



MARCH 2015 KML NEWS



THE COURAGE TO ENCOURAGE

A little bit of encouragement goes a long way. It's not too difficult to look back on our lives and think about a time when someone took an extra moment to encourage us. It may have been a parent, a sibling, a friend or maybe even a child. It's amazing how encouragement can both lift us up and motivate us.

God tells us in Hebrews 10:23-25 *Let us hold unwaveringly to the hope we profess, for he who promised is faithful. And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, **but encouraging one another**—and all the more as you see the Day approaching.*

At KML I get to see examples of this often. A student is willing to tutor another student who is struggling. A classmate comforts a friend who is going through troubling times. At other times it is a simple “congratulations” for an accomplishment given quietly in the hallway. As we are blessed to train the future leaders of the church, workplace, homes, and community, let us as a KML community encourage fervently. A close look at the Hebrew passage focuses our encouragement not only on this life but with an eye on eternity. In fellowship with the family of believers we can encourage one another in our faith, in our service, and in our proclamation of God's goodness through Jesus our Savior.

May you be encouraged in God's love for you today, and may we each have the courage to encourage others during our daily walk with Jesus.

In Christ,

Mr. Luehring



FACULTY UPDATES AND CALL NEWS

On February 2, the KML General Board extended divine calls to replace Mr. Deibert (English) and Mr. Mellon (biology) who are retiring the end of this school year. Miss Rebecca Amann, from Christ - St. Peter in Milwaukee has been called to serve in our English department. Mr. David Kren from Wisconsin Lutheran High School has been called to teach biology. Please pray for Miss Amann and Mr. Kren as they deliberate where to serve the Lord in the public ministry. Additionally, Mrs. Kayli Pesch, our chemistry teacher was issued another one-year call to continue serving at KML while she works to complete her WELS synod certification. Pastor Phil Malchow's initial ten-month call from this past summer was made permanent.

Your Gifts Make a Difference...

As a **Builder**, you help advance our mission to preach the truth of God's Word. You make sure the facilities that help carry out that mission are paid for. You help the next student and family cover the cost of Christian education.

When you become a **Builder** by setting up a new or increased auto-withdrawal account for at least 12 months, we have a donor who will give \$500 to KML!! This is a great way to multiply your gift. Simply go to www.kmlhs.org/autogift where you can sign up online or print the form and mail it in. Your support is building a strong ministry and helping the students build their Christian faith.

We ask his blessing this year as we strive to reach our 2015 goal of 300 new **Builders**. Have you joined the KML family of **Builders** yet?

www.kmlhs.org/autogift



MARCH OFFICE HOURS

The KML office will be closed Monday and Tuesday, March 30 and 31 during the Easter break. It will be open regular hours of 7:15 - 3:45 all remaining week days throughout the month of March.

WISCONSIN PARENTAL CHOICE PROGRAM (WPCP) – PLEASE APPLY IF YOU QUALIFY!

We encourage all families who qualify for the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program (WPCP) to apply. Information is located at kmlhs.org/wpcp. Please contact Principal Luehring or Superintendent Bartelt if you have any questions about the application process. Here are a few points to keep in mind as you apply:

- *There is quite a bit of discussion in the legislature of what the WPCP may look like after the new state budget is completed in June. Sometimes it will sound good, and other times, bad, but the important part is that you give yourself the chance for a voucher by applying if you qualify.
- *As vouchers are not guaranteed, please sign up for tuition assistance by March 15 if you are interested in that as well.
- *When you apply, you will have to submit both a proof of residency and proof of income to KML. Both of those are explained at kmlhs.org/wpcp.
- *Reach out to us with any question you may have.



TUITION ASSISTANCE DEADLINE IS MARCH 15

The Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School Federation recognizes the cost of Christian secondary education can be a challenge for some families. Accordingly, the federation established the Tuition Assistance Program. The program is designed to help families meet the cost of this great blessing. The monies come from many donors and foundations, including the KML Foundation. You may apply online at kmlhs.org/TuitionAssistance. The application deadline is March 15. The Finance Committee will determine the allocations by mid-April. Please contact Jody Hansen, KML Business Manager at 262-677-4051, ext. 1109 or jody.hansen@kmlhs.org if you have questions.

