



Christ-St. John's Lutheran School

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Cougar News

Monday, April 22, 2024

NEW THIS WEEK

“Time flies when you’re having fun” and we are having a ton of fun here because we are already in the final stretch! In the 7th and 8th grade classroom, the students have a countdown until the summer break and there are 24 more school days until the end of the year. Make sure your child is getting their work done to finish off the year strong. After having a break this past week, we have this last push until the end of the year. What an exciting time here at CSJ!

This past was not only our spring break, but also included Good Shepherd Sunday. This day helps us to remember the importance of what Christ has done for us; he died on the cross so that we may receive the eternal gift of salvation. What a blessing that we have in following our