



ST. JOHN LUTHERAN SCHOOL  
The Eagle Express  
March 11-17, 2010  
'New Life in Christ'



Thursday, March 11	- National Lutheran Schools Week	
	- Scholastic Olympics Practice (Grades 5-8)	7:00-7:25 AM
	- Grandparent Morning	
	- Grades 1-4 Spelling Bee/Church	8:00 AM
	- Chapel – Grade 3	9:00 AM
	- Talent Show	9:40-10:40 AM
	- Grades 3 & 4 to Maple Sugar Program @ Maywood Environmental Park	11:30 AM-2:30 PM
	- Play Practice – Period 8	1:46 PM
	- A-Boys Bball Practice @ Plymouth	2:45-4:15 PM
	- A-Girls Bball Practice	4:15-5:45 PM
Friday, March 12	- National Lutheran Schools Week	
	- A-Boys East Central Tournament	
	- Play Practice – Period 5	10:39 AM
	- Sock Hop	1:00 PM
	- Pep Rally	1:45 PM
	- Boys A Bball v. St. Paul's Grafton @ E. Central Tourney (LB Clarke, Two Rivers)	4:45 PM
Saturday, March 13	- National Lutheran Schools Week	
	- A-Boys East Central Tournament	
Sunday, March 14	- Day School Sings	8:00 AM
	- Come and See Open House	9:15-10:30 AM
	- Day Schools Sings	10:30 AM
	- A-Boys East Central Tournament	
	- Daylight Savings Time Begins	
Monday, March 15	- Achievement Testing	
	- Play Practice – Period 5	11:58 AM
Tuesday, March 16	- Scholastic Olympics Practice (Gr. 5-8)	7:00-7:25 AM
	- Achievement Testing	
	- Play Practice – Period 8	1:46 PM
	- Scholastic Olympics Meet vs. Trinity @ Trinity	3:10 PM
Wednesday, March 17	- Scholastic Olympics Practice (Gr. 5-8)	7:00-7:25 AM
	- Achievement Testing	
	- Early Release	11:25 AM
	- Lenten Service	3:00 PM
	- Soup Suppers/Cafeteria	4:00-6:00 PM
	- Lenten Service	6:30 PM
	- Happy Birthday Mr. Geoff Schuh	
	- St. Patrick's Day	

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

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

**God's Blessings on your special day!**

Anthony Florencio – Grade 7 – March 11

Hannah Schultz – Grade 1 – March 12

Nicole Reil – Grade 8 – March 13

Alyssa Wetenkamp – Grade 4 – March 14

Eric Grauman – Grade 5 – March 17

**MISSING** – In our school library, someone returned the case for the DVD “Clifford’s Really Big Movie”, however the DVD was not included. If your child has recently checked out this movie, please check if you have it at your home. Thank you.

The students and faculty would like to **thank and acknowledge the GIFT committee** for their generous donation of \$500 to the school for our field trip fund. Your hard work and generosity are very much appreciated. Thank you! Ms. Weinaug, Interim Principal

The **Gospel Light Chorus** and director Tim Huebschman would like to thank the Growing in Fellowship Together (GIFT) Committee for contributing \$500 to our spring tour to Fort Wayne, Indiana. We are grateful for their support and generosity.

**Thank You** to everyone that attended the Youth Group brat fry/bake sale last weekend at Piggly Wiggly. It was a huge success, even far beyond what the store expected! Your continued support of our Youth Group is greatly appreciated. The proceeds will be used towards the youth gathering trip to Louisiana this summer.

**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-8<sup>th</sup> grade for the 2010-11 school year. To receive the tuition discount, simply print the coupons found on our website: [www.stjohnplymouth.org](http://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](mailto:beth.reil@stjohnplymouth.org). Thanks for your help.

**CLASSROOM CORNER:** Elementary Computer Classes (Mrs. Beth Reil):

**JK:** They have been working with early reading skills using Super Phonics and Kid Pix. They've also been learning how to group different types of animals using a program called Kidspiration. Using Microsoft Word, they learned some geometry by making a table of shapes.

**Kindergarten:** First Grade Jumpstart is their favorite program; skills from math and reading are reinforced in this program. A money counting game called Penny Panda is being used to teach coin recognition and counting. Sightwords has also been introduced. This program is a wonderful tool for these emerging readers. Kidspiration, Leap Frog Math, and Super Phonics are other programs they continue to use to sharpen their skills.

**Grade 1:** Each student has started an alphabet book using Kid Pix. Each page of the book will contain 2-3 stamps that begin with each letter of the alphabet. The students choose their own stamps and spell the word under the stamp. Most students are close to the middle of the alphabet. When they aren't working on their books, they work through SuperPhonics, Sightwords, or use other networked software.

**Grade 2:** They've started some early keyboarding skills using Type to Learn Jr. The home row has been introduced as well as which hand should be used to type each letter. The progress is slow, but they're catching on! They've also taken some AR tests as a class. They have also been introduced to Kidspiration which is a language arts program. Super Phonics and Sightwords continue to be used.

**Grade 3:** They continue to work their way through Ultra Key which is our keyboarding program. Most are doing very well sticking with the home row and not “hunting and pecking” to find the letters. They completed a class ABC Book inspired by Dr. Seuss’s “ABC Book”. Each student made up a whimsical story about an alphabet letter and typed it into Microsoft Word. They then created a picture in Paint and pasted it into the Word document. Each child was given a chance to bring the book home to show parents.