BECOME A PART OF OUR INTERNATIONAL OUTREACH

“I meet tons of people every day and I feel comfortable to talk with them. I also attend the church service every Saturday and I have met some of the Chinese students who are interested in it.”
– an email from a recent Chinese KML graduate who came to our school having never heard the saving message of Jesus.

How blessed we are to see the Holy Spirit in action! Could you be a part of this exciting mission of your high school by hosting an international student? For more information, please contact Wendy Robinson at wendy.robinson@kmlhs.org or call 262-677-4051 ext. 1111.

WHAT IS NEW FRIENDS?

New Friends is a branch of the Jesus Cares Ministries that allows people with special needs to enjoy a Christian environment with loving high school students and teachers. Events are organized every month as a time to interact with the friends. In February, the KML New Friends group celebrated Valentine’s Day which included a scavenger hunt, valentines, and snacks. The event was held at the Jackson Community Center on February 15. We encourage anyone with special needs and their families to join us for fellowship and fun!

CROSS TRAINER MISSION TRIPS COMING UP SOON

Eighteen Cross Trainers and their chaperones are excited to embark on the annual spring mission trips. It is especially exciting because the KML Cross Trainers are now teaming up with other area Lutheran high schools to share the message of a risen Savior. This will be the seventh year going to Victory of the Lamb in Katy, Texas. That mission field has also included Abiding Faith in Pinehurst, Texas. Other churches near those congregations have heard about the work of the KML Cross Trainers so now teams from Illinois Lutheran High School and Winnebago Lutheran Academy will also join together in this effort to reach out with the saving message of Jesus. It’s a wonderful opportunity to work together with our fellow brothers and sisters in Christ.

We also have teams going to Saving Grace in Mobile, Alabama and Amazing Grace in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. These are repeat trips for our Cross Trainers. It is inspiring to see the relationships continue to grow with these congregations.

Mr. and Mrs. Heckendorf, Mr. Luehring, Pastor Malchow, and Mr. Dan Johnson will be chaperoning the trips. The Texas mission teams will be gone March 18-24 and the other two teams will be gone March 25-31. Students going on the trips would be happy to share their experiences with your congregation. It’s amazing to see how the Lord uses them.

If you would like to help offset various expenses, please submit your gifts to KML in care of KML Mission Trips. You may also contact Mr. Mark Heckendorf at mark.heckendorf@kmlhs.org.

WANTED! INCOMING FRESHMEN TO ENROLL IN COMPUTER APPLICATIONS BC!

We are looking for students with basic word processing skills who can type 30-35 net words a minute. Students are **strongly encouraged** to “test out” of the freshman *Computer Applications AB* class – even if you are not sure how fast you can type. Students who test out will be enrolled in *Computer Applications BC*, a course that allows students to skip learning how to type and move right into more advanced computer topics.

Computer Applications AB

Semester 1 - Part A

- * basic keyboarding (learning to type)
- * basic formatting of reports, letters, tables, etc.

Semester 2 - Part B

- * basic word processing skills
- * basic spreadsheet skills
- * basic presentation skills

Computer Applications BC

Semester 1 - Part B

- * basic word processing skills
- * basic spreadsheet skills
- * basic presentation skills

Semester 2 - Part C

- * advanced word processing
- * advanced spreadsheet skills
- * advanced presentation skills

Testing will take place at KML. Students should plan to be here approximately 45 minutes. The assessment will include:

- * basic word processing of paragraphs
- * technique evaluation
- * 3-minute timed writings

You are welcome to register for any **one** of the testing sessions:

Monday, March 9 - 5:00 or 6:00pm
Thursday, March 12 - 4:30 or 6:00pm
Saturday, March 14 - 8:30 or 10:30pm

If you would like more information, contact Mrs. Schramm either at bonnie.schramm@kmlhs.org or 262-677-4051 ext. 2321.

PHYSICAL SCIENCE TEST FOR INCOMING FRESHMEN

Incoming freshmen can test out of Physical Science by passing a physical science placement test. The Physical Science Opt-out Test will be given on the following days in March.

