

EGLS MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWS

April 26, 2019

upcoming Events

Next Box Top Collection Sheets are due Tuesday, May 14th, Prize Day is Wednesday May 15th. Anyone that has donated box tops throughout the year will receive a special frozen treat on the 15th.

April 29, 2019 is the next Parent Listening Session 6:30 PM in the CLC.

USHER SCHEDULE:

Saturday, April 27 (5:30 p.m.) Jacob Rentmaster
Sunday, April 28 (8:00 a.m.) Lizzie Ky and Parker Marriott
Sunday, April 28 (10:45 a.m.) Jacob Boudro and Seth Williams
Saturday, May 4 (5:30 p.m.) Brandon Scepanski
Sunday, May 5 (8:00 a.m.) Tim Diven and Luke Wilinski
Sunday, May 5, Confirmation Sunday, (10:45 a.m.) Sophia Handrich and Ben Krueger

2019-2020 REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN Registration is open on Fast Direct. Please log into your family account to register for next school year. It is a simple one click per child. Please also be mindful of the annual non refundable registration fee (per student) for next school year. They are as follows:

- Between April 13, 2019 and May 31, 2019 \$150.00 per student
- After June 1, 2019 \$250.00 per student
- Anytime for new families \$75.00 per student

We request registration fees be paid to EGL by check unless you request to have your registration fee billed to you via TADS. If you would like you to be billed through TADS please email your request to Amy Stroh.

If you are a family that is participating in the Private School Choice Program these above amounts do not apply to you. However, we do ask that you please re register in Fast Direct for next school year as well as through the Private School Choice Application at https://apps4.dpi.wi.gov/ChoiceParent/ and provide EGL with the required verification documents.

If you have any questions or need help with your Fast Direct login please contact Amy Stroh in the school office (astroh@egl.org) or 262-797-2970.

EGL Nomination Committee is seeking candidates for the upcoming annual board elections. If you are interested in serving on the Boards of Elders, Education, Evangelism, Finance, Stewardship or Trustees please contact Congregation President Mark Ewert at 262.366.2773 or mcewert@gmail.com.



3rd Quarter Honor Roll

PRINCIPAL'S HONOR ROLL - 3.85-4.0

7th Grade: Taylor Owen 8th Grade: Madeline Hedtke

HIGH HONOR ROLL – 3.69–3.84 5th Grade: Alayna Kurozawa 7th Lizzie Ky 8th Grade: Ben Krueger

HONOR ROLL - 3.60-3.69 5th Grade: Emily Andrew

8th Grade: Nick Daws and Parker Marriott

MS BOOK CLUB will meet on Wednesday, May 15 during lunch. Please read a suspense book and be ready to come and talk about it!

CAMP WILDCAT IS COMING!! EGL will be hosting a summer camp offering arts & crafts, athletics, literacy, games/computer skills, music/drama, and the sciences for K4-Gr. 8 students. REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN! Please contact the office for a registration form. IF YOU ARE PLANNING TO SIGN YOUR CHILD(REN) UP, THE DEADLINE TO REGISTER IS MAY 10TH. IN ORDER TO HAVE THE CAMP THIS SUMMER WE NEED A MINIMUM OF 25 PARTICIPANTS. AS OF RIGHT NOW WE ONLY HAVE 7 PARTICIPANTS SIGNED UP. WE WOULD LOVE TO HAVE THE CAMP THIS SUMMER, HOWEVER WE NEED ENOUGH PARTICIPANTS TO SUPPORT IT. THANK YOU!

CARPOOL HELP NEEDED! We have an EGL school family that needs assistance with transportation to and from school. They live near 68th and Capitol and are willing to help pay for gas. Please contact the office if you are able to help.

MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS OF THE MONTH have been decided for March.



The following students were nominated for the category of Christian Leadership: Emily Andrew(5), Alayna Kurozawa(5), Pierce Marriott(5), Sarah Stroh(5), Andy Elvers(5), Brett Owen(5), Thomas Hipke(8), Ben Krueger(8), Parker Marriott(8), Isabela Kurozawa(8), Jacob Nelson(8), Taylor Owen(7), Sophie Handrich(7), and Lizzie Ky(7).

