



WEEKLY NEWS – July 20, 2015

School News

*The **back-to-school mailing** will arrive at homes later this week. Please peruse the information, and return appropriate forms **by July 31**. The **school supply list** is posted on the school website under School News.

*RLHS will be having a **BAKE SALE** at the **Farmers' Market** downtown (corner of State and Erie streets) on **Saturday, August 15, from 8 a.m. until 12 noon**. Please help us by donating some bakery to fill our booth. We need cookies, bars, pies, breads, cupcakes, candy, snacks or whatever you like to make! You can package it, or we will package your donations. Please bring them to the Farmers' Market early Saturday morning and enjoy "shopping fresh", too. The bake sale is sponsored by the RLHS Ladies Guild to support our school.

***YEARBOOKS ARE HERE!** If you ordered one, you may pick it up at the school office Monday through Thursday from 8 a.m. until 12 noon. If you did not order but still wish to buy a yearbook, email Mrs. Porter at jporter@RacineLutheran.org, and she will send you instructions on how to order directly from the yearbook company online. You can no longer order a 2015 book through school, and there is a shipping charge.

***Auditions** for the **fall comedy drama production**, "Finders Creepers," will be held on **Monday, July 27, from 12 noon until 3 p.m.** and **Tuesday, July 28, from 9 a.m. until 12 noon**. Auditions consist of cold readings from the script and should take about 15 minutes. Any currently enrolled students (including incoming freshmen) may be in a play or help backstage. Seven female roles and seven male roles are available. Anyone unable to make an audition time should call Mr. Bruening at school (637-6538) or at home (681-0639) to arrange a different time, preferably during the week of July 20.

***Student Ambassadors** are needed to help with the **New Student Orientation** on **Tuesday, August 11**. If you are able to help, please email Mrs. Drummond at sdrummond@RacineLutheran.org. She will contact you in the coming weeks with specific details.

***196 GRADUATION PICTURES** have been posted on a Shutterfly site for graduates to view, download (free), or order prints (you would be ordering from Shutterfly, not school). Enjoy! Here is the link: <https://racinelutheranhsgraduation2015.shutterfly.com/>

*Here is the link for the **updated senior/prom video** that features our Class of 2015: <https://animoto.com/play/FUO67ugfhB8YQMht1BSLBw?autostart=1>

***PowerSchool** has been shut down so new schedules can be loaded.

***Class of 2015** – Several graduates have not given their **final transcript request** to Mr. Jensen. Most seniors were accepted to multiple schools, and Mr. Jensen must be notified as to where the final transcript must go. **No final transcripts will be mailed unless Mr. Jensen is contacted.** His email address is djensen@RacineLutheran.org.

***RLHS Golf Outing, in memory of Ron Naegeli**, will be held on **Monday, August 10**, at Meadowbrook Country Club. Get a foursome together and join the fun! Proceeds benefit our athletics program. For more information, contact Krista Long at klong@RacineLutheran.org or 637-6538.

*The Lutheran High School **Ladies Guild** will be having its annual **Harvest Fair** on **November 7**. We will need many donated items to restock the booths for this fall. Even though it is several months away, you can help now by setting aside some of the things we need or by dropping them off at school over the summer. **Here is what we need:** Any handmade items, needlecrafts, home-canned goods like pickles and jam, antiques and collectibles, linens, handbags, sports gear and sports memorabilia, toys, dolls, jewelry, scarves, home decorations, gifts, books, cookbooks, and household items. Items need to be new or in very good condition. Thank you for thinking ahead to help us make this year's Harvest Fair another big success for our school and students!

*Be sure to "like" Racine Lutheran High School on **Facebook**.

News from the Athletic Office – Jason Block

***Bobby Tate, Joe Tate** and **Bodie Reinders** traveled to Sparta, Illinois, to compete in the SCTP National Tournament. Bobby Tate competed in a Last Competitor Standing shoot for high school graduates who are going to college. Forty-five athletes competed, and Bobby was the last competitor standing when it was over. The winner received a \$1,000 scholarship from the NRA. **Congratulations!**

Congratulations to our Spring Sports Award Winners:

Baseball--

Most Improved Player: **Zach Knudtson**

Christian Sportsmanship: **Caleb Thompson**

All Conference Honorable Mention: **Andrew Wilson**

All County 2nd Team: **Andrew Wilson** Honorable Mention: **Caleb Thompson**

Golf--

Most Valuable Player: **Austin Molnar-Brack**

Most Improved Player: **Brendan Naegeli**

Christian Sportsmanship: **Tanner Naegeli**

All Conference Honorable Mention: **Austin Molnar-Brack, Tanner Naegeli**

All County Honorable Mention: **Austin Molnar-Brack, Tanner Naegeli**

Girls Soccer--

Most Valuable Player: **Emily Hlavacek**

Most Improved Player: **Antanasia Yancey**

Christian Sportsmanship: **Madeline Michael**

All Conference 2nd Team: **Rachel Hasko** Honorable Mention: **Emily Hlavacek**

All County Honorable Mention: **Rachel Hasko, Emily Hlavacek**

Softball--

Most Valuable Player: **Claire Rosenberg**

Most Improved Player: **Mariah Eiben**

Christian Sportsmanship: **Shannon LeGath**

All Conference 1st Team: **Mariah Eiben, Claire Rosenberg** 2nd Team: **Lydia Balke, Caitlin**

Eiben Honorable Mention: **Shannon LeGath, Maddie Richio**

All County 1st Team: **Lydia Balke, Claire Rosenberg** Honorable Mention: **Caitlin Eiben, Mariah Eiben**