Monday	March 9	3:30-5:00pm
Monday	March 16	3:30-5:00pm
Thursday	March 19	7:00-8:30pm
Saturday	March 21	2:00-3:30pm

Students may prepare for testing by reviewing the study guides found on the KMLHS web page. To find the placement test information, click on the admissions tab and then select “Placement Tests.” If you have trouble accessing the study guides or would like more information, please contact Mr. Matt Moeller at matt.moeller@kmlhs.org or 262-677-4051 ext. 1174.

COUNTDOWN TO 2015 MASQUERADE BALL BEGINS.....



Saturday, April 18 marks the date for this year’s auction to be held at the River Club of Mequon. Proceeds will go toward the Student Assistance Fund and non-budgeted items needed by the Athletic Department. We are always looking for unique items for our silent and live auctions. Do you have a particular craft or service you could offer up for bid (valued at \$50 or more)? Car detailing, window washing and yard work are always big hits!

Plan a trip to New Orleans for jazz and dining! This item will be featured in the Live Auction and includes round-trip coach class airfare for two to New Orleans, a three-night stay at the Hyatt French Quarter, VIP admission for two to the Preservation Hall of Jazz, and a choice of brunch or three-course dinner at Commander’s Palace Restaurant. Winspire booking and concierge service will help make your trip worry free!

For up-to-date information, go to kmlhs.org/auction . Contact Geoff Ziesemer at geoff.ziesemer@yahoo.com or call 414-397-4550 about various sponsor opportunities for your company ranging from \$250 - \$4,000.

NEWS FROM STUDENT SERVICES

CONGRATULATIONS TO PHILIP HELWIG AND BLYTHE RATZMANN!

Philip Helwig has been named a finalist for the National Merit Scholarship. All juniors are eligible for the scholarship by taking the PSAT test in fall. Those who score well are chosen as semi-finalists and must meet various requirements. Philip worked through the process and has now been declared a finalist! In the coming month he will learn whether he will be chosen as a winner of one of their scholarships.

Blythe Ratzmann was chosen by Lannon Stone Products, Inc. as their scholarship recipient for next year. Lannon Stone offers this scholarship to a current junior who is pursuing a career in engineering or science. The scholarship pays for half of the student's tuition for his/her senior year. Congratulations to Blythe and thank you to the Dawson family and Lannon Stone Products for their generosity!

ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL JUNIOR CAREER DAY

On Friday, February 20 our juniors participated in our annual Career Day. We are thankful for the many professionals who gave time to talk with our students about their professions and share information that will help them make decisions about their careers.

We had more than 30 professionals on campus for the event and each student attended nine presentations.

COURSE SELECTIONS FOR 2015 - 2016 SCHOOL YEAR IN PROGRESS

Nearly all our students have completed course requests for next year. We will now start working on the master schedule. Once that is created, each student will be scheduled into their specific classes.

If you wish to make a change to your course requests, now is a good time to do that. We will give copies of the course selections to the students in late March so they can rethink their requests and ensure the selections are still the courses they wish to take next year. Once the master schedule is created and the student schedules are set, it is harder to make changes, so please review the course selections carefully and make any change requests in early March.

SOPHOMORE MEETINGS SCHEDULED

Mr. Zeamer and Mr. Snamiska will be meeting individually with all the sophomores to review their ACT Aspire test scores and to discuss their initial thoughts about college and careers. These are enjoyable visits and we hope they are beneficial for our students.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP) EXAMS

Our students are offered the opportunity to take AP exams at the end of the year. AP exams are a great way for students to earn college credit and possibly skip some of their required college classes. Specific information has been shared with the students who are currently taking AP classes, but other students can request the information as well. The registration deadline for AP exams is Thursday, March 26.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL VISITS

Mr. Zeamer is in the midst of visiting each of our federation elementary schools and sharing the message and blessings of KML. Mr. Zeamer typically takes a couple of our students on these visits so the elementary school students hear first hand information from friends they already know.

If you know someone who would like to learn more about KML, please contact Mr. Zeamer at 262-677-4051 ext. 1124 or jerry.zeamer@kmlhs.org.



