Concordia Lutheran School

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

EAGLE BANNER

February 26, 2020

IMPORTANT DATES

Weds. Feb. 26 -Ash Wednesday

Fri. Feb. 28 -Fab Food

Mon. March 2 -Can Collection this week

Tues. March 3 -Hot Dog Day *-Rocky Rococo Dine & Donate Day*

Weds. March 4

-All School Chapel, 9 a.m. in gym -Lent dinner @ Faith, 5:45 – 6:45 pm -Lent Worship @ Faith, 7 p.m. -Lunch Orders go home

Sun. March 8 -Yearbook orders due

> Association Open School Board Meeting

> > March 9, 2020

6 p.m.

CALLING ALL 14 YEAR OLDS (BY JUNE 15)!

Ascension All Saints Hospital is beginning to plan for the 2020 Summer Volunteen Program. If you are interested in more information on volunteering call 687-8070 or email <u>carole.albertini@ascension.org</u> by **Wed. Feb. 26th** to reserve a spot at a March informational meeting.

CAN ROUND UP...SEND 'EM IN!

Starting Monday, March 2nd, and continuing through the week, we will receive your can/aluminum donations toward our debt reduction on the new addition. Mark your bag with your child's grade level, please!

ASH WEDNESDAY

Today, **February 26th** is Ash Wednesday. This marks 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**. Our 8th grade class will be hosting this meal.

VISION SCREENING

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

TRAFFIC SAFETY FOR ALL

To all who drop off and pick up children in the morning or after school... Please honor the request of the school to **enter on Durand and exist on Corliss** so that we have a predictable, safe traffic flow and can eliminate bottle necks. Students should not be dropped off or picked up at the entrance to the school parking lot for this reason, as well. Kindly park and walk to the entrance.

JUST ONE MORE WEEK

There is just a short time left to order your child's 28-page, full-color yearbook at the rate of \$13.00. March 6th is the cut off. After we place our order, supply will be limited, and cost will increase to \$20.00. No one prepaid upon enrolling this year.

WINTERIM APPRECIATION

We simply can't thank enough the friends and family of the school that volunteered their time to share a talent or their knowledge with our students. Additional thanks are extended to those who assisted our instructors as helpers or chaperones. The day was truly a blessing to our students. WE APPRECIATE 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.

REMINDER

Stop by the information board across from Mrs. Klein's office to gather information on the ministry at Faith Lutheran Church, worship times for congregations supporting our school, and for other resources. Interested in baptism? Please let your child's teacher know.

SCHOOL'S WEBSITE

The school's website went down on February 13th. We apologize for the outdated information that is now showing on each of the pages. All the 2019-20 updates were lost, and we are currently working to rebuild the website.

TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK

Teacher Appreciation week (May 4-8) is coming up. There will be a Planning Committee Meeting on **Tuesday March 3rd at 4:00 p.m.** at the school. Anyone interested in helping with ideas to celebrate this week is welcome. Interested but can't make the meeting? Please call or text Terri at 414-331-1800 to still share your ideas and to be involved. Thank you!

RUSD SUMMER SCHOOL

RUSD is offering Summer School for students in grades 4K through 8. The classes will run from June 22nd until July 30th. Those interested should register online at <u>http://news.rusd.org/summerschool2020</u>. Registration begins March 12th and runs through June 1st.

DID YOU ACCEPT OR DECLINE?

Families participating in the Racine Parental Choice Program are reminded that letters were issued by mail last week providing you the option to accept or decline your child's seat for 2020-21. Please return your letter either accepting or declining that seat as soon as possible. **We must receive a response no later than Friday, March 6**th. Some classes may have a waiting list. As such, we must offer seats that are not accepted to a family that is waiting if no response is provided. Promptly return your letter! Please act now. Thank you for your prompt attention.

CHOICE VOUCHER AVAILABILITY

Just a few seats remain for interested applicants for the 2020-21 school year. Please alert friends or family

interested in attending Concordia on a voucher that a new application period will run from March $1 - 20^{\text{th}}$. Application can be made by going to <u>www.dpi.wi.gov/choice</u>. After applying online an approved residency document must be brought to the school office (new & continuing students) and income documentation (new students only). On-site assistance with applying is available by appointment.

RECENT PLAYGROUND DONATIONS

We were able to add two more donations to the playground fund. Shanna Lopez and family donated all the supplies used to make the Candy Grams, which means 100% of the proceeds collected will be directed to the playground fund. This fundraiser brought in \$574. We also received a donation check in the amount of \$3,898.42 from one of our School Board members.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations are extended to Lori Baake. She was the winner of the basket of goodies from our A&W Night.

CANS FOR CLASSROOMS UPDATE

Thank you to Mr. Lisowski for turning in our Aluminum cans. The school received a check for \$142.65 to put towards our Cans for Classroom fund. Thank you all for your continuing support of this project.

CANS FOR CLASSROOM WINNERS

Our February Cans for Classroom winner was the **1**st **grade** class. The students in this class will be able to select a free FAB Food item of their choice.

CULVERS NIGHT PROCEEDS

Thank you to everyone who has been participating in our Dine and Donate Night each month at Culver's. The school received a check in the amount of \$140.00 for the months of January and February.

HE/SHE FORGOT THAT FORM AGAIN?!?

Let us help you out! Outside of the office you will find a red hanging file system in which you can find most of the paperwork sent home for you. You can stop by after office hours, while the school is still open, to pick up what you need!

DINE AND DONTATE OPPORTUNITY

Please join us **Wednesday, March 4**th at Rock Rococo in Racine. You will need to present the flyer that is coming home in your child's folder and the school will receive 15% of the proceeds. We hope to see you there!

ACTION TERRITORY NIGHT UPDATE

Thank you to everyone who joined us for Action Territory Night last Friday. We had 20 people participate and earned \$55.44. Stay tuned for information on the last Action Territory Night in May.

CHAPEL SERVICES AND OFFERINGS

Today was our last collection for the South Wisconsin District's Heart for Jesus project, Place of Refuge. We collected **\$50.62**, bringing our total for this outreach project to **\$447.02**. Thank you for your support.

A VERSE TO REMEMBER

If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. ~ 1 John 1:9

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

"There is but one good; that is God. Everything else is good when it looks to Him and bad when it turns from Him."

~C.S. Lewis

ATHLETIC INFORMATION

<u>Feb. 27 – March 1</u> A Squad Wisconsin Lutheran Lancer Tournament