



Luther High School

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UPDATE

In case you missed it, Luther High School's first day of school will be on Wednesday, August 26th. We will warmly welcome back all of our students and look forward to a great 20-21 school year. Freshman orientation day will take place on Tuesday, August 25. The schedule for that day will be coming out soon.

With the reopening of school, there will be many questions. To help our families out, we have added a frequently asked questions section to our website. Go to www.lutherhigh.org and click on COVID-19 Updates. Then click on COVID FAQs and scroll down the page to see the questions. If the question you have is not answered on this page, please submit a question to office@luther.k12.wi.us or engejon@luther.k12.wi.us and we will get the question answered as quickly as possible.

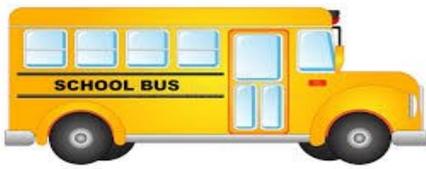
Picture Day



Friday, August 28 is picture day at Luther. Please look for an email from Lifetouch in the near future with details regarding the option to purchase pictures online. Paper forms will also be given to students the first day of school.

[LHS Online Calendar](#)

Please click on the link above for the most up-to-date calendar information at Luther High School.



Busing

With the back to school plan now approved and in place, we are working with Go Riteway and the School Districts of La Crosse, Onalaska, and Holmen to finalize the bus routes, pick-up times, and updated bus guidelines. A big thank you to everyone who has pre-registered for busing and to those who responded to the survey about the four Luther charter routes from Tomah, Winona, Lewiston and Genoa. If you have not pre-registered, you **MUST** contact Mr. Joel Babinec this week. Non-registered students will not be allowed to ride the bus.

IMPORTANT: Registered riders will be receiving an email that will detail the bus transportation information for this coming year. We hope to have that sent out on Friday of this week - or early next week at the latest. Thank you for your patience as we continue to finalize plans for this upcoming school year.

2020-2021 Bus Routes

Luther Routes

Tomah—#9
Winona—#10
Lewiston—#20
Genoa—#37

Other School District Routes

La Crosse
Onalaska
Holmen

With the Governor's mandate for masks starting August 1st, we missed removing a section of the reopening protocols which stated masks could be removed during physical activity. We need to revise the statement to read, "Masks will be worn whenever students, faculty, and staff are inside at Luther High School which includes times of physical activity." We have already started this last week with our volleyball contact days. **If your son or daughter is coming to use the fitness center this week, he/she will need to wear a mask.**



ATHLETICS

Fall Sports Officially Begin August 17

Cross country and girls tennis will be the first teams to restart since the Covid-19 shutdown this coming Monday. Volleyball and football are scheduled to begin on September 7. ALL FORMS MUST BE SUBMITTED PRIOR TO EACH RESPECTIVE FIRST DAY OF PRACTICE. For cross country and tennis, please turn in forms by Friday, August 14.

Fitness Center Reopens

The Fitness Center at Luther High School will be open on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays August 10-17. There are 6 sessions available each of those lifting days. There will be 3 sessions in the morning at 7:00, 8:00, and 9:00 am as well as 3 sessions in the evening at 4:00, 5:00, and 6:00 pm. At each session, we will be able to allow only 10 athletes. If you are interested in attending any of the lifting sessions, please send your top 3 choices of times to Coach Schiebel at schimatt@luther.k12.wi.us and he will try to fit you into one of your preferred slots. Please be advised that the morning slots are near capacity. All slots are filled on a first-come first-served basis. The Fitness Center is open to any Luther student who is interested and **masks must be worn** per the state mandate.

Parent Pre-season Sport Presentation

For those who have viewed the 2020-2021 presentation, thank you. If you have not yet watched, please do so by August 17. Click [HERE](#) for a direct link to the presentation. It can be found on the athletic web page as well.



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