



ST. JOHN LUTHERAN SCHOOL
The Eagle Express
October 1-7, 2009
'New Life in Christ'



Thank you to the GIFT committee, under the direction of Mrs. Kim Jones for coordinating the coupon book sale. If you still have a book out please pay for it or return it now. Final numbers are still being calculated. All funds raised will be used for student field trips.

Plan to join us for the next GIFT event a family fun Oktoberfest here at school October 9. Volunteer sign up sheets have been sent home. Each family should consider taking one shift to help things run smoothly and so that all families can have an enjoyable time together.

We are still seeking a Library Volunteer for Friday mornings. The work is light, checking out the students' books and re-shelving the returned books. Please contact Mary Weinaug for more information. A new volunteer opportunity is also available! We have a group of students interested in learning chess! If you can relate to 4-8th graders and you know how to play chess, call Mary Weinaug for more information.

We thank God for the new life in Christ given to us each and every day.

Mary Weinaug, Interim Principal

Thursday, October 1	-	Grade 4 to Heritage School	8:30 AM-12:30 PM
	-	B-Girls Volleyball v. Trinity @ LHS	4:15 PM
	-	Hosanna! Singers-MMR	6:30 PM
	-	Happy Birthday Mrs. Robin Lemkuil	
Friday, October 2	-	Confirmation Retreat	
	-	Mid-quarter ends	
Saturday, October 3	-	Confirmation Retreat	
Sunday, October 4	-	Confirmation Retreat	
	-	Grades 1, 2 Sing	10:30 AM
	-	Fire Prevention Week	
Monday, October 5	-	School Pictures (Beginning w/staff)	7:00 AM
	-	3 y.o., JK, K to Fire Station	9:40-10:50 AM
	-	A-Girls Volleyball Practice	2:45-4:15 PM
	-	B-Girls Volleyball Practice	5:00-6:30 PM
	-	Fire Prevention Week	
Tuesday, October 6	-	School Pictures + T/Th Preschool Pictures	8:30 AM
	-	3 y.o. to Fire Station	10:45-11:15 AM
	-	Cheerleading Practice	2:45-4:30 PM
	-	Fire Prevention Week	

- Wednesday, October 7 - Chapel 9:07 AM
- A-Girls Volleyball Practice 2:45-4:15 PM
- B-Girls VB v. Sherman Center @ Sherman Center 4:00 PM
- Fire Prevention Week
- International Walk to School Month
- Mid-quarter reports sent home

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

**Happy Birthday to the following students who will be celebrating birthdays this coming week.
God's Blessings on your special day!**

Jacob Schuh – Kindergarten – October 1

Thomas Blad – Preschool – October 3

Silas Dailey – Preschool – October 6

Madalynn Pratt – Preschool – October 6

CLASSROOM CORNER –

6th Grade Science - 6th grade began the year learning about biomes. They learned about the different climates, animals, plants, abiotic, and biotic factors that inhabit each biome. They are presently constructing biomes at home and bringing them in next week to give an oral presentation! Come up to the science lab to see them sometime!

7th Grade Science - Students in 7th grade began the year studying the questions, "What is life?" They learned what the characteristics of life are and about the needs of living organisms. They are presently studying the bacteria kingdom and learning about viruses and how they affect our health. We will be moving into the protist kingdom next.

8th Grade Science - 8th graders are presently studying chemistry. They began the year with a review of matter, states of matter, measuring matter, and physical and chemical changes. Our next unit will focus on the exciting periodic table and the elements. Each student will be required to know 70 elements and their chemical symbols. Did you know the chemical symbol for gold is Au?

The St John School **Food Service Department** is looking for a volunteer to help out with dishwashing during the lunch periods. This would be occasionally for one hour from 11:30 – 12:30. Anyone interested please contact: Francha Dallman @ 893-5114x 230.

Back by popular demand the **School Food Service Christmas Cookie Sale** will begin the Monday after Thanksgiving. We will bake four different kinds of cookies, all made from scratch, for two weeks **ONLY**. Order blanks will be available in November.

Yum, yum, yum!! Once again we will be having our **Chef Pierre Pie Sale** in November. There will be three new pies available this year: Apple Lattice, Cherry Lattice and Blueberry Lattice, along with Pumpkin, Pecan and Dutch Apple Hi Pie. Orders will be taken starting November 2 until November 16. Pick-up will be Sunday, November 22.

Coaches Needed! Do you enjoy working with middle school aged children? Can you give positive criticism? Well, then Forensics coaching may be for you. The St. John middle school Forensics season has begun and we are in need of adults to work with our 5th through 8th grade Forensics participants. If you are available during any of the following times (Mondays/Fridays at 11:05-11:20 or 2:40-3:00; Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays at 11:50-12:10 or 2:40-3:00) and would be willing to help, please contact Mrs. Robin Larkin at (920) 334-0083 or robin.larkin@stjohnplymouth.org. You would only work with one student or one small group, two to six students, at a time. Forensics is a great introduction to and practice of public speaking for our middle school students. Please help this program continue to run smoothly by volunteering today.

PICTURE / NAME RELEASE – Occasionally the local newspaper or other media wish to come in to the school and photograph / record activities that our students are participating in. Please note that if you DO NOT want us to let your child be photographed or name released, you need to notify the office IN WRITING that this is your wish. No written notification is our assumption that it is then permissible. This needs to be done on a yearly basis to be kept on file.

Lutheran High HarvestFest will be held on Sat., October 3rd from 5:00-10:00 PM. Save the date and invite your friends to what promises to be an evening of fund-raising fun! Enjoy a wonderful buffet, dancing, shopping for pies, preserves, and much more! Early registration date is September 18th - \$25 per person (after Sept. 18 \$30/person). If you need a registration form or more information, please contact the school office at 452-3323 or check out our website: www.lutheranhigh.com.

