

Practice these things, immerse yourself in them, so that all
may see your progress. 1 Timothy 4:15

To: Principal, Athletic Director, Coaches, Players, and Parents

Re: The 19th Annual Milt Brueggemann Hope Classic
December 2nd - 4th, 2021

Greetings in the name of our risen Lord and Savior. We are working on our final touches for our 19th Annual Milt Brueggemann Hope Classic basketball tournament. Enclosed you will find some very important information about our tournament. We are also asking you for information that will need to be sent back to us for our tournament. Please pay special attention to the deadlines outlined in this packet so that our tournament will run smoothly.

The Participants

We are pleased to inform you that we have a full slate of teams for this year's tournament.

Bethany Lutheran School, Overland Park, KS
Calvary Lutheran School, Kansas City, MO
St. Paul Lutheran School, Concordia, MO
Maranatha Christian Academy, Shawnee, KS
Martin Luther Academy, Kansas City, MO
Hope Lutheran School, Shawnee, KS
St. Paul Lutheran School, St. Joseph, MO

The Brackets

Enclosed along with this mailing are the team brackets. The brackets were randomly picked. Both tournaments will follow a standard six-team bracket with both winners and consolation brackets. All games will be played in the Family Life Center, our big gym.

Roster

Please email a "Word" document of your roster with names, numbers, and grades to Nancy Jankowski, jankowski@hopelutheran.org. Please email this by November 15th if at all possible (**Nov 19 is the absolute deadline**) to assure placement in our tournament program and so we can do the official scorebook pages on the computer prior to the tournament.

Entry Fee

The entry fee is \$70 per team. Please make the check payable to Hope Lutheran.

Team Check-in

There will be a registration table when you enter the west doors of the school. Coaches may pick up your team packet. This will include all the information you will need for the weekend.

Team Rooms

Each school will be assigned a team room. **This is for Saturday only. No players will be allowed in the team rooms without a coach present.** Athletes will be expected to respect these rooms and leave them as they were found. Coaches will have a key exchange when they check in to receive a key to their team room and we ask that the rooms be locked if no players and coaches are occupying them. **Coaches, please respect this procedure and do not allow athletes to go in the room unattended.**

Admission Fee/Weekend Pass

We have separate daily admission fees and weekend passes for both adults and children (1st thru 8th grade). Kindergarten and younger is free.
Thursday - \$3.00 adults / \$2.00 children
Friday - \$3.00 adults / \$2.00 children
Saturday - \$5.00 adults / \$2.00 children
Weekend Family Pass - \$20.00 (for up to 4 people)

T-shirts

We will be offering a tournament t-shirt. The t-shirt order will be online only. We will send this as soon as we have the design. **We will not have shirts available for sale at the tournament. We will only do pre-tournament orders.** T-shirts will be available for the coaches to pick up when they check in. The order deadline is **Monday, November 15.**

Concessions

A full concession stand will be available throughout the weekend. It will include meal deals, a la carte, drinks, snacks, and more.

Thank you

We want to thank you in advance for being a part of the 19th Annual Milt Brueggemann Hope Classic. We look forward to fun and fellowship, seeing old friends, and meeting new friends.

Thank you for taking the time to fill out your roster, t-shirt order forms, and meeting our deadlines. Your help allows us to have a well-run tournament. If there is anything we can do to assist you, please feel free to give me or Mrs. Jankowski (principal) a call or email.

God's Blessings,

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