



ST. JOHN LUTHERAN SCHOOL
The Eagle Express
April 15 - 21, 2010
'New Life in Christ'



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| Thursday, April 15 | - Scholastic Olympics Practice (Grades 5-8) | 7:00-7:25 AM |
| | - Play Practice – Period 1, 2 | 7:35 AM |
| | - Track Practice | 2:45-4:15 PM |
| | - Hosanna! Singers-MMR | 6:30 PM |
| Friday, April 16 | - Hearing Screening Day (JK & K) | |
| | - Play Practice – Period 7 | 1:40 PM |
| Saturday, April 17 | - SALSA Scholastic Olympics Finals @ LHS | 8:00 AM-12 PM |
| Sunday, April 18 | - Celebrate Children Fair – Grades 6, 7, 8 | |
| | - Gospel Light Chorus Sings @ Trinity – Wilson | 10:15 AM |
| Monday, April 19 | - Tornado and Severe Weather Awareness Week | |
| | - Play Practice – Period 3, 4 | 9:22 AM |
| Tuesday, April 20 | - Tornado and Severe Weather Awareness Week | |
| | - Play Practice – Period 4, 5 | 9:53 AM |
| | - Track Practice | 2:45-4:15 PM |
| Wednesday, April 21 | - Tornado and Severe Weather Awareness Week | |
| | - Secretaries' Day | |
| | - Chapel – Grade 6 | 9:07 AM |
| | - Play Practice – Period 5, 6, 7 | 9:30 AM |
| | - Early Release | 11:25 AM |

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Happy Birthday to the following students who will be celebrating birthdays this coming week.

God's Blessings on your special day!

Samantha Krupp – Grade 5 – April 15

Emily Austin – Grade 1 – April 19

Emily Schwartz – Grade 8 – April 19

Logan Jones – Grade 6 – April 20

Brenden Ashe – Grade 4 – April 21

Morgan Konz – Grade 7 – April 21

The **2010 Pizza Sale** was again a huge success. We made 3192 pizzas and all the extras were sold within a few days. We raised a total of \$7,758.98 which will be used toward the copier, student assistance fund, AR tests, computer printer, die cast shapes and paper cutters. Thank you to the 90+ volunteers that pitched in and rolled up their sleeves to either weigh and measure on Friday, assemble on Saturday, or helped with childcare. We had several dedicated volunteers that helped out both days. Special thanks to Mr. Wightman and Mr. Triebensee for taking a trip for us, Danny Buss and Sargento for the use of their trailer, Nola Schultz for lunch, and all that worked Friday and Saturday. The Pizza Committee.

MILK/LUNCH TICKETS – Please be aware of the amount of tickets your child(ren) have remaining for the balance of the school year. Just a reminder that refunds are not given for either milk or lunch tickets. Tickets cannot be used the following school year either. Thank you for your attention to this matter. Food Service

CLASSROOM CORNER: Spanish (Mrs. Robin Larkin): It's hard to believe that our first year of Spanish for the entire St. John student body is almost coming to an end. This school year has been a true success with adding the 3 year old Preschool through 4th grade into the Spanish program. Currently our 3K, Kindergarten and 2nd grade classes are learning different words for clothing in Spanish. The 2nd grade can even describe the color of their clothing! The JK students have learned "Head, Shoulders, Legs, and Feet" in Spanish and are currently working on a dance that reviews left, right, forward, backward, and around. The 1st grade recently completed a food book in which they wrote mini Spanish sentences saying which foods they like and dislike. The 3rd grade students labeled the objects in their classroom with Spanish vocabulary after finishing their weather, days, and months unit. And our 4th grade class is learning how to describe their family members and tell the ages of people they know. The 4th grade can also count over 100 in Spanish. In the middle school, the 5th grade class recently learned the Spanish alphabet and how to count over 100. They will soon be describing their family members as well. The 6th grade class is describing clothing and people and will soon give an oral presentation about what they are wearing using only Spanish. The 7th grade class will be learning how to tell the time and describe their daily class schedule all in Spanish. The 8th grade class continues to build their vocabulary and change verbs so they can increase their sentence fluency.

