



St. John Lutheran School Tiger Pause

Mrs. Shellie Kosmerchock, Principal

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Principal News

Greetings Families,

I pray you had a wonderful few days off. The teachers and myself had an awesome time in St. Louis. Each of us were able to attend workshops that were helpful and insightful. It also provided us time to share fellowship with 2700 other Lutheran educators and principals. We were entertained by an illusionist and a ventriloquist. Laughter was heard, jokes were shared, and Jesus was felt! I love hearing hymns sung with the voices of all in attendance. It is the most beautiful sound!

The end of second quarter is next Friday. Parent/teacher conferences will be held October 31st and November 1st. This is a time to partner with the teachers concerning your child's education. We are a team and together a great learning experience will happen.

Our school is going through accreditation this year through the National Lutheran School's Accreditation. This process happens every 5 years. We need your help. If you have not completed the parent survey, please complete it. This helps us improve our school and provide a strong educational experience for everyone. The link to the survey is attached to the newsletter. If you would like a copy, please let me know and I will get it to you.

I know that life brings us challenges...loss of a job, striking for what is right, death, and simply daily struggles...during those times Jesus will be your strength. I wish I had the answers why struggles happen, but I don't. I do know it is then that my faith sees me through. I pray that your faith gives you the strength to overcome these challenges.

Blessings,
Mrs. Kosmerchock

Upcoming Events

- ❖ 10/17 - 3rd Grandparent Visitor Day/Chapel
- ❖ 10/17- Volleyball Game @ St. Pats, 5pm & 6pm
- ❖ 10/18- Students vs. Staff Volleyball Game, 2:00 pm
- ❖ 10/19- Volleyball Tournament, 8 am - Doors Open 7:30 am
- ❖ 10/25- Athletic Mtg. 6pm
- ❖ 10/27- Preschool Singing at 11:00am service
- ❖ 10/29- Delay Start/Fac. Mtg.
- ❖ 10/31- Parent Teacher Conferences 3:30-8:00pm
- ❖ 11/1- Parent Teacher Conferences 1:15-5:30pm

K - 8 EARLY DISMISSAL NOVEMBER 1st @ 1 PM

October Birthdays

- 10/2- Mason Trinh
- 10/5- Rebekah Figley
- 10/5- Mason Stuckey
- 10/17- Ava Elston
- 10/17- Christopher Sindel
- 10/21- Sophia Wilson
- 10/21- Mrs. Jen Boyd
- 10/22- Grace Faykosh
- 10/29- Charlotte Gillengerten



Cooler Weather

With the change in temperatures, please make sure that your student is not wearing shorts to school and that they have a jacket as we do go outside for recess daily. Thank you for your help!

Verse of the Week

Jesus said to him, "If you can believe, all things are possible to him who believes." - Mark 9:23

Scholastic Book Fair

Save the Date... We will be having our 1st Scholastic Book Fair of the year starting on November 3rd through November 10th.

Chapel News

Please join your student Thursday morning for Chapel. This week will be led by the 3rd Grade class at 8:55am. We will be collecting for India Transformed! - Feeding God's Children (International) for the 1st quarter. Please help us by sending in your child's offering each week. We look forward to you joining us! Parents are welcome to join us. To date we have collected \$206.79 for Feeding God's Children (International). No amount is too small for their chapel offering.



5th - 8th Grade Pie Sales

The 5th - 8th grade has begun their pie sales to help raise money for their Jr. High class trip. They will be selling them through October. Pies will be delivered just in time for Thanksgiving. Please see one of our students if you are interested in purchasing a pie. The funds raised go towards their 7th and 8th grade class trip to the Ark or Creation Museum, an overnight stay at a motel and Kings Island the next day.

Staff/Student Volleyball Game

Make plans to attend the Staff vs. Student volleyball game on Friday, October 19, at **2:00 pm**. What a great way to get our girls ready for their tournament game on Saturday. Due to the change in our dismissal time, we will be starting the game at 2:00 pm.



Athletic Meeting

There is an athletic meeting October 29th at 6:00pm for all students in grades 4-7 that wish to play basketball for St. John Lutheran School. This meeting is required if you intend to play for St. John.

Early Dismissal

Students will be dismissed on November 1st at 1:00pm due to parent teacher conferences. The Tiger's Den will be staffed if you need child care. There will be no busing. Please make plans for your child's pick up.

PTL News

PTL would like to thank everyone for all of the pickles and salsa jars that were sold. There were 1,016 jars sold! The pickup has been scheduled for this Friday October 18th in the afternoon. In order to have time to sort them out, there will be no early pickups. Congratulations to the Pickle winners. The top Preschool class was Mrs. Cavin. Preschool winners were: 1st Everleigh George, 2nd: Olivia Cates, and 3rd was Jasia Froelich. Top K-8 was the Kindergarten class. K-8 winners were: 1st Kinzley Elston (K), 2nd: Max Green (8th), and 3rd was Mackenzie Porter (K). The 1st place winners get a \$25 gift card of their choosing, 2nd gets \$15 in gift cards of their choosing and 3rd gets a \$10 card of their choosing. .

SCRIP News

Custom Tee's will be offering gift cards in the near future. They will be \$10.00 gift cards with a 10% rebate. More information to come soon!