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## Lessons We're Learning at MLC



**Evan Turriff** (*LPS / Gloria Dei-Memphis*) and **Seth Koelpin** (*LPS / Calvary-Dallas*) study Greek using whiteboards provided by the library.

**Studying Greek:** Tackling the languages is about more than just reaching proficiency. It's also about the lessons learned along the way. "The process of studying Greek is unlike any other," says **Noah Schaewe** (*Huron Valley LHS / Faith-Sussex WI*). "Professors tell us that when studying Greek, you have to continue until you think you've got it all down, and then keep going. It's completely worth it! Learning how precise the Greek language is when translating the Bible gives me even more appreciation for what we're doing here."

**Following a Friend's Example:** "I was never faithful with devotions until I met the most wonderful woman in the world, my fiancée, **Faith Otte** (*NELHS / Bethel-York NE*)," says **Caleb Schulz** (*Shoreland / Bethany-Manitowoc WI*). "She's taught me that these things matter. Setting aside 10 minutes for a devotion once a day corresponds to you being in God's Word 60 extra hours by the end of the year! Devotions seem tough to fit into our schedules, but they're just something that won't happen unless we make time for them. It's even easier to do with a friend—especially," he adds, "of the opposite gender."



**Being a Student-Athlete:** "I've learned to fight through adversity and that teammates always have your back," says basketball and softball athlete **Halley Engelbrecht** (*Northland / St. Paul-Bangor WI, pictured*). "Playing D3 sports is a privilege, and I've learned to appreciate the game and never take it for granted. I've also learned to make time management a priority. Making use of off hours and bus rides, communicating with professors, and keeping track of assignments is crucial."

**Student Teaching:** "There is a misconception that teaching high school students can be intimidating and scary," says secondary vocal and elementary education major **Jennie Adickes** (*Luther / First-La Crosse WI*). "However, I learned that these students want to build relationships. Just like any other students, they want to grow closer to their peers, to their teachers, and to their Savior. My experience at Fox Valley Lutheran High School was a huge blessing, and I am thankful for the wonderful people I was able to grow with!"



**Derek Gulrud** (*Lakeside / St. John-Waterloo WI*) gets a taste of victory while the other competitors leave the Blazin' Wing Challenge with the burning flavor of failure.

## Knights Love Wing Night

Half the campus flocked to the caf Sunday night, hungry for some Buffalo Wild Wings and revved up for a great time. "Wing Night is truly for the students," says **Dan Spaude** (*Antigo HS-WI / Ascension-Antigo WI*). "They can hang out with friends, talk basketball, and compete in March Madness-themed competitions, all while eating some quality B-Dubs wings."

The MLC Events Team, led by Event Coordinator Michelle Gartner, first brought the joys of Wing Night to MLC last year. This year's event saw 350 students downing 2,400 wings. "Being on the event staff myself, I got to see the work the team put into this event," says Dan. "It was amazing to see that work come to fruition." If you've ever come to a band concert or Forum production, you've seen an Events Team member serving. The team also plans adventures for students. This year's events included a MN State Fair trip, a MN United game, and the MLC favorite—Wing Night.