St. John's Lutheran School

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OCTOBER EVENTS

- ◆ Oct. 11 8-9:00 A.M. PK Donuts w/Dad
- ◆ Oct. 15 8:00 A.M. Vision/Hearing Screening
- ♦ Oct. 17&18 Gr. 5&6 to Camp Phillip
- ♦ Oct. 19 Forensics Meet @ Zion, Columbus
- ♦ Oct. 22, 6:30 P.M. Social Studies Fair & Praise Concert
- ♦ Oct. 24, End of the First Quarter 6-8:00 P.M. All School Roller Skating Party @ Skate Express

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Weekly Schedule

Sat., Oct. 6	5:00 PM	DIVINE WORSHIP SERVICE (Horicon)
Sun., Oct. 7	8:00 AM 9:15 AM 10:30 AM	DIVINE WORSHIP SERVICE Bible Class & Sunday School DIVINE WORSHIP SERVICE (Jr. Choir Sings in Both Services)
Mon., Oct. 8	7:15 AM 12:05 PM 3:15 PM 3-4:00 PM	Faculty Mtg. Hot Lunch: Village Garden Faculty Mtg. Forensics Practice
	4:15 PM	(Poetry/Storytelling/Info. Speech CC Meet
Tues., Oct. 9	3:45 PM	@ Lakeside Lutheran High School Piano Lessons VB Yearbook Photos 2:45 PAA - P. Cirls & 4:00 PAA - A. Cirls
	4:15 PM	3:45 PM—B Girls & 4:00 PM—A Girls VB Here vs. St. Stephen's, Beaver Dam 4:15 PM—B Team & 5:15 PM—A Team
Wed., Oct. 10	7:15 AM 8:00 AM 12:05 PM 4:00 PM	Faculty Mtg. CHAPEL—MISSION OFFERING Hot Lunch: McDonald's VB @ St. John's, Watertown 4:00 PM—B Team & 5:00 PM—A Team
Thurs., Oct. 11	8-9:00 AM 8:00 AM 3-4:00 PM 3-5:00 PM 3-4:00 PM	PK Donuts with Dad Gr. 3&4 FT to Milton & Ft. Atkinson Cross Country Practice A VB Practice Forensics Practice
Fri., Oct. 12	6:30 PM 7:40-8:15 AM	Prose & Demonstration DIVINE WORSHIP SERVICE CEF Stamps & Scrip Sold
Sat., Oct. 13	8:30 AM	Band Lessons A Girls VB Tournament @ Luther Prep
Jai., Joi. 10	9-10:30 AM	LLHS Band Rehearsal

Worship Schedule

"Lord, when the shadows lengthen and night has come, I know that you will strengthen my steps toward home, And nothing can impede me, O blessed Friend!

So take my hand and lead me unto the end. CW 439 st. 3

Thursday—6:30 P.M.
Saturday—5:00 P.M. (Horicon Location)
Sunday—8:00 & 10:30 A.M.
Bible Class—9:15 A.M.



From the Principal's Desk

Humility

Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit, but in humility consider others better than yourselves.

Each of you should not only to your own interests, but also to the interests of others.

Your attitude should be the same as that of Christ Jesus. Philippians 2:3-5



These are words that burrow deep into the soul. Humility is not something that comes naturally to us. The three-year old who figures out how to tie his shoes runs to his mother with a pride-filled smile, directing her attention to his feet and his accomplishment. His greatest desire at that moment is to receive her praise. That desire for others to recognize our greatness and

the grand things we have accomplished does not diminish with age.

Scripture does not just command humility, it gives us the ultimate example. Of all the people who have ever walked upon this planet, Jesus certainly had every reason to think that He was better than everyone else. The fact is that He was. As true God and Creator of everything, the power, wisdom, glory, and authority that He had could not even be compared to that of the greatest ruler our world has ever seen.

Yet He did not pound His chest and stand on the highest mountain for all to see His greatness and praise Him. His greatest goal was not for all people in the world to serve Him, waiting on Him hand and foot, and immediately providing for His every desire. Instead we are told that Jesus, "Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be grasped, but made Himself nothing, taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness. And being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself and became obedient to death-even death on a cross!" (Philippians 2:6-8)

Instead of looking to His own interests, Jesus was focused on yours. Setting aside His glory, He humbly entered into our world with one purpose: to sacrifice Himself for you and pay the price for your sins. That meant humbling Himself to the point of being publicly humiliated and executed, suffering the wrath of God for sins He never committed.

Thank God that Jesus showed such humility! In doing so, He not only provides us with an example, He saves us from our sinful lack of humility.

Prayer: Lord Jesus, I struggle with humility. I long for the praise of others. I would rather have others serve me than give my life in service to others. Forgive me. Thank You for Your love and humility. Thank You for Your willingness to place the needs of others, my needs, above Your own. Thank You for dying that I may live. Amen.

HAPPENINGS AT ST. JOHN'S

Church Singing

Sunday, October 7, Both Services: **Jr. Choir** Sunday, October 14, 10:30 A.M.: **PK 3&4**

Mission Offerings

1st Quarter—Home Missions—

Huntersville Lutheran, North Carolina Total collected so far: \$163.64

Parent Teacher Conference Forms

The Parent Teacher Conference form for Gr. K-8 has been sent home in your family envelope. We are sending only one form per family. Please fill it out and return it in your family envelope by Monday, October 8th. Parent Teacher Conferences for grade K-8 will be held on Thursday, November 1st and Tuesday, November 6th. Preschool conferences will be held Tuesday, November 13th and Thursday, November 15th.

