



ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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"Be Still and Know that I am God"
Psalm 46:10

May 2, 2019

From the Principal

- In preparation for the end of the school year, final statements will be mailed with Report Cards on Friday, June 7th. If you need your statement before then, contact the school office. **Please submit all payments for Tuition and Extended Care by June 15th.**
- On Wednesday you received a link to our **Accreditation Survey**. Please complete the survey ASAP—it is only active until midnight, Friday.
- Mr. Haas, our Buildings and Grounds Manager will be having shoulder surgery on May 14. As a result of that, he will miss the remainder of the school year. Filling in for Mr. Haas will be Mrs. Kelly Crist.
- **PARENTS OF CHOICE STUDENTS ENTERING 4K, KINDERGARTEN OR 1ST GRADE:** If you have a student entering 4K, Kindergarten or 1st grade for the 2019-20 school year, you must bring to the Lincoln office your child's original birth certificate to verify age. Call the office if you have any questions.

GRADUATION – DAY CHANGE

Graduation was listed in our Family Directory as Thursday, May 30th. That date is incorrect. **THE CORRECT DAY FOR GRADUATION IS FRIDAY, MAY 31ST at 6:00pm.** The 6th-8th grade choir sings at Graduation.

REAL.PRESENT.GOD.

In Christ, the community of St. Paul's Lutheran School partners with families to equip children academically and prepare children and families spiritually to witness and serve.

6th GRADE SPORTS PHYSICALS

An email was sent out to all 6th grade families last week about sports physicals for next school year. Please remember to get those done by the first day of school, August 20th. You can also get this form on our school website (<http://www.splswa.com/athletics.html>). Thank you.



1. The 79th Street doors at Lincoln will no longer be unlocked in the morning. From now on they will be locked, and staffed by a SPWA staff member from 7:00 until 8:00. After 8:00 students will need to get buzzed in on Lincoln.
2. Other groups that use the building after-hours will be studying how they can provide greater building security as well.
3. We are in the process of getting estimates on covering our lower level windows and doors in a clear, shatter-proof film. Cost will dictate how much can be done this summer.
4. We are also checking into the feasibility of adding more security cameras.
5. **VISITORS**-if for **any reason** you need to enter our building during the day (dropping off lunch,etc.), you must **first go directly to the Office** after getting buzzed in and sign in.

- **Sick Children Belong at Home-Well Children Belong at School**

- The health and safety of our students at St. Paul's is of the utmost importance. In regards to that:

- We follow the “**24 Hour Rule**” suggested by the West Allis Health Department which says children should not return to school until **24 hours after their last episode (fever, vomiting, etc.)**.
- **Do not** allow them to return to school simply because they feel better. Wait the full 24 hours please!
- **In regards to fever, the reading on our thermometer is final.**



TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK

Thank you to everyone who donated gifts and money for Teacher Appreciation Week which runs May 6-May 10



FINE ARTS THANK YOU



Thank you for attending our Fine Arts program on Friday April 26th. We pray you enjoyed the program and the opportunity to visit all of our classrooms and see all the artwork. What a blessing to enjoy all of our student's gifts and talents. If you would like a digital copy of the program, please send an e-mail to michelle@splcwa.org . If you need to have a dvd copy of the program, please send an e-mail to Mrs. Prince and she will send home a copy with your child. (michelle@splcwa.org)

CHILD CARE NEWS



Child Care Enrollment 2019-2020

Everyone enjoys a discount, so now is the time to sign up for the 2019-2020 school year. The annual registration rate for returning families has been reduced from \$50 to **\$35 and must be paid by May 31, 2019.** \$35 is the family rate. Stop by the child care to take advantage of this discount!!

Summer Child Care

The child care will be open and operating during the summer; Monday – Friday from 6:00 AM-6:00 PM. Child care rates are \$40/full day and \$24/half day (up to five hours) per child. Please contact Amy Puechner at amy@splcwa.org if you are planning on using the child care during the summer.

