

## Concordia Lutheran School

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

# EAGLE BANNER

February 19, 2020

### IMPORTANT DATES

#### **Wed. Feb. 19**

-Midterm Reports Issues

#### **Thurs. Feb. 20**

-Basketball Tournaments begin

#### **Fri. Feb. 21**

-Winterim

-Gr. 5 – 8 Castle Lanes outing

-Action Territory Night, 4 – 10 p.m.

-Games at Concordia and WLS

#### **Mon. Feb. 24**

-Children's Choir, 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

-Band, 6 p.m. Beg. /7 p.m. Symph.

#### **Tues. Feb. 25**

-Hot Dog Day

#### **Weds. Feb. 26**

-Chapel, Gr. 4 – 8 @ 9 a.m.

PS3 – Gr. 3 @ 9:45 a.m.

-Ash Wednesday

#### **Thurs. Feb. 27**

-A Squad Lancer Tournament Starts

-Vision Screening

#### **Fri. Feb. 28**

-Fab Food

**WINTERIM DAY IS THIS FRIDAY** - Students will experience a day filled with new experiences, fun activities, and some special life lessons. All of this could not happen without the donation of time from our volunteers for this day. We wish to thank those participating! Special thanks are also extended to Ms. Luchterhand and Mr. Drager for coordinating the activities for this day.

### **MIDTERM PROGRESS REPORTS**

These reports are coming home with Gr.3-8 students today. Please sign and return this midterm promptly. Contact the classroom teacher with any questions. Regular updates can be found on RenWeb.

### **ACTION TERRITORY NIGHT**

We hope you will come out on Friday, **Feb. 21st** and join the fun while supporting this Parent Teacher League fundraiser. **Stop by anytime between 4 and 10 p.m.** All proceeds are used to help fund field trips, classroom items for the kids, and other projects that benefit the students of Concordia. Connect with families and have fun.

### **LUNCH ORDERS**

Today is the last day to order school lunch for the month of March and the first few days of April. Orders will be accepted on Feb. 20 through 4 p.m. with a late fee. There will be no orders accepted thereafter.

### **EMAILS RE: BILLING**

Please take note of the emails updating you on new or outstanding charges on FACTS. You may take care of payments online through the system or stop by the office to make payment in order to keep your account current. We appreciate your timely payments. Unfortunately, services may be suspended on past due accounts.

### **HOT LUNCH MENU CHANGE**

We are switching the lunches served on Friday, February 21<sup>st</sup> and Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup>. Sub sandwiches will now be served on **Friday, February 21<sup>st</sup>** and Corn Dogs will be served on **Wednesday, February 26<sup>th</sup>**. The switch is to accommodate Winterim schedules.

### **SPRING BREAK**

March 16<sup>th</sup> – March 20<sup>th</sup>

**NO Classes**

Child Care is not offered during this vacation to allow our staff time with their families.

### **ORDERING A SCHOOL YEARBOOK...DO IT NOW!**

Did you receive an order form to purchase a yearbook recently? If you did not and are interested, please stop by or email the office for one! Our yearbook is a **28 page, COLOR, soft-sided book**. You'll find class pictures and fun candid! If you wish to place an order, please send the form/envelope back to school promptly. Orders placed after the deadline will result in increased cost and may not be able to be filled! Order right away! **Deadline is March 8<sup>th</sup>**

## CHOICE VOUCHER OPPORTUNITIES

Tomorrow is the last day of the February Racine Parental Choice Program application period. Another RPCP application period will run from March 1 – 20<sup>th</sup>. Parents can apply by going to [www.dpi.wi.gov/choice](http://www.dpi.wi.gov/choice). Proof of residency and/or income must be brought to the office after applying. **Please share the information here with families that you know who may be interested in applying for a Racine Parental Choice Program voucher.**

**PARKING LOT PROTOCOL** – For the safety of all, we require cars to enter on Durand and exit on Corliss. This is especially critical at arrival and dismissal times. When dropping off children, **please do not park or stop** in front of or along the side of the sidewalk, or in the lot's traffic flow. This creates hazardous backups due to restricted traffic flow. When entering, exiting, or moving through the lot at any time of day, move SLOWLY! Use extreme caution when getting out of or into vehicles as others may be preparing to park or entering and exiting vehicles. Finally, please only park in spots designated by lines to assist us in avoiding bottlenecked areas. Please be aware of your surroundings and follow these requirements for the safety of all!

## CALLING ALL 14 YEAR OLDS (BY JUNE 15)!

Ascension All Saints Hospital is beginning to plan for the 2020 Summer Volunteering Program. If you are interested in more information on volunteering call 687-8070 or email [carole.albertini@ascension.org](mailto:carole.albertini@ascension.org) by Fri. Feb. 26<sup>th</sup> to reserve a spot at a March informational meeting.

## VISION SCREENING

Next week **Thursday, February 27**, students in grades Preschool 3, K4, Kindergarten, 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> will be provided with a vision screening through Prevent Blindness at no cost to you.

## NO MARCH KIDS' CHOIR

Due to other commitments, Mrs. Arndt will not be having choir rehearsals on Mondays in March. Please take note and plan accordingly.

## TAX DEDUCTIONS

Did you know that you can deduct up to \$4,000 per K-8<sup>th</sup> grade student? Or are you looking to deduct childcare from your 2019 taxes? Please let the office know if you are in need of a letter stating the amount you paid for either or both of the above categories.

## SERVICE SPOTLIGHT

Two shout-outs are extended this week: 1) To Shanna Lopez for all the hours she spent making the candy grams. Thank you for supporting the Playground Fund with your talents! 2) To Mrs. Grabenhofer for donating various items to the Dojo Dollar store.

## THE SEASON OF LENT IS COMING

Ash Wednesday (February 25) will mark the beginning of this penitential season in the church year. We invite you to join us at Faith Lutheran Church each Weds. at 7 p.m. as we worship and count down the weeks until Easter. You are welcome to join us for dinner in the fellowship hall beginning at 5:45 p.m.

## CHAPEL SERVICES AND OFFERINGS

The South Wisconsin District's Heart for Jesus project, Place of Refuge support will continue through the month of February. Today we collected **\$45.46**, bringing our total for this outreach project to **\$396.40**. Thank you for your support.

## A VERSE TO REMEMBER

"Let no one despise you for your youth, but set the believers an example in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith, in purity.

~1 Timothy 4:12

## THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

"If God is your partner, make your plans BIG!"

~ D.L. Moody



## **ATHLETIC INFORMATION**

**Feb. 20 – 22, @ HOME**

### **CONCORDIA B TOURNAMENT**

#### **GIRLS**

Game #1 – Fri. Feb. 21 @ 7 p.m. vs. Winner of Game 2

#### **BOYS**

Game #1 - Thurs. Feb. 20 @ 6 p.m. vs. Kenosha Christian Life

**In order to make our 5th/6th grade tournament a success, about 100 volunteers are needed to fill various spots.** Here is the link for you to sign up: <https://sites.google.com/concordialutherschool.net/cls-eagles-athletics/booster-club>

**Update:** The following game VS. St. Johns was originally scheduled for Monday Feb. 24<sup>th</sup>. It has not been rescheduled for Tuesday Feb. 25<sup>th</sup>. Volunteers that signed up to help Monday, should report on Tuesday or make arrangements with another volunteer.

#### **Tuesday, Feb. 25<sup>th</sup>**

##### **Home vs. St Johns**

5 p.m. B Squad Girls

6 p.m. B Squad Boys

7 p.m. A Squad Girls

8 p.m. A Squad Boys