

Concordia Lutheran School

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*"Bringing Christ and excellence
in academics to our children
for life and forever."*

EAGLE BANNER

October 11, 2017

IMPORTANT DATES

Weds. Oct. 11

- Culver's Night, 5 – 10 pm
- Nov. Lunch Orders go home

Fri. Oct. 13

- Picture Retake & Makeup Day
- Fab Food (orders due by 10 am)
- Last day to bring Toys for Tots
- Girl Scout Mtg., Gr. K & 1, 5:30 pm
- LHS Grade School Fan Night for Football @ Horlick Field, 7 p.m.

Sat. Oct 14

- RLHS Fall Concert, 7 pm
(Concordia Band included!)

Sun. Oct. 15

- Concordia Sunday @ Living Hope, 10:30 a.m.

Weds. Oct. 18

- Chapel, Gr. 5- 8 @ 9:00 a.m. and Gr. K3 – 4 @ 9:45 a.m.
- Rocky Rocco Night, 4 – 8 p.m.

Thurs. Oct. 19

- Lunch orders due
- End of 1st Quarter

Fri. Oct. 20

- NO SCHOOL/RECORDS DAY
- Child care offered (PREREGISTER!)

LUNCH MENU

See your September Calendar!

ATHLETIC EVENT DATES

Please see info within this newsletter or the athletic schedule provided.

CONCORDIA A SQUAD VB TEAM GOES TO STATE!

Games schedules are in the works but you can find more information about this Oct. 27 – 29th event at <https://www.lsaawi.org/volleyball/>. We hope many will come out to support our team! Stay tuned for more info next week. YAY! 😊

RETAKE & PICTURE MAKE UP DAY IS THIS FRIDAY.

Send your original package to school to trade it in for your retake! If you want to order pictures and didn't previously, stop by the office for an order form. Students absent last time will be photographed Friday.

CULVER'S NIGHT IS TONIGHT

Your presence is requested at tonight's dining out opportunity. Come as early as **5 p.m.** or up until **10 p.m.** Simply let the cashier know that you are there supporting Concordia Lutheran School! We receive 15 % of the sales for anyone who identifies themselves as a supporter! Please bring or send your family or friends, too! See you there. 😊

CONCORDIA SUNDAY 10/15

We look forward to see our students and their families this Sunday at **Living Hope Lutheran Church**, 1619 Newman Rd. for the **10:30 a.m. service**. A special puppet ministry is part of this worship and perfect for kids (and adults) of all ages. Our students will be sharing one of their favorite songs, "Because He Lives". Please join us!

"DINE WITH US" DATES

There are two dining out opportunities coming up ahead for you to take part in. **Chuck E. Cheese Night** is Mon. **Oct. 9** and **Culver's Night** is Weds. **Oct. 11th**. Come to one or enjoy both. Check your calendar or the important dates in this newsletter for times. Also mention you are there supporting Concordia! We look forward to the fellowship!

SOUTH SHORE FIRE DEPT.

The South Shore Fire Department will be visiting to educate our students, K3-Grade 4 on the importance of fire safety and prevention. The firefighters will visit our school on Mon., Oct. 16th. We will also hold another school wide drill. You are encouraged to continue the conversation with your child about fire safety and prevention at home. Thanks!

FIRST QUARTER ENDS! NO SCHOOL NEXT FRIDAY

Next Thursday, Oct. 19th is the final day of our first quarter. Students are reminded to have all assignments given during the quarter in to receive credit for them on the progress report. A **Records Day/NO SCHOOL** is scheduled for **Friday, Oct. 20th**. Child care will be offered for this day. If sufficient need is not indicated by Wednesday, we will notify parents. Please sign up now through the office for their service. Thanks for your prompt attention!

TOYS FOR TOTS WRAPPING UP

This Friday, October 13th will be the final day we are accepting donations as part of our Tex Reynolds Toys for Tots Drive. Please consider sending in any gently used or new items to bring joy to another child this Christmas. Games and puzzles with missing parts WILL be accepted!

CLASSROOM AUCTION BASKET ITEMS

Collection baskets are out and waiting to grow. The class whose basket draws the largest bid during the silent auction will win a pajama/electronics day as a reward. There are lots of fun and theme appropriate items at places like "5 Below" or the "Dollar Store". Please consider donating an item to your student's classroom. Be creative, it is fun to see how the baskets turn out for the auction. This year our classroom auction basket themes are:

- 3-year Preschool: Yummy Baking
- 4-year Kindergarten: "Ice Cream, You Scream"
- Kindergarten: "Smells So Good"
- 1st Grade: "Can You Build It"
- 2nd Grade: "Young Picasso"
- 3rd Grade: "Movie Night"
- 4th Grade: "Loving Wisconsin"
- 5th Grade: "Clean As Can Be"
- 6th Grade: "Family Night"
- 7th Grade: "Cuppa Joe"
- 8th Grade: "Gotta Leave, Quick Breakfast"
- Teacher/Staff Basket – "Mama Don't Cook"

OUTDOOR EDUCATION Students from Kindergarten through Grade 8 will have the opportunity to enjoy the wonders of God's amazing creation through education at **River Bend Nature Center**. Grades 5 – 8 will travel there on **Thurs. Oct. 26**, while K – Grade 4 will take their turn on **Tues. Oct. 31**. A completely disposable sack lunch will be needed for this day. Lunch credits will be issued for those who may have order a meal or hot dog on one of this days. The cost is \$5.00 per child. Chaperones are welcomed and will pay \$3.00. **Permission slips are in your child's folder today.** Please return the permission slip with payment by the due date noted.