Vacation Bible School Child Care

The child care will be open to those needing care before and after Vacation Bible School the week of June 17 – June 21. The registration fee will be waived for those who are using the child care for this week only!! The rate for care will be \$5/per hour per child (up to 4 hours per day). Those needing more hours of care will be charged the full day rate of \$40 or \$24 for half day (over 4 hours but no more than 5 hours). Registration is required, so please contact Amy Puechner to sign up for child care at amy@splcwa.org.

From the Child Care Staff: Happy Easter St. Paul's Family!! Jesus is alive!!

The Child Care will be Closed, Good Friday-April 19.

**Chapel offerings for April & May
will go to the Sr. High Youth to help pay for the
National Youth Gathering this summer
being held in Minnesota**

Church at St. Paul's: Saturday - 5:00pm; Sunday - 8:00am and 10:30am;
Sunday School/Adult Bible Class - 9:15am

Saturday, May 4
Sunday, May 5

Acolyte Schedule:

5:00pm – Riley Zacharias
8:00am – Ashton Poritz
10:30am – Ashley Vogt

FROM THE PASTOR

Dear friends in Christ, I am truly thankful for St. Paul's Lutheran School. We have dedicated teachers, a very capable Principal, great support staff and spiritual leaders who are here to serve and share the love of Christ. Of course, we have all those wonderful students as well, students with their unique gifts and abilities, students with their individual personalities, student who are here to learn and grow both academically and spiritually. Above all, they are to grow in faith and learn to love and respect all people as Christ would want them to do.

A few of our teachers are celebrating significant anniversaries in their service here at St. Paul's. They will be recognized at our **Anniversary and Farewell Celebration** which takes place this Sunday, May 5, right after our 10:30am worship service. **You are invited to attend!** At this celebration we will also be recognizing several couples who are celebrating significant wedding anniversaries and also saying "farewell" to our Church Choir Director, Nancy Hoelke, who retires after 43 years of serving our Lord in this way.

This event is sponsored by our **Unified Connections Team**, which organized activities that are designed for both school and church families to help us grow together and get to know one another better. Please join us if you can; we would appreciate a call at the church office to help add you to the "count" for food (541-6250). If you forget to call, you are still welcome to attend!

As we enter into our Teacher Appreciate Week here at St. Paul's, may we all show appreciation to our staff and encourage them all in their calling as teachers!!

In Christ's service,
Pastor Bender

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



Registration is now open for Vacation Bible School! Vacation Bible school will be June 17th-June 21st, 2019 from 9am-Noon. Students entering 3k-5th grade are welcome to attend. Students 6th grade- 12th grade are encouraged to volunteer. To register your child/children go to vbspro.events/p/spwa and fill out the form completely. Volunteers can register on this website too.

Questions? Contact Natalie Romano nmiller0103@hotmail.com

PRACTICE SCHEDULES

- **Coed Soccer Monday and Wednesday 3:15-4:30**
- **Track Practices: Monday & Tuesday 5th & 6th Boys & Girls 3:15-4:30**
Wednesday & Thursday 7th & 8th Boys & Girls 3:15-4:30
Monday, May 20th – **EVERYONE!!!! 3:15-4:30**

SINGING SCHEDULE

May 5 Kindergarten Choir 10:30am
May 22 3K, 4K & Kindergarten Rodeo 6:00pm Lincoln gym
May 31 6-8 Choir sing at Graduation 6:00pm

SPORTS SCHEDULE

May 21 Track Meet at Lake Country High School 9:00am-6pm

UPCOMING DATES

May 6 3rd and 4th grade field trip to CUW
May 7 6th grade field trip Art Museum 12-2:25
May 10 7th grade field trip to the Zoo
May 13 4K and K to Betty Brinn
May 14 4th grade field trip to Old World Wisconsin
6th grade field trip Miller Park 12-2:25
May 16 3K to Wehr Nature Center
Band field trip 10:15-1:00
May 22 8th grade field trip to Chicago
3K, 4K and Kindergarten Rodeo at Lincoln Gym 6pm
May 27 Memorial Day – NO SCHOOL
May 30 Awards Day – Program 1:30pm
7/8 Luncheon 12:30pm
May 31 Last ½ day of school-dismissal at noon
Graduation 6:00pm

