Concordia Lutheran School

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

EAGLE BANNER

November 14, 2018

IMPORTANT DATES

Wed. Nov. 14

-Chapel, Gr.4 – 8 @ 9 a.m. & Gr. 3 – 8 @ 9:45 a.m. -Lunch Orders due -Martial Arts, 4 – 5 p.m. -Troop 10757 Mtg, 4 – 5:15 p.m. -Culver's Night, 5 – 10 p.m.

Thurs. Nov. 15 -Late December Lunch Orders due. LAST DAY ACCEPTED!

Fri. Nov. 16 -Fab Food, orders due by 10 a.m.

Sat. Nov. 17 -Academic Bowl @ RLHS, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.

Mon. Nov. 19

-Scholastic Book Fair cont. to 11/21 -Thanksgiving Feast Prep starts -Martial Arts Club, 3:50 – 4:50 p.m. -Children's Choir, 4 – 4:30 p.m. -Band @ LHS, 6pm Beg/7pm Symph

Tues. Nov. 20 -Hot Dog Day -Thanksgiving Feast Prep continues

Weds. Nov. 21

-Chapel, Gr. 4 -8 @ 9 a.m. /PS – 3 @ 9:45 a.m. -Thanksgiving Feast, 12 p.m. -Early Release, 1:30 p.m. -Martial Arts, 4 – 5 p.m. - BOOK FAIR ENDS

LUNCH MENU

See your SCHOOL Calendar!

ACADEMIC BOWL @ RLHS THIS SATURDAY

Doors open at 8:30 a.m. Participants in grades 5 – 8 are coming home with a schedule today. All school families are invited to watch the competitions (Spelling Bee, Quiz Bowl, Airplane Toss & Tower Challenge) going on until 11:30 a.m.

CHECK IT OUT! BOOK FAIR CONTINUES THROUGH NOV. 21

Now is the time to start your Christmas shopping with us! Please stop in before or after school. Contact Miss Luchterhand to volunteer to cashier. All proceeds build our classroom and school libraries!

TURKEY HELP, PLEASE!

Many thanks to those volunteering to donate a turkey for our feast. Several more birds are needed! **Sign up online or call the office**. Please <u>drop off your</u> <u>bird (thawed) no later than Fri. morning</u> so our weekend volunteer cooks can pick them up! Cooks can pick up after school on 11/16 and return on Monday for our preparations! THANK YOU!

GEORGIE PORGIE NIGHT!

Treat yourself and the family to a night out after the hustle and bustle of Thanksgiving. Join us on Thurs. November 29th. Stop in from 4-9 p.m. We earn 15 % of ALL sales above \$2,000, so please stop in and bring your friends! Georgie Porgie's is located in front of Kohl's on Washington Avenue. This Treefort restaurant is great fun!

EARLY RELEASE ON 11/21

Dismissal for the Thanksgiving Break will be at **1:30 p.m**. next Wednesday. **Child care is NOT available on this day.** Prompt pick up is greatly appreciated. Buses will run their normal routes on this day. School will resume on Monday, November 26. We wish you and your family a most blessed Thanksgiving time. ☺

FEAST HELPERS FOR 11/21

Our annual feast is next Wednesday and we are still in need of helpers on that day to set up, serve and clean up. Please sign up using the emailed link or contact Miss Luchterhand this week. Don't forget to send in your \$2.00 contribution to assist with the cost of this wonderful lunch prepared by our students. Thanks

KEEP OUR KIDS SAFE...NO STUDENT DROP OFF PERMITTED

When brining your students to school we respectfully require you to pull into a parking space. Students may not be dropped off at or near the entry or in the car line. This creates dangerous situations and near accidents. Once parked you and your child can cross in front of the coned-off area near the entrance. Thank you for abiding by this practice for the well-being of all students.

HUGE THANK YOU

The PTL board wants to thank all of our fantastic volunteers for devoting their time and energy to make our annual Fall Fest a success. We could not have had this fun day without our Concordia family support. Thank you.

FAB FOOD THIS FRIDAY Are you interested in having your child participate in this Friday afternoon snack opportunity? Order forms are coming today and must be returned first thing Friday morning. Mrs. Klein could use a hand making cookies, prepping nachos and the like. She promises to thaw the cookie dough in advance to make the job an easy one! Help is needed anytime between 12:30 and 3:30 p.m. Call or email the office to help! We appreciate it and the kids LOVE it!

GIRL SCOUT TROOP #30032 MEETINGS

Parents of this troop are reminded to mark your calendars for meetings on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of every month. Meetings are held in the school library. Contact Sarah Bates with any questions at 262-496-3352.

DECEMBER LUNCH ORDERS DUE Tomorrow is the last day that December lunch orders can be accepted. Orders turned in today will not incur the inconvenience fee but orders tomorrow are past the posted due date and will be charged the late fee.

LAST CALL FOR FLAMINGOS Our yard flamingos are not used to Wisconsin winters and will be heading for warmer nests soon. The 8th grade flamingo control patrol will be accepting new flocking forms until Sunday, November 18th. Please consider sending a flock to a friendly yard near you. All proceeds go towards the 8th grade D.C. trip in the spring. More information and the Flocking forms can be found in the Narthex of Faith, Holy Cross, and Pentecost churches and in the School office.