KETTLE MORAINÉ LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL
HIGH HONORS: SECOND QUARTER

Freshmen

Jacob Anderson, Katelyn Aswege, Grant Biesterfeld, Rita Bliesner, Ashley Braker, Morgan Cerny, Kira Davis, Taylor Draheim, Abigail Duba, Micah Dykema, Luke Eisner, Jeremy Gaeth, Caleb Grulke, Haley Hauk-Landon, Isaac Helwig, Carly Heuer, Sarah House, Andrew Hughes, Cassidy Johnson, Caitlyn Kaelberer, Abigail Klug, Lauren Kresser, Hannah Kuehl, Rhaea Lehman, Sarah Leurquin, Bryce Marohn, Conner Measner, Brittney Miller, Catherine Miller, Jacob Moeller, Theodore Molkentin, Blake Nelsen, Alexander Neuwirth, Mikayla Ott, Erin Parbs, Lauren Schenk, Melissa Schmidt, Joel Schoeneck, Caleb Schulz, Dylan Schulz, Noah Steinbrenner, Samantha Stiemke, Kaitlyn Von Behren, Ameillia Wedward, Anna Weyker, Katherine White, Jacob Wilkens, Solomon Zarling, Zachary Zuleger

Sophomores

Joseph Behm, Lukas Bintz, Ashley Bischel, Rachel Brockdorf, Hyobin (Ava) Choo, Hunter Engelman, Donaven Fellenz, Josie Gruber, Taeh Horbas, Hailee Jeske, Alyssa Leitzke, Anna Lemke, Anna Lipscomb, Abigail Malchow, Bram Miller, Lauren Miller, Kasey Mueller, Emmalie Olsen, Zachary Pasbrig, Joseph Polheber, Anneliese Robinson, Cassandra Rose, Laura Sanford, Elizabeth Schoeneck, Mason Shambeau, Lyndsey Soderbeck, Kylie Sonnenburg, Sydney Stern, Allison Stoltz, Greta Strasser, Sophie Strasser, Tanner Stuck, Alex Teuteberg, Aaron Vandermus, Megan Weber, Elliott Wetterau, JieXin (Jessica) Yang, Samuel Zarling

Juniors

Hannah Abts, Anna Adams, Abigail Aswege, Kari Beine, Colin Biesterfeld, Rose Bliesner, Sharla Boehlke, Taylor Brazell, Shannon Cobian, Kayla Cooper, Ashley Courtemanche, Emily Frey, Jieun Han, Elizabeth Heider, Rebekah House, Connor Johnson, Tyler Kemnitz, Katelyn Kitzinger, Katelyn Kohl, Evan Kolander, Jack Koskinen, Yifei Liu, Natalie Marshall, Payton Mueller, Madison Ott, Brandon Peske, Blythe Ratzmann, Kyle Samann, Molly Sanford, Payton Schneider, Elliot Shambeau, Alyssa Shipley, Amber Soyk, Emma Steffens, Evan Willis, Nicole Zander

Seniors

Meghan Anderson, Lauren Brandmeier, Brittany Breimon, Madeline Collazo, Samantha Egelseer, Jared Enevold, Emily Filber, Lydia Glatzel, Michael Grant, Lucas Grulke, Philip Helwig, Jared Henning, Amber Herbst, Griffin Hoerchner, Rachel House, Jonathan Ihlenfeldt, Kelly Kitzinger, Samuel Klug, Austin Krause, Hannah Lee, Joseph Loescher, Alexandra Lueth, Grant Miller, Macy Moldenhauer, Brian Nank, Zachary Nelsen, Tyler Oestreich, Ryan Olsen, Nathan Olson, Lauren Pahmeier, Reilly Paine, Eric Pasbrig, Samantha Paton, Bryka Peterson, Olivia Raasch, Mackenzie Rabas, Atlanta Rosine, Kelsey Schenk, Nathan Schleef, Emily Schmidt, Kari Schneiss, Emily Schulz, Chelsea Smith, Sydney Soderbeck, Tanner Stanossek, Samantha Stohlman, Brady Stuck, Evan Teuteberg, Rachel Vandermus, Mikayla Voigt, Zhiyun (Ivy) Wang, Lauren Weyker, Maida Wolff, Huaqiang (Ryan) Yu