Attention 5th & 6th Grade Parents of Athletes, yearbook pictures needed: We are in need of action shots from "B" Girls' Volleyball and Basketball and from "B" Boys' Basketball. Please contact Beth Reil (207-1282 or 892-7167) if you have any photos. Please submit the photos before May 7. Thank You!

Lutheran Kohler Christian Youth Football is back for another exciting season.

The Lutheran Kohler Christian Youth Football Program begins its second year with an informational meeting and official sign up on **Thursday, April 15 at 7pm** in the cafeteria of the Kohler School. All kids entering grades 5th through 8th for the 2010-11 school year are eligible to play. This tackle football program is part of the Sheboygan Youth Football League, which consists of teams from Sheboygan County.

The coaches will give a short program to provide more details on the program and answer any questions parents might have. Parents and kids are encouraged to attend as there will be on-site registration. Registration for returning players is \$80 if they use last year's practice jersey, and \$100 for new players. New players receive a new, customized keepsake jersey and mouth guard. Equipment is provided and included in the registration fees thanks to the generous donations from last year.

If you are unable to attend and want to sign up in advance of the meeting, please contact Scott Silvestri (amysilvestri@att.net) at 457-6363; or John Elmendorf (johnnot@progressivebeginnings.com) at 451-9171.

On Friday, April 16, we will be holding a **Hearing Screening Program**. Students in JK and Kindergarten, as well as any students from other grades who are referred by teachers or parents who suspect that their child or student may be having hearing difficulties, will be screened by our Parish Nurse. If your child is not in one of these grades and you feel you would like them screened, please contact the school office before that date. Thank you.

Come one, come all! To the **Middle School Academic Fair!** You are cordially invited to attend the Middle School Academic Fair the weekend of April 16-18, 2010 in the Fellowship Hall. Each of our middle school students (grades 6-8) have created a project in the areas of science, social studies, math, or religion. Their projects will be displayed in the Fellowship Hall for all to see. Check them out between church services over the weekend at your leisure. We truly have some talented, intelligent students in our midst!

SCHOLASTIC OLYMPICS TOURNAMENT - After a successful season of meets with other SALSA teams, it is time for the final event of the season, the tournament. Both of our teams will compete at Lutheran High School in Sheboygan on **Saturday, April 17**. Play begins at 8:30 AM sharp, so team members need to be in the room of their first game at **8:25**. Competition and awards usually end shortly after noon.

Everyone is welcome to attend and support our students. The SALSA committee asks parents, however, that have children younger than kindergarten age or those who might not be able to sit through the games quietly not be in the rooms during play. They also may not be left in the hall unattended.

Mrs. Larkin, Mr. Jacoby, Mrs. MacGillis, and Mrs. Konz extend a big thank you to all parents and teachers who helped provide transportation to away meets. Thank you also to all who got up early to make practice time at 7:00 AM! We are also grateful to those who will be serving on the St. John scoring team on Saturday: Doug Jacoby, Pastor Knippa and Becky Truttschel. Pastor Meador, thank you for being a reader for the competition! We are looking forward to an exciting morning.

As is customary, teams will meet one more time after the season ends for doughnuts, juice and some fun trivia. This will be a competition of adults vs. students. Parents are invited to attend! We will get together in **Mrs. MacGillis's classroom** Tuesday morning, April 20 at 7:00 AM sharp. Hope to see you there!

Aluminum and Metal Drive - Please bring your cans or these metal items to Lutheran High next Saturday, April 17th. Items wanted: aluminum cans, doors and gutters, asst. aluminum, brass door-knobs, car parts, copper tubing, electric motors and cable, hardware, iron, nuts and bolts, stainless steel, steel and wiring. Call about larger items such as implements, cars, boats or large amounts. Any questions, call Tim Allman at 920-838-4501. (Reminder: absolutely NO - air conditioners, appliances, car batteries, items with oil, items with gas, refrigerators or tires.) Thank you.