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRE BACKGROUND CHECKS Whether chaperoning, serving hot dogs, or lending a hand in the classroom or kitchen you must provide an authorization for background check form. This paperwork must be submitted a minimum of 7 days prior to your volunteer experience. Thank you! **EXTRA HANDS** We are looking for some extra hands to be of assistance in our second grade classroom. Afternoon help would be greatly appreciated – any (or every?) day of the week! This will allow us to do some grouping and more individualization in certain subject areas. ⁽³⁾ *Ideally our helpers would not have a student in this class.* Please contact Mrs. Klein by email or through the school office.

ABOVE & BEYOND Have you asked your child or checked with his/her teacher about what it would take to go above and beyond in Science? That is our area of focus this month. Check it and take it on! <u>Congratulations</u> to the following students who went above and beyond during the month of September (Religion): Eli Gonzales, Weston Sadowski, Iana Myers, Corvin Biesanz, Zayden Jackson, Timmy Robinson, Cole Kosterman, Liam Naatz, Sam Silich, Noah Perez, Hunter Fabio, Max Kennow, Asia Krekling, Chris Maceri, Alyvia Oppenheimer, Brandon Schmidt, Ayla Perez, and Cullen Lisowski. October participants (Art) will be recognized next week!

CONGRATULATIONS ^(C) Please see the attached list of names of students receiving attendance and honor roll awards. These students were recognized in our chapel service last week. Honor Roll and Principal's List names will be forwarded to the Journal Times for public recognition, also!

BUS CONCERNS Our bus drivers have expressed more than once that there are children getting up and moving around during transport. Please remind your child to observe this and ALL bus rules. Students that are written up may lose the privilege to ride the bus. Stay safe. Stay seated, quiet and respectful of others!

SCHOOL CLOSING INFORMATION Please be advised that if the Racine Unified Schools close because of inclement weather, or goes to a 2 hour delayed start, Concordia will be closed for the day. The Before/After School Programs will NOT operate on days school is closed. If RUSD dismisses early, we will also close early. For up-to-date information on closings, tune to Channel 4, Fox 6, or Channel 12 or their corresponding radio broadcast. Typically notification is released by 6:00 am. If we are in school and conditions warrant early dismissal, you will be notified by phone or email.

VOLLEYBALL JERSEYS The volleyball season ended at the end of October and it is time for the Concordia Eagle volleyball jerseys to be returned. All volleyball girls need to turn in their uniforms to Mr. Gonzales by November 20th. A fee will be charged for any lost or damaged jerseys.

SERVICE SPOTLIGHT

Our sincerest thanks are extended to Mrs. Sharon Joyce for her fun contributions to our Concordia Cash Store. If you have donations you wish to share, please bring them to the school office. Our kids really enjoy these surprises.

UPDATE YOUR CONTACTS

Have you changed any of your contact information (mobile number, work number, address, emergency contact individuals, etc.)? You are able to update this information by signing in to your ParentsWeb account on RenWeb! Please notify the school office of ANY changes needed and we can update that information, as well.

CULVER'S NIGHT TONIGHT

Don't forget...it is the second Wednesday of the month. You're probably ready for a night out. Please swing through between 5 and 9 p.m. and tell them you're supporting Concordia!

OUTSTANDING FEES Please monitor your FACTS account routinely so that timely payment is made for incidentals (milk, etc.) and child care expenses. Any family falling two or months behind in child care expense OR is carrying a balance of \$300.00 or more will be required to make payment (per policy guidelines) in order to continue using the service.

CHAPEL SERVICES AND OFFERINGS

During the month of **November and December** our gifts will be directed to the Hurricane Michael Relief Fund. Offerings collected this week totaled \$91.02, bringing the total collected thus far to \$179.38. Thank you! Your continued contributions and prayers are greatly appreciated.

A VERSE TO REMEMBER

"Each one has his own gift from God, one in this manner and another in that.

THOUGHT FOR

THE

DAY

God has given you special talents – now it's your turn to give them back to God.

~ Maria T. Freeman

ATHLETIC NEWS

Basketball practices have begun! Contact our Athletic Director, Mr. Gonzales (573-690-1339) or your child's coach for any additional information needed that is not found below.

BASKETBALL GAMES COMING UP...

November 29 – December 2 Cougar Classic A Teams

Basketball Practices:

B-Squad boys are Tues. & Thurs.: 4 – 5:30 PM

Coaches: Ryan Lewandowski

B-Squad girls are Tues. & Thurs.: 4:00 - 5:30 PM

Coaches: Joel Michel	262-498-5644
Peter Agerholm	262-639-1315

A-Squad boys are Mon from 4:00 – 5:30 PM Thurs. from 6 – 7:30 PM

Coaches: Matt Parrish and Shane Kincade

A-Squad girls are Mon. & Fri. 5:30 – 7:00

Coach: Craig Mierow & Asst. Peter Agerholm

RACINE LUTHERAN HIGH NEWS FOR YOU!

***RLHS Academic Bowl is Saturday.** Doors open at 8:30 a.m. Visit Facebook at Racine Lutheran High School Admissions for more details or see your teachers. All students – even if not in a competition - are welcome to enjoy hands-on activities in the Science Lab and Art Room.

Congratulations to RLHS football team! The team will compete in the state championship at 1 p.m. on Thursday at Camp Randall in Madison. All fans and supporters are invite to a Community Pep Rally for the team on Weds. at 7 p.m. in the school gym. For tickets, special t-shirts or sweatshirts call 637-6538.