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CONCORDIA LUTHERAN SCHOOL

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Mission Statement: Concordia Lutheran School exists to bring Christ and excellence in academics to our children for life and forever.

April 27, 2016

IMPORTANT DATES COMING UP:

- *Weds. April 27th
- Chapel, 9 a.m. (Last collection for Arlo)
- *Thurs. April 28th
- SOAR, Gr K 3, 3:50 5:00 p.m.
- * Fri. April 29th
- Fab Food Friday
- Track permission slips due
- * Mon. May 2nd
- Cans for Classrooms Week! Bring 'em in!
- Scrip orders due w/payment by 10 a.m.
- Band @ RLHS 6 p.m. Beg./7 p.m. Symph.
- SOAR, Gr 4 5, 3:50 5:00 p.m.
- * Tues. May 3rd
- SOAR, Gr 6 8, 3:50 5:00 p.m.
- * Weds. May 4th
- Field Day T-shirt Orders due
- Midterms go home, gr. 3 8
- Childcare bills go home
- * Thurs. May 5th
- Early Release, 1:30 dismissal
- Child care available for Early Release
- NO SOAR
- * Friday, May 6th
- Fab Food

THANK YOU, MR. JOYCE for repairing our basketball hoop. We are grateful for your time and for giving us something fun to do during recess!

YEAR END COUNTDOWN FUN! Please take note of the handout in your child's folder today detailing the specific activities to be held on the final 26 days of school. We begin the countdown tomorrow!

CONGRATULATIONS OUR EAGLE TO AWARD RECIPIENTS The following students were recognized in chapel today for their outstanding Christian character during the month of March: Kayden Kochanski, Rebecca Moyett, Sage Golon, Aaron Klemme, Brayden Larson, Turner Ritacco, Aiden Vollmer, Logan Eberhardt, Ethan Meves, Riley Dexter, Genesis Korina Thomas, Kaitlynn Gelmi, Moyett, Annalysa Boedecker and Amy Rosales. Thanks for letting Jesus shine through YOU! ©

save your cans for the month of May beginning Monday, May 2nd. Cans for May will be accepted through Friday, May 6th. Be sure to mark your bag with your child's grade level. Thank you!

ORDER SUMMER SKILLS BOOKS NOW! Help your child move to the head of the class (without adding more screen time to their summer)! Summer Skills Books are available through the school in Math and Language Arts at all levels. Keyboarding, foreign language & study skills sharpeners are also available at varied grade levels. They sell for \$19.00 each in a student-friendly format! To see samples please stop by the school office. Please return your order by Wednesday, May 11th.

MIDTERMS POSTPONED With the Wisconsin Forward Exam utilizing a good deal of class time for students in grades 3 - 8 we have postponed the release of midterms until Wednesday, May 4th.

ONE WAY TRAFFIC DURING SCHOOL HOURS Please keep in mind that during the school day we ask that you ENTER ONLY from Durand Avenue. EXIT ONLY on to Corliss Ave (unless cones prohibit you from doing so). Your help in following this procedure for the safety of all is appreciated!

TRACK SEASON IS HERE!! A permission slip has gone home with all 5 - 8th grade students for the meet on May 10th. Please read it carefully and return it promptly. <u>Track practices will be held from 4 - 5:30 on</u>:

Thurs. April 28 Tues. May 3 Mon. May 9

PTL NEWS & NOTES The final meeting for the school year was held last week. Tons of great ideas on ways to make our school an even greater place to grow were discussed. Tremendous thanks go out to Melany Stanke for her leadership as PTL President over the past years. Vice-President Tracy Hansen will also be vacating her position, with our sincere gratitude. A warm welcome is extended to our new Co-Presidents, Jonathan and Terri Lisowski! They are seeking a volunteer to work with them and fill the Vice-President position. For information on this position or how you can become more involved in PTL and in our school, please contact Mrs. Klein or the Lisowski's.

