

Concordia Lutheran School

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

EAGLE BANNER

October 5, 2016

IMPORTANT DATES

Thursday, October 6

- Early Release, 1:30 p.m.
- PK3 Pumpkin Farm trip

Friday, October 7

OUTDOOR EDUCATION DAY

- PK4 & K Pumpkin Farm
- Gr. 1 – 8 Bong State Park

Monday, October 10

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

- Chuck E. Cheese Night, 3 – 9 pm
- Band rehearsal @ RLHS
6p.m. Beg. /7 p.m. Symph.

Tuesday, October 11

- Conference slips due, PK - 8

Wednesday, October 12

- November lunch orders go home
- ½ Day of School, NOON dismissal
- Culver's Night, 5 – 10 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 13 – Friday, Oct. 14

- NO SCHOOL
- Teachers' Convention
- Child Care available providing
need is substantiated.

ATHLETIC GAMES & TIMES

are listed in
ALL ABOUT ATHLETICS...

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

EARLY RELEASE TOMORROW!

As noted on the October calendar, school dismisses tomorrow at **1:30 p.m.** for grades K – 8. Please contact the school office TODAY to let us know if your child will be using After School Care. Note also there is another Early Release Day on Friday, October 21ST. Please alert us to the need for After School Care in advance.

IT'S TIME!

Please bring your cans to school this week. Cans will be accepted through Oct. 7th. Every can adds to our collection supporting our capital campaign for the new classrooms being enjoyed. Mark your bag with your child's grade. The class with the greatest weight in cans will receive a certificate for a free Fab Food item of their choice. ☺

1ST TURN-IN IS FRIDAY!

Have you and your child been collecting magazine sale & Fall catalog orders?? Friday, October 7th is the day to turn in what you have *so far* and collect some fun prizes. On that day earn an emoji for every 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10 orders. Additional prizes are distributed at delivery, too! The last day to submit orders is Friday, October 14th. Don't want to sell anything? You can simply out the Reach Out book or simply use the orange Opt-out form!

DINING OUT OPPORTUNITY!

Join the fun and fellowship at Chuck E. Cheese's this coming Mon. Oct. 10th from 3 – 9 p.m. Say you're from CLS!

DON'T FORGET!

Tuition payments are due on the first day of each month. Payments not received prior to the next month will be marked as delinquent. Any account that becomes delinquent on two separate occasions will be required to be enrolled in our electronic withdrawal program. Please remain timely with your payments!

HOMEWORK HELP OFFERED

SOAR of Racine (Laura Sumner Coon) and Carthage College work-study students are teaming together to assist students who need help with their homework! This assistance is provided at the **Racine Public Library every Monday and Thursday from 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.** This is a great opportunity to visit the library and get the homework help your child may need. We are working to bring a similar program to Concordia in the next few weeks. But don't wait!!

OCTOBER'S EMPHASIS

for an opportunity to go "above & beyond" is in the area of Art! Have your child check with his/her teacher!

CONGRATULATIONS GIRLS! In tournament play last weekend our B squad girls brought home the 4th place trophy! A squad earned 3rd place Consolation Champs in their division. We are proud of you!

LOOKING AHEAD AT ATHLETICS... Here is what is happening for the rest of this week and the beginning of next:

Tues. Oct. 4 NO GAMES/MOVED TO THURS.
B Practice 3:50 – 6 p.m.

Weds. Oct. 5
B Practice 3:50 – 6 p.m.

Thurs. Oct. 6 Game at Prairie (A only)
A Squad 4:15 p.m.
Games at St. John's
B Squad 5:00 p.m.
A Squad 6:15 p.m.

Sat. Oct. 8 RLHS A-Tournament (9 – 4 p.m.)

Tues. Oct. 11 Games vs Christian Life @ HOME
B Squad 5:00 p.m.
A Squad 6:00 p.m.

SHAKE OFF THE DUST and come out for a fun-filled evening of volleyball for a great cause! Check out the flyer coming home today about this great opportunity to get a little exercise, enjoy some laughs, and help support our 7th and 8th grade class raise funds for their Washington DC trip.

JUST ONE ITEM MAKES A DIFFERENCE!

Please consider donating an item to put in your child's Fall Fest Silent Auction classroom basket. The baskets are located outside of your child's room for easy drop off. Not sure what to donate? Check with the classroom teacher or your child! The Fest is just a couple weeks away!