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Sophomores

Kaleb Baker, KarLeigh Brown, Amanda Dahlman, Craig Ferguson, Brooke Follansbee, Jadon Johnson, Kelsey Knuth, Madison Leckwee, Alex Michaelsen, Nicholas Pierron, Ethan Pilon, Matthew Voigt, Dominic Zavaglia, Nathan Zirbes

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Alexa Braden, Emily Byhardt, Brendon Clemens, Emma Curran, Courtney Eller, Mary Falck, Jordan Freeman, Jacob Gruber, Ryan Gurgel, Corey Hill, Elizabeth Kluever, Kailynn Knuth, Amanda Kugler, Michaela Kunz, Joshua Maas, Andrew Mantz, Joshua Murphy, Taylor Oestreich, Marisa Riemer, Collin Schwab, Jared Thompson, Nathaniel Weiss, Amber Wolfgram

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Jennifer Backus, David Bieberitz, Ethan Bublitz, Andrew Eggers, Elizabeth Kohler, Meagan Kosteretz, Matthew Kraus, Nicholas Lipp, Jason Loduha, Ezekiel Malchow, Brady Miller, Emma Rosenthal, Thomas Schneiker, Loren Simonson, Sarah Steeno, Emily Wedell

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Scrip - Year End



Did you know that March 31 is the last day to earn credit toward your student's 2015-2016 tuition account. Rebates earned after March 31 will then be applied toward the 2016-2017 school year. Purchase KML Scrip for your regular purchases and earn rebates to bring down the cost of tuition. Don't forget to use scrip on your not-so-regular purchases too!

Scrip Office volunteers are happy to answer any questions you may have. Call Jeanne Kowalski at 262 677-4051 ext. 1119, send an email to scrip@kmlhs.org, see our website at www.kmlhs.org/scrip, or stop by our office. It's important to us to help you earn credit for your current or future student's tuition.

SCRIP OFFICE CLOSED

Monday, March 30 through
Monday, April 6 for Spring/Easter Break

Scrip Office Hours

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday
8:00am – 3:00pm
Closed Tuesday

THRIVENT ACTION TEAMS

BENEFIT MEMBERS ARE ELIGIBLE FOR TWO PROJECTS A YEAR; ASSOCIATE MEMBERS, ONE. PROJECTS ARE ONE-TIME FUNDRAISERS, SERVICE ACTIVITIES OR EDUCATIONAL EVENTS. THRIVENT GETS YOU STARTED WITH: SEED MONEY, PROMO MATERIALS AND T-SHIRTS.

PROCESS:

1. Visit Thrivent.com/actionteam to get information, resources and success stories.
2. Log in with your Thrivent.com user name and password to access and complete the application
3. Make sure to apply at least 21 days in advance of your project so we can get your personal Thrivent Action Kit to your doorstep on time! Also remember to consider the time you will need to make your purchases.
4. Within three to five business days after applying, an email will be sent letting you know if your project has been approved. It will include some tips and resource reminders to get you started.
5. Go live out your passion and lead your project!
6. Remember to complete the post-project reporting.

THE EFFECT OF THE KML FOUNDATION

In last month's newsletter, I wrote an informational article about the KML Foundation. Now I want to share the exciting impact that the Foundation is able to make for our current students.

Each year we have families who desire a Christian education for their teenagers but simply can't afford the full cost of tuition. Through special donors, and through the KML Foundation, tuition assistance is offered to those families. As the Foundation's endowment fund grows, the amount of student aid also increases. At this time, the Foundation is managing approximately \$700,000 and they distribute 5% annually in student aid. We are looking for ways to add to that fund so we can offer even larger amounts of aid.

Contact Paul Snamiska for more information on the KML Foundation, paul.snamiska@kmlhs.org or call 262-677-4051 ext. 1116.



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Jackson, WI 53037
(262) 677-8313

Amount \$ _____ Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior
Student Name: _____

SAVE THE DATE!