Homemade Salsa Contest: Lutheran High school is spicing things up at its annual Harvestfest, Saturday October 3rd. Whether your salsa brings tears to your eyes or fairs on the mild side - hot, mild, sweet, fruity, fresh or canned, we are inviting you to chop up a couple batches (5 or more quarts to be exact) to be entered in our peoples choice Best Salsa Tasting Contest. A prize will be awarded to the first place salsa winner. Your generosity would be greatly appreciated at this fun and exciting fund raising event. Call Jenni Monson (467-2626) for details.

JOIN US FOR A “BEACH PARTY” TRIVIA GAME NIGHT – October 9th at Immanuel School. Teams of 8 adult contestants will enjoy a spirited trivia game, team challenges, prizes, and beer & margaritas at the “Beach Bar”! Call 452-9681 to reserve your table and tickets (\$10 per person). Profits will pay for improvements to school and child care playgrounds. For more information call Immanuel School 452-9681.

CHRISTMAS WREATH SALE - sponsored by Lutheran High School. Wreath sizes 24”, 36”, 48”, 60” and 72”. Price \$16 and up. Balsam roping and candy cane and star shaped wreaths are also available. Again this year, all wreaths will have velvet bows (replacing the plastic bow). Again this year we have a 26 inch long cross shaped wreath which could be hung in place or put on an easel for on a cemetery grave for only \$26. Order by October 19th from any Lutheran High student or call the school office at 452-3323. Wreath pick up day is Saturday, November 28 at the school. Help support LHS by purchasing your Christmas wreaths from them.

REFORMATION – This year’s Reformation Celebration Service will be held on October 25th at the Weill Center in downtown Sheboygan beginning at 3:30 PM. The doors open at 2:45 PM. A children’s choir from Trinity, downtown Sheboygan, St. John’s, Plymouth, and St. John’s, Sherman Center will participate under the direction of Timothy Huebschman. A mass choir comprised of members of area LCMS churches and the LHS choir will be directed by Dr. Ken Kosche, who recently retired as professor of music at Concordia University WI. Craig Meisler, formerly of Trinity, downtown Sheboygan, will be at the organ, and a brass ensemble will round out the music. The Rev. Dr. Timothy Maschke, Professor of Theology at Concordia University WI and an alum of St. John, Plymouth will be the guest preacher. Members of the Gospel Light Chorus should meet in the music room at Trinity Lutheran Church and should be robed and ready to sing by 2:45.

Apple Mac Mini Computers for sale - Mac OS X Leopard 10.5; 1.66 Ghz Intel Core Duo; 1 GB RAM, 80 GB Hard Drive; CD and DVD burner; Airport Wireless; Bluetooth; 15 in LCD Monitor; Keyboard; Optical Mouse; Built in Ethernet Networking; USB; Firewire; Selling price \$350. If you are interested in purchasing one of these computers, please call Mr. Holzheimer or Mr. Pratt (452-3323) or email them at holzheimer@lutheranhigh.com or pratt@lutheranhigh.com. There are a limited number available.

SCRIP Sales for the week of 09-25-09

Sales \$15,195.00; Special Orders \$350.00; Total Sales \$15,545.00; Tuition Profit \$652.10; General Fund Profit \$146.60 (of which \$52.00 profit is from the 10% Kwik Trip sales; Total Gen. Fund Kwik Trip 10% From March, 2009 to Date \$1,564.00).

KWIK TRIP is available at a 10% discount in denominations of \$20, \$50, and \$100 gift cards (10% is still a **great deal** to help with tuition and general fund!!!). The discount will be 10% until February, 2010, after that date it will go to the regular 5% discount.)

NEW VENDOR AVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY: Exchange Bank Coffee House is available in our current inventory in \$10.00 denominations with a 10% profit!!!

New Vendors Added to the Special Order List:

Aéropostale is now available in \$25 gift cards with a 7% contribution. The card may be redeemed for merchandise at any Aéropostale store nationwide or online at aeropostale.com.

Perkins Restaurant and Bakery is now available. The Perkins Gift Card is now available in a \$10 denomination with a 12% profit.

Nike Gift Cards are now available in a \$25 denomination with a 12% non-profit contribution. The cards may be redeemed at any Nike-owned retail store or at NikeStore.com, NIKEID.com, or nikewomen.com. Gift card balances may be checked at any Nike-owned retail store location or at NikeStore.com.

Special Order Vendors with Bonus Profit Promotions:

Applebee's is offering a 2% bonus profit from Saturday, September 5, 2009, through Friday, October 16, 2009. That means Applebee's gift cards will have a 10% profit instead of the normal 8% profit, during that time period only.

Barnes & Noble will be offering a 1% bonus profit effective Saturday, September 5, 2009, through Friday, October 2, 2009. When you purchase the popular \$10, \$25, \$100 and \$20 "Teacher Gift" gift cards during this special offer, you will receive a 10% profit instead of the normal 9%.

Fashion Bug will be offering a 2% bonus contribution from Saturday, September 26, 2009, through Thursday, December 31, 2009. Fashion Bug is available in \$25 gift cards with an 8% contribution instead of the normal 6%, during that period only.

OfficeMax gift cards in a new \$100 denomination, in addition to the already available \$25 denomination. The profit is unchanged at 5%.

Gap is offering a 2% bonus profit from Saturday, August 29, 2009, through Friday, October 2, 2009. That means Gap gift cards will have an 11% profit instead of the normal 9% profit, during that time period only.

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.*