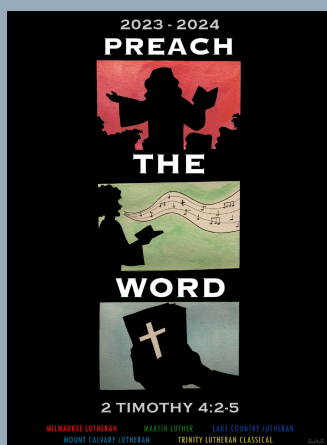




WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

December 1st, 2023

2023-2024
School Year Theme



"Preach the Word"
from 2 Timothy 4:2-5

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If you would like to see
what is going on at our
Association or sister
schools:
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High School Association of
Greater Milwaukee
[Click Here](#) for Milwaukee
Lutheran High School
[Click Here](#) for Martin
Luther High School

DEADLINES

Monday, 12/11 or until all sold-Order Poinsettias

Tuesday, 12/26- Order PE Uniforms for 2nd
Semester

UPCOMING EVENTS

A Lake Country CHRISTMAS

HOLIDAY FAIR

Saturday, December 2nd
9 AM - 4 PM

local artists • unique gifts • specialty vendors
handmade finds • coffee bar
concessions • raffles
and more!

Lake Country Lutheran High School
401 Campus Drive • Hartland
{on the corner of Hwy 83 & Hwy 163}

A LAKE COUNTRY CHRISTMAS
HOLIDAY FAIR



[CLICK HERE](#) for Lunch Menu- then scroll to bottom of page.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, 12/2
A Lake Country Christmas Holiday Fair
9:00am to 4:00pm
(see article for details)

Monday, 12/4
No School- Student Career Prep & Staff Development Day
(see article for details)

Monday, 12/11
LCL Praying Parents
8:00am to 9:00am
(see article for details)

Friday, 12/15
Music Department Christmas Concert
7:00pm
(see article for details)

Wednesday, 12/20
Final Exams
(see article for schedule and details)

Thursday, 12/21
Final Exams
(see article for schedule and details)

Friday, 12/22 thru Tuesday, 1/2
No School- Christmas Break

Wednesday, 1/3
1st Day of 2nd Semester

Tuesday, 1/9
1st Semester Grades are Final- Report Cards Posted
(see article for details)

Friday, 1/12
Honor Roll in Newsletter

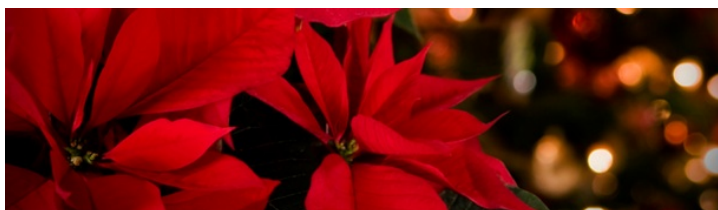
Please come and shop at our annual "A Lake Country Christmas" Holiday Fair.



MUSIC DEPARTMENT CHRISTMAS CONCERT

The LCL Music Department would like to invite you to join our Instrumental and Choral ensembles in celebrating the birth of our Savior! Please join us for our 24th annual Christmas Concert
on Friday, December 15th
at 7:00pm in the PAC.

"For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given!"
Isaiah 9:6



POINSETTIA SALE

New this year, the **LCL Music Department** will be selling poinsettias as a **fundraiser** in connection with our Christmas Concert.

- There are 72 poinsettias available for purchase in three different colors. (Only 24 of each color are available for sale.)
- They will be delivered to school on December 15th and we will use them to decorate the PAC for our Christmas Concert that evening .
- Plants can only be picked up and taken home for the holidays **AFTER the Christmas Concert on Friday, December 15th.**

The cost is \$30 per plant and purchase of the poinsettias is first come, first served so sign up soon to purchase your poinsettia(s). Click here to sign up for the color you would like to purchase: [Signup Genius](#). Payment is required to hold your order & can be made through **eFunds on Skyward** or by cash/check made out to LCL and brought or mailed to the school office. **The deadline to order is Monday, December 11th or until all 72 plants are sold.**

Thank you for supporting the LCL Music Department!

