# Concordia Lutheran School

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

# EAGLE BANNER

May 12, 2021

# **IMPORTANT DATES**

May 10 - 14 -Map Testing

Wed., May 12 -A & W Night, 4 – 7 p.m.

Fri., May 14 -Spring Musical link sent via email

Wed. May 19 -Chapel Services

Fri., May 21 -Dojo Store

Tues., May 25 -Mrs. Mierow Day

Wed. May 26 -Panera, 4 – 8 pm

Fri., May 28 -Fab Food Friday

# May Chapel Offering:

Team Ashley

All offerings collected will go to assist the Biesanz family with medical expenses.

#### THE BOOK FAIR IS BACK

Students may make their summer reading and gift purchases from May 17 – May 28. Two parking lot shopping dates have been designated. Pull in the lot Wed. May 19 and Tues. May 25 from 4:15 – 5:30 p.m. to make your selections!

# **MAP TESTING**

Kindergarten through eighth grade students will complete their Spring MAP assessments this week (May 10 – 14). Please be sure your child comes well rested and nourished to enable them to do their very best on this important measure of their growth. This data is used for important planning. Thank you!

#### 2020-21 COLORATHON

Due to COVID limitations we will not Please join us tonight at A&W for hold this event this year. However, we will bring a splash of color and fun to our Field Day activities that are still planned for Wednesday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>. See the information in today's newsletter to order a Fie

#### FIELD DAY T-SHIRT ORDERS

We are working with a vendor to provide t-shirts for our Field Day event this year. Cost is \$10.00 per shirt. Students may choose from a variety colors this year! Order forms will come home via email and paper copy this Friday. You may place your order until next Friday, May 21. You are also welcome to wear a shirt from one of our past years or create your own!

# **A&W DINE AND DONATE**

dinner or dessert! Just let the cashier know that you are supporting Concordia and the school will receive 15% of the proceeds from your purchases. Another flyer is attached for you. We hope to see you there!

#### MRS. MIEROW DAY!

Please join us in honoring Mrs. Mierow for her decades of dedicated service to Concordia as she prepares to retire at the conclusion of this school year. Tuesday, May 25<sup>th</sup> has been designated as "Mrs. Mierow Day". We look forward to presenting her with your expressions of gratitude and individual well-wishes on this day. Please send items to the office. Thank you!

# SPRING MUSICAL

God bless America! Our students are embracing this land that we love as we prepare to share their stellar singing abilities in our virtual spring musicals. Kindergarten through Grade 2 will present, "Let Freedom Ring" while Grades 3 and 4 will share a "Salute to America". You will receive a link via email on May 14<sup>th</sup>. These presentations will warm your heart as you prepare to celebrate Memorial Day.

#### PRESCHOOLTEACHER NEEDED

We are seeking a teacher for the 2021-22 school year for the 3-year-old program that possesses a love for sharing Christ and educating little ones. This is a part-time position (AM) with an opportunity for additional service in the afternoon. Synodical training from one of our Concordia universities is preferred. However, other qualified individuals are welcomed to apply. Individuals with questions, or an interest in applying are encouraged to contact Mrs. Klein at 262-884-0991 or email a resume and cover letter to

jeannine.klein@concordialutheranschool.net!

# **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

We are seeking individuals for the 2021-22 school year that are devoted to serving our Lord and His lambs. Opportunities exist in the following areas: Administrative Assistant (QuickBooks experience or similar, Excel, Word & Google proficient, advanced technology & interpersonal skills required), Classroom Aides (specific grade level assignments TBD; high school diploma or its equivalent necessary) and After School Care supervision. Email your inquiries, please!

# TEAM ASHLEY UPDATE/THANKS

Thank you to everyone for your prayers, concern, and support as Ashley received the diagnosis of Leukemia and goes through her treatment. We are truly grateful. She has a long road ahead of her (about 2 ½ years) but is tolerating treatment very well. The doctors are confident that they can cure this, we pray that it will never come back and there are few side-effects from the treatment. —The Biesanz Family

# MAY'S APPLICATIONS FOR RPCP

The May open application period will open on May 1<sup>st</sup> and run through May 20<sup>th</sup>. Applications can be made by going to <a href="www.dpi.wi.gov/choice.">www.dpi.wi.gov/choice.</a>. After applying online, residency documentation must be brought to the school office (new & continuing students) along with income documentation (new students only) by May 20<sup>th</sup>. Please share your school with others and let your friends know that a limited number of seats remain.