Brianne Bennett, a 2011 KML grad, has started a fundraiser for her dad, Patrick Bennett. He was diagnosed with stage four brain cancer in February 2014 at the age of 47. The event will be a 5k run/walk on Saturday May 16, 2015 at Oakwood Park, Menomonee Falls. Arrive at 8:30am to start at 10:00am. Funds raised will go to The National Brain Tumor Society in hopes of finding a cure for brain cancer. Jack Eagon, a member of Pilgrim Lutheran Church in Menomonee Falls, will be cooking for participants after the event. KISS FM will be at the park promoting the event that day. The cost to participate is \$20. Register at Active.com/MilesforHope and check it out at Facebook.com/MilesForHope. You may also contact Brianne Bennett, at milesforhope15@gmail.com or 414-581-8176. If you would like more information on how the proceeds will be used, visit braintumor.org.

Patrick Bennett's Story:

February 7, 2014 was the day Patrick was diagnosed. February 10, 2014 he had surgery to remove his tumor and by February 13, 2014 he was already home. He healed very quickly, completing radiation and chemo in six weeks. He took oral chemo five days every month through December, 2014 when he found out the cancer cells had returned. He now does chemo by IV every 2 weeks for an undetermined amount of time. He clings to his faith, family, and friends for support in this challenging time. His love for his Savior is his source of strength through this journey.

For more information, to become a sponsor, to volunteer, or to register for the event.....

Email: milesforhope15@gmail.com

Visit: Facebook.com/MilesForHope

Call: (414) 581-8176

Register: active.com (Search "Miles For Hope")



FINE ARTS NEWS



ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL DRAMA PERFORMANCE!

A special thanks to everyone who made our production of *Father of the Bride* a success:

Hair & Makeup Crew (Macy Moldenhauer, Lauren Siwy, Paige Reuter, Hannah Uhlig, Lydia Glatzel, Jozee Schoenoff, Elizabeth Rodriguez, Courtney Eller, Atlanta Rosine), Sound & Light Crew (Andrew Hughes, Joel Schoeneck, Joseph Polheber, Luke Eisner, Alexander Neuwirth, Alex Teuteberg, Isaac Helwig), and Stage Crew (Olivia Schaenzer, Nathan Zirbes, Elka Smith, Lauren Schenk, Ashley Braker, Zachary Schaenzer, Elizabeth Schoeneck, Mackenzie Thomsen, Alycia Marshall, Daniel Wolff, Dylan Schulz).

Congratulations to the cast for a successful weekend of performances with more than 650 in attendance: Eric Pasbrig, Emily Schulz, Carly Heuer, Noah Nichols, Ryan Gurgel, Joey Loescher, Grant Miller, Rhaea Lehman, Kelsey Schenk, Blythe Ratzmann, Meghan Anderson, Andrew Eggers, Laura Sanford, Tanner Rattray, Ethan Pilon, and Theodore Molkentin.

Keep watching the newsletter and www.kmlhs.org/drama for information about our upcoming productions for the 2015-2016 school year! Contact Mrs. Erin Laabs for more information at erin.laabs@kmlhs.org.

BE SURE TO ATTEND OUR UPCOMING FINE ARTS EVENTS

- Sunday, March 1** Chamber Concert, PAC, 6:30pm
Tuesday, March 17 Sacred Concert, PAC, 7:00pm
Friday, April 17 Retro Fest: Family Music Festival
LES Art Fair, Gym, 5:00-9:00pm

STUDENTS SELECTED FOR BANDFEST

Twelve band students were nominated to participate in WELS Bandfest, a weekend event held this year at Luther Preparatory School in Watertown. The band represents all high schools in the synod. Students will participate in workshops and rehearsals before their concert Sunday, March 15. Students selected are: David Bieberitz, Samantha Egelseer, Jonathan Ihlenfeldt, Katelyn Kitzinger, Kelly Kitzinger, Joseph Loescher, Ryan Olsen, Laura Sanford, Molly Sanford, Kelsey Schenk, Emily Schmidt, Thomas Schneiker.

DISTRICT WSMA SOLO/ENSEMBLE

KML will be participating in the District WSMA Vocal Solo and Ensemble event on Saturday, February 28, and the District WSMA Instrumental Solo and Ensemble event a week later on Saturday, March 7. Both events take place in Omro. God's blessings to our musicians!