Our Middle School Student of the Month for Christian Leadership is Emily Andrew(5).

The following students were nominated for the category of Academic Achievement: Kailey Boudro(5), Sarah Stroh(5), Lexi Hoppe(5) Emily Andrew(5), Alayna Kurozawa(5), Pierce Marriott(5), Nick Daws(8), Thomas Hipke(8), Ben Krueger(8), Matthew Stoll(8), Isabela Kurozawa(8), Jacob Nelson(8), Madeline Hedtke(8). Taylor Owen(7), Brandon Scepanski(7), Tristen Ely(5), Ella Donath(6), and Hannah Seymour(6)

Our Middle School Student of the Month for Academic Achievement is Ben Krueger(8).

Congratulations to all of our nominees, **and especially Emily and Ben**! Stop by the middle school hallway to see the plaques.

GOLF OUTING: Mark your calendars...the EGL Golf Outing, Dinner, and Auction is on May 17! Registration is now open and forms are available in the office. Plan to join us for this fun event! Contact Pam Ganswindt at pganswindt@egl.org if you have any questions!

TRACK & FIELD DAY: The 41st annual Track & Field Day will be Monday, May 13th. Volunteer forms are due on Wednesday, May 1st. You can also volunteer through the <u>Sign Up Genius</u> page. We are still in need of many volunteers to make this day a success!

ATHLETICS



Eligibility: An academic check will take place when teachers finalize Mid-Quarter grades **this weekend.** Continued participation in Soccer and attendance at the MLESAA Track Meet may be affected.

Soccer: Uniforms were assigned and handed out. Please remember that after washing, uniform tops & bottoms with printing *can not* go in the dryer; they must hang or lay flat to dry. Only shorts without the paw print may be machine dried.

CONGRATULATIONS on a victory over St Martini! Goals were scored by Ben Krueger (3 - hat trick!), Thomas Hipke (2), Parker Marriott, & Brady Stamm. Practice will take place next Monday, April 29th, and the next HOME match is Wednesday, May 1st, at 4:15pm, vs Our Father's. Contact Coach Hipke - rhipke1@gmail.com - directly with soccer-specific questions.

Track & Field: VOLUNTEERS are needed for the 41st Annual Track & Field Day on Monday, May 13th. See above section for details! Track meet dates and maps can be found in the PE/Health section.

The **Wildcat Calendar of Events** can be accessed through your <u>Fast Direct account</u>. Once logged in, click the PLANNER button and scroll down to Mr. Paukner's <u>Calendar</u>.

CLASSROOM NEWS

5th Grade Class: We finished our Forward Exams this week. The mid-quarter ends today, and grades will be sent home on Wednesday. **Religion:** We will begin Family Life Education. Please check out the book and form sent home with your student today. I plan on starting the lessons on Tuesday. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to email or call me. **Memory:** We are memorizing well-known bible verses. Have a wonderful weekend! *Mrs. Elvers*

6th Grade Class: We finished our Forward Exams this week. Midquarter ends today, reports will be sent home on Wednesday, May 1. **Memory:** Which are these? for Tuesday, 4-30 and What is the Office of the Keys? for Thursday, 5-2.

7th Grade Class: Next week begins May already! Make sure to keep reading the newsletters to keep up with all of May's exciting events. 8th grade's Confirmation Public Exam is on Tuesday at 7 pm. It's a great way to get a sneak peek for next year. 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*

* Next week will wrap up the Forward exam for anyone that missed a test session. * Today marks the fourth quarter midquarter. Reports will go home on Wednesday, May 1. This midquarter will affect eligibility for spring sports, so hopefully students have been putting in their best effort in all subjects. * Confirmation Public Examination is on Tuesday, April 30. Please make sure you have this on the calendar. * Track meet forms for students to attend our MLESSA track meet at Lake Country Lutheran High School are due on or before Friday, May 3. Make sure you turn yours in so that you can attend. It's a great day with all of the other Lutheran grade schools in the area. * Completed permission slips for the St. Paul's West Allis dance are also due on Friday, May 3. Sounds like a great time, so turn in your permission slip and \$5.00 to Mrsl Weymier.*

**Mrs. Weymier*

COMPUTER

5th Grade: We are working in Typing.com on improving our words per minute and accuracy, and we are word processing essays for language arts.

