Wednesday, February 20th

Wednesday, February 27th

Wednesday, March 6th

Wednesday, March 13th

The club is being led by Jamie Krueger, with the help of Ms. Corn. If you have any questions please email Jamie at [21kruegj@elmbrookstudents.org](mailto:21kruegj@elmbrookstudents.org), or Ms. Corn at [hcorn@egl.org](mailto:hcorn@egl.org)



**MS STUDENTS OF THE MONTH** have been decided **for December**.

The following students were nominated for the category of Christian Leadership: Alayna Kurozawa(5), Pierce Marriott(5), Brett Owen(5), Peyton Laedtke(6), and Madeline Hedtke(8).

***Our Middle School Student of the Month for Christian Leadership is Alayna Kurozawa(5).***

The following students were nominated for the category of Academic Achievement: Emily Andrew(5), Bridgette DuBois(6), Lizzie Ky(7), Jacob Rentmaster(7), Taylor Owen(7), Madeline Hedtke(8), Matthew Stoll(8), and Isabela Kurozawa(8).

***Our Middle School Student of the Month for Academic Achievement is Taylor Owen(7).***

Congratulations to all of our nominees, and especially Alayna and Taylor! Stop by the middle school hallway to see the plaques.

**SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR** We will be having a "Dino-mite Book Fair" from February 28-March 7. Please watch for information coming home in the next few weeks about hours the fair will be open, as well as opportunities to volunteer and help out with the fair before, during, and after it is here. We will also have an online fair open from February 21-March 6. If you have questions or would like to help, please contact Deb Margrett at [dmargrett@egl.org](mailto:dmargrett@egl.org).



**GEOGRAPHY BEE** The Geography Bee took place last Friday, 1-25. Congratulations to our school champions: Madeline Hedtke (8) first place, Brady Stamm (8) second place and Parker Marriott (8) third place. Madeline has taken the test and we will find out in a few weeks how she did.

**MS BOOK CLUB** We will be meeting on Thursday, February 21 during lunch to talk about the book "Hatchet" by Gary Paulsen. If you cannot find the book at your local library, check out the school library or talk to Mrs. Margrett.

**GOLF OUTING:** Mark your calendars...the EGL Golf Outing, Dinner, and Auction will be here before you know it! The early bird registration is open. Forms went home last week with your children and more forms are available in the office. Plan to join us for this fun event! Contact Pam Ganswindt at [pganswindt@egl.org](mailto:pganswindt@egl.org) if you have any questions!



## ATHLETICS

**Basketball:** The 4-6 Girls have practice next Monday, Feb 4th, from 5:15-6:45pm and Thursday, Feb 7th, after school from 3:30-5pm. They play HOME next Tues vs Our Redeemer at 4:30pm and AT Hales Corners next Friday at 4:30pm. Contact Head Coach Tracy Owen - [incredimomof3@gmail.com](mailto:incredimomof3@gmail.com) - with any team-specific questions.

The 4/5/6 Boys have practice next Monday, Jan 23rd, and Wednesday, Jan 30th, after school from 3:30-5pm. They play HOME next Tues vs Our Redeemer at 5:30pm and AT Hales Corners next Friday at 5:30pm. Contact Head Coach Chris Words - [cwordssr@gmail.com](mailto:cwordssr@gmail.com) - or Team Mom Jen Setzer - [jennifersetzer126@gmail.com](mailto:jennifersetzer126@gmail.com) - with any team-specific questions.

7/8 Boys DO NOT practice next Tuesday due to the 4-6 games after school. They play AT Beautiful Savior-Waukesha vs Zion at 5:30pm next Wed, Feb 6th, and practice next Thursday from 3:30-5pm. Contact Head Coach Ryan Stamm - [rstamm@georgewebb.com](mailto:rstamm@georgewebb.com) - with any team-specific questions.

EGL 7th graders Lizzie Ky & Taylor Owen, playing on the Immanuel-Brookfield 7/8 girls team, play next Wednesday, Feb 6th, at Beautiful Savior at 6:30pm (right after our 7/8 boys).

**Concessions:** *HELP!!!* Please click [HERE](#) to volunteer a little of your time selling concessions at our home games!

The **Wildcat Calendar of Events** can be accessed through your [Fast Direct account](#). Once logged in, click the PLANNER button and scroll down to Mr. Paukner's Calendar.

## CLASSROOM NEWS

**5th Grade Class:** National Lutheran Schools Week is next week. Don't forget to wear your flannel/plaid on Monday and your school t-shirt on Tuesday. We will be enjoying field trips on both days! We are in unit 3 in Religion class. We are memorizing various bible passages for memory. Have a wonderful weekend! *Mrs. Eivers*

**6th Grade Class:** What a crazy week. We were able to enjoy going to Milwaukee Lutheran and participating in the Kids Heart Challenge on Tuesday. We also enjoyed high interest day today. **Memory:** The Lord's Prayer for Tuesday, 2-5 and Introduction to the Lord's Prayer for Thursday, 2-7.