THANKS to everyone who has brought in Box Tops this month. We currently have \$215 worth of Box Tops collected. We must mail them at the end of the month, so please send in any you have at this time. Thank you!!

FAITH HOLIDAY FAIR HERE SOON – You are encouraged to stop by the gym for this event on **Saturday, Oct. 21 between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.** Come for the crafts, lunch or other goodies. There is still space available to rent a table to share your wares, too! (Just \$25 a table.) Contact Trudy Kristopeit at 262-898-1338 or Barb Barth at 262-886-2748 for information.

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FALL FEST VOLUNTEER SIGN UP

We are looking for many volunteers to help run the Fall Fest. Last week a volunteer sign-up sheet went home. **Please consider helping out for an hour or two** and return the volunteer form so we can staff this fun event. Volunteer hours count towards your required service hours. Thank you for helping us make this event a success.

K & 1ST PARENTS OF GIRLS

Don't forget the information and sign-up meeting regarding Girl Scouts will be held this Friday, October 13th, 2017 from 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. in the Kindergarten room. Contact: Dawn Wolfe at 262-744-1250 or Email: gstroop10757@yahoo.com on how to sign up if you cannot attend or need more information.

LUNCH PROGRAM UPDATE

Lunch orders for November are coming today. Starting in November, Monday lunches will be made by Chef Kayla Marie. Chef Kayla is an alumna of the culinary school of Kendall College of Chicago. We are happy to have her cooking for us here at Concordia!

GIRL SCOUT TROOP 10759 FOR GR. 4 & 5

Please note that this troop will meet on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month from 4 – 5:30 p.m. Meetings will be held in the library. Please watch for information provided by your Troop Leader or the school on possible schedule changes.

OCTOBER = PASTOR APPRECIATION!

Take a moment to let your Pastor know how much you appreciate the work they do! It's Pastor Appreciation Month – now's the time! Though, any day is a good day to let someone know you are thankful that God has placed them in your life!

MOVIE NIGHT ROUND TWO...

The turn-out for our first Movie Night was spectacular and the movie was even more enjoyable with a crowd! Please save the date for Round Two – Friday, December 1st. More information will be shared as we get closer!

FALL FUNDRAISER END DATE EXTENDED

Reach Out books to invite friends and family to participate in our sale went out for K-4 earlier this week and are coming home with Gr. 5 – 8 today. For this reason, we are extending the deadline to turn in orders and these booklets to **Friday, Oct. 13th**. Pick up for products is scheduled for November 8th.

SERVICE SPOTLIGHT THIS WEEK

Special thanks are extended this week to two individuals that have contributed to Concordia in important ways: 1) **Trung Bitner** – thanks for taking note that our Wisconsin flag was looking a bit worse for the wear and donating a new one! 2) **Norman Klein** – thank you for installing the new cork strips in our hallways so that our teachers now can securely display our students' handiwork!

CHAPEL SERVICES AND OFFERINGS

Please send your offering for **INDIA TRANSFORMED!** Last week we collected \$98.48, bringing our total thus far to **\$581.38**. Thank you for your support! We will continue directing these gifts to **IT** through October.

A VERSE TO REMEMBER

The Lord says, "Forget what happened before. Do not think about the past. Look at the new thing I am going to do."

~ Isaiah 43:18 – 19, ICB

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

The past should be culled like a box of fresh strawberries, rinsed of debris, sweetened judiciously and served in small portions not very often.

~ Laura Palmer

ATHLETIC UPDATES FOR YOU...

Come out and cheer on our young ladies at the upcoming volleyball matches!

TOMORROW! Thurs. Oct. 12th

Friedens @ Concordia

B squad – 4:30 p.m.

A squad – 5:30 p.m.

Tues. Oct. 17th

St. John's @ Concordia

B squad – 4:30 p.m.

A squad – 5:30 p.m.

CROSS COUNTRY CONCLUDES

Several students seized a new opportunity to participate in Cross Country this year. This was offered through Racine Lutheran High School. We are grateful to them for providing this opportunity to them. In addition, we are so very pleased that we had students who were willing and able to give this sport a try! **Thanks and congratulations are extended to Trevor Hansen, Genevieve Voss and Zach Scott for representing Concordia in such a fine way!**

Page 1 of our newsletter shared the news of our **A Squad team heading to the LSA State Championship**, Oct. 27 – 29. We are SO PROUD of this accomplishment! Our hope is that many of our families will come out and support this team.

At each LSA State event a **Christian Character Award** is presented to the school which demonstrates the most SCHOOL SPIRIT and best CHRISTIAN SPORTSMANSHIP. In the past, Concordia has won this award (2008 at the LSA State Basketball Championship – We also took the Consolation Champ Award Trophy!). Let's do it again!

Apparel for this Championship tournament can be ordered in advance and will be available for purchase at the event. If you are interested in preordering, go to the online store at <https://lsavolleyball17.itemorder.com>. Your order will be ready for pick up when you arrive at the tournament.

RACINE LUTHERAN HIGH NEWS FOR YOU!

RLHS Grade School Fan Night for FOOTBALL! Celebrate our Future Crusaders! Plan to join us at the Football game on Friday, October 13, at 7 p.m. at Horlick Field. Use your grade school pass and get in free! The Crusaders are playoff bound!

RLHS Fall Concert is on Saturday, October 14 at 7 p.m.

The grade school Beginner and Symphonic bands will join the RLHS Concert Choir, Concert Band, and Handbill Ensemble. Admission is free.

RLHS Open House for prospective students is Monday,

October 23, from 5 until 7 p.m. If you are interested in learning about our high school, please join us and start the application process. Call 637-6538 to learn more.