BECOME A KETTLE KRAZY



E3 - KML SUMMER ACADEMY

KML will be hosting various academic, fine arts, and sports camps this summer for both youth and adults. Please pass the information on to friends and family that would be interested in attending. Camp flyers and registration forms are available in the rack outside the KML main office, from your elementary school office, or on our website at kmlhs.org/e3.

WINTER AWARDS NIGHTS

The dates for Winter Awards Nights for the athletic teams have been scheduled as follows:

Wrestling	Sunday, March 2	5:30	KML Cafeteria
Cheer Team	Sunday, March 8	1:00	Calvary's Fellowship Hall
Boys Basketball	TBD	TBD	TBD
Girls Basketball	Monday, March 9	6:30	KML Cafeteria

If you have any questions or would like to help with your awards night, please contact the head coach.

THANK YOU!

On behalf of the Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School athletic office we would like to thank all parents and student athlete volunteers who helped with ticket taking, concessions, or supervision for our home basketball games. We appreciate your time and dedication to our programs!

SPRING PRACTICE CALENDARS

Practice schedules and information about games is available at www.kmlhs.org. Specific sport schedule information is also found at the bottom of each sport home page. Please consult the schedules in advance to avoid conflicts. **ADJUSTMENTS FOR PRACTICES AND GAMES MAY HAPPEN DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER.** The on-line calendar will have the most current schedules.

REQUIRED FORMS FOR SPRING SPORT PARTICIPATION

Students planning to try out for a spring sport (baseball, golf, girls' soccer, softball, and track) must have the necessary athletic forms on file. Please contact Amy Nass at amy.nass@kmlhs.org with questions. Athletes will NOT be allowed to try out for a spring sport until all required paperwork has been turned in.

- 1) Participation Consent Form (blue) - this is needed by all students participating in athletics
- 2) WIAA Physical Form (green) - incoming freshmen and juniors typically need this form (good for two years).
It needs to be signed by the doctor and filled out completely and signed by the parent
- 3) WIAA Alternate Form (orange) - sophomores and seniors typically need this form.
It needs to be filled out completely and signed by the parent.
- 4) Concussion and Head Injury Information Sheet (yellow) – read and signed by athlete and parent.

All forms are posted at www.kmlhs.org/student_life/athletics/athletic_paperwork.

REGIONAL CHEER CHAMPS!

The KML varsity cheer team competed at the Wisconsin Association of Cheer/Pom Coaches (WACPC) Southern Regional Cheerleading Championships Saturday, February 21 at Wisconsin Rapids high school. They qualified for state competition by placing first in their division, taking home a regional championship for the 14th year in a row. Thanks be to God!

WHAT FUN WAS HAD AT DONKEY BASKETBALL!

The Charger Club would like to thank everyone who attended the donkey basketball event February 15. We had some 400 people in attendance and raised \$2500 in ticket sales, raffle items and concessions to go toward the cost of replacing two Automated External Defibrillator units for KML. A big thank you also to the students and staff (both KML and federation grade schools) for riding the donkeys and providing a fun afternoon of entertainment!



PLANT SALE BEGINS

Order beautiful hanging baskets and potted plants for your home this spring. They make great gifts for Mother's Day. There is also a large variety of plants for your flower and vegetable gardens. Online ordering and order forms are available on the website at www.kmlhs.org/plantsale or paper forms are in the rack outside the KML main office. **ORDERS ARE DUE BY WEDNESDAY APRIL 15.** Plants will be available for pick up May 7. All proceeds benefit budgeted student activities. This event is sponsored by the KML Charger Club. Please contact Kathy Tomassetti at kathy.tomassetti@gmail.com or call 414-526-5883 with any questions.



WE NEED SERVANT LEADERS

Charger Club is in need of candidates for vice-president and secretary for the 2015-16 school year. This is a two year commitment with meetings held approximately once a month during the school year. If you are interested or have any questions about either position, please contact current President Dave Mueller, muellers5@charter.net or Secretary Nancy Niemann, nsniemann@gmail.com.



REMEMBER ECHO FEST?

