

Concordia Lutheran School

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*"Bringing Christ and excellence
in academics to our children
for life and forever."*

EAGLE BANNER

December 7, 2016

IMPORTANT DATES

Wednesday, December 7

- January Lunch Orders go home
- Thrilling Thursday orders go home

Thursday, December 8

- Thrilling Thursday

Friday, December 9

- Christmas Band Concert @
Racine Lutheran High, 7 p.m.

Monday, December 12

- Scrip Orders due by 10 a.m.
- GS Troup 10759 Meeting, 4 pm

Wednesday, December 14

- Chapel, 9 a.m.
- January Lunch Orders due
- Childcare bills go home
- K- 3 Girl Scout Info Mtg, 6 p.m.
- Culver's Night, 5 – 9 p.m.

Friday, December 16

- Concordia Christmas Concert,
10 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.

**Check out ATHLETIC NEWS
(in this newsletter)
for info on
PRACTICE & GAME TIMES
WHAT'S ON THE MENU?**

For information on the lunch of the day,
please consult the school calendar.
You can go to:

www.concordialutheranschool.net

PLEASE HELP BY PLANNING AHEAD ☺

Parents and students are reminded to arrange and communicate pick up plans and after school activities well in advance. Your help in ironing out these details, as well as ensuring your child has his homework, uniform, instrument, etc. each day is greatly appreciated. The office phone is reserved for emergency situations.

COUGAR CLASSIC TOURNEY

Thanks go out to the families who went out to cheer on our Eagles at the tournament last weekend. Our girls played well, losing by just 2 in the initial game during overtime. They came back strong winning game two! Game 3 was a loss but a well-played game. The boys lost game one on Friday but came back strong Saturday and Sunday to bring home the Consolation Championship trophy. We commend all the players for their work ethic on the court. The coaches are to be commended for their leadership. May we always remember that all we do is to glorify God! Please come out and continue to support CLS athletics!

THRILLING THURSDAY

Please take note of the Thrilling Thursday order form in your child's folder today. Order forms will be collected first thing Thursday morning. Students may purchase a snack to enjoy Thursday afternoon or redeem Concordia Cash for select items.

BRING 'EM IN!

Please deposit any cans for our monthly collection THIS WEEK in the LOWER stairwell at the north exit of the building

CONFLICT RESOLUTION

Each day we work diligently to teach the children how to resolve disagreements/solve problems which they encounter. The first step, according to Matthew 18, is to go directly to the individual with whom you have an issue. This is true for children and adults/students and parents/athletes and coaches, etc. If additional assistance is needed to resolve a concern after a sincere effort has been made with no results, we are directed by Scripture to then seek the assistance of another/others. Thank you for your support in teaching and observing this directive from Scripture which we observe as school policy.

CULVER'S NIGHT COMING

You are encouraged to attend the next Culver's Night on Wednesday, December 14 from 5 – 9 p.m. Visit the location at 5801 21st and mention you're supporting Concordia. We will receive 15% of all purchases that do so! We hope to see you there!

PLEASE NOTE

You are welcome to attend the first of two Open School Board Meetings on Monday, January 9, held here at 6 p.m.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT NEXT FRIDAY

On **Friday, December 16**, the children of Concordia Lutheran School will proclaim in concert that JESUS Means CHRISTMAS to Me at **10:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.** **Please plan for your child to attend and bring your family to celebrate Christmas with us!**

MY CHRISTMAS GIFT TO CONCORDIA

A free will offering will be accepted at the Christmas Concert that can be designated toward the purchase of a much needed bell/intercom system or cork strips for hanging artwork in our hallways. A special envelope will come home next Wednesday for this purpose.

SECOND WEEK OF ADVENT

As we continue the countdown to the celebration of the birth of our Lord and Savior you are encouraged to consider the activities included on the final page of the newsletter. Prepare your hearts for His coming!

CALLING K-3RD GRADE GIRLS THERE will be an informational meeting for parents and girls in grades K – 3 who may be interested in participating in Girls Scouts at these levels. Mark your calendar for December 14th. The meeting will be in the Kindergarten room from 6 – 7 p.m. For questions, please contact Katrina Leonard at 262-598-2207 or 262-957-0189.

DECEMBER ABOVE & BEYOND The academic focus for the month is in the area of music. If your child is interested in going “above and beyond” in this area, please be sure to read the material sent from your child’s teacher.

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CHRISTMAS BREAK

The last day of class prior to our break is Wednesday, December 21. School will resume on Tuesday, January 3, 2017. There will be no Child Care available from December 22 – January 2.

CHAPEL OFFERING UPDATE

Our offering collection for the **Hispanic Ministry at Santa Cruz** (Holy Cross) Lutheran during the month of December. Last week your gifts totaled **\$62.82**. To date we have collected **\$357.23**. Watch next week’s newsletter for an update on the offerings brought forth today. Your generous hearts are so very appreciated by this congregation!

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SERVICE SPOTLIGHT

Hats off to our coaches! A special thank you goes out to each of these individuals. This “position” comes with no pay – other than your thanks. Please join us in thanking them for their tireless work with our children!

ATHLETIC NEWS

Basketball Practices (held on nights w/no games):

During the season of Advent we will be concluding Wednesday evening practices by or before 7 p.m. so that families may attend worship. Practice times will change next Wednesday.

B-Squad boys are Mon. & Wed.: 6 – 7:30 PM

Coach: Steve Marcinkowski

*contact #: 262-496-4510

Email: slcmars@hotmail.com

B-Squad girls are Mon. & Weds.: 4:30- 6:00 PM.

Coach: Matthew Parrish

*contact #: 262-930-8145

A-Squad boys are Tues. & Thurs.: 4:00 – 6:00 PM.

Coach: Tony Nesbitt

*contact #: 414-828-7456

A-Squad girls are Tues. & Thurs. 6 – 7:30 pm

Coach: Jason Eckman

*contact #: 262-497-9835

Cheerleading Practices

Mon. & Weds: 6 – 7:30 p.m.

Coach: Autumn Sheppard

*contact #: 262-989-6545

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SPIRIT WEAR REORDER

Did you miss the hoodie and jacket sale? Or did you take note of the sporty, high quality merchandise and want to place an order? Please contact the office for an order form. We will be happy to reorder for you any time prior to December 16.

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A VERSE TO REMEMBER

“In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths.”

~ Proverbs 3:6 NKJV

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Pessimism is an investment in nothing. Optimism is an investment in hope.

~ Author Unknown

RACINE LUTHERAN HIGH NEWS!

The **RLHS Music Program** proudly presents its annual **Christmas Concert**, a service of lessons and carols. The concert is on **Friday, December 9**, at the school, 251 Luedtke Avenue, and will begin at 7 p.m. Admission is free, with a goodwill offering at the conclusion of the service.

The grade school Beginner and Symphonic bands will join the RLHS Concert Choir, Concert Band, and Handbells Ensemble. After the service, a time of fellowship and refreshments will be shared in the dining hall.

CHECK OUT RACINE LUTHERAN HIGH ADMISSIONS

You can find them on Facebook! You'll find news and photos – including pictures from Academic Bowl, Cougar Classic, Fan Night and Grade School Visitation Day. For more information on enrollment, contact Susie Drummond at 637-6538 or sdrummond@RacineLutheran.org.

