



## Message from Principal Kelly

Dear Parent/Guardians:

The first semester ended on January 20, with report cards sent home with the students on January 27.

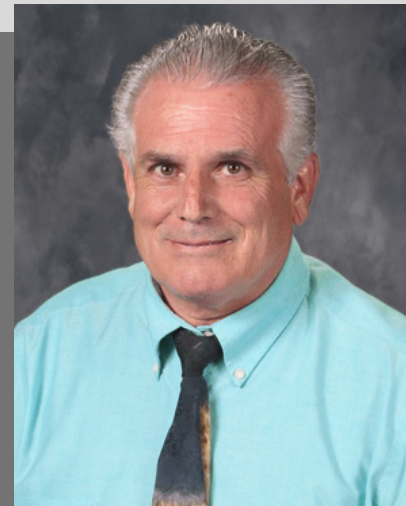
The last scheduled Parent-Teacher Conferences will be held on February 16 from 2-9 p.m. Conferences are scheduled in 15-minute blocks. The core teachers at each grade level will be available during your scheduled time. Please make an effort to contact the school to schedule an appointment. It makes a difference.

Administration will be meeting during the month to create a state testing window for the spring tests. Once those dates have been established they will be posted online. The student will also receive a hard copy. Testing will not begin until after Easter break. The state testing window opens with ELA on March 27.

The 8th-grade girls and boys basketball teams are top seeds. The middle school tournaments start on February 4. They need to win out to take it all. Winning teams will advance to play on February 6, with the championship played on February 8.

The 7th- and 8th-grade Power of the Pen team will be competing Saturday, February 4 at South Range Middle School for the district tournament.

*Mr. Martin Kelly, Principal  
Grades 6-7-8*



## Important Dates

Feb. 16	Early release at noon Parent-Teacher Conferences 2-9 p.m.
Feb. 17	No school
Feb. 19	No school
Feb. 22	Interims

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# School Counselor Connection

**Mrs. Wilthew**  
School Counselor for Grades 6-9

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***“Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.”  
— Nelson Mandela***

This month is a busy and exciting time for our 8th-grade students as we start our high school scheduling process. I will be in the 8th-grade English classes on specific days to go over the academic hand book and high school graduation requirements. Students will also receive a Freshman scheduling sheet of classes for next year. Teachers will sign off for class recommendations and a parent/guardian signature is required. I encourage parents/guardians to review the scheduling materials with your student(s) to have an understanding of the class selection process.

Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you,  
Mrs. Wilthew

**To connect with  
Mrs. Wilthew, email  
[melissa.wilthew@labrae.school](mailto:melissa.wilthew@labrae.school)  
or call 330-898-0800 option 3**

**Click the link below to check  
out Mrs. Wilthew's  
[School Counselor website.](#)  
There you will find Parent Resources,  
Important Dates and much more.**

# LMS STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Congratulations to our LMS January 2023 Students of the Month! We are proud of their accomplishments.



**GRADE 8**  
**Megan Young**  
**Riley Lutz**

**GRADE 7**  
**Shyann Koski**  
**Jonryan Freeman**

**GRADE 6**  
**Emma Middleton**  
**Madison Swearingen**



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