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

EAGLE BANNER

October 28, 2020

IMPORTANT DATES

Wed. Oct. 28

-Chapel Services
-Dine and Donate at A&W, 4 – 7 p.m.

Thurs. Oct. 29

-\$2.00 PTL P.J. Fundraiser
-Virtual Assembly – 2 pm
(Kohl's Wild Theater)

Fri. Oct. 30

-NO SCHOOL/Professional Dev.

Sun. Nov. 1

-Daylight Saving Time ends!
*Set clocks back 1 hour.
-Spirit Wear Sale ends

Mon. Nov. 2 – Thurs. Nov. 5

-Cans for Classroom drop off

Mon. Nov. 2

-Childcare Bills posted

Tues. Nov. 3

-Election Day

Wed. Nov. 4

-Progress Reports issued
-Online Conference sign up opens

Thurs. Nov. 12

-Childcare Bills due

Dine and Donate:

Tonight from 4 pm – 7 pm
A&W
13520 Northwestern Ave
Franksville, WI

CONFERENCE TIME IS COMING

We look forward to meeting with ALL parents **via Zoom** to discuss each child's 1st Quarter progress. These required conferences are scheduled for **Wednesday evening, Nov. 11th and Thursday, Nov. 12th**. In grades 1 – 8, students attend the conference with their parent and help lead a portion of the meeting. Preschool, Pre-kindergarten, and Kindergarten parents meet independently with their child's teacher. **An email sign up will be sent home November 4th with the opportunity for you to select the conference time that works best for you.** Respond promptly to this email as this will assure you get the conference time you desire!

SPIRIT WEAR IS HERE

You asked for school apparel and it is ready for purchase NOW! Please review the flyer coming home and visit the online site for a closer looker and to make your selections. Visit <http://rumasports.itemorder.com/>. Use Sales Code: CLS20. Items will be delivered to the school and sent home. **Order by Sun. Nov. 1, 2020.**

SHORTS TO END SOON

Students are enjoying the opportunity to wear shorts yet this year. October 29, 2020 is the final day that students are permitted to wear shorts to school this year (other than in gym class). We will resume the joy again beginning April 1. Please remind your child of this policy.

\$2.00 PAJAMA THURSDAY

Tomorrow is the last Pajama Day Thursday for October. Please send the \$2.00 for this PTL fundraiser in a plastic baggie or envelope with your child's name on it. Dress code rules apply. Even footie PJ's are ok, providing you send shoes to wear outdoors.

FIRST QUARTER ENDS TOMORROW

Thursday, Oct. 29th 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. 30th**.

CLASS DOJO

Please make sure you are signed up and able to access Classroom Dojo. This is a direct contact to your child(ren)'s teacher and will give you a daily update as to how your child is managing their day at school. Pictures of what happens during the day are posted occasionally too! Get connected and signup!

DINE AND DONATE

Please join us **tonight** from 4 pm to 7 pm at A&W for dinner or dessert. You can just let the cashier know that you are supporting Concordia and the school will receive 15% of the proceeds from your purchases. Drive through sales count! We hope to see you there!

POSITIVE OFFICE REFERRAL

This week's shout outs go to Rielynn Krenzke, Bella Gaither, Kayla Oberst, Ivy Lyons, and Sophia Guida for letting God's love shine through their actions. We are proud of their kind hearts and willingness to serve others!

LUNCH PROGRAM ON HOLD

Please continue to pack a lunch for your child until further notice. This service will remain suspended until COVID rates in our community reach a more moderate level. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

FEES POSTED ON FACTS

Bills for Before and After School Care, milk, and other IOU's incurred thus far will be posted on FACTS. **Any charges incurred in September must be paid in full to receive your child's progress report.** Call the school office and speak to Mrs. Maricque with questions!

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! Although, any day is a good day to let someone know you are thankful that God has placed them in your life!

NEXT PTL MEETING

Please mark your calendar now for our next Zoom PTL Meeting on **January 19, 2021 at 6 p.m.** (There will also be a meeting in April.) We look forward to your participation and the sharing of ideas to further our school.

GOING ABOVE & BEYOND IN NOVEMBER

The area of academic emphasis for the month of November is **Science**. Please check your child's classroom newsletter to discover how your child can grow in this area. Go above and beyond!! All students completing the monthly challenge will be recognized at the conclusion of the school year.

CANS FOR CLASSROOM...WINNERS!

Congratulations are extended to our 4th grade class who brought in 13 lbs. of cans during the month of October. For their efforts, each student will receive a certificate for one free item of their choice at our Fab Food Friday in November. The certificate must be submitted with the order form to receive the item. Save those cans! **Our next drop of week is November 2 -6.**

RACINE VOLUNTEER CENTER

The Racine Volunteer center is looking for students ages 11-18 that would like to earn volunteer hours for any reason. Here is a list of current volunteer opportunities:

- On Friday, October 30th from 4 pm – 5 pm, volunteers are needed to participate in an outside Halloween Parade for residents at the Ridgewood Care Center.
- Saturday, October 31st volunteers are needed for garden cleanup from 9 am – 1 on at the Caron Butler Community Garden. Volunteers will need to dress for the weather and the possibility of getting dirty. Please bring Water and a mask.
- Make Thanksgiving Door Decor for nursing homes. You can pick up the kits at 6216 Washington Ave, Suite G in Racine. You will need to return the finished wreaths to the same address.
- Monday, December 14th volunteers are needed from 4 pm – 5 on for Christmas Caroling at Ridgewood Care Center.
- Saturday, December 19th volunteers are needed from 9 am – 11 am to place wreaths at headstones for the holidays. This will take place at Southern Wisconsin Veterans Memorial Cemetery.

If interested in any of these opportunities, please contact Sarah Webb at the Racine Volunteer Center. Her telephone number is (262) 886-9612 ext. 103.

STAYING HEALTHY THIS HALLOWEEN

The CDC has provided a few tips for staying healthy and safe while Trick or Treating or attending Halloween activities.

- Avoid direct contact with trick-or-treaters
- Give out treats outdoors, if possible
- Set up a station with individually bagged treats for kids to take
- Wash hands before handling treats
- Make your cloth [mask](#) part of your costume
- A costume mask is **not** a substitute for a cloth mask
- Do **NOT** wear a costume mask over a cloth mask. It can make breathing more difficult.
- Masks should **NOT** be worn by children under the age of 2 or anyone who has trouble breathing

CHAPEL OFFERINGS NEWS FOR YOU

Today was the last day that we collected offerings for a school in Kenya. In total we raised **\$803.13**. This money will be a huge blessing for them as they are struggling to provide educational and other materials to their students during the pandemic. Thank you for your support! During November and December, the offering will be directed to the Orphan Grain Train.

A VERSE TO REMEMBER

Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see.

~Hebrews 11:1 (NIV)

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Faith is taking the first step even when you can't see the whole staircase.

~Martin Luther King Jr.