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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.

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IMPORTANT DATES COMING UP:

- ***Weds. March 16th**
 - April Lunch Orders due!
- ***Thurs. March 17th**
 - Pizza Sale orders due
 - End of 3rd Quarter
- ***Fri. March 18th**
 - **NO SCHOOL**
 - Child Care available if preregistered by 3/17 a.m.
- ***Mon., March 21st**
 - Scrip orders due with payment by 10 a.m.
- ***Weds. March 23rd**
 - Progress reports issued
- ***Fri. March 25th – Sun. April 3rd**
 - Easter vacation
- ***Mon. April 4th**
 - School resumes

SCRIP TURN IN COMING UP...on Monday, March 21st. Please have your order to the office with payment by 10 a.m.

CONGRATULATIONS PRESCHOOL 4's on being our winners this month in the Cans for Classrooms competition. Preschool brought in a total of 61 pounds of cans to support our Capital Campaign. Each student in the class will receive a certificate for a FREE item of their choice at our next Fab Food on Fri., April 15th.

THIRD QUARTER CONFERENCES will be by appointment with your child's teacher. A letter will be sent in your child's progress report that allows you to request a conference or for your child's teacher to request one with you. Please return this promptly!

LOOKING FOR...gently used preschool-aged appropriate toys/games for our Afternoon Care program now located across the hallway from the preschool room. Thank you in advance for your help!

NO SCHOOL FRIDAY The third quarter comes to a close on Thursday. Friday is designated as a Records Day. Child care is available. Please preregister by calling the office no later than Thursday morning.

PAST DUE ACCOUNTS for tuition, child care, hot dog day purchases or any other monies owed to the school must be resolved by Tuesday, March 22nd for release of report cards on Wednesday, March 23rd. Thank you for your prompt attention!

UNIFORM TURN IN Basketball players and cheerleaders are reminded to turn in all uniforms (laundered) before next Tuesday. Report cards will be withheld for uniforms not received.

LUTHERAN SCHOOLS NIGHT at MILLER PARK is coming! This event will be held on Saturday, April 23rd. The Milwaukee Brewers will play the Philadelphia Phillies at 6:10 p.m. You can purchase Loge Outfield Box seats for just \$17.00 each. (\$20-25 dollar value) If you are interested, please return the order form attached no later than Monday, April 4th. We hope you will join us!

DEADLINE APPROACHING The Club's Choice Pizza (etc.) fundraiser is coming to a close this **Thursday, March 17th**. On your child's order form be sure to include the prize earned! Also, include payment for this order with the form. Checks should be made payable to Concordia Lutheran School.

SPRING CRAFT & BAKE SALE Faith Lutheran Church will be hosting this event this Saturday, March 19th from 9 AM until 3 PM right here in the school gymnasium. Lunch will be available for purchase as well! Many outside vendor booths will be featured, as well. We hope you'll consider attending!

A WARM WELCOME is extended to Mrs. Bridget Maricque as she joins our staff. Mrs. Maricque will be assisting Mrs. Barclay with our Before School Care program on a daily basis. Send a welcome her way!

YOUR PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED as Mrs. Korie Baganz prayerfully considers our call to serve as the **third grade teacher** beginning in the fall of 2016. Mrs. Baganz served at Concordia from 2006 – 2010 as our kindergarten teacher and part-time teacher in grade 3. It would be an immense blessing to have her return!

ARLO BRACELETS ARE AVAILABLE for purchase through the school office. These green bands are stamped with "Team Arlo – Kickin' Cancer". Share/show your support - stop and grab 'em while they last. Cost is 1 for \$3.00, 2 for \$5.00, 5 for \$10 and 5+ for \$2.00 each.

ATTENDANCE ALL STARS! Our congratulations to the students named below who achieved perfect school attendance during the month of February. These students will receive a complimentary ticket offer to a Bucks game AND either a free kids meal or single hamburger combo meal at Wendy's. These certificates will be distributed soon. Please congratulate the following students on their achievement: **Preschool 3's** Emily Curcio, Leanna DeHart, Brennan Parrish, Ava Sandberg, Alexa Schroeder, Elyse-Marie Towery **Preschool 4's** - Brady Bates, Lucy Bitner, Jaxon Christensen, Damon Johnson - Hayes, Quinten Lisowski, Logan Pias **Kindergarten** - Ethan Buschke, Charlize Clack, Gabriel Eberhardt, Cooper Hansen, Madelyn Kramer, Payton Lopez, Audrie McCray, Antonio Velasquez **First Grade** - Grayson Bohmann, Aaron Klemme, Kylie Kramer, Isabella Lisowski, Ivy Lyons, Malachi Moody, Micah Noll, Daniele O'Brien, Luke Reinhardt, Brandon Schmidt, Grant Usher, Shayla Wood **Second Grade** - Michael Aiello, Audrina Castenada, Logan Eberhardt, Robert Gorsiski, Christina Harmann, Michael McCray, Yanelli Moyett, Ayla Perez, Vincent Rivera, Madelyn Sadowski, Cheyenne Sandberg, Aiden Vollmer, Matthew Welch **Third Grade** - Chardae Clack, William Edmunds, Austin Harmann, Kenny Jensen, Cullen Lisowski, Arianna Morales, Dresden Rivera **Fourth Grade** - Abigail Agerholm, Ethan Fredericks, Jah' Mariana Harmann, Sam Jensen, Sydnee Long, Aiden Rairie, Sebastian Rivera, Hunter Rouse, Evenay Smith, Genevieve Voss, Regan Welch **Fifth Grade** - Willow Harmann, Kendyll Holub, Nathaniel Lisowski, Connor Marcinkowski, Genesis Moyett, Lillianna Parrish, Stephanie Sinnen **Sixth Grade** - Joey Karvelas **Seventh Grade** - Zoey Klein, Ean Klemme, Jaiden Kruger **Eighth Grade** - Skyler Golon, Paige Salvhus.

