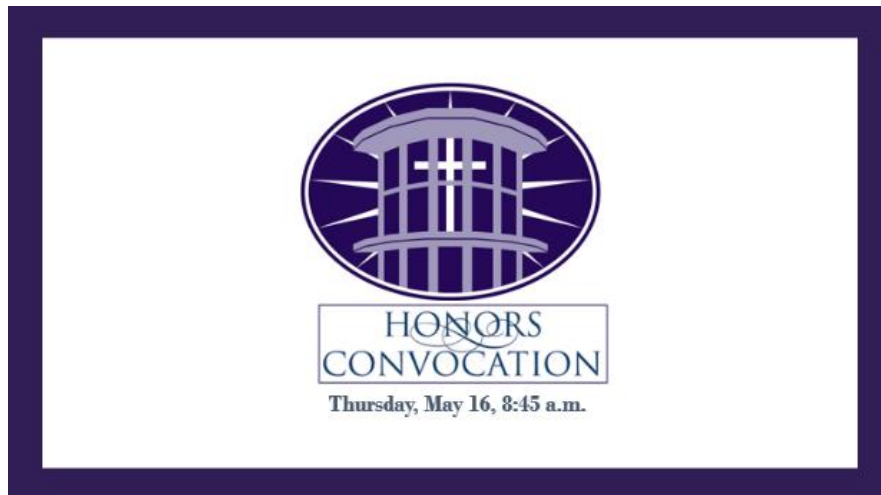




*“Be kind and compassionate to one another,  
forgiving each other, just as in Christ, God forgave you.”*

Ephesians 4:32

## Weekly News – May 6, 2019



**\*HONORS CONVOCATION – Please mark your calendar and join us for the Honors Convocation on Thursday, May 16, at 8:45 A.M.** To better serve our students, we changed the time of the Honors Convocation. Now, the school-day assembly allows all our students to attend. We seek to recognize our award winners and scholarship recipients in an atmosphere that lets younger students celebrate and emulate their accomplishments. Parents and grandparents are encouraged to attend the morning assembly. This is a special, dress-up day for all students.

**\*Signing Day is Thursday, May 9. Seniors -** If you are planning to play sports in college, you must report that information to Mr. Block ASAP...TODAY!!!

**\*Final exams are May 21, 22 and 23.** Final exams are culminating assessments for which students have prepared throughout the semester, and in some cases, will impact grades significantly. We believe a student being absent on these days causes complications and unneeded stress for the student. We highly recommend a student is present for finals and only absent in the case of an emergency. If a student has a conflict, he/she must receive a special pre-planned absence form from Mr. Bickel. It must be filled out completely **by Friday, May 10**, or a failing grade on the Final may be given.

**\*Prom is May 18.** Tickets are for sale during lunch this week - \$55 each/\$110 couple. The theme is “Bohemian Nights...Captured in a Dream.” RLHS doors open at 7:15 p.m. Photos can be taken in the gym. The motorcade leaves RLHS at 8:25 p.m. and will arrive at Prom at 8:45 p.m.

**\*Attention Seniors and Parents of Seniors!** It’s now or never! If your senior student has not had his/her **senior picture** taken yet, you are late! For the yearbook, we also need a few childhood or candid pictures of each senior. If you have any questions, call or text Julie Porter at 498-5919 or email [jporter@RacineLutheran.org](mailto:jporter@RacineLutheran.org)



**\*RLHS will hold its Fine Arts Festival Concert on at 7 p.m. on Friday, May 10. The art gallery opens at 6 p.m.** We will celebrate multiple facets of the school's thriving fine arts program. Unique art projects and Industrial Art creations will be showcased in the school's Commons. Student musicians from the Concert Choir, Concert Band, Chamber Choir and Handbell Ensemble will perform. Admission is free, and a goodwill offering will be available at the end of the concert.



**\*Summer Camps Registration is open!** Visit [RacineLutheran.org](http://RacineLutheran.org), and click on **Athletics** to read about the RLHS summer activities and download registration forms. Grade level is based on 2019-20 enrollments.