ANDREW VOSS BENEFIT: A brat fry benefit including raffles, live music and great food is being held on Saturday, April 17th by friends of Andrew Voss to help with medical expenses incurred from a stabbing in Milwaukee earlier this year. Andrew is the son of Allan and AnnMarie Voss and a 2001 graduate of Lutheran High. The benefit will be held at Crossroads on the corner of Business Drive and Weeden Creek beginning at 11 am. Advance raffle tickets are available at Trinity Church Office (824 Wisconsin Ave.) Mon.-Fri. 8 am-4 pm. They are \$1 each or 6/\$5 and in addition to being entered into the raffle, each ticket stub is worth 50 cents toward food purchased that day. If you would like to donate baked good for this event, you may bring them to Trinity by 3 pm on Friday, April 16th or out to Crossroads the day of the benefit. Please use disposable containers. If you would like to make a monetary donation for his medical expenses, please send your checks to Trinity Church office payable to "Trinity" marked "Voss Benefit". Questions, contact Jon Irish (980-5848).

PARENTS OF THE GOSPEL LIGHT CHORUS, we will be singing at Trinity Lutheran Church in the Town of Wilson on Sunday, April 18 at their 10:15 service. The choir will meet at Trinity at 9:45 to robe and rehearse. Trinity is located at 6522 South Business Drive, Sheboygan, just off of County Rd. V.

Christ Lutheran Church, 3816 S. 12th, Sheboygan, WI, will be holding it's 2nd annual Brat Fry to Benefit the Lutheran High "Wish List" (for items the school would "wish" for but are not in their budget). Last years' proceeds went to a Music Library Storage system. **The Fry will be Sunday Apr. 18th from 9 am to 3 pm** at the South Side Piggly Wiggly on So. Business Dr., Sheboygan WI. We will be serving "All the Usual Suspects" Brats, Hamburgers, Chips, Soda and Coffee. **Come and help us raise funds for this worthy cause, and have a great meal as well!!**

Dance, Dance, Dance!: Student Council will be holding its spring dance in the gym on Friday, April 23 from 7:00-9:30. All SALSA and SJB students in grades 5-8 are invited to attend. There will be a DJ and door prizes. Cost is \$3.00 at the door. Please come and join us!
SJL Student Council

JASON DOWNING BENEFIT: The 35 y.o. man who was stabbed in the brain on 11/30/08 in Sheboygan while being a Good Samaritan needs your help. Jason is the brother of SJL member, Allison (John) Aschenbach and favorite uncle of JohnO and Charlie. Jason was awarded "The Distinguished Citizen of the Year" this past March by The Sheboygan Police Department for his heroic act that left him with permanent brain injuries. A brat fry benefit will be held Sunday, April 25 at Lakeshore Lanes / Windjammer Hall in Sheboygan from 11 am - 5 pm. There will also be live music, silent auctions, raffles throughout the day, bucket raffles, a bake sale, and great food. Raffle tickets are 6/\$5 and good for \$0.50 in trade for food. Please consider making a donation for the auction or raffle drawings. Call Allison at 980-0191. Donations for baked goods can be dropped off at the Windjammer anytime on Saturday, April 24, 10 am - 4 pm or the day of the event as early as 7 am. Funds raised will be used for medical expenses. Thank you in advance.

LUNCH MENU CHANGE: The lunch menus for April 26 and April 27 have been switch. Please take note of this for those days. Thank you.

ATTENTION PARENTS: We need your help to make the Teacher and Staff Appreciation Luncheon a success this year. We would like the teachers and staff to enjoy a well deserved, relaxing luncheon on May 5th. So, we are asking for volunteers to supervise the classrooms, lunchroom and playground during the lunch hours of 10:50 to 12:00. Please contact Kim Jones at 893-5650 by April 26th to sign up. We GREATLY appreciate your participation, and I know the teachers and staff will too! Thank-you!

Perhaps the world's worst movie producer, David O. Dimwit, (Joseph Meador), is in need of a hit after too many miserable failures. Could a new screenplay by writers Dickens and Shakespeare (Kaily Moegenburg and Erin Hueppchen) and a location shoot in vampire infested Vansyltrania revive his career? Could director Otto von Strongman (John Gobbel) corral a group of Hollywood cast-offs and a handful of wacky locals into a tight-knit cast? Could Chief Inspector Idiot (Noah Wetenkamp) solve a string of murders that plague the set? Not likely, but then again, you may never have seen a show quite like *Unwrapped* by Charlie Lovett. This non-scary horror show will have you screaming with laughter, if the jokes don't kill you. Come see an unusually talented eighth grade class put on this hilarious send-up of 1930s Hollywood. Shows: April 29 and 30 at 7:30 PM St. John Gymnasium; St. John Lutheran School, Plymouth, Wisconsin. Tickets: Freewill offering at the door. Produced by special arrangement with Pioneer Drama Service, Inc., Englewood, CO.

