

# Lutheran High School Westland

June/July 2011



## CONGRATULATIONS CLASS OF 2011

We wish you God's blessings on your summer and in your future endeavors. Final transcripts for seniors will be mailed to your college of record as listed in the graduation program. If there is a change in the college you will be attending, please call the school office to have an additional transcript mailed.

## Summer Office Hours

June - Monday, June 13 thru Thursday, June 30 from 9am to 12pm  
July - Tuesdays from 9am to 12pm  
Closed Tuesday, July 5th  
August - Monday, August 1 thru Wednesday, August 17 from 9am - 12pm  
Beginning August 18th from 9am - 3pm

## Summer School

Students who received an "F" in a required class for either the first or second semester must make up this credit in summer school. Be sure to check with the School Office **BEFORE** enrolling in the courses. We can only approve credits earned in summer school that have been approved **in advance**.

## Summer Activity Opportunities

Throughout the summer months there are opportunities to take part in activities in the new gym and the weight room. You are invited to come and use these opportunities to get to know some of your fellow students and the LHWL staff, and to get in shape for the fall athletic season. All participants must be registered for the 2011-12 school year. Alumni are also welcome. The summer gym schedule can be found [here](#), or on our school website at [lhwl.lhsa.com](http://lhwl.lhsa.com)

(Please note: There will be no activities from July 4th through July 8th.)  
**Hope to see you here!**

## ***Fall Athletic Try-outs***

The Fall Athletic season will begin in August with try-outs for each sport. Try-out dates are scheduled as follows:

Football - August 8th  
Volleyball, Cross Country and Soccer - August 10th  
Cheerleading - August 15th

Practice times will be included in the August newsletter and will also be posted on the school website.

## ***REGISTRATION in August***

**Freshmen and Transfer students** should attend Registration and orientation on Monday, August 22nd at 6pm. At that time they will receive their locker assignments and class schedules as well as other important LHWL information.

**Returning students** should drop in the school office from 9:00am until 2:30 pm on Thursday, August 18th or Friday, August 19th to pick up their 2011-12 school year information, including locker combinations and class schedules.

## ***Registration Requirements***

- **All students** need to fill out the required **Emergency Contact form** and submit it to the school office.
- **All freshmen, transfer students and any student enrolled in P.E. or participating in a sport** must also submit a **Physical form** (the lower portion of the Emergency Contact form) signed by a physician and dated **on or after April 15, 2011**, as required by state law. For students trying out for a fall sport this form is due on the first day of practice. For all other students the form is due at the time of final registration. Forms can be turned in to the office at any time during the summer.

**For a copy of the Emergency Contact and Physical form click [here](#).**

- **All freshmen and transfer students** must also turn in a **New Student Immunization form**. Please be aware that all new student entrants to school must have completed the series of three Hepatitis B immunizations. The Michigan Health Department has stated that the series must be completed by the time school starts. The Health department has also mandated that varicella vaccination or proof of immunity will be required for all new student entrants. A parent's statement that the student has had chickenpox is sufficient documentation for proof of immunity. A new requirement that the Michigan Health Department has made is the Meningococcal vaccine, which is a one time dose for children 11-18 years of age. Please bring this form with you to the first day of fall sports practice or to final registration.

**For a copy of the New Student Immunization form click [here](#).**

- According to the School Code of Michigan, **new ninth grade students or transfer students must provide the school with a copy of the student's birth certificate or other reliable proof of age**. Please bring a copy with you to final registration. If you have questions about this state requirement please feel free to contact the school office.

## ***Senior portraits***

Information regarding senior portraits will be sent by Prestige Portraits to each 2012 graduate. We encourage you to be photographed by Prestige, since this is the portrait that will be used in the yearbook and on the class composite. (Please note that portraits taken by any other studio cannot be accepted for use on the class composite or in the yearbook) **The last day to be photographed by Prestige and be included in the yearbook is Saturday, October 1, 2011.** Your yearbook portrait selection must be chosen and given to Prestige by Saturday, October 15, 2011. Since your senior portrait will be displayed in the hallway and in the yearbook, we require that seniors follow these standards of dress:

**Men:** Dress shirt, tie and suit or sport coat required. No bow ties. No earrings or facial hair. Hair should be cut according to the school dress code.

**Women:** Jewel neckline or dressy blouse required. No T-shirts, sleeveless tops, or low necklines - colors should be modest.

## ***Tuition payments for 2011-12***

Tuition payment information will be mailed to you from the Lutheran High School Association office. If you have questions about your tuition, please contact the LHSA office at 248-856-0240.

## ***Service Hours for next year***

Just a reminder that any summer volunteer church and community service hours can be applied for the 2011-12 school year. So, help out with VBS or other summer projects and finish your 20 service hours before school even begins!

## ***Host families needed***

We are currently looking for host families for international students that will be attending Lutheran High School Westland. Host families are asked to provide housing, meals and transportation for the students. Host families are also asked to include the international student in family functions while they are living with them. There is a monthly stipend of \$600.00 - \$800.00 per month given to host families to cover the costs of hosting an international student. The students will have their own spending money. For more information please contact Julie Hoegeman at the Lutheran High School Association (248-856-0240) or you can e-mail her at [jhoegeman@lhsa.com](mailto:jhoegeman@lhsa.com).

## ***BACK TO SCHOOL***

School will begin on **Monday, August 29, 2011 at 7:55 am.** This will be a half-day of school with classes being dismissed at 12:00 noon. A full day of classes will begin on Tuesday, August 30th at 7:55 am and will be dismissed at 3:10 pm.

For a copy of the 2011-12 LHWL Calendar Summary click [here](#).

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