**RLHS Girls Basketball Camp** – grades 4-9 – June 17-20, 10 a.m.–12 p.m. \$60.

**Sader Strength and Speed** – grades 8-12, Monday through Thursday. Boys 8-9 a.m. Girls 9-10 a.m. Free.

**RLHS Co-ed Volleyball Camp** – grades 4-8 – July 8-11, 1–3 p.m. \$60.

**RLHS Girls Volleyball Camp** – grades 9-12 – July 8-11, 9 a.m.–12 p.m. \$60.

Information about RLHS camps: [jblock@RacineLutheran.org](mailto:jblock@RacineLutheran.org)

**Alex Scales “A Star is Born” Boys Basketball Camps:**

June 24-27. Information for the Alex Scales camp: [travian.allen@rusd.org](mailto:travian.allen@rusd.org)



**\*Congratulations to Mireya Cruz** and all the gifted people who performed at the **RLHS Talent Show**.

**\*SATURDAY HELPERS ARE NEEDED!** **Thrift Shop volunteer hours** count toward required **family service hours** (a minimum of 20 hours per year). Friends, alums and grandparents can volunteer! To help at the Lathrop Avenue store, call Barb at 632-1070. To help at the Douglas Avenue store, call Roy at 331-0261.



**\*Congratulations to the newest members of National Honor Society.** They were inducted during ceremony on May 5. Pictured – not in order: **Kris Banse, Alissa Burke, Amy Donaldson, Rachel Dustman, Riley Gall, Morgann Gardner, Sydney Hoover, Ben Hornak, Camille Juga, Nathan Knoell, Nolan Kraus, Megan Lichter, Elizabeth Lisowski, Tessa Meredith, Madison Mohar, Scooter Molbeck, Dynasia Muns, Tim Nelson, Paige Phillips, Taryn Riley, Amy Rosales, Jonathan Rosborough, Shayla Schaff, Joseph Schmierer, Kathryn Schmierer, Luke Schmierer, Noah Schoff, Michael Schweitzer, Mya Seitz, Natalie Shreck, Sullivan Stanke, N'Kai Tyson, Brady Wilks, Nathan Zawicki.**

\*Be sure to “like” us on **Facebook** – available pages are:

**Racine Lutheran High School**  
**Racine Lutheran High School Admissions**  
**Racine Lutheran High School Athletics**  
**Racine Lutheran High School Music Program**  
**Racine Lutheran Alumni**  
**Racine Lutheran High Thrift Shop at 1455 Douglas Avenue.**



And follow us on **Twitter**:

**@rlhscrusader**  
**@rlhsathletics**  
**@RLHSmusic**



## **News from the Athletic Office**

\*This is a reminder that **second semester grades determine eligibility for fall sports.** Failed classes can be made up in summer school.

\*We will be having a brief **signing ceremony** on Thursday during homeroom (8:45 a.m.) to celebrate all graduating seniors who will be continuing their athletic careers in college.

\*Our **spirit wear** page is on the school website. Look for the spirit wear link on the top of the homepage. Use promo code MAY19 to get 15% off any purchase of \$75 or more.

\*The athletic department has a **collection of close-out t-shirts which sell for \$5**. Come to the Athletic Office to check them out.

\*All **2018-19 and fall 2019-20 schedules** are on the online school calendar which can be found [here](#). Most of the spring sports schedule is now completed as well. Or click on the "Calendar" link on the school website. Bus departure times are also listed. You may also sign up for notifications from the calendar site which will alert you to upcoming contests and schedule changes. **Coaches' contact information is also found on the calendar site.**

A user guide for the school calendar website can be found [here](#). There is also a free mobile app to access the school calendar. Search "Activity Scheduler" in your app store.

\*Like us on Facebook: [facebook.com/rlhsathletics](https://facebook.com/rlhsathletics). Follow us on Twitter: @rlhsathletics

## **News from the Guidance Office**

\***College acceptance letters are arriving, and scholarships are being awarded!** Be sure to let Mr. Jones know your good news! **Congratulations** to:

**Calla Bixler** – UW-Milwaukee, UW-Whitewater, UW-Oshkosh, UW-Parkside

**Gabe Brandies** – Carthage College, Concordia University Ann Arbor

**Annika Crane** – UW-Milwaukee (Scholarship \$2,500 annually/\$10,000 total), Concordia University Wisconsin, St. Norbert College (\$18,000 annually/\$72,000 total)