# **CHANGE OF INFORMATION**

It is time for us to begin preparing busing information for the 2021-22 school year to submit to RUSD. It is critical whether your child rides the bus or not that we have your most updated address and phone number in our system. Please be sure to share any changes with us as soon as they

#### **DOJO STORE**

Your donations to the Dojo Dollar Store are needed and much appreciated! The store gives your child an opportunity to spend the cash they earn at school for making good choices. The store carries an assortment of treats and snacks, fun kid items (small toys, etc.), coupons for freebies at McDonald's, and school supplies. If you can supply any of these things or something you think the kids would enjoy, please bring it in! The last opportunity for the school Dojo store will be May 21st.

# **DINING OUT OPPORTUNITY**

Mark your calendars now for **Wednesday**, **May 26**<sup>th</sup> **from 4:00 – 8:00 p.m**. at **Panera**. A flyer will be coming home on May 12th. They will donate 20% of the proceeds from your meal back to the school. PTL uses those dollars to help fund field trip and busing costs, host school fairs, and add to the academic improvements in the classrooms – just to name a few things! Please come.

# **SUMMER SKILLS BOOKS**

Our teachers and students have done an excellent job of covering some lost ground due to the closure last year. However, extra practice this summer will be critical to cement that progress, build on it, and eliminate the "summer slide". Order forms are coming home today for Summer Skills Books (various subject areas) at \$18.00 each and are due by Wed. May 19. Please consider taking advantage of this ordering opportunity.

# SHOPPING ON AMAZON

You can support Concordia by making your Amazon purchases on AmazonSmile. Same products, same prices, same services - but 0.5% of your purchase comes to the school. Use this link:

https://smile.amazon.com/ch/39-1143502.

You can also shop in the Amazon App to make a difference while you shop. Simply follow the instructions below to select "Racine Lutheran Inter-Parish School Association" and activate AmazonSmile in the app.

- 1. Open the Amazon App in your phone
- Select the main menu (=) & tap on AmazonSmile within programs and features
- 3. Select "Racine Lutheran Inter-Parish School Association" as your charity
- 4. Follow the on-screen instructions to activate AmazonSmile in the mobile app

#### MAY ABOVE & BEYOND

The academic focus for the month of May is **Spelling.** Please check your child's classroom newsletter or the separate handout provided by the teacher with the criteria to go "above and beyond" in this area!

#### PJ THURSDAYS ONGOING

**Every Thursday until June 3**rd, you will be allowed to wear your pajamas or comfy clothes for \$2 per week. Dress code rules will still be enforced, and proper shoes must be worn on the blacktop. Please send exact cash in a clear baggie or envelope with your child's name weekly. Thank you!

#### **XAVIER SUMMER READING ENRICHMENT**

Coming home in your child's folder today is a flyer for Xavier Summer Reading Enrichment program. The program is offered to 4-year old students through those entering 11<sup>th</sup> grade. Please call 1-800-715-2808 for more information.

#### PLEASE PAY ALL OUTSTANDINGS NOW

All accounts must be current/paid in full by or before June 4, 2021 to receive your child's end of year progress report. This includes any outstanding misc. fees, tuition, child care, etc. If you have questions regarding your account balance, please check with Mrs. Maricque now or log into your FACTS account!

# LAST CALL FOR PLAYGROUND OR KRAFT MATCH DONATIONS!

Please consider picking a project you'd like to contribute to that we can double up on your donation by using the Kraft Foundation Match. We will need your donation by May 15, 2021 to get the full benefit. Thank you for helping us enrich the learning and enjoyment at our school!

# **LET'S USE THEM UP!**

We still have care packages available. Please let us know if there you would like to share one with someone you know or can use one for your family. Simply send a note, Dojo message, or email to the office, Mrs. Klein, or a teacher asap. We will deliver, or you can pick one up!

#### CHAPEL SERVICES AND OFFERINGS

During **May and June**, our Chapel offerings will be directed to the *Biesanz family* and our Team Ashley project to help with medical bills and other costs associated with Ashley's treatment. Today we collected \$184.83, for a grand total of **\$352.00**. Go Team Ashley!

#### A VERSE TO REMEMBER

"He determines the number of the stars and calls them each by name."

~Psalm 147:4

# THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

"God meets daily needs daily. Not weekly or annually. He will give you what you need when it is needed."

~ Max Lucado

#### **RACINE LUTHERAN HIGH NEWS FOR YOU!**

RLHS Summer Camps – Fliers are being sent home!
Summer Conditioning begins June 7.
Girls Basketball Camp is July 12-15.
Volleyball Camp is July 19-22.
Boys Basketball Camp is July 26-28.