**Grade 4:** Keyboarding continues to be an emphasis. They used Word Art in Microsoft Word to display bible verses in an artistic way—the verses grace the walls of the computer lab. A word search was created in Microsoft Excel, and they made a Kid Pix slide show to go along with the “How to” papers they wrote in language arts class. This is a very creative class! Soon they will be using Microsoft PowerPoint to do a presentation on a Wisconsin town.

**Grade 5:** Keyboarding continues to be an emphasis. A few weeks were spent creating dream room floor plans using Microsoft Excel. Then, using Microsoft Word, they typed a description of their dream room. They’ve also done some geometry projects dealing with triangles, rotations, and reflections using Microsoft Word and Paint. Our next project will be learning how to use PowerPoint.

**Our computer lab is absolutely wonderful!! Please feel free to stop by and take a look. You’re also welcome to participate in any of your child’s computer classes. Mrs. Reil**

**St. John Lutheran Child Care** is looking to hire a fun and enthusiastic person to join our team! Candidate must enjoy working with children, be a team player, and be flexible. Experience preferred but not necessary. Please call Tracy at 893-9626 if you are interested.

**ACHIEVEMENT TESTING** – Achievement Testing for **grades 1-8** will take place during the week of **March 15<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>**. 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.*

**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.

**SCHOLASTIC OLYMPICS** teams have formed and are off to a good start in practices each Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings 7:00 to 7:25 for the 5<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade team and the 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade team. The schedule of meets for this year follows. We are looking forward to a great time using our academic talents this season.

*Scholastic Olympics Schedule*

Date:	Location:	Meet Start Time:
Tuesday, March 16	at Trinity	3:10 PM (Depart at 2:45 PM; Return at 4:25 PM)
Monday, March 29	at Random Lake	2:45 PM (Depart at 2:20PM; Return at 4:00 PM)
Tuesday, April 6	at Immanuel	2:30 PM (Depart at 2:00 PM; Return at 3:45 PM)
Tuesday, April 13	Home vs. St. Paul	2:45 PM
April 17	S.A.L.S.A Scholastic Olympics Tournament at Lutheran High <b><u>All players must attend</u></b>	

The St John Lutheran School Food Service will be serving **Soup and Sandwich Suppers** during Lent. The dates will be March 10 - 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](mailto:francha.dallman@stjohnplymouth.org).

**THE ALL SCHOOL SING** for Lutheran Schools Week is Sunday, March 14 at the 8:00 and 10:30 services. We encourage you to attend ONE of the Sunday services. Students should sit with their families and will be called to the front when it is time to sing.

**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 Music Department at **Sheboygan Lutheran High School** is pleased to announce its first ever **Sacred Concert**. The Concert will be held at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Sheboygan Falls on Tuesday, March 23rd. Admission to the concert is free with the doors opening at 6:30 pm and the concert beginning at 7:00 pm. The program will consist of sacred music from a variety of eras, composers, and styles. Arrangements of traditional hymns such as "Praise to the Lord the Almighty" and "From All that Dwell Below the Skies" will be featured along with more contemporary arrangements of "Jesus Loves Me" and "Blessed Be Your Name". Performing ensembles include the Konzertchor, Chamber Choir Treble Choir, and Symphonic Band. We look forward to seeing you there!



**Weekly Sales: March 8-13 - Computer Games & Software 75¢; March 15-20 - Everything Green 50% off, Baskets 50% off; MARCH 18-20: 50% OFF EVERYTHING IN THE STORE! (3 DAYS ONLY)**

The **SALSA Music Festival Recital** will be at St. John this year on Sunday, March 21 at 2:00 PM in the church sanctuary. The best performances from the Solo and Ensemble Festival on March 8, selected by the judges and music teachers, will perform in a recital which is free and open to the public. Students from St. John Lutheran School include JaLynn Schuh, Joseph Meador, Brooke Koehn, Erin Hueppchen and Noah Wetenkamp.

**Babysitter's Training Course** offered by Sheboygan County Chapter ARC. *Two dates to choose from:*

Date: Wednesday, March 31<sup>st</sup> OR Saturday, April 24<sup>th</sup>; Time: 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM; Location: Red Cross, 2032 Erie Avenue, Sheboygan. Cost: \$30.00 (includes Handbook with a CD-ROM and Reference Guide). If you would like a pizza lunch, add \$3.00 to the class cost above. This course instructs youth on how to care for infant through school aged children by teaching them how to prevent injuries and what to do in an emergency. They will also learn how to change diapers, feed children, discipline, and how to handle emergencies and basic first aid. Class size is limited to 12 students so early registration is recommended. **Mail in the form or drop it off at the Red Cross at 2032 Erie Avenue, Sheboygan, WI 53081.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount enclosed: \$30 without pizza lunch or  
\$33 with pizza for lunch.

**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

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 13<sup>th</sup> 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 14<sup>th</sup>, 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 14<sup>th</sup>** to help sort & price. **Saturday, May 15<sup>th</sup>** 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 15<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

**SCRIP Sales for the week of 03-12-10**

Sales \$14,300.00; Special Orders \$1,040.00; Total Sales \$15,340.00; Tuition Profit \$605.88; General Fund Profit \$136.12 (of which \$18.00 profit is from the 10% Kwik Trip sales; Total Gen. Fund Kwik Trip 10% From March, 2009 to Date \$3,439.00).

**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, Antoinette'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.

**SPECIAL ORDER OPTIONS:**

**JCPenney®** will be offering a 1% bonus profit effective Saturday, February 27, 2010, through Friday, March 26, 2010. JCPenney \$25 and \$100 gift cards will have a 6% profit instead of the normal 5%.

(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.*