**Jayden Davis** – Carthage College

**Sydney Dexter** – UW-Oshkosh, Concordia University Wisconsin, Carroll University, UW-Stevens Point

**Amaya Driver** – Carthage College, Concordia University Wisconsin, Wisconsin Lutheran College

**Aahlaysia Gentry** – UW-Green Bay, UW-Parkside (Picken Scholarship \$1,500 annually/\$6,000 total, Parkside Promise)

**Carly Goldsworthy** – Carroll University

**Payton Gyax** – University of Indiana-Bloomington, UW-Whitewater, UW-Milwaukee

**Tyler Hoover** – Beloit College (Scholarship \$32,000 annually/\$128,000 total), Saint Louis University (Scholarship \$24,000 annually/\$96,000 total), St. Norbert College (Scholarship \$24,000 annually/\$96,000 total), North Dakota State University

**Anna Janke** – UW-Madison, Ripon University (Scholarship \$17,000 annually/\$68,000 total), Concordia University Wisconsin (Scholarship \$20,000 annually/\$80,000 total), Edgewood College (Scholarship \$30,000 annually/\$120,000 total), Luther College (Scholarship \$5,000 annually/\$20,000 total)

**Petr Jaros** – Carthage College (Scholarship \$20,000 annually/\$80,000 total)

**Kendra Joubert** – UW-Milwaukee

**Hunter Jozwiak** – Marquette University (Père Marquette Scholarship \$15,000 annually/\$60,000 total)

**Matthew Kauth** – Ripon University

**Jackie Kellner** – Milwaukee School of Engineering, Olivet Nazarene College, Valparaiso University

**Noah Kidd** – UW-Parkside, UW-Whitewater, Carthage College (Scholarship \$20,000/\$80,000 total), Gateway Technical College

**Colton Kraus** – Butler University (High Honors Scholarship \$16,000 annually/\$64,000 total), Drake University (Presidential Scholarship \$21,000 annually/\$84,000 total), Rockford College

**Bryanna Kwiatkowski** – Carroll University

**Reina Leal** – Concordia University Wisconsin, UW-Parkside

**Hannah Mains** – Carthage College

**Seth Manchester** – Concordia University Wisconsin (CUW Presidential Scholarship \$13,000, CUW Early FAFSA Filing Grant \$1,500, Concordia Grant \$5,297, Luther Promise Guarantee \$703, CUW Choice Lutheran High Grad \$1,000, CUW Music Scholarship \$3,000)

**Steffani Manna** – UW-Madison

**Beatriz Mares** – Iowa Wesleyan University (Dean's Scholarship \$13,700 annually/\$54,800 total)

**Brittany Marweg** – Carroll University

**Sydney Monson** – University of Iowa

**Connor Rasch** – Milwaukee School of Engineering, Concordia University Wisconsin, Concordia University Chicago, Carthage College

**Jillian Rosborough** – Clemson University; University of Iowa (National Scholar Award \$7,400 annually/\$29,600 total, Wisconsin Access Award \$3,000 annually/\$12,000 total); Marquette University (Père Marquette Scholarship \$14,000 annually/\$56,000 total)

**William Schuessler** – UW-Milwaukee

**Bailey Seidel** – Carthage College

**Lexi Thomas** – Marquette University (Père Marquette Scholarship \$16,000 annually/\$64,000 total); Loyola University Chicago (Presidential Scholarship \$22,000 annually/\$88,000 total); Lewis University (Presidential Scholarship \$17,500 annually/\$70,000); Carroll University (Trustee Scholarship \$21,000 annually/\$84,000 total); Bradley University (Presidential Excellence Scholarship \$16,000 annually/\$64,000 total, Out-of-State Scholarship \$4,000 annually/\$16,000 total)

**Sarah Troop** – UW-Stevens Point, UW-Whitewater, Wisconsin Lutheran College (WLC Scholarship \$13,000 annually/\$52,000 total)

**Maddie Vanderhoef** – UW-Oshkosh

\*All young men need to register with **Selective Service** within 20 days of their 18<sup>th</sup> birthdays. Register online at [www.sss.gov](http://www.sss.gov).

\***Wisconsin Business World** is a program of WMC Foundation aimed at providing high school students with economic and financial literacy education, while teaching the importance of free-market enterprise. Business World hosts three four-day summer camps each year and numerous one-day “mini” programs during the school year for school districts around the state. Students participate in hands-on exercises that easily relate to the everyday life of running a business and finish each program with a better understanding of the intricacies of business. The program also exposes students to the variety of different career opportunities available after high school or college. To learn more, visit <https://www.wmc.org/programs/business-world/summer-program/>

\***Scholarship opportunity for seniors:** (See Mr. Jones for details and applications.)