Track and Field--

Most Valuable Players: **April Malvasio and Cameron Wagner**

Most Improved Players: **Madeleine Juga and Grant Lamb**

Christian Sportsmanship: **Niko Burton and Ashley Marweg**

All County 1st Team: **April Malvasio** Honorable Mention: **Grant Lamb, Kierra Martin, Liz Nelson, Cameron Wagner**

Trapshooting--

Most Valuable Player: **Joey Tate**

Most Improved Player: **Tyler Vance**

Christian Sportsmanship: **Bobby Tate**

***Sports physicals** are available through Wheaton Franciscan All Saints on **July 28, August 3, and August 11** from **5:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m.** Physicals are only \$25, and a portion of the fee goes back to RLHS Athletics. Physicals will be conducted at Wheaton Franciscan Medical Group, Orthopedics Department, 3811 Spring Street, Suite 102. **Registration and pre-payment are required for appointments.** A parent or guardian must accompany the student at the pre-participation evaluation. To schedule an appointment, please call (888) 994-3286 during the hours of 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. or register online at www.mywheaton.org/events.

***Summer Athletics Information:**

Female Speed & Strength—Monday, Wednesday and Thursday 7 until 9 a.m. through August 14.

Participants should plan on working out for 1 hour of the time slot.

Male Strength Training—Monday through Thursday 4 until 5:15 p.m.

Girls Volleyball—

Additional Gym Time: Tuesdays from 5 until 8 p.m.

Football—

Contact Days: July 20 from 5 until 7 p.m.

Soccer (Boys and Girls)—

Contact Days: July 28, 29 and 30 from 3 until 5 p.m.

Girls Basketball—

Contact Days: July 23 from 3 until 5 p.m.

Additional gym time: July 26 from 4:30 until 6:30 p.m.

Boys Basketball—

Additional Gym Time: July 20 and 27 from 6:30 until 8:30 p.m.

***Attention boys volleyball parents--**the Fall Sports meeting at St. Catherine's is on **Tuesday, July 28, at 6 p.m.** If your son is planning to play volleyball this fall, please plan on attending this meeting. You do not have to attend the parent meeting at RLHS if you attend the meeting at SCHS.

***All parents of fall athletes** should attend a mandatory **Parent Meeting on Monday, August 3, at 7 p.m.** Important information will be given on our program as well as schedules for games and practices, volunteer opportunities, and other policy changes. This is an important meeting to open the lines of communication between coach and parent.

***To be able to participate in fall sports,** the following must turn in a **clearance card** to the coach. **IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A CLEARANCE CARD TO GIVE TO THE COACH AT THE FIRST PRACTICE, YOU WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE.**

TO RECEIVE A CLEARANCE CARD, athletes must turn in the following to the athletic office prior to the first practice:

- 1) Physical clearance form for grades 9 and 11, or alternate year permission card for grades 10 and 12;
- 2) RLHS Athletics Agreement;
- 3) Parent/Athlete Concussion Acknowledgement Form;
- 4) \$110 athletic fee (\$200 for boys volleyball)

***Fall sports start dates:**

Football--Equipment Issued August 3, from 8 until 9:30 a.m., First practice August 4 from 3 until 7:30 p.m.

Girls Volleyball--August 17

Boys Soccer--August 17

Boys Volleyball (co-op with St. Catherine's)--August 24

*All **fall athletic schedules** are posted on the online calendar site. It can be accessed through the school website at *RacineLutheran.org* by clicking "**Calendar**" on the top right hand corner or at *metroclassicwi.org*.

***The Crusader spirit wear store** is found on the school calendar site. Click the purple sweatshirt on the bottom right corner to enter our school store.

*Like us on **Facebook**: *facebook.com/rlhsathletics*. Follow us on **Twitter**: *@rlhsathletics*

Special Opportunities

***CALLING ALL PARENTS AND STUDENTS**: Both of the **Thrift Shops** have shifts that need volunteers! Sign up for your **required service hours**. Douglas Store (Dawn) 939-4710. Lathrop Store (Barbara) 632-1070. Thank you!

*Walkers and runners are needed for the **HDSA Walk/Run** on **Saturday, July 25**, at South Milwaukee High School's track. Visit <http://hdsa.donordrive.com/event/thwmilwaukee> to sign up or call Michelle Gygax at (414) 588-6109 to learn more.

***Save the date** for the third annual bi-circuit **Pig Roast fundraiser** to help alleviate the education debts of pastors in our corner of Wisconsin. Join the fun from 4 until 7 p.m. **on Sunday, September 27**, at **Chapel of the Cross**, 1426 N. Fancher Road. Games, silent auction and delicious food! Volunteers are also needed. If interested, please contact Pastor Carlson at 456-0547 or *Rev.Carlson@ymail.com*. See you in September!

Have a great week! Go Crusaders!

2015 SCRIP DATES

Checks payable to: RLHS SCRIP

Please use the envelope that was supplied by the SCRIP program when placing an order.

Families interested in enrolling in this program should contact Terri Tigges at 637-6538.

ORDER DROP OFF

Mondays by 8 a.m.

August 10
August 24
September 8 (Tuesday)
September 21
October 5
October 20 (Tuesday)
November 2
November 16
November 30
December 14

ORDER PICK UP

The following Friday

August 14
August 28
September 11
September 25
October 9
October 23
November 6
November 20
December 4
December 18

Please note the following:

Be sure to have your orders to the school office no later than 8:00 a.m. on the drop off days listed. Any order received after that time will not be processed. Please put a telephone number and e-mail address (if you have one) on the order form so that you can be reached in case there are any questions.