

## Concordia Lutheran School

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# EAGLE BANNER

August 27, 2025

### IMPORTANT DATES

**Wed. August 27**

-Lunch Order Forms go home

**Thurs. August 28**

-Last day of school this week

**Fri. August 29**

-No School

**Mon. September 1**

-No School

-Labor Day

**Tues. September 2**

-T-Shirt Tuesday

**Wed. September 3**

-All School Chapel

-Lunch Order Forms are due

### LOOKING AHEAD....

#### **PTL MEETING**

**Tues. Sept. 16, 2025**

**4:30 PM**

Pizza will be served.

Parents are encouraged  
to attend and let their voice  
be heard!

**REGISTER** in advance

(Link included in your  
newsletter).

**Attendees will be  
entered in a drawing for a  
FREE Spirit Wear item.**

#### **PTL Action Territory Night**

**Friday, Sept. 12, 2025**

**4 – 9 p.m.**

See the attached flyer!

### **CHARACTER COUNTS**

Throughout the school year, we will highlight important character traits that are being taught at school to help our students grow to be the students and citizens in our world that God designed them to be. Our emphasis this year will be on the following traits:

- Punctuality
- Attentiveness
- Dependability
- Courage
- Availability
- Honesty
- Patience
- Creativity
- Thoroughness

Please check out the traits featured in our newsletter so you can continue the conversation at home!

### **WORSHIP WITH US!**

Join friends and family from school at one of these worship services to celebrate the 12<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost.

Saturday, 8/30 @ Faith – 4 p.m.

Sunday, 8/31 @ Faith – 9:00 a.m.

Sunday, 8/31 @ Holy Cross – 10:00 a.m.

### **SET APART TO SERVE**

Concordia is committed to encouraging our youth to trust God's direction in their lives. As part of that process, we discuss

opportunities for your child to use their gifts and talents to serve God now and in the future (in life and vocation). During the coming weeks, we will be sharing the stories of God's direction in the lives of our faculty/staff/pastors that ultimately led them to serve Him at Concordia Lutheran School.

**Pastor Grabenhofer's** story is posted this week on the Set Apart to Serve bulletin board. Ask your child to check it out and share what they learned about his call to serve!

## **BUS ONE RIDERS PLEASE TAKE NOTE**

The morning bus driver for bus one informed us today that she will need to push back the pickup time you were given by 20 minutes. With more additions to her bus route, she is trying to get your kiddos to school on time verses at 9 a.m. Thank you for working with her and for your understanding.

## **BUSING QUESTIONS OR CHANGES**

Please reach out to RUSD Transportation for any busing requests or issues with busing. Their phone number is **262-631-7138** or you can email them at [transportation.department@rusd.org](mailto:transportation.department@rusd.org). If you have a new address that needs to be submitted, please let Mrs. Voss know in the office. Thank you!

## **PICTURE DAY IS COMING!**

All students will be photographed on **Tuesday, September 9th**. These photos will be part of our yearbook released in Spring. Order forms were given out Monday at Parents Night or will be coming home today in your child's folder. If you would like to order pictures, remember to turn in any order forms to your child(ren)'s teacher by Tuesday. No purchase is required!

## **SKATING IN P.E. IS AROUND THE CORNER!**

Beginning October 7<sup>th</sup>, students in grades K – 8 will be roller-skating in PE Class. Now is the time to begin practicing tying those laces!! This will help the kids get their skates on and moving more quickly. Thank you for your assistance. Permission slips will be going home today if you did not receive them on Parent Information Night.

## **CANS FOR CLASSROOMS**

*You can* help us raise funds for lower-level classrooms and gym floor replacement by sending your cans in during the **first full week of each month.** From **September 8– 12**, simply have them ready at drop off or pick up for us, please. *Be sure to put your child's name and grade on them.* **The class that brings in the most cans will earn a free item at our Fab Food Friday snack time.**

## **DISMISSAL PROCEDURES**

School is officially dismissed at **3:55 pm** for PK4 - 8 students. Three-year-old Preschool is dismissed at NOON daily. Please be prompt in picking up your child(ren). Those children not picked up by 4:00PM (PK4 – 8) will be placed into the After School Care program and billed for this service.