**Mack C. Davis Community Club, Inc. Scholarship** – Five \$1,000 scholarships. Requirements include essay and letters of recommendation. **Deadline May 24.**

\*The “**Guide to College Admissions and Financial Aid**” is available for you in the Guidance Office. This will be a big help in gathering valuable information on the colleges in Wisconsin. Students and parents are welcome to stop in to pick up a copy.

\***College Planning Center – Educators Credit Union** has teamed with **Invite Education** to offer a program that helps families prepare for college. Invite Education designed this program so parents can start college planning with their child before they even start school! It will walk you through many of the areas discussed in this guide, offer guidance and give information along the way.

Use the program to:

- Plan for the cost of college and track your saving progress.
- Compare schools and the cost of tuition.
- Search for scholarships based on your student’s unique profile.
- And much more!

This program is a complementary tool from Educators Credit Union. The goal is to give you the information you need to help your family find success in life. Here’s a link to the page:

[https://www.ecu.com/financial\\_education/ecu-college-planning-center/](https://www.ecu.com/financial_education/ecu-college-planning-center/)

## **Other Opportunities**

\***Call for Candidates** – A Call committee has been formed to seek a **K4 teacher** for Trinity Lutheran Grade School’s morning program. If you have a candidate in mind or questions regarding the position, please contact Pamela Amling at [pamling@trinityracine.com](mailto:pamling@trinityracine.com) or 632-1766.

**\*Volunteers needed – St. John’s Lutheran School** is looking for volunteers for our **VBS**. It will be held Sunday **June 23**, from 3:30 until 5:30 p.m. with dinner to follow, Monday, **June 24**, through Wednesday, **June 26**, from 5:30 until 7:30 p.m. and Thursday, **June 27**, from 5:30 until 7 p.m. with church service to follow. They need leaders to help bring the different groups to the different activities. If interested in volunteering, please visit: [www.vbsmate.com/stjohnsracine](http://www.vbsmate.com/stjohnsracine). If you have any questions, please contact Crystal Kristiansen [c.b.kristiansen@gmail.com](mailto:c.b.kristiansen@gmail.com) or Amy Salinas [gonzalezam02@hotmail.com](mailto:gonzalezam02@hotmail.com). Note: These hours do not count toward your RLHS family service hours.

**2019 RLHS Yearbook Alert**  
***“Your Must-Have Forever Facebook”***  
***Have You Ordered Your Yearbook?***

Students and parents agree: Racine Lutheran has a great yearbook. ***Every student really would like to have a yearbook, and it is something they will treasure for a lifetime.*** There usually are no extra copies available, since we can only order the number of books that are prepaid. ***If you want a 2019 Citadel, you must order one.*** You may want to present this yearbook as a very special gift to your son/daughter. ***Please send your order and payment to the school office soon.*** (*You also may order with credit card by contacting the school office.*) In early May, each student who has ordered a yearbook will receive an autograph insert to exchange with friends for signing.

The cost of the yearbook is \$60. ***It is a one-of-a-kind full-color publication filled with over two-thousand pictures.*** The *Citadel* contains 160 pages of photo memories of all students, teachers, friends, teams, activities, classes, and special events -- all put together with care through hundreds of hours of work by the publications staff. Almost every student orders a yearbook, so don't be left out. We hope you will take this opportunity to get your copy of this great book!

If you have questions, please call or text Julie Porter (yearbook adviser) at 498-5919, or leave a message at school, or email me at [jporter@RacineLutheran.org](mailto:jporter@RacineLutheran.org) Hopefully you will enjoy the *Citadel* for many years to come.

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**2019 Yearbook Order**

*Please enclose your payment in an envelope and turn it in to the school office. Either include this slip or write your name and "Yearbook Order" on front of the envelope. To order by credit card, call school office.*

Please order a copy of the Racine Lutheran HS yearbook, the **2019 Citadel** for:

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed is my payment of \$60 for each yearbook. Thank you!

(Optional) Text me at this number when the yearbooks arrive for pick-up: \_\_\_\_\_