**7th Grade Class:** Check out the [7th grade](#) class page on the EGL website to find our daily schedule, worship notes, computer curriculum, and all of our Spelling lists for the year. Have a great weekend! *Mrs. Paukner*

**8th Grade Class:** \* What a crazy week we had with all the days off due to weather. I can't remember the last time something like this occurred. Times like this sure force us to remember that God is in charge of all things.\* I sent an email home regarding the Spirit Tournament Bake Sale that is hosted by the eighth grade class. A paper copy of the forms was given to your child on Friday as well. Please send back the page indicating times you and your child can work at the sales table during the tournament. Families that bring in home made goods and work a table shift will share in the profits. Forms are due by Friday, February 8, please. \*Make sure you do some work and research for your science fair project this weekend. Science Fair is just five weeks away! A new packet of information was given to your child this week. Make sure you look at it with your child. *Mrs. Weymier*

## COMPUTER

**5th Grade:** We are working in Typing.com on improving our words per minute and accuracy.

**6th Grade:** We will be using a website to make a poster about Martin Luther King Jr.

**7th Grade:** We will be working on the lesson "Research and Develop a Topic" in the coming days.

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## LANGUAGE ARTS/SPELLING

**5th Grade:** We are reviewing different parts of speech and will begin working on public speaking.. We are in lesson 18 for spelling. Practice is due on Thursday and the test will be on Friday.

**6th Grade:** We will be starting a writing project. **Spelling:** Unit 20 has been assigned. Test 1 is Monday, 2-4. Test 2 and the bookwork are due on Thursday, 2-7.

**7th Grade:** We will begin Chapter 14 on prepositional and verb phrases next week. The Unit 22 Spelling test will be on Monday and the worksheets/rewrites are due on Wednesday. Find our Spelling lists/schedule on the 7th grade page on [www.egl.org](http://www.egl.org).

**8th Grade: Chapter 12 - VAPCI** We have finished our current grammar chapter covering verbs, adverbs, prepositions, conjunctions and interjections. We will do some chapter review next week. Test is rescheduled for Thursday, February 7. **Spelling:** Unit 25 has been assigned. Test 1 is on Monday, 2-4. Test 2 and the bookwork are due on Wednesday, 2-6. Please help your child remember to work on those spelling words for the week so that he/she is prepared for test 1. Volunteer to give them a practice test or two before Monday.

## LITERATURE — MRS. ELVERS

**5th Grade:** We are finishing **Number The Stars**.

**6th Grade:** We are starting our next novel **Old Yeller**.

**7th Grade:** We are starting our next novel **Wrinker**.

**8th Grade:** We are finishing the novel **Don't Give Up; Don't Give In**.

## MATHEMATICS — MS. CORN

**5th Grade Math:** We will finished with Chapter 4 with a test today. Next week we will only have class on Wednesday and Thursday due to NLSW activities. We will begin our chapter on Data Collection and reporting by exploring various types of graphs.

**6th Grade Math:** We continued with Chapter 6 this week. This chapter focuses on ratios and proportions. We will also look at percents, fractions, and decimals. Next week we will only have class on 3 days due to various NLSW activities.

**7th Grade Math:** We continued with Chapter 6 this week. This chapter explores percents, fractions, and decimals. Next week we will only have class on 2 days due to various NLSW activities.

**7th Grade Pre-Algebra:** We finished with chapter 6 with a test today. Next week we will only have class on 3 days due to various NLSW activities.

**8th Grade Math:** We continued with Chapter 6 this week. This chapter explores percents, fractions, and decimals. Next week we will only have class on 2 days due to various NLSW activities.

**8th Algebra:** We will continue with Chapter 7 next week which explores solving systems of equations. We will move into Linear Inequalities and solving systems of Linear Inequalities next week. Next week we will only have class on 2 days due to various NLSW activities.

## SCIENCE — MRS. WEYMIER

**Elm Grove Lutheran is having a  
Science Fair in March!  
Paperwork was sent home on Friday, November 30.**

**Entry forms were due on Tuesday, January 8 along with  
the procedure information for your experiment.  
Science Fair display boards are available for purchase from  
Mrs. Weymier. The cost is \$2.50 per board.**

**5th Grade: *Unit E Chapter 1 - Properties of Matter*** We have been covering the states of matter and how matter changes from one state to another. Make sure you are reviewing all of the new vocabulary. We are doing a chromebook activity next week. Students will be given the chapter vocabulary list so that they can start studying.

**6th Science: *Unit B - Types of Plants*** Angiosperm plants have flowers and produce fruits. We have quite a bit of new vocabulary to do as we are covering the parts of a flower. Make sure you review the vocabulary nightly. Next week we will cover monocots, dicots, perfect flowers, imperfect flowers and seed formation.

**7th Grade: *Chapter 9 - Motion*** This new chapter covers motion, speed, velocity, and acceleration. Calculators are recommended for the formula work. There is an experiment in this chapter that uses skateboards. Please have your child bring in a skateboard from home if he/she has one. Extra credit will be given for those that come to school. Make sure you have a straightedge and sharpened pencil for class as we will be doing some graphing.