ACADEMIC NEWS

(see article for details)

LCL BIRTHDAYS:

Sat. 12/2
Noah Eimon

Sun. 12/3
Luke Garlock

Tues. 12/5
Jonny Hawk

Wed. 12/6
Sam Wilkins

Thurs. 12/7
Ellie Zastrow

Fri. 12/8
Maddie Ratzow
Will Sivak

LCL 1/2 BIRTHDAYS:

Sun. 6/3
Kieran Cook (6/3)

Tues. 12/5
Adam Anderson (6/5)

Wed. 12/6
JJ Cerny (6/6)

Fri. 12/8
Sydney Knutson (6/8)
Grace Sonnleitner (6/8)

WEEKLY VERSE

The beginning of the
gospel of Jesus Christ,
the Son of God. As it is
written in Isaiah the
prophet, "Behold, I
send my messenger
before your face, who
will prepare Your way,
the voice of one
crying in the
wilderness: 'Prepare
the way of the Lord,
make His paths
straight.' "

Mark 1:1-3

FINAL EXAMS

Final Exams will be taking place on **Wednesday, December 20th and Thursday, December 21st.**

Please click below to see the schedule and guidelines.

[EXAM SCHEDULE AND GUIDELINES](#)

1st SEMESTER GRADES

We do not mail out paper copies of Report Cards. Final Semester Grades will be available for viewing on Skyward- Online Grading Program.

Please see below for Important Grading Dates:

Tuesday, January 9th-

THIS IS WHEN FINAL GRADES AND REPORT CARDS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR VIEWING. You will receive an email when Report Cards are posted.

Friday, January 12th-

Honor Roll will be included in the School Newsletter for you to view and print if desired.

PE UNIFORMS FOR 2ND SEMESTER

PE Uniforms are required for all PE classes. If your student does not have them and is taking PE 2nd Semester, you will need to buy a t-shirt and shorts for \$16 from the link provided. Additional PE gear is also available for purchase. If students do get cold, they are allowed to wear an LCL sweatshirt over the required P.E. shirt. **The deadline to order is Tuesday, December 26th.** If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Wiedel at bwiedel@lakecountryhs.org.

[CLICK HERE](#) to place an order.

STUDENT CAREER PREP & STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY

Our next one is on

Monday, December 4th.

While there is **No School** that day,

LCL encourages families to embrace a variety of educational opportunities to support their students' preparation for future careers. Families may arrange for their students to participate in a job shadow day in a profession of the student's choice, schedule a college visit day or trip, engage in volunteer opportunities to be in service to the community, plan other career exploration and career development activities, or schedule other necessary appointments to avoid missing school days. In supporting families as they nurture their children to explore careers of interest to them, LCL is excited to provide these specific days for families to engage in these life-impacting activities that will equip students to make knowledgeable

choices regarding future career options. Although the specific activities for the Student Career Prep Days will be determined and arranged by individual students and their families, LCL students and their parents may reach out to LCL staff, including the School Counselor, for suggestions or assistance in identifying professional contacts in specific careers.

YEARBOOK NEWS

ORDER A 2023-2024 YEARBOOK NOW!

It's not too late to place your early order for the 2023-2024 Yearbook. The current cost per yearbook is \$75 with personalization options available for an additional charge.

Click the link below to place your order today.
[LCL 23-24 Yearbook Ordering](#)

BOLTS NEWS

BOLTS

BOLTS stands for Body Of Lake Country Lutheran True Supporters. BOLTS is our parent organization, and its primary purpose is to support our co-curricular activities, and most importantly, our students, coaches, and advisors. As a parent of a student at LCL, you are automatically a part of BOLTS and we welcome you to get involved!