Fun Fair Dress Up Day – Friday, May 7th is dress up in clothes to represent your favorite Olympic Sport Day. Don't forget the fun fair starts at 5:30 p.m. on Friday, May 7th.

Let's go for the Gold! At this year's Fun Fair 2010: This is the theme for this year's Fun Fair. Friday, May 7th. St. John Lutheran School will be holding its Fun Fair from 5:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in the school gym and cafeteria. Games, prizes, Take a Chance Drawing, an inflatable castle and great food will be there. Come and join us for the Fun Fair. Tickets are 4 for \$1.00. Open to the public – bring a friend. If anyone would like to volunteer to work or to donate a prize for our drawing, please contact Julie Boening – 694-0880.

Like to Bake? GIFT could sure use your help – Decorated cakes or cupcakes (6 to a plate/package) are needed for the cakewalk game at the annual St. John Fun Fair on Friday, May 8th. If you would be willing to help, please bring your cake or cupcakes to the coffee room next to the cafeteria either Thursday, May 6th or Friday, May 7th after school. We appreciate your help! Any questions, please contact Julie Boening – 694-0880.

Spring Cleaning? Please consider donating your unwanted items to **St. John's Garage Sale & Bake Sale!** All donated items can be brought to St. John Lutheran's gym on Thursday, May 13th between 3:00 & 8:00 p.m. If that time or date does not work for you, please call Tracy at 893-8963 (home) or 893-9626 (work) **before** the week of the sale to make arrangements. We accept clean clothing, shoes/boots, jackets, toys, puzzles, household items, CDs/DVDs, books, crafts, furniture, etc. We cannot accept major appliances, air conditioners or any items that are broken. Please place all clothing of the same size in one bag with the size/gender written on the bag. **Baked goods can be brought anytime** on Friday, May 14th, but during school hours please use the Stafford Street entrance so the doors can be opened for you when you ring the buzzer. After school you may use the gym entrance doors. **Volunteers are needed!! Friday, May 14th** to help sort & price. **Saturday, May 15th** to help with the sale! Please call Tracy at 893-8963 to help! Please leave a message if I am not home. **Thank you** for your help and your donations. They are very much appreciated! **Shopping hours** are Saturday, May 15th from 8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

SCRIP Sales for the week of 04-09-10

Sales \$13,000.00; Special Orders \$95.00; Total Sales \$13,095.00; Tuition Profit \$542.20; General Fund Profit \$148.19 (of which \$67.00 profit is from the 10% Kwik Trip sales; Total Gen. Fund Kwik Trip 10% From March, 2009 to Date \$3,728.00).

Chester's Restaurant is open and is available in the inventory!

KWIK TRIP will be sold at 10% discount while supplies last and then the discount will become 5%.

SPECIAL ORDER OPTIONS:

Bath & Body Works will be offering a bonus profit from Saturday, April 10, 2010, through Friday, May 7, 2010. The profit will be 18%, instead of the normal 13%!

(CHECK POLICY--CHECKS MUST BE FOR EXACT AMOUNT OF ORDERS. THERE WILL BE NO CASH RETURNED FOR OUT OF STOCK ITEMS. PLEASE DO NOT WRITE YOUR CHECK UNTIL YOU HAVE CONFIRMED THAT YOUR ORDER IS IN STOCK.)

HAVE YOU ASKED YOURSELF -"WHAT IS SCRIP?" SCRIP is a fundraising gift card program that allows you to shop with gift cards for your daily needs such as gas, groceries, clothing, animal feed, and restaurants, and any other need you may have. You simply purchase the gift card/certificate for face value and spend it just like cash. The vendors sell the certificates/gift cards to our program for a certain percentage less than the face value. That is how we arrive at a profit! An account is set up for you at your request and the profit is tallied for your child's tuition at the end of April each year. If you don't have a student with a tuition need, you may apply the profit to the general fund! Please feel free to contact Mary or Rhonda with any other questions.

If you have any questions, please contact Mary Rank at 207-4655 or Rhonda Bohrmueller at 528-7774.

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Preparing students for an active Christian life and eternal salvation.*