We're going retro this year for Family Music Fest 2015! Remember Echo Fest? Do you still have an old Echo Fest admission button floating around? Please reserve Friday, April 17 from 5:00 - 9:00 for RetroFest. This event will support our music department. In addition to our elementary school and high school musical performances, we will feature a chili dinner, games, auctions, and the dessert bar, and will showcase the Grade School Art Fair exhibits. Join us for a night of music, food, and family fun, with some new surprises, special guests, and trips down memory lane. Anyone presenting an Echo Fest button at the door will receive free admission!

We are asking for pie and basket donations for auction. Please consider helping! All KML band and choir parents will be e-mailed soon about helping with a short volunteer shift for the evening. If you have questions or would like to volunteer or join the Family Music Fest Committee, please contact Andrea Semmann at 414-588-7725 or send a note to alsemmann@gmail.com. You may also contact Ann Jahns at 414-659-1511 or jahnsfamily@yahoo.com.

March Lunch Menu

2	Mini cheese pizzas	\$2.75
3	1/4 lb. grilled hot dog w/ onion rings	\$2.75
4	Meat lasagna w/ garlic breadstick	\$2.75
5	Chicken nuggets w/ potato wedges	\$3.00
6	Papa Murphy's pizza	\$2.50
9	Corn dog w/ mac & cheese bites	\$2.75
10	Grilled bacon cheeseburger w/ tator tots	\$3.00
11	Chicken & cheese quesadilla w/ salsa & sour cream	\$2.75
12	Breaded buffalo chicken sandwich w/ tator tots	\$3.00
13	Pepperoni & cheese breadsticks w/ sauce	\$2.75
16	Meatball & cheese sandwich w/ pasta salad	\$2.75
17	Breakfast burrito w/ potato coins	\$3.00
18	Salisbury steak w/ mashed potatoes & gravy	\$3.00
19	Grilled chicken sandwich w/ spudsters	\$3.00
20	Chicken bacon ranch mini pizzas	\$3.00
23	BBQ rib sandwich w/ smiley potatoes	\$2.75
24	Tator, chicken & cheese bowl	\$3.00
25	Cheese lasagna roll-ups w/ garlic breadstick	\$2.75
26	Chicken tenders w/ smiley potatoes & BBQ sauce	\$3.00
27	Cheese breadsticks w/ dipping sauce	\$2.50



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From: Joni Whitehouse, Interim Health Officer
To: Washington County Schools and Child Care Centers

Measles Outbreaks in the U.S.! Is your family protected?

Measles has now been confirmed in 17 states. Currently there are no confirmed cases in Wisconsin or Washington County. However, at the time of this writing, there are two suspect cases in the state.

Measles is a serious disease. It generally starts with a fever, runny nose, cough, red eyes and sore throat followed by a rash that spreads all over the body. Roughly 3 out of 10 people will develop one or more complications including pneumonia, ear infections, meningitis and death.

Measles spreads very easily! When someone with measles coughs or sneezes, tiny particles are distributed into the air and land on surfaces. These can remain in the air and live on surfaces for up to two hours. Simply breathing this air is enough to become infected.

If you think you or your child may have measles, stay home and call ahead to schedule an appointment with your healthcare provider. Tell them why you are calling. Do NOT walk into an emergency room or urgent care center.

Unvaccinated adults and children will be excluded from work, school and/or child care if a confirmed measles case occurs in a specific setting. The exclusion period remains in effect until 21 days have passed without any new cases. Based on student immunization records, there are many school age children in Washington County who are not fully immunized with Measles, Mumps and Rubella (MMR). Most adults born in or before 1957 probably had measles as children and are presumed to be immune. Those born after 1957 should check their records or may have a blood test to see if they are immune.

MMR is a very safe and effective vaccine. About 99% of people who receive two doses develop lifelong immunity to measles. (<http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/pinkbook/meas.html>)

- Children should receive their first dose of MMR vaccine at 12-15 months of age with a second dose at 4-6 years of age.
- If you or your children need to be vaccinated, contact your health care provider as soon as possible to make an appointment.
- Families without health insurance may be eligible for free vaccine. Please call the Washington County Health Department (262) 335-4462 to arrange an appointment.
- If measles cases do occur, being vaccinated within 72 hours of exposure can prevent the disease.

For more information about measles go to: <https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/immunization/measles.htm> or call Washington County Health Department at 262-335-4462 and ask to speak to the Nurse of the day.