FACULTY & STAFF APPRECIATION LUNCH

A few parents are organizing a lunch for our Faculty and Staff on Tuesday, December 12th and would welcome some help. The plan is to pre-purchase supplies to make home-made sandwiches, chicken noodle soup, and salad for the staff.

In addition to the lunch ingredient costs, they are also hoping to secure enough funding to bless each teacher with a \$5 gift card to Inclusion Coffee. If you are able to contribute towards these opportunities, please click here to donate: <https://lhasgm.ejoinme.org/TeacherAppreciation>.

Please also consider donating items for the lunch or helping serve at the lunch. To volunteer in this way please click here: www.signupgenius.com.

Refrigerated or packaged items can be brought on Monday, December 11th or before 8:00am on Tuesday, December 12th. When dropping items off, please use disposable containers or label your container and we will have it available for pick up in the office after school. If donating fruit, please have the fruit washed and ready and feel free to bring it to school in a Ziploc bag if preferred.

Thank you for your help!



LCL PRAYING PARENTS

Please come and join us for this wonderful monthly opportunity to pray for the students and staff of LCL!

We will meet on **Monday, December 11th from 8:00am to 9:00am** in the Great Hall. If you can't be there in person but would like to join in with praying, or have specific prayer requests, or would like to be connected with the group in any way, please email Linda or Kate at LCLPrayingmoms@gmail.com.

SERVANT TEAMS

Here is the [Servant Team List](#) and [Schedule](#). The most updated schedule and list can be found on our website under "Current Families"-> "Parent Page" and then scroll halfway down the page where you will find Servant Team List & Schedule. Each team consists of approximately 23-24 families and there are members from all four classes.

ONE CONTINUOUS SCHEDULE

This year we have most of our serving dates on the schedule which includes fall and winter sports along with our Fine Arts events. We will add a couple of dates to our spring schedule as soon as we finalize the dates. We will update the schedule and assign any teams that were cancelled through out the year. Your team is assigned to 10 Athletic and/or Fine Arts events

during the Fall and Winter seasons. Most events will not require all team members.

Thank you all for your willingness to serve and help support our students and LCL!

Please refer questions regarding Servant Teams to Megan Loppnow at mloppnow@lakecountryhs.org.

[2023-24 Servant Team Schedule](#)

LCL SNACK SQUAD

	<p>LCL SNACK SQUAD</p> <p>We need volunteers to help donate food or drink items for our very special hospitality events throughout the school year.</p> <p>This is a great opportunity to serve your school. Options are homemade snacks, store bought snacks, water bottles etc... You could contribute to all events or just one event throughout the year. It will be completely up to you.</p> <p>Please reach out if you are interested or have questions!</p> <p>A Sign Up Genius will be sent out to those interested prior to each event.</p> <p>Contact: Jen Frahm jenfrahm@gmail.com</p>
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If you are willing to be contacted about donating or have any questions, please contact Jen Frahm at jenfrahm@gmail.com.



SCRIP MAKES GREAT CHRISTMAS GIFTS!



SCRIP

Fundraise while you shop and earn money for your student's tuition and our school. Scrip is a way to purchase gift cards for many of the places you already shop.

SCRIPNOW, RELOAD & MYSCRIPWALLET ARE AVAILABLE ANYTIME

There are 3 ways to order Scrip:

1. **RAISERIGHT APP**- The new mobile app, RaiseRight by ShopWithScrip, is simply the right way to fundraise. Shop gift cards from more than 750 top brands to earn on your daily purchases. Anytime you want, anywhere you go. Here is a quick video on how easy it is :

<https://youtu.be/BZNu-ftcPKo>

What is the difference between the RaiseRight App and SCRIP? [Click here](#) for FAQ's about RaiseRight App

Get the app: <https://www.raiseright.com/>

2. **ORDER ONLINE** - Order by Tuesday each week and pickup on Friday. <https://www.raiseright.com/>

Order Date: Tuesday, December 5th

Pick Up Date: Friday, December 8th

3. **LCL OFFICE**- Stop by to see what is available for immediate purchase during office hours. Quantities are limited.