CONCORDIA SUNDAYS About once each quarter we visit one of our association or sister congregations to share our ministry with them. We are looking forward to seeing you and your child(ren) at **Living Hope** Lutheran Church, 1619 Newman Road **on Sunday, October 16th**. You are sure to thoroughly enjoy the delightful puppet ministry that engages children of all ages (and those that are young at heart). Our students will share in the ministry that day in this and offer a special anthem also. **Worship begins at 10:30 a.m.** Please return the blue response sheet to your child's teacher. See you then!

IT'S CONFERENCE TIME! Please find the information in today's folder about Parent-Teacher (PK & K) and Student-Led Conferences (1 -8). You will need to return your conference sheet by Oct. 11 with your preferences for a meeting time. All parents will meet with their child's teacher this quarter. Students in grades 1 – 8 will participate in these conferences. We hope your read all about this and return the slip right away!

BOX TOPS...NEW PRIZE FOR 10/26 DEADLINE Each student who brings in at least 40 Box Tops will earn something special from their teacher. (This will be determined with the class.) Can you reach 80 Box Tops by 10/26?? You will also receive a tasty treat from Mrs. Barclay, our Box Tops Coordinator. Be sure to place those Box Tops in a baggie or envelope with your child's name on it. The Box Tops should be given directly to Mrs. Barclay for full credit!

CHAPEL OFFERING UPDATE! HURRAY! We are so close to reaching our goal of \$500.00 and going beyond! Thus far, we have collected **\$479.22** to assist families that were affected by the recent rioting in the Sherman Park area in Milwaukee. **Sherman Park Lutheran School** is home for many families affected by the unrest and tragedy. Last week's offering was amazing - collecting **\$114.81**. Thank you for sharing your gifts with these families. **Please feel free to join us for chapel on Wednesday mornings at 9:00 a.m.**

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A VERSE TO REMEMBER

"Rejoice always; pray without ceasing."

~ I Thessalonians 5:16-17

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

If you can forgive the person you were, accept the person you are, and believe in the person you will become, you are headed for joy. So celebrate your life.

~ Barbara Johnson

KINDNESS IS CATCHY!

Here are this week's 5 simple acts to try. You go!

1. Be encouraging.
2. Think about how others feel.
3. Give compliments.
4. Look for a compromise in a disagreement.
5. Say thank you.

RACINE LUTHERAN HIGH NEWS!

Racine Lutheran High School will hold an **Open House for prospective students** on **Monday, October 17, from 5 until 7 p.m.** All 8th graders are encouraged to attend and begin the enrollment process. Shadow Days can be scheduled after you attend Open House. Contact the Admissions Office with any questions: sdrummond@RacineLutheran.org or 637-6538.

Keep up on the latest announcements and pictures. **“Like” Racine Lutheran High School Admissions on Facebook** or **follow us on Twitter @rlhscrusader AND @rlhsthletics AND @RLHSmusic.**

TENTATIVE DATE – Racine Lutheran High School has tentatively scheduled its Fall Concert for **Fri., October 21, at 7 p.m.**

The grade school Beginner and Symphonic bands will join the RLHS Concert Choir, Concert Band, Jazz Ensemble and Handbells Ensemble.

Admission is free, with a goodwill offering at the conclusion of the service.

Please note – this date is subject to change!!!! If our football and/or volleyball teams advance to various levels of playoffs, we will need to reschedule this concert. Since our musicians and athletes are involved in multiple activities, we need to provide flexibility in our scheduling at times like this. Please be patient as we wait to learn more. We will post information on our website at RacineLutheran.org. Thank you for your cooperation.

HARVEST FAIR The Racine Lutheran High School Ladies Guild will hold this annual event on **Saturday, November 5 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** at the school, located at 251 Luedtke Avenue, Racine WI 53405. Admission and parking are FREE! There will be crafts, bakery, linens, dolls, antiques, toys, jewelry, purses, books, needlework, household helpers and MORE! New this year is the SPORTS BOOTH! Enjoy a snack bar serving homemade sandwiches, soups, salads, and desserts, too! Music will be provided by Inkpirka. Handicap parking is available and strollers are welcome.

7th & 8th Grade Boys Basketball Open Gyms

When: Sunday(s) Oct. 2nd – November from 6:30-8 p.m.

Where: Racine Lutheran High School Gym

Why: The boys' basketball coaches from RLHS will be hosting open gyms for those 7th & 8th grade boys interested in improving their basketball skills for the upcoming season. There will be work on ball handling, shooting and introduction to advanced offensive and defensive concepts. Based on numbers, small group scrimmaging eventually leading to larger scrimmages will be included. All who have an interested in improving their skills are encouraged to come. Any questions please contact Eric Wilks, Varsity Assistant, at ewilks28@yahoo.com or 262-939-4752.