



# St. John Lutheran School Tiger Pause

Mrs. Shellie Kosmerchok, Principal

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## Principal News

Dear Families,

It is hard to believe that this Friday is our 2nd quarter interims. It does not seem possible that we are moving through the 2nd quarter as fast as we are. It is great walking through the halls and watching the students learn and grow. It truly is a blessing to be in a school that provides strong academics in a Christian setting.

This weekend is our children's programs, the preschool and the K - 8. They begin at 2:00 and 3:30 PM respectively. The children and teachers have been working hard on learning parts, and practicing music the past couple weeks. I look forward to seeing each and everyone of you on Sunday. It is wonderful blessing to be principal of St. John!

Blessings,

Mrs. Kosmerchok

### Upcoming Events

- ❖ 12/5 - K-8 Sing 1 PM, Advent Service
- ❖ 12/5 - Winter Sports Pictures 3:45 pm
- ❖ 12/6 - BB Game Home vs St. Pats (G) 5:00 PM (B) 6:00 PM
- ❖ 12/7 - 2nd Quarter Interims
- ❖ 12/7 - PTL Movie Night, 5:45 PM
- ❖ 12/8 - BB Game @ St. Mary Edgerton (G) 11:00 AM (B) 12:15 PM
- ❖ 12/9 - Christmas Program (PS) 2:00 PM (K-8) 3:30 PM

### Birthdays

- 12/7 - Keegan Florence
- 12/7 - Alyssa Elston
- 12/8 - Megan Alvarez
- 12/9 - Gabriel Richer



## Christmas Program

*Make plans to attend!* This Sunday, December 9, is the Christmas program. **Preschool parents**, please have your students in their classroom by 1:30 PM. **K-8 parents**, please have your students to the school and in their classroom by 3:00 PM. The students and staff have worked very hard the past couple of weeks preparing! You won't be disappointed! Don't forget to stop in the gym and support our St. John Youth Cookie Walk!

## Early Dismissal

**December 20th** we will be dismissing at 2:30 pm, due to Defiance Public School having an early dismissal. Tigers Den will be available if you are needing child care.

## Cupcake Wars Is Back

We are excited to announce that on January 12th we will be bringing back the Cupcake Wars. This year the money raised will go towards playground equipment. We will be setting up at 3:00 PM and judging will start at 3:30 PM.

In honor of St. John Lutheran School the Heilman family has given the nativity set in the front of the church. They are a four generation family that has attended the school and value the Christian education the school provides.

# Verse of the Week

When Jesus spoke again to the people, he said, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life." - John 8:12

## SCRIP News

Do you need gas cards? Meijers? Walmart? Or others? Call the school office for we do have some cards on hand for your shopping needs. If we don't have what you are needing... grab a scrip order form by Tuesday at 10 AM, pay for it and then your order will be ready by Thursday afternoon. It can be sent home with your child. It is that simple. The schools receives 1% of the rebates and you earn the remaining rebate, which can be used for your tuition, school lunches, etc. You will not be disappointed!!

The last day to place an order for Christmas is December 18. There will be no scrip orders during Christmas Break. Mrs. K will start orders backup the week of January 6th.

### CURRENT BONUSES

#### November 24 - December 7

Bob Evans	10%	12%	Papa Johns	8%	10%
Starbucks	7%	8.75%			

#### November 9 - December 28

Cold Stone 11% 26%

#### December 1 - December 14

Applebee's	8%	11%	Barnes & Noble	8%	12.75%
Bass Pro Shops	8%	11.75%	Build A Bear	8%	9.75%
Cabela's	8%	11.75%	Dave & Busters	13%	14.75%
Lowe's	4%	6%	P.F. Changs	8%	11%

#### December 8 - December 21

Dominos Pizza	8%	11%	Red Robin	8%	12.75%
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## Chapel News

This week we will be joining the congregation during the 1PM, Advent service. Our K-8 students will be singing and would love to have their family and friends join them. Please don't forget to send a chapel offering with your child. During the second quarter our offerings will be going to Kaitlyn's Cottage. So far this quarter we have collected \$156.18.

## Family Movie Night

This Friday, December 7th, our PTL will be hosting a family movie night. They will be showing the movie "The Star" in the gym. All church & school families are welcome to attend! Please arrive at 5:45 pm, the movie will start at 6 pm. Pick up will be promptly at 8:15 pm. A snack and drink will be provided and at the end of the night one lucky person will get to take the DVD home!

## Annual Event

Mark your calendar! The event is March 2nd at the Defiance VFW. This is a major fundraiser for our school. It helps provide scholarships to families, market the school and improve technology. Start inviting all of your friends and family! This year we will be having DJ Dave Heller as our entertainment, so bring out those dancing shoes for a night full of fun.

AS THE WEATHER GETS COLDER, PLEASE SEND THE APPROPRIATE OUTERWEAR FOR YOUR CHILD!  
WE DO GO OUTSIDE FOR RECESS EVERYDAY!