[BONUS OFFERS](#)

[CLICK HERE](#) to start shopping.

www.shopwithscrip.com

LCL's enrollment code is 11FBD1BD25949

[PARTICIPATING SCRIP RETAILERS](#)

Questions, please contact Megan Loppnow at mloppnow@lakecountryhs.org.

See our website at [Parents Page](#) for more Information.

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS



PROCEDURES FOR SEVERE WEATHER

In the event of severe weather conditions, please watch for an email notification from LCL's office and tune your radio and/or TV to WISN Channel 12 for school closings. Because weather conditions vary from one area to another, parents should use discretion in sending their son/daughter to school even though school may be in session on campus. A general guideline to use in making the decision would be to follow the decision made by your local public school district. Should a sudden snowstorm force school to close before the regular closing time, please make sure that your son/daughter knows exactly where to go and what to do should no one be home during the school day. An occasional "snow day" cancellation might involve the closure of campus and the cancellation of classes/activities. However, there may be some circumstances, due to recurring snow days, that necessitate the use of a "Digital Day" during which the campus is closed but academic activities will be hosted online for students through the school's learning management system, Schoology. In those cases, the campus closing announcement in the school email alert and the Schoology announcement will include the accompanying notice of a "Digital Day" and students should subsequently login to Schoology for instructions from their teachers.

NEW – PARENT SURVEYS

At Lake Country Lutheran High School, we are committed to continuously enhancing the educational experience for your child and your family by gaining insights from various perspectives. In our ongoing effort to prioritize the valuable input of parents, we have partnered with ParentPulse, a company that specializes in collecting feedback for Christian schools.

Each parent within our school community will receive an invitation 2-3 times a year to participate in a brief survey. These survey invitations will be distributed at different times via email or text. Expect an email or text from ParentPulse, clearly labeled as originating from Lake Country Lutheran High School, within the next few months.

We kindly request that you take five minutes to complete these surveys. Unlike many schools that

administer lengthier surveys once a year, we have opted for shorter, more frequent surveys to continually gauge your evolving thoughts and sentiments, enabling us to adapt and improve accordingly.

Rest assured that the information you provide is exclusively collected for our internal analysis, and your personal contact details will neither be utilized nor shared by ParentPulse. Moreover, the survey will offer an option to submit responses anonymously.

Thank you for being part of our Lake Country Lutheran High School community. We value your partnership.

IS SOMEONE YOU KNOW STRUGGLING?

If you or someone you know is struggling with thoughts of suicide or needs mental health services, help is available. [CLICK HERE](#) to access help through 211 Wisconsin services (877-947-2211). People of all ages who need help for themselves or a loved one can access the 988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline by calling or texting **988** within Wisconsin. If you are experiencing a current crisis or emergency, please call **911**. God has blessed us to help one another!

ATHLETICS SPONSORSHIP/ADVERTISING PROGRAM

Great news! Did you know that you can advertise your business and help Lake Country Lutheran Athletics at the same time through our Athletics

Sponsorship/Advertising program? Whether through partner sponsorships or single sport advertising, Lake Country Lutheran is looking to team up with local companies to advertise their business through various media outlets, including signage, program event advertising and social media advertising, to name a few. All proceeds will go to support the sports programs at Lake Country Lutheran High School. Want to learn more? Contact John Meunier at jmeunier@lhsagm.org or at (262-719-2771) for further information.

What a fantastic way to showcase your business!

BUY AT EWALD- SUPPORT LCL



WE MAKE IT
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BUY AT EWALD
SUPPORT LCL



THANK YOU!

When a Lake Country Lutheran student, family member of a student or employee purchases a car from Ewald Automotive Group, Ewald will immediately provide the buyer a \$250 discount off the purchase price and donate another \$250 to our LCL Booster Club, The BOLTS.

Call Ewald at 262-567-3400 or stop in at any of their locations to purchase your new vehicle.