WISH LIST Additional wall maps, bulletin boards, and magnetic whiteboards are high on our list of items hoped to be added to our new classrooms in the near future. Miss B. and Mrs. Klein also have a couple of items they hope to put in place prior to the beginning of next school year: lab tables and a conference table. Your donations or "low cost leads" on these items are appreciated!

ROOTED IN CHRIST with Lutheran Church Extension Fund your invested dollars are empowering Lutheran Church Missouri Synod ministries in Kingdom work. Our school is an example! We are so grateful for LCEF's assistance with the loan for our building project. They have wonderful programs that will benefit you, too! Please check out the flyer coming home today!

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SPECIAL CHAPEL PROJECT (MARCH/APRIL)
For the next two months we will be helping support little Arlo Kristopeit's battle against cancer with our chapel offerings. Arlo, a relative of Mrs. Frost, is a 15 month old boy, who has been diagnosed with a very rare and aggressive liver cancer called Hepatoblastoma. Please join us in helping Arlo kick cancer through our offerings or the purchase of a bracelet (while they last). A total of **\$133.19** was collected today bringing our overall total to **\$346.69** so far! Thank you for your generous hearts!! **TEAM ARLO T-shirts orders** have been placed and will be distributed as soon as they arrive! Staff and students encouraged to wear these or the color green on Wednesdays to support Arlo and his family.

FEBRUARY EAGLE AWARDS were presented n chapel this morning. The following students received this award for demonstrating outstanding Christian character: Luca Tempesta, Antonio Velasquez, Asia Krekling, Danielle O'Brien, Malachi Moody, Sammi Agerholm, Michael Aiello, Abigail Graceffa, Austin Harmann, Oscar Rosales, Caiden Lewandowski, Stephanie Sinnen, Mya Lequia, Christian Brill, and Hannah Argstatter. Congratulations on this fine achievement!

JUMP ROPE FOR HEART PRIZES have arrived and were distributed to your child today. If a t-shirt was earned it will be sent home tomorrow after a photo is taken for the yearbook with it on! Once again we are grateful for the contribution that each child made! Our prayer is that these dollars will benefit many!

THRIVENT MEMBERS have until March 31 to direct any remaining 2015 Choice Dollars. After that date, Choice Dollars will expire. Designating Choice Dollars to Concordia Lutheran School helps provide ongoing technology and curriculum improvements!!

SOCCER SUMMER CAMP - Concordia University Wisconsin is sponsoring a youth soccer academy for boys and girls ages 9 - 17. If you are interested, please stop by the office for more information or to pick up a registration form. You may also find information on their website at <http://cuwfalcons.com/cuwsa>.

SHORTS & STUFF Spring is in the air! We know the kids are excited...but, please remember that school dress code allows shorts and capris to be worn after March 31st. Our young ladies are also reminded that leggings may be worn providing a top or blouse covers the student's posterior and that short-shorts are not permitted as noted on p. 20 of the Parent-Student Handbook.

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VERSE TO REMEMBER Keep your lives free from the love of money and be content with what you have, because God has said, “Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you.”

~ Hebrews 13:5

Thought for the day: If I could just hang in there, being faithful to my own tasks, God would make me joyful and content. The responsibility is mine, but the power is His.

~ Peg Rankin

RACINE LUTHERAN HIGH NEWS FOR YOU...

The **RLHS Drama Department** will present Tim Kelly’s Western farce, **Is There a Doctor in the House?** on Friday, March 18th, and Saturday, March 19th, at 7 p.m. The school is conveniently located at 251 Luedtke Avenue, off Spring Street. Ticket prices are \$5 for adults, and \$4 for high school students and senior citizens (55+). Grade school and middle school students are admitted free. Tickets may be purchased at the door.

Join the **RLHS trip to Europe: World War II on the Western Front.** Here is the link:<http://www.eftours.com/educational-tour/wwii-western-front-history>. Here is the itinerary link: <http://www.eftours.com/eLiterature/DBD/N/HWW.pdf> To learn more, call Nick Gasau at 637-6538 or email ngasau@RacineLutheran.org.

RLHS Cheer Tryouts for 2016-17 fall season will be held on **Tuesday, April 26, and Wednesday, April 27, from 6 until 8:30 p.m. and on Friday, April 29, from 6:30 until 8:30 p.m.** The fall squad cheers for football and participates in summer practices and camp. The winter squad cheers for both basketball and competes to go to State. Cheerleaders can be on the fall and/or winter squads. Tryouts for the winter squad will be in October. Tryouts are required for both squads. Current 8th graders who will be attending RLHS can try out in April. Contact Coach ShaiAnn Howard at 993-0186 with questions.

***Facebook – Please “Like” Racine Lutheran High 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 sending your child to 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.