# Manitowoc Lutheran High School Federation Meeting

#### MLHS STUDENT STAFF SERVICES

Student Staff Services Chair: Pastor Steven Wall

# Date of Meeting: Saturday, November 16, 2024

### On-going committee activities (typical activities performed throughout the year):

- 1. Care Committee for Called Workers (CCCW)
  - a. Committee of individuals/couples who reach out to called workers to support and encourage them in their ministry.
  - b. Annual meeting was held September 14 and assignments were handed out.
- 2. Pastor Appreciation Month: October
  - a. Holly Zirbel worked with Mrs. Ungemach to have Foods class students prepare treats for our pastors.
- 3. Custodian Appreciation Day: Oct. 2
  - a. Custodians went out for lunch, provided by MLHS, and received Gift cards to Ace Hardware
- 4. Calling Freshman parents:
  - a. Jerry Haupt is heading up the effort to call the Freshman parents. Calling begins this month
- 5. Board visitation day is set for March 4<sup>th</sup>.
- 6. Scripmas:
  - a. Holly is organizing the annual Scripmas event. Students give financial gifts, which are then combined and given as gifts to all the faculty in the form of Scrip cards.

### Special requests and topics of discussion:

- 1. Proposal to add Girls Soccer for next school year (Spring 2026).
  - a. Athletic Director Scott Loberger presented to the committee a proposal to add Girls Soccer. The proposal was well researched, surveying current and future students for interest, indicating that there is enough interest to fill out a team of around 20 girls.
  - b. The SSS recommended to the Board of Control that we approve the proposal and add Girls Soccer for the 2025-26 school year.
  - c. At the Nov. 5 meeting, the BoC approved the proposal to add Girls Soccer for the 2025-26 school year.
- 2. Although not discussed by our committee, Mr. Uhlhorn presented to the BoC at the Nov. 5 meeting a proposal to add girls wrestling to our sports program. The Board of Control approved the proposal.

#### Committee Members:

- Pastor Steven Wall, committee chair
- Holly Zirbel
- Ryan Hulse
- Pastor Norris Baumann
- Angie Mehlhorn

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