MASCOT BANKING

Bank Five Nine offers LCL students the opportunity to open up a new checking account through their Mascot Banking Program. For every student that opens up an account, Bank Five Nine will donate \$150 to BOLTS and another \$150 will be put directly into the student's account as a reward for their new business.

For more information, contact Bank Five Nine at 262-369-9900 or online at bankfivenine.com/LCL.

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Mascot Banking

Lake Country Lutheran High School and Bank Five Nine have teamed up to offer you a customized banking experience with an added bonus!



Open Any Qualifying Checking Account and Receive a \$150 Cash Reward*

Benefits include:

- Checking options to fit your needs
- Savings matches and high yield savings options
- Add your mascot logo to your debit card and checks (where applicable)

As A Thank You We'll Donate \$150 to Lake Country Lutheran High School Too*

For more information:

Contact your banker today at (262) 369-9900, or visit us online at bankfivenine.com/LCL for more information!

\$150
For You!
with qualifying activity*

\$150
For Your School!*

This offer applies to new Mascot Banking relationships. *Qualifying Activity: Within 120 days of account opening, one (1) out of the following three (3) options must be met and posted to the account: 1) Three (3) of the following deposit types to post in at least three (3) consecutive months: payroll, government or pension benefits (in a single amount not less than \$250 each) using either direct deposit, mobile deposit or in-branch deposit. Online transfers (for example ACH transfer or PayPal transactions) and cash transactions are excluded. 2) Twenty-five (25) signature-based, not pin-based or pin-less debit, credit card transactions (\$5 minimum purchase each). 3) Six (6) Bank Five Nine online bill pay transactions (excluding personal payments, minimum \$25 each). At least one account holder must be either employed by Lake Country Lutheran High School, a parent of a student currently enrolled at Lake Country Lutheran High School or a student of Lake Country Lutheran High School with valid student identification to receive offer. If any owner or signer on the account has previously been an owner or signer on a different Bank Five Nine consumer checking account within the past three (3) years, Bank Five Nine reserves the right to deny this incentive. Accounts with a Bank Five Nine employee as primary owner and Advance Checking accounts are not eligible. This offer cannot be combined with any other offer. If the new account becomes overdrawn within the first 120 days, we reserve the right to deny this incentive. If the checking account is closed by the customer or Bank Five Nine within 12 months after account opening, Bank Five Nine reserves the right to deny the incentive or deduct the cash reward for that account at closing. Offer must be presented at account opening, promo code LCL must be entered during online account opening to receive this reward. The \$150 cash reward will be deposited into the checking account within 120 days of account opening. This offer applies to new checking accounts that must be opened with new money not currently on deposit with Bank Five Nine. Not all customers will qualify for the products and services offered. Bank Five Nine will honor one (1) offer per household (physical, residential address). Applicable to consumer accounts and Wisconsin residents only. The value of this offer may be reported to recipient as income. Bank Five Nine reserves the right to change or discontinue the offer at any time. *If customer qualifies as new, Bank Five Nine will match the customer incentive amount of \$150 as a donation to the school's designated entity. Matching donation funds will be accumulated and distributed to the school twice per calendar year. MEMBERFID.

FREE WILL PREPARATION

Lake Country Lutheran is humbled and proud to be able to "serve and set up for success" students and families from literally across the globe! Planning for the future is another powerful way for us to serve!

We are pleased to connect LCL families, alumni, and friends with free will preparation services with a certified professional. Click here to learn more about this free planning service, now available!

<http://www.lakecountryhs.org/willpreparation>

NOTIFICATION OF CHOICE BOARD MEETINGS FOR THE LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

The State of Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction requires our High School Association to have two meetings per school year at which members of the governing body of the school will be present, and at which all pupils and parents, or guardians of all pupils applying to attend the school or attending the school, may meet and communicate with Board members. The first meeting was on October 26th and the second meeting will be Thursday, April 4th from 5:00pm to 5:30pm at Milwaukee Lutheran High School. All students and parents or guardians are invited to attend.

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