6th Grade: We will proofread our persuasion papers and begin making corrections.

7th Grade: We are beginning presentations in Google Slides dealing with Chapter 7 on Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs from our Health book.

8th Grade: We are working on another Google Sheets project on creating and safeguarding passwords. We are also taking Forward Exams during class time.

LANGUAGE ARTS/SPELLING

5th Grade: Language Arts: We are reviewing parts of speech, punctuation, and capitalization. We will begin our next writing project, descriptive writing. We continue to work on public speaking. **Spelling:** We will begin lesson 30. Spelling practice is due on Thursday. Based on past test scores, each student's practice will be individualized. Your student will know what they are assigned. Our test will be on Friday.

6th Grade: We will editing our persuasion papers. They will be due on Monday 5-6. **Spelling:** Unit 31 has been assigned. Test 1 is Monday, 4-29. Test 2 and the bookwork are due on Thursday, 5-2.

7th Grade: We started Chapter 17 on subject/verb and pronoun/antecedent agreement on Wednesday. The Unit 33 Spelling test will be on Monday, April 29th and the worksheets/rewrites are due on Wednesday, May 1st. Find our Spelling lists/schedule on the 7th grade page on www.egl.org.

8th Grade: We have been working on complements. Complements can be nouns, pronouns or adjectives. There are two kinds of complements: DO/IO and PN/PA. **Spelling**: Unit 34 has been assigned. Test 1 is on Monday, April 29. Test 2 and the bookwork are due on Wednesday, May 1. 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. There are still too many students missing way too many words on the first test.

LITERATURE — MRS. ELVERS

5th Grade: We are reading the novel **Shiloh.** We are discussing character traits and working in dialogue groups. We will be working on clarifying, predicting, summarizing, and questioning. We are also working on improving our fluency as we practice oral reading.

6th Grade: We finished the novel **Tuck Everlasting,** and we are now watching the movie. We are discussing similarities and differences between the two. We will be starting a final project this week.

7th Grade: We are reading the novel **Where The Red Fern Grows.** We are discussing character traits and doing character comparisons. We will be working on clarifying, predicting, summarizing, and questioning. We are also working on improving our fluency as we practice oral reading.

8th Grade: We are reading the novel **The Little Prince**. We will be working on clarifying, predicting, summarizing, and questioning. We will be discussing figurative language and symbolism while reading paired texts.

MATHEMATICS — MS. CORN

5th Grade Math: Today marks the end of the 4th quarter mid-quarter. That means we only have five weeks of school remaining! I can't believe how fast this year has gone! We started learning about Fraction Fun today. We will continue with Fraction concepts next week.

6th Grade Math: Today marks the end of the 4th quarter mid-quarter. That means we only have five weeks of school remaining! Next week we will continue our chapter in Geometry with circles, surface area, and volume.

7th Grade Math: Today marks the end of the 4th quarter mid-quarter. That means we only have five weeks of school remaining! Next week we will begin to explore graphing and the Coordinate plane.

7th Grade Pre-Algebra: Today marks the end of the 4th quarter mid-quarter. That means we only have five weeks of school remaining! We moved into exploring Geometry this week. We will finish with this Chapter next week and I plan on a test next week Friday.

8th Grade Math: Today marks the end of the 4th quarter mid-quarter. That means we only have five weeks of school remaining! Next week we will begin to explore graphing and the Coordinate plane.

8th Algebra: Today marks the end of the 4th quarter mid-quarter. That means we only have five weeks of school remaining! Next week, we will begin working through our chapter on Quadratic Equations. This will most likely be the last "full" chapter we finish but I will cover some other lessons that I feel are important for the students to know before high school.

SCIENCE — MRS. WEYMIER

5th Grade: Unit E Chapter 4 - Sound and Light We just got started in this new chapter. New vocabulary to work on - make sure you have a sharpened pencil and good eraser, we'll be drawing waves next week. Quiz on Thursday

6th Science: The Animal Kingdom - Vertebrates There are five categories of animals in this new chapter - fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds, and mammals. This week we had a chance to learn about amphibians. Next week is the reptiles. Plan for a guiz over the fish, amphibians, and reptiles on Friday, May 3.