Looking Ahead—No School

There will be no school on Thursday & Friday, October 25 and 26 due to the WELS State Teachers' Conference.

Vision/Hearing Screening

We will hold our annual vision/hearing screening on Monday, October 15th. A group of volunteers headed by a nurse practitioner will conduct the tests. A note will be sent home in the family envelope on October 19th if your child does not pass either or both of the tests.

Reminder

School policy states: Effective October 15th, children may no longer wear shorts to school.

Social Studies Fair

October 18 & 19:

Set up project.

October 19, 4:00 P.M.:

Deadline for set up at school.

October 22, 6:30 P.M.: The Social Studies Fair will conclude with our Praise Concert. Social Studies Fair projects will be on display for viewing. Come and enjoy the displays and the concert!!

WARNING: Special Bus Route Day Friday, October 12th

Dodgeland does not have school. Therefore, the special bus route will be run to pick up and drop off the students that ride the bus. If you have questions about your pick up or drop off times, please call Lamers Bus Company at 920-386-2200, ext. 11411.

Forensics Practice

Practices in October will be 3-4:00 P.M. Our first meet will be Friday, October 19. If you or anyone you know would be willing to judge at the meet on Friday, October 19th, or Friday, November 2nd at LPS, please talk to Mrs. Noldan or Mrs. Schultz.

Gr. 7&8 to Luther Prep

Gr. 7&8 will travel to Luther Prep on October 18th to see "Romeo & Juliet Together and Alive At Last." The cost is \$5.00 per student for this trip. Please remit this amount to school via your family envelope by Monday, October 8th. If you would like this amount taken out of your field trip bank, please let Mrs. Leissring in the school office know.

School Cleaning

Our next school cleaning day is Saturday, October 20th. Cleaning will start at 9:00 AM. The following families signed up to clean: T/J Fehrman, Feller, Hirschfeld, Krueger, Mohr, Tolkinen, & Yuenger. Please bring along buckets and rags. We start at 9:00 A.M. and should be done by noon.

Chrome Books Payment Reminder

This is a reminder that we had asked for a donation of \$15.00 for each chrome book to be placed in the computer fund. If you have not paid for yours yet, you may enclose the payment in your family envelope. Checks may be made out to St. John's School.

Book Fair

Our fall Book Fair was a success!
Thank you to all students, parents, and other relatives who purchased items at the fair. Our total sales were \$1,273.00.
Our school earned \$509.00 of Scholastic Dollars to be used to purchase books for the library. Thank you to those who purchased books and to the people who volunteered to help run the book fair. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Roller Skating Party

Our annual roller skating party will be on Wednesday, October 24th, at Skate Express in Watertown from 6-8:00 PM. Skate Express is located on Hwy. 19 across from Farm Fleet. The cost is \$4.00 per person which includes regular skates. Inline & speed skates are \$2.00 more to rent.

ATHLETICS

Cross Country Meets Rescheduled

ADDED Practice: 3-4:00 P.M.

October 11

Meets:

Monday, October 8, 4:15 P.M.:

Lakeside Lutheran High School Meet

Monday, October 15, 4:15 P.M.:

BLAC Conference Meet @ Ft. Atkinson High

Soccer

The soccer team finished their season with the Quad meet this afternoon at Wild Goose Park (weather permitting). Thank you to Mr. Lee Weiss, Mr. Ted Fehrman, and Mrs. Julie Kluz for coaching the team this year. Go Eagles!!

Boys Volleyball Tournament

Boys in grades 6-8 are invited to participate in the boys volleyball tournament to be held at St. Paul's, Ixonia on Saturday, November 3rd. Practices will be on October 23, 24, 30, 31, and November 1, from 3-4:30 P.M. Coaches are Mrs. Shannon Schmidt & Mrs. Renee Roy.

Washington DC Trip

Gr. 8: Your first deposit of \$150.00 per student and chaperone will be due Wednesday, October 24th.



Volleyball

Practices—A Team 3-5:00 P.M. October 11(A Team Only)



Games—October 1-12

Tuesday, October 9:

Here vs. St. Stephen's, Beaver Dam 4:15 P.M.—B Team and 5:15 P.M. A Team Yearbook photos will be taken on Tuesday before the games. The B girls will be taken at 3:45 P.M. and the A girls at 4:00 P.M.

Wednesday, October 10: At St. John's, Watertown

4:00 P.M.—B Team and 5:00 P.M.—A Team

Tournaments

October 13

A Team Tournament @ Luther Prep 8:30 A.M.—Girls' First Game

WARNING: Postponed Parent/Daughter VB Games

The Parent/Daughter volleyball games will be postponed to a later date due to the rescheduled cross country meets. Please watch the Eagle Claw for the rescheduled date. A note regarding the meal and cost will come home in the coming weeks. Please look for it.

Only God Can turn a MESS into a Message

A TEST into a Testimony A TRIAL into a Triumph A VICTIM into a Victory

Have a Biessed Week!

Attention Grades 5-8 Musicians!



Grade school band students are encouraged to learn and have fun at this year's Beginner or Cadet Band programs at LLHS. Spend four Saturday mornings (Oct. 13-27 and Nov. 3 from 9-10:30 am) in practice under the guidance of Mr. Pufahl and his staff, and then perform in the LLHS Fall Concert on Nov. 4th. First year students play a short concert after the last practice at 9:45 A.M. on Nov. 3rd. Please contact Mr. Pufahl (920-648-2312 ext. 1212) or Mr. Duwe (920-342-7826) if you have any questions.