

Dear Students, Teachers, and Parents,

# Art Fair

It is time to prepare for the MLHS ACADEMIC FAIR! The Art Fair is a great way to share what your students have been doing. In order for the Art Fair to run smoothly, here is a list of CHANGES, DATES and TIMES for this year. Please make a note of all changes especially...

1. **All schools must set up and take down their own art projects.** The day and hours for set up are *Thursday April 12<sup>th</sup>, 4-8pm*. Please **do not** come and drop off projects *without setting them up*. Help will be there to direct traffic and let you know where you need to hang / display your school's artwork. Tape and pins will be available but you may like to bring your own also. Take down may be done at the **END** of the Academic Fair. Please do not remove artwork until the end of the day. A suggestion is to have one designated volunteer from each school to take all artwork down at the end of the day.

2. **All schools must send one judge to help on Friday night.** Judging will begin on Friday, April 13<sup>th</sup>, at 6pm . Judging will hopefully be done in a few hours. Please email me the name and email address of your judge. The judges last year were super positive and kept the students in mind while judging. Great care was taken on all decisions. Thanks so much for your efforts!

3. **Labeling System** ....Categories are: Drawing, Painting, Printmaking, Sculpture and Crafts, **Class Assignments**

## **\*\* PLEASE NOTE! \*\***

1. 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Projects will be judged.
2. All students are invited to join in some FREE art making at the MLHS art fair under the direction of the high school art students.

A few reminders...

- Students in Kindergarten through second grade may enter **one article** per student. Their work will be displayed, but not judged. Each entry will receive a participation ribbon. The rules for the lower elementary grades are on another page. **The MLHS art students will hang all the K-2 projects.** This entry is in **addition to** the all school mural.
- **Seeing an entire classroom do the same project can be fun. It can be fun to see how each student interpreted the assignment and made it their own. Let's see how this goes this year. If you have a class assignment that you would LOVE to share – bring them and we will have an area for them to be displayed together.**
- A Best of Show will be awarded, along with first, second, third, honorable mention, and participation ribbons. Each student will receive a ribbon.
- Consider holding your own school-wide art fair and bringing only those projects that receive 1st /2nd place.
- Some hints and guidelines have been included to help with the choosing process. Always remember to be neat and clean and do your best work.

If there is anything I can do to help you encourage students to participate, please let me know. Or, if you have suggestions for the over-all art fair, please direct those concerns to me.

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## General Guidelines for Art Fair

Use God-pleasing subject material-your favorite things (Judges have the right to disqualify a piece for inappropriate subject matter.)

Projects submitted in previous years will be disqualified

Be creative: Do not trace any project or enlarge by squares

Use only heavy art paper or construction paper, available through your school's art department, Wal-Mart, or Hobby Lobby. Art work submitted on typing or copy machine paper will not be accepted.

Pictures may be matted but NOT framed. (they are just too heavy to attach to the display board)

Attach a white entry tag to the front of your project, clearly stating your name, grade, school, media, category and whether it was a kit. Try to have an equal number of entries from each category.

Use this entry tag to make your life easier?

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# MLHS ART FAIR

## GRADES K-2

Students in Grades K-2 are invited to share artwork in the art fair. This will be their time to display a favorite art picture. Our only restriction is to limit the size of paper to **9" x 12"**. They may use any media they choose. The pictures can be hand-drawn or a picture they colored from a classroom assignment or coloring book. It might be a picture done with construction paper. We will be hanging these pictures on the walls of the gym and flow into the hallways if we need more room. These entries will not be judged, but each student will receive a participation ribbon. It might be fun to come see their art displayed and see the art done by their classmates. It is also fun for us to see your students on the MLHS campus!

To enter, complete your picture and have your teacher or parent label you picture with an entry tag that is included below. We are limiting entries to **one per student**.

*The MLHS art students will be responsible for hanging all the K-2 artwork.*

**All entries need to be brought to MLHS on Thursday, April 12<sup>th</sup> from 4-8pm.**

Any questions? Call Kathy Kock at school 682-0215 (x415) or cell 989-245-8497  
or [kkock@mlhslancers.org](mailto:kkock@mlhslancers.org)

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# All School Murals

2018-2019 Theme

## “Growing and Building in Love”

Bible Reference: *Ephesians 4:15-16*

*"Instead, speaking the truth in love, we will grow to become in every respect the mature body of him who is the head, that is, Christ. From him the whole body, joined and held together by every supporting ligament, grows and builds itself up in love, as each part does its work."*

- Design and create a mural based on the theme
  - **NEW THIS YEAR!!** -- The “Best of Fair” mural design will be used as the basis for the artwork for next year’s school theme for all of our Lakeshore Lutheran Schools, including MLHS.
- Any media is ok – paint, markers, crayons,...a combination of all
- Mural must be designed and drawn by the students (*no computer generated images or clip art*)
  - Example (you don’t have to follow this exactly): 7-8 plan numerous drawings and ideas, school votes on favorite ideas, 5-6 draws them onto larger paper (may use overhead projector to enlarge) and does all outlining, K-4 color, color, color, 7-8 plan and execute a border design, 5-6 add details or glitz, K-8 sign their finished piece of artwork, faculty/parents oversee, give suggestions, organize groups, encourage creativity, take pictures of the process (it is really fun for people to see these), transport finished mural and hang it
- Try to get every student (K-8) involved in the process
- Size - 4’x 6’ -- Must be done on the material that MLHS has provided
- School name must be on mural
- **IMPORTANT!! – Written Narrative**
  - Each mural must include a brief written description detailing which students or classes did which parts of the overall mural process.

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