

PARENT CONNECTION

March 2017

A Newsletter for Parents of Luther High Students

Dates To Remember:

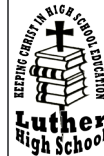
[Click HERE](#) for school calendar.

March

1 Ash Wednesday
3 ACT Reg. Deadline
6-13 NO SCHOOL

Let us then with
CONFIDENCE
draw near
to the throne of
grace
that we
may receive
mercy & find
to help in time of need.
hebrews 4:16

Connection Quick Links



Luther High School
1501 Wilson St
Onalaska, WI 54601
608-783-5435
www.luther.k12.wi.us

School Year Theme:
Rise Up and Build!



[Click for latest updates on the Rise Up and Build Project!](#)

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Principal
608-783-5435 x1160
wichpaul@luther.k12.wi.us

Pastor Jon Bilitz
Dean of Students
608-783-5435 x1140
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[Faculty & Staff Directory](#)



LHS Events & Practices

[Click HERE.](#)

What is SCRIP?

The SCRIP program allows you to buy gift cards for shopping, eating, gas, or groceries, and more. Cards are purchased at face value while a portion automatically goes to support students and your school. This is a great option for everyday purchases as well as gifts! SCRIP gift cards can be purchased from the LHS office.

Call (608) 783-5435, [e-mail](mailto:) the office, or [click here](#) for more details and to get started!

[Click HERE for SCRIP ORDER FORM.](#)

"Then I told them of the hand of my God which was good upon me; as also the king's words that he had spoken unto me. And they said, Let us rise up and build. So they strengthened their hands for this good work."
Nehemiah 2:18 KJV

School Closings

The motivation for calling off school is for the safety and protection of our students. However, we cannot know the exact conditions in every part of the area from which our students come. If your child normally drives to school, please remember that riding the school-provided bus transportation is also an option. If you feel that the conditions are unsafe, please keep your child at home. If there is no school, the announcement will be given to the radio and TV stations as soon as possible. [CLICK HERE FOR CURRENT CLOSINGS](#)

The Pirates of Penzance are Coming to Luther High!

The Luther High School Drama spring production is the famous Gilbert and Sullivan comedic operetta, *The Pirates of Penzance*. Thirty-four students will pull their talents together to perform this zany play.

The story concerns Frederic, who, having completed his 21st year, is released from his apprenticeship to a band of tender-hearted pirates. He meets Mabel, the daughter of Major-General Stanley, and the two young people fall instantly in love. Frederic soon learns, however, that he was born on the 29th of February, and so, technically, he has a birthday only once each leap year. His indenture specifies that he remain apprenticed to the pirates until his "twenty-first birthday", meaning that he must serve for another 63 years! Bound by his own sense of duty, Frederic's only solace is that Mabel agrees to wait for him faithfully. But there is obviously more to the story than that! Meet Ruth, Frederic's childhood nurse and a hearty "maid- of- all" work, as well as a squad of bumbling keystone cops. The show is rich with fast tempo songs and witty lyrics.

If you've never attended an opera before, this show is a good place to start. An ambitious undertaking for any high school troupe, we hope all in attendance will go home with a smile on their lips and warmth their hearts!

Keep your calendars open for
Friday, March 10- 7:00 pm, Saturday, March 11- 7:00 pm and Sunday March 12 -2:00pm.

Supporting OUR STUDENTS

2017 The Big Knight
Registration Open!
www.lutherhigh.org
A Knight in the Roaring 20's
Register Today!

April 28, 2017

The Big Knight auction proceeds are given to the Tuition Assistance Fund and a special project at the school. Consider attending or donating to this big night!

For more information, contact
Lisa Wassermann at

wasslisa@luther.k12.wi.us
or (608) 783-5435 x1150.

More details at www.lutherhigh.org!

SCRIP Update

Updates are being made to SCRIP! JoAnn Fabrics (6%) and Michaels (4%) gift cards are available for purchase. The following are available in limited numbers and will be available until sold out: MC Sports, A & W, Sally Beauty, and Toppers. Purchase SCRIP today! More information about SCRIP is in the menu to the right.

Concessions Coordinator Position

A concessions coordinator is needed for the 2017-18 school year. The coordinator's main responsibility is inventory and ordering product for the concessions throughout the school year. Hours are very flexible! If you would be interested in learning more about this volunteer position, please contact Joel Babinec at: 783-5435 x1645 or babijoel@luther.k12.wi.us.

Grand Piano Wanted!

The Luther High School Music Department is looking for a performance quality grand piano to keep in the new Chapel/Auditorium. The piano would be used for concerts and daily worship. If you have a grand piano and are willing to donate it, please contact Paul Adickes at adicpaul@luther.k12.wi.us. The Music Department will make arrangements for professionals to move the piano to the auditorium.