**8th Grade: Chapter 16 - Nutrition and the Digestive System** We are almost done with this chapter. Students got a chapter vocabulary list last week. Quiz over the vocabulary has been rescheduled for Thursday, February 7. Test is rescheduled for Monday, February 11. If you are still planning on bringing in your extra credit nutrition food, the last day for that is Monday, February 11. Next chapter covers the circulatory system.

## **SOCIAL STUDIES — MISS LINDHOLM**

**5th Grade Geography:** Our new chapter is over the Tropical North.

**6th Grade World History:** We learned about Greek philosophers like Socrates, Aristotle, and Plato.

**7th Grade American History:** We discussed how the Continental Army survived the Winter of 1778. We also learned how other countries helped the colonies out.

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## **PE — MRS. PAUKNER**

We will begin basketball next week.

The 5th & 6th grade Health class will continue Chapter 7 on Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs, while 7th & 8th grade Health classes will continue Chapter 6 on violence and injury prevention next week.

**REMINDER:** If your child is unable to participate or requires limited participation in physical education, they **MUST** have one of the following:

1. Have a signed note from a parent excusing them from class.
2. Have an email sent to Mrs. Paukner ([lpaukner@egl.org](mailto:lpaukner@egl.org)) by 12:30 pm of that school day.
3. Have a parent stop in to see Mrs. Paukner before school that morning, if available.

## **MUSIC — MRS. MAROSE**

**Middle School Choir will sing on Sunday, Feb. 10 at the 10:45 a.m. service.  
Arrival time is 10:25 in the Music Center  
Wear choir attire.**

## **PERFORMANCE GROUPS**

**Band:** The next two events to add to your personal and family calendars are Spirit Tournament Pep Band (Feb 14th & 15th) and Solo/Ensemble Festival (Mar 2nd @ Martin Luther HS).

Individual lessons are divided between Wednesdays and Thursdays, so please continue to contact Mrs Bessert - [kbessert@egl.org](mailto:kbessert@egl.org) - if you know of a planned absence, so your child's lesson isn't scheduled at that time. Feel free to contact me - [spaukner@egl.org](mailto:spaukner@egl.org) - with any other comments, questions, or concerns. *Mr. Paukner*

**Hosanna Ringers (5th grade): Great job on Sunday!!!** You can be very proud of the progress you have made! Mad Minute on Wed., Feb. 6- it never hurts to study. We will begin working on two new pieces next week.

**Jubilate Ringers (6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grades): Great job on Sunday!!!** One of the Exultate Ringers commented that you are going to "put them out of business!" Mad Minute on Tuesday, Feb. 5. New music will be coming regularly as we begin preparing for worship services and the Spring Fling.

**Orchestra:** Make-up lessons on Monday, Feb. 4. Please check your email for the schedule. February 10th at 4:00 pm there will be a brief solo recital in the music center- arrival time 3:45. Please wear your Sunday attire- no choir attire required. We chose our pieces at lessons and students should be practicing them everyday. Check your email for practice suggestions. Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns. Sincerely, Mrs. Behring [kbehring@egl.org](mailto:kbehring@egl.org)

## ART — MRS. GRELK




**5th Grade:** There is no Sketch assignment.

**6th Grade:** There is no Sketch assignment.

**7th Grade:** There is no Sketch assignment.

**8th Grade:** There is no Sketch assignment.

## HIGH SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

 <b>LAKE COUNTRY LUTHERAN</b> HIGH SCHOOL							
 <b>MARTIN LUTHER</b> HIGH SCHOOL							
 <b>MILWAUKEE LUTHERAN</b> HIGH SCHOOL	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Track Coaches Needed:</u></p> <p>Milwaukee Lutheran High School is in need of coaches for the following positions. Each of these positions carries a stipend. Please contact Jerad Luedtke (<a href="mailto:Jluedtke@MilwaukeeLutheran.org">Jluedtke@MilwaukeeLutheran.org</a> or 414-461-6000 ext. 208) if you are interested, or know of someone who might be.</p> <table><tr><td>Head Boys Track Coach</td><td>March 4-June 1</td></tr><tr><td>Head Girls Track Coach</td><td>March 4-June 1</td></tr><tr><td>Assistant Track Coaches (both boys and girls)</td><td>March 4-June 1</td></tr></table> <p><b>If you have a family member or friend who is planning to apply to be a freshmen for the 2019- 2020 school year, please note that our online applications are open. You can apply online at <a href="http://www.milwaukeeelutheran.org">www.milwaukeeelutheran.org</a>. Click on the Admissions tab at the top and then "Get Started." Scroll down and click "Apply Now." A placement test is also required of each applicant. Placement tests are being offered on Saturday, November 17, December 15, January 19, February 16 or March 9. All exams are from 8:30am-12:00pm and cost \$20 in cash. Please call or email Debbie Janke to register at <a href="mailto:djanke@milwaukeeelutheran.org">djanke@milwaukeeelutheran.org</a> or 414-461-6000 ext. 253.</b></p>	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
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	<p><b>Attention 5-8 th grade girls basketball players: You are invited to come cheer on our Lady Red Knights during our youth night game (against Greendale) on Friday, January 25th beginning at 7:15pm.</b></p>
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