## **HOT LUNCH BEGINS SEPTEMBER 15<sup>TH</sup>**

**Volunteers are needed** to help serve lunches to our students in PK3 – 8<sup>th</sup> grade. Students will come to the

cafeteria to pick up their lunches and take them back to their classrooms while others will eat in the cafeteria. Our PK3 – Kindergarten students will have their lunches delivered to their classrooms. Please contact the school office to let us know what days of the week you can help! **All volunteers must submit an authorization for background check.**

## **HOT DOG TUESDAYS BEGIN SEPTEMBER 16<sup>TH</sup>**

**Beginning Sept. 16<sup>th</sup>**, every Tuesday is HOT DOG DAY! PK3-2<sup>nd</sup> grade students use order forms covering a month at a time. **Grades 3 – 8 bring cash each Tuesday to make their purchases.** The cost is **\$1.25** per hot dog and **\$0.75** for sides (chips, fruit cups, cookies, etc.). **We are looking for parent volunteers to help as servers.** Any 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade parents will earn credits toward their child's class trip this spring. Please call the office to help! Thank you!!

## **DID YOU RETURN YOUR PARENT INFO NIGHT PAPERS?**

Along with your Parent/Student Handbook, you received a Covenant for Christian Education, Tech Policy, Google Classroom, Tell the Teacher More Form, and Discipline Policy at Parents' Night (or at your make-up session). If you have not yet done so, please return these items to school with your child promptly. Thank you!

## **MISSED PARENT INFORMATION NIGHT?**

**Please be certain to reschedule the required meeting** with your child's teacher now if you have not yet done so. All rescheduled conferences should be completed by the end of next week. Failure to do so will impact your child's ability to attend school going forward. Please call Mrs. Klein with any questions.

## **BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL CARE**

Before School Care is available daily from 6:45 - 8:30 a.m. After School Care is available immediately following dismissal until 6:15 p.m. Afternoon care for our Preschool 3-year-old students is offered beginning at 12:00 p.m. **Anyone** desiring childcare will need to sign up the week prior to care, using Signup Genius. The link for Signup Genius will be sent in a weekend message from Mrs. Klein, be sure to check your emails.

## **ATTENTION THOSE USING CHILDCARE**

Please be sure to send your child with a few different items that can be used during Before or After Care to help keep your child occupied during their time with us. **Electronic items and phones may not be used.** If you are using After Care, please send a snack, too. They are ravenous after dismissal!

## PARENT-TEACHER LEAGUE MEETING

We are looking forward to gathering with you at our first Parent-Teacher League Meeting on **Tuesday, September 16<sup>th</sup> at 4:30 p.m.** FREE CHILD CARE will be available at the school. Pizza will be provided at the meeting for the parents and students who have parents attending the meeting. **Participants will be entered in a drawing to receive ONE FREE Spirit Wear (up to \$31.00 value).** REGISTER to attend using this link: <https://forms.gle/wXAwWrdmM6L3zceF6>  
Participation at PTL meetings counts toward your required volunteer hours!

## UPCOMING PTL EVENTS

**Family Fun Night at Action Territory** – Friday, September 12<sup>th</sup>, from 4 -9 p.m. See attached flyer for more information.

**Qdoba Dine and Donate** – Tuesday, September 30<sup>th</sup>, from 4-8 p.m. HWY 31 & 11. More information to come.

## DRESS CODE

The student's dress should reflect good judgment and modesty. Shorts may be worn until October 31<sup>st</sup>, providing they meet the length criteria of no more than 5 inches about the bend of the knee. Tank tops, ripped or frayed jeans or shorts, and shoes without a heel strap or full heel counter are not permitted. Only naturally occurring hair colors are permitted. Excessive or unnatural cosmetics, including false eyelashes or lip color are not permitted. **Please thoroughly review p. 25-26 of the handbook for all the specifics!**

## SPECIAL SPIRIT DAYS

**On T-Shirt Tuesdays**, students are encouraged to wear a Christian t-shirt or one supporting a cancer advocacy group (Team Ashley, Sadowski Strong or others you may have)!

