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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 20, 2016

IMPORTANT DATES COMING UP:

- *Weds. April 20th**
 - Lunch orders for May DUE TODAY
- *Thurs. April 21st**
 - SOAR, Gr K - 3, 3:50 - 5:00 p.m.
 - Association/Open Board Meeting, 6 p.m.
- *Mon. April 25th**
 - SOAR, Gr 4 - 5, 3:50 - 5:00 p.m.
- *Tues. April 26th**
 - SOAR, Gr 6 - 8, 3:50 - 5:00 p.m.
- *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**
 - Scrip orders due w/payment by 10 a.m.
 - Band @ RLHS - 6 p.m. Beg./7 p.m. Symph.

SAVE THE DATE All students and parents involved in athletics (including the upcoming track meet) and cheerleading are asked to set aside Thursday evening, May 26th for the **Athletic Banquet/Recognition Night**. The banquet will begin at **6:00 p.m.** Mark this on your calendar now, please! More information will follow.

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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.

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!

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. Track practices will be held from 4 - 5:30 on:

Thurs. April 21	Tues. April 26
Thurs. April 28	Tues. May 3
	Mon. May 9

PTL NEWS & NOTES The final meeting for the school year was held yesterday. 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.

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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.

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!

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.

FIELD DAY TSHIRTS are available for this year's event. If you are interested in placing an order (\$7.00 for most sizes) please have your order in no later than May 4. An order form is coming home today!

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.

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THE WISCONSIN FORWARD EXAM administration will continue in grades 3 - 8 classrooms. **Administration days and times will vary from one grade to another.** *Please be sure to follow the notices provided by your child's teacher so that your child is present.* Please be certain your child is well rested and nourished each day for these exams.

CHUCK E. CHEESE NIGHT PROCEEDS from the March 17th event totaled \$94.26. We thank those who came out to support the school in this dining out opportunity.

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

THANK YOU to all who attended our Concordia Sunday at Pentecost last week. Your participation is appreciated and blesses our Lord!

CHAPEL OFFERINGS FOR ARLO will continue for the remainder of this month. A total of **\$130.54** was collected today bringing our overall total to **\$938.11** so far! Arlo's family has been very busy lately meeting with doctors to determine how soon he might have surgery to address the tumors on his lungs and a possible liver transplant. He will likely undergo more chemotherapy while these decisions are made. Please keep Arlo, his family, and this battle in your prayers!

VERSE TO REMEMBER You are my hope; O Lord God, You are my confidence.
~ Psalm 71:5

Thought for the day: As I have grown in faith and confidence, I have known more and more that my worth is based on the love of God.
~ Leslie Williams

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RACINE LUTHERAN HIGH NEWS FOR YOU...

***ATTENTION RLHS Class of 2020 (current 8th graders):**

All incoming **BOYS** and **GIRLS**: Please schedule your **course selection meetings**. Available dates include April 26, May 7, May 9, and May 13. Times vary.

All incoming GIRLS:

Are you interested in trying out for Cheerleading?

Are you interested in playing in a summer basketball league?

Are you interested in playing in a summer volleyball league?

To learn more about these opportunities or schedule your meeting, please contact Susie Drummond in the RLHS Admissions Office. Call 637-6538 or email sdrummond@RacineLutheran.org.

***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.



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*.

ZUMBA - Saturday, May 7th 11am - 12:30pm Racine Lutheran High School. Zumba instructor Norma Castillo-Razdig has agreed to host a special Zumbathon so we can get ourselves into summer shape while the youth group of Pentecost Lutheran Church prepare to get themselves into spiritual shape! \$10.00 per ticket. There will be door prizes and a guaranteed great workout! Contact Kathy McGregor at 262-634-0938 for tickets. All proceeds go towards the National Youth Gathering trip this summer.

PAINT NIGHT - Saturday, April 23rd 6:30pm. - Pentecost Lutheran Church, 2213 Coolidge Avenue, Racine. Enjoy finding your inner artist \$25.00 per person, all paint supplies included. Our youth group will be selling snacks and refreshments (coffee and water will be provided at no extra charge) Reservations are required, we have a 40 person limit for this event. Find a friend and enjoy an evening of relaxing, laughing and fellowship as you explore your artistic side! Please contact Kathy McGregor to make your reservation, [262-634-0938](tel:262-634-0938). All proceeds go towards the National Youth Gathering trip this summer.

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