7th Grade: Chapter 10 - Forces We had some "Physics Fun" on Friday! Ask your child about it. Next week covers Newton's second and third Law's of Motion.

8th Grade: Chapter 17 - Respiratory and Excretory Systems We got a good start into this chapter - anatomy quiz of the respiratory organs was Friday. Next week we'll quiz the respiration section on Tuesday, April 30. Then it's on to the excretory system.

SOCIAL STUDIES — MISS LINDHOLM

5th Grade Geography: We have started our chapter on Southern and Northern Europe. We have learned about the climate, resources, and geography of this area. We also discussed what countries are included in this area.

6th Grade World History: We started our chapter on Rome. We discussed two legends of how Rome was founded. We also learned what ideas the Romans borrowed from the Etruscans and the Greeks.

7th Grade American History: We learned about the first political parties. We finished up our chapter. Our test will be on Tuesday, 4-30.

8th Grade American History: We learned about the Whiskey Rebellion and conflicts that settlers had with Native Americans. We looked at George Washington's Farewell Address and the advice that he gave to the nation. Our test will be next week on Friday, 5-3.

PE/HEALTH — MRS. PAUKNER

We worked on Track & Field conditioning this week and will continue through May. MLESAA track meet permission slips went home earlier this week and are due Friday, May 3rd regardless of participation in the meet. Thank you to the many who have already returned them!

Important Dates:

Monday, May 13th - Track & Field Day with St. Paul's Oconomowoc @ EGL

Saturday, May 18th - LSA State Track Meet @ Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School

Tuesday, May 21st - MLESAA Track Meet @ Lake Country Lutheran High School

All Health classes continue Chapter 8 on Chronic and Communicable diseases 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 (**Ipaukner@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 practice on Mondays, April 29 and May 6 at 11:22 a.m. in preparation for Spring Fling.

The concert is on May 9 at 6:30 p.m. Attire for the concert is the school theme t-shirt, shorts or pants as weather permits (jeans or khakis) and athletic shoes.

All students are expected to be in attendance and will be graded accordingly.

PERFORMANCE GROUPS

Band: Preparations continue for our Spring Fling performance on Thursday, May 9th, at 6:30pm in the Gym. Band member will need to report to the Music Center to warm-up and tune at 6pm!

Lessons are divided between Wednesdays and Thursdays, so please continue to contact Mrs Bessert - kbessert@egl.org - <a href="m

Hosanna Ringers (5th grade): Because of your field trip on Wednesday, we will have rehearsal on Thursday, May 2. Be sure to study for your Mad Minute! Spring Fling is May 9 at 6:30 p.m. in the gym. All ringers are expected to be in attendance. You are also scheduled to play in worship on Sunday, May 16 at the 8:00 service.

Jubilate Ringers (6th-8th grades): Three more rehearsals until Spring Fling on May 9 at 6:30 p.m. in the gym. All ringers are expected to be in attendance. You are also scheduled to ring in worship on Sunday, May 16 at the 8:00 service.

Orchestra: Please bring your instrument and music on Monday 4/29 (make-up from 4/17) and Wednesday 5/1 next week. The Spring Fling performance is on Thursday, May 9, at 6:30 pm, arrival time 6:00. Please encourage your children to listen to their recordings and complete their theory work each week. Feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns. Sincerely, Mrs. Behring kbehring@eql.org

ART — MRS. GRELK

5th Grade: There is no sketch assignment.

6th Grade: We were using pastels to finish our cartoons. Sketch #25 is due Monday, April 29.

7th Grade: We read about Rembrandt and his style of painting. We also prepared for our next project that will show a

light source with shading. Sketch #17 is due Wednesday, May 1.

8th Grade: We were finishing our Picasso faces. Sketch #16 (top) is due Wednesday, May 1.

HIGH SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

LAKE COUNTRY LUTHERAN	
MARTIN LUTHER HIGH SCHOOL	
MILWAUKEE LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL	IMPORTANT ADMISSIONS DATES FOR THE CLASS OF 2023 Class of 2023 -Freshman Course Registration Night: May 6 (For students who have taken a placement exam AND have a payment plan (MPCP seat or tuition) setup. New parent information night - Tuesday, May 21st 6-7 PM