**Every Friday** the students and staff are encouraged to wear our **school colors; red, black, and white or Concordia spirit wear**. Show your school spirit - please participate! On occasion, we will also support our local teams by holding Packer, Badger, and Brewers apparel days. Gear up!

## THANK YOU FOR DONATIONS...

Thank you, Debbie Peterson and the Spencer family, for your donations to our DOJO Store. We are truly thankful and blessed by your generosity.

## GOING ABOVE AND BEYOND

Each month our students (K-8) have an opportunity to earn an academic achievement award. Specific grade appropriate criteria have been established for each subject in our curriculum. After these criteria have

been communicated for the given month, the student can work to achieve the award for that month. The criteria will typically require the student to go "above and beyond" what is required of the child in class. **The academic emphasis for the month of September is Religion.** Look for information coming home with your child on this program or with your child's class newsletter.

## KEEPING OUR FAMILIES IN PRAYER

As part of our family, you are in our thoughts and prayers. We will be including you in our prayers throughout the year, here in school, and at our churches. Each week we will publish names of school families

## CHAPEL OFFERINGS

**"Luchterhand Recovery Offering"** is our chapel offering project for the month of September and October. Please see the flyer sharing the tragic accident that occurred resulting in this need. Our first chapel service will be on Wednesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>. Your gifts and prayers for are greatly appreciated.

## TODAY'S VERSE TO REMEMBER

The Lord himself goes before you and will be with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged.

~ Deuteronomy 31:8 NIV

## THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

"The beautiful thing about learning is that no one can take it away from you."

~ B.B. King

**Our Mission at Concordia:** *Bringing Christ and excellence in academics to our children for life and forever.*

## ATHLETICS NEWS & NOTES

**Volleyball and Basketball Practice times are on your TeamReach App** – Please make sure to check it often for any updates or changes.

## UPCOMING GAMES!

### Volleyball Games:

Wednesday August 27<sup>th</sup>

Home Vs. Trinity Lutheran Caledonia

5:00 p.m. 5<sup>th</sup>

6:00 p.m. 6<sup>th</sup>

7:00 p.m. 7<sup>th</sup>

8:00 p.m. 8<sup>th</sup>

Wednesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>

@ Kenosha Lutheran Academy

5:00 p.m. 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> grade

6:15 p.m. 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade

Friday, September 12<sup>th</sup>

B-Squad Tournament @ RLHS

Saturday, September 13<sup>th</sup>

A-Squad Tournament @ RLHS

Monday, September 15<sup>th</sup>

@ St. John's Racine

4:45 p.m. 5<sup>th</sup>

5:45 p.m. 6<sup>th</sup>

6:45 p.m. 7<sup>th</sup>

7:45 p.m. 8<sup>th</sup>

Monday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>

Home vs Wisconsin Lutheran

Times are TBD

**RACINE LUTHERAN HIGH NEWS FOR YOU!**

RLHS uses digital ticketing for sporting events. However, for regular season games, those with an athletic pass won't need a digital ticket.

Please take note of the special "Grade School Fan Nights" listed on the back of the pass. We look forward to seeing you there!

**Grade School Fan Nights:**

**Girls Varsity Volleyball** – Tuesday, Sept. 16<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 pm

**Varsity Football** – Thurs. Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 7 pm (Horlick Field)

**Boys Varsity Basketball** – Saturday, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup>, 4 pm

**Girls Varsity Basketball** – Saturday, Dec. 20<sup>th</sup>, 4 pm

**Mark Your Calander:**

**Fall Open House** – Monday, Oct. 13<sup>th</sup> (drop in) 5 -7-pm

**Winer Open House** – Wed. Jan. 14<sup>th</sup> (drop in) 5-7 pm