CONGRATULATIONS to OUR LEGO CONTEST WINNER, Cullen Lisowski. Cullen created a replica of Racine's Windpoint Lighthouse and surrounding area. A round of applause to Cullen for his creativity and hard work.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR for our annual Trivia Night at Concordia on Friday, May 20th. Cost is \$10.00 per person. Come alone, as a couple or bring a team of up to 8! Concessions will be available for purchase or you may bring in your own snacks.

PLEASE JOIN US for our Spring Musical, "Happy Day" on Friday, May 13th at 6 PM. Happy Day is an energizing praise and worship celebration about the amazing resurrection of Jesus, our Savior. The children's joyous voices are ready to proclaim our Savior's love for all. All kindergarten through eighth grade students will participate!

FIELD DAY TSHIRTS ORDERS are due by Weds. May 4. If you are interested in placing an order (\$7.00 for most sizes) please act on adding this great piece of spirit wear to your collection!

SEVENTH GRADE TEACHER The combined seventh and eighth grade class will be separated for the 2016-17 school year. Miss B. will continue to teach the eighth grade. © The School Board is preparing to issue a call to Mr. Chris Drager to serve as the seventh grade teacher. Mr. Drager has served as a Director for Christian Education and Youth Ministry at Bethel Lutheran in Gurnee, IL since 2006. His daughter Sophia is a 2012 graduate of Concordia. During Sophia's time at Concordia, Mr. Drager also served as our Athletic Director. We look forward to the opportunity to have him return to the fold! Please join us in praying for the Lord's direction and guidance in this process.

TEN VOLUNTEER HOURS per family are required each year. We are drawing near to the end of the year - have you completed your ten hours AND SENT IN THE VOLUNTEER FORM©? Opportunities to assist with hot dog days, chaperoning an upcoming field trip or miscellaneous grounds work projects. Contact the office or your child's teacher or the office to help. Record your hours and submit your hours by May 31st.

JUST A REMINDER Keep sending in the Box Tops and Labels for Education! Remember the kids do receive a treat/prize for helping out.

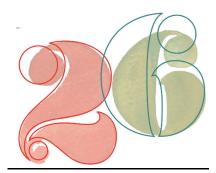
CHAPEL OFFERINGS FOR ARLO will continue for the remainder of this month. Last the week the total collected was \$999.31 bringing our total at that time to \$1037.42! Stay tuned for a GRAND TOTAL for this project next week. Please continue to keep Arlo in your prayers as he prepares for pulmonary surgery next Thursday. We give thanks that the last round of chemotherapy was able to get rid of one of the lung tumors and shrunk the others present. We pray that the hearing loss that has been caused by the chemo will be able to corrected at a later time. God bless all of you for supporting Arlo and his family during this difficult time. <3 XO <3 Our project for the month of May and June supports the Lutheran Special School who assists schools in the Metro Milwaukee area (including Racine).

VERSE TO REMEMBER The Lord is with you when you are with Him. If you seek Him, He will be found by you.

~ 2 Chronicles 15:2

Thought for the day: God walks with us. He scoops us up in His arms or simply sits with us in silent strength until we cannot avoid the awesome recognition that yes, even now, He is here.

~ Gloria Gaither.



Days remain in this school year! Make each one the very best! © Don't forget to use the countdown sheet sent home today!!

RACINE LUTHERAN HIGH NEWS FOR YOU...

All incoming students need to attend a course selection meeting. Available dates include May 7, May 9, and May 13. Times vary.

*Facebook - Please "Like" Racine Lutheran High School Admissions on Facebook and continue to enjoy the latest news, photos, and announcements.

*Financial Assistance is available for next year. If you are interested in Racine Lutheran High School but you need help paying tuition, please contact Bonnie Christensen in our Business Office at 637-6538 or bchristensen@RacineLutheran.org. We will help you continue to give your child the gift of Christian education.