



ST. JOHN LUTHERAN SCHOOL
The Eagle Express
February 18 - 24, 2010
'New Life in Christ'



Thursday, February 18	- Scholastic Olympics Practice (Grades 5-8)	7:00-7:25 AM
	- A-Boys Bball Practice @ Plymouth	2:45-4:15 PM
	- A-Girls Bball Practice	4:15-5:45 PM
	- B-Boys Bball Practice	5:45-7:15 PM
	- Hosanna! Singers-MMR	6:30 PM
	- Hot Shot Night @ LHS	
	- Student Council: Penny Wars	
Friday, February 19	- B-Girls Bball Practice	2:45-4:15 PM
	- A-Girls Bball v. TLS @ Immanuel	6:00 PM
	- A-Boys Bball v. TLS #1 @ Immanuel	7:00 PM
	- Mid-quarter ends	
	- Student Council: Penny Wars	
Saturday, February 20	- Market Day Pick-up (Volunteers @ 9 AM)	9:30-10:15 AM
	- B-Girls Bball Chilton Tournament	
	- Church Auction @ The Osthoff	
Sunday, February 21	-	
Monday, February 22	- Book Fair	2:30-3:00 PM
	- A-Boys Bball Practice @ Sherman Center	2:45-4:15 PM
	- B-Girls Bball Practice	2:45-4:15 PM
	- A-Girls Bball Practice	4:15-5:45 PM
	- GIFT Meeting/Art Room	6:00 PM
	- Book Fair	6:15-7:30 PM
	- Principal/Teacher Candidate Meeting	7:15 PM
	- Washington's Birthday	
	- Happy Birthday Ms. Doris Myers	
Tuesday, February 23	- Scholastic Olympics Practice (Gr. 5-8)	7:00-7:25 AM
	- JMKAC Readers Theatre for Children read to 3K-Gr. 2/Library	
	3K, JK & K	9:15 AM
	1 st & 2 nd	9:45 AM
	- Book Fair	2:30-3:30 PM
	- Cheerleading Practice	2:45-4:15 PM
	- B-Girls Bball v. Sherman Center @ Sherman Center	4:30 PM
	- B-Boys Bball v. Sherman Center @ Sherman Center	5:30 PM
	- B-Boys Bball Practice	5:45-7:15 PM
Wednesday, February 24	- Scholastic Olympics Practice (Gr. 5-8)	7:00-7:25 AM
	- Chapel – Mr. Tim Huebschman – Baptisms remembered	9:07 AM
	- Book Fair	2:30-8:30 PM
	- A-Boys Bball Practice @ Plymouth	2:45-4:15 PM
	- Lenten Service	3:00 PM
	- Soup Suppers/Cafeteria	4:00-6:00 PM
	- A-Girls Bball Practice	4:15-5:45 PM
	- Lenten Service	6:30 PM
	- PSD Child Developmental Days @ Redeemer	

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

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

God's Blessings on your special day!

Jessica Schumacher – Grade 5 – February 18

Adam Grosskreutz – Grade 1 – February 19

Andrew Steinhardt – Grade 2 – February 21

Alexis Holly – Grade 6 – February 21

Madlyn Schmitt – Grade 7 – February 21

Hunter Musar – Grade 6 – February 22

Jane Rabuck – Grade 2 – February 24

Ethan Kurtz – Grade 3 – February 24

PRINCIPAL CALL MEETING: This Monday night at 7:15 PM, in the sanctuary, there will be a Special Voters Meeting for the purpose of calling the next principal of St. John Lutheran Church and School. Information on the candidates is available in the Fellowship Hall of the Church or in the Church office. This special voters meeting has a quorum requirement of 75 voters. Please make every effort to be a part of this meeting. If your family is not a member of St. John, you may attend the meeting, however only members of St. John may cast a ballot for the Call.

It is important for everyone to understand the difference between the Divine Call and the hiring process. While both the Call and hiring have many of the same elements (interviews, references, credentials), they are two vastly different things. Hiring is done based on common sense and worldly wisdom. This would elevate experience and credentials as determining factors. The Divine Call is totally different. While experience and credentials can be seen as an asset, the key fact is the Divine nature of the call. St. John seeks to call the individual that the Lord Jesus Christ sees fit to add to St. John's total ministry. While this person's work will be seen clearly in the school, there are elements of this ministry that will be done in the congregation as a whole.

At our meeting next Monday night we will be seeking God's guidance for the best person to be a part of the ministry of St. John. Keep this process in your prayers. And then, if you are eligible, come and vote for that person that the Lord is leading to us here at St. John.

If you have any questions about this process, feel free to contact Pastor Meador.

Share the joy of our new life in Christ with your friends and neighbors and save money on your family tuition bill!

Those of us who are a part of SJL understand the quality of education our students receive and the family atmosphere that is a part of the St. John School experience. Share your experience with your friends, neighbors and coworkers, encourage them to come and check out our school for their children. When you refer a family to our school, and they complete their registration, both you and the new family will receive \$200 off your annual family tuition for Kindergarten-8th grade for the 2010-11 school year. To receive the tuition discount, simply print the coupons found on our website: www.stjohnplymouth.org and present them to the school office.

Pictures for Yearbook Needed: If your child played "B" Team Volleyball or "B" Team Basketball (girls or boys) and you have some pictures from their games, please let Mrs. Reil know. We are beginning to get pictures together for the yearbook and are in need of action shots for these teams. Please call Mrs. Reil at 892-7167 or e-mail beth.reil@stjohnplymouth.org. Thanks for your help.

CLASSROOM CORNER: Language Arts (Mrs. Robin Larkin):

6th Grade – The sixth grade Language Arts class began their speech unit this week. The students' first speech assignment was to present a Christian message focused object lesson. The students did very well with this for their first speeches. Now that the first nerve-racking speech is over with, they will be on to interviewing a classmate for their next speech. The sixth grade is also currently enjoying the reading of "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory" as a play. The entire class is performing as the Oompa Loompas!

7th Grade – The seventh grade class just finished reading the play "The Monsters are Due on Maple Street" which was a Twilight Zone episode. Their next step is to write their own play. Their speech unit is coming soon!

8th Grade – The eighth grade class just finished reading two of Edgar Allan Poe's famous short stories. They will soon be moving on to the reading of the play "The Diary of Anne Frank". Their speech unit is also coming soon!

ACHIEVEMENT TESTING – Achievement Testing for **grades 1-8** will take place during the week of **March 15th-19th**. Please avoid scheduling doctor appointments, etc. during this week. Thank you for your cooperation.

RE-ENROLLMENT FORMS – *Just a reminder that re-enrollment forms for the 2010-2011 school year were due in the office JANUARY 27, 2010. To guarantee your child's spot for next year, please return this form as soon as possible. Thank you to those that have already returned their forms.*

INCLEMENT WEATHER - Parents make certain you have communicated the procedure to be followed by your child on early release days due to inclement weather. If the weather looks ominous, it is your responsibility to tune into a radio or TV station to see what the Plymouth Joint School District is doing.

REMINDER – If your financial circumstances change during this school term, just a reminder that you can still apply for Free/Reduced Lunches at any time during the year. Application forms are available in the office.

The St John Lutheran School Food Service will be serving **Soup and Sandwich Suppers** during Lent, starting with Ash Wednesday. The dates will be February 17 - March 24. The time will be 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. We will serve homemade soups, cold cuts, homemade desserts and much more. Carry-outs will be available. A free will offering will be taken at the door. Proceeds will go toward new equipment for the kitchen. If you are able to donate such items as cold cuts, cheese, eggs, pickles, bread, desserts or any dollar amount please call Francha Dallman @ 893-5114x 230 or email me @ francha.dallman@stjohnplymouth.org.

Yearbook Cover Contest: Students, we need your help making the front and back covers of our yearbook. Your drawing must have **St. John Lutheran School** somewhere in the picture, along with the years "**2009-10**" and this year's school theme which is "**New Life in Christ**". Your drawing should be done on plain 8 ½ x 11 white paper. Use lots of color and be sure to include the three required items listed above. **Print your name on the back of the drawing** and turn it in to the school office by February 19, 2010. Late entries will not be considered. Drawings will be returned to the artists. Contest winners will be announced in February. Thanks for your help in creating your yearbook. Mrs. Perl and Mrs. Reil

Join us for the SJL "**All you can read Diner**" **Book Fair!** We are serving up some great reading books with a side order of fantastic bookmarks! The "soup of the day" is "Chicken soup for the soul". Our "Book Fair Diner" will open to feed your mind on Monday, February, 22nd from 2:30-3:00 and again from 6:15-7:30, Tuesday, February 23rd from 2:30-3:30, Wednesday, February 24th 2:30-8:30, Thursday, February 25th 2:30-8:30, Friday, February 26th 2:30-3:30, Saturday, February 27th 4:00-6:00, and Sunday, February 28th 7:30-12:00. The book fair will be closed during all church services. Volunteer "servers" are needed to help "fill our orders!" Please contact either Julie Konz 893-5114 ext. 265 before or after school hours or Tracy Ramminger at 893-9626. Thank you!

LOST & FOUND: Items that have been collected in the school, church, kitchen and locker rooms during the school year have been placed on a table by the elevator entrance from Wednesday, February 17 through Wednesday, March 3. Please take a moment to check if any of these items belong to you. Thank you.

CHOIR SCHEDULE CHANGES: Please note the following: Grades 3, 4 will sing Sunday, March 7 at the 10:30 service. The Adult Choir will sing Sunday, March 7, at 8:00. The St. John All School Sing for Lutheran Schools Week will be at the 8:00 and 10:30 services Sunday, March 14.

COME AND SEE: St. John Lutheran School and Church will be hosting a Come and See Interactive Open House. The open house will be held Sunday, March 14, 9:15 am-10:30 am. The school and church will be alive with activities to show case the daily routines of our school and ministry. Everyone is invited to attend the open house. Tell your friends and coworkers to come and see the great things that happen daily at our school and church. Refreshments will be served and registration papers will be available.

THE GOSPEL LIGHT CHORUS IS GOING TO FORT WAYNE, INDIANA on April 5, 6 and 7 to sing, learn and celebrate. They will lead the hymn festival "I'm Gonna Sing" at Mount Calvary Lutheran Church and record for the television ministry *Worship for Shut-Ins*. If you would like to help with this special three-day tour, you may sponsor the cost for a student at \$155.00. Or for half a student at \$77.50. Following are additional ways to help:

<i>Beauty and the Beast</i> Musical	\$925.00
Dinner at Coney Island Wiener Stand	\$280.00
Your Prayers and Encouragement	Priceless

SCRIP Sales for the week of 02-12-10

Sales \$16,810.00; Special Orders \$1,000.00; Total Sales \$17,800.00; Tuition Profit \$743.71; General Fund Profit \$115.78 (of which \$52.00 profit is from the 10% Kwik Trip sales; Total Gen. Fund Kwik Trip 10% From March, 2009 to Date \$3,181.00).

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

NEW VENDOR IN STOCK! Antoinette's Restaurant is now available immediately! See the SCRIP seller for details! We would like to thank the following local vendors for their support of our program. Please be sure to stop and say thank you when you are patronizing these businesses: Fleet Farm, Subway-Plymouth, Dairy Queen-Plymouth, Antionette's, McDonalds-Plymouth, Exchange Bank Coffee House, Culver's-Sheboygan, and Chester's Drive-in (when they open).

We also extend a thank you to Mr. David Zimmermann and Zimmermann Printing Company for his contribution of our purchase order forms.

(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.)

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

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spiritual, emotional, and social growth;
Preparing students for an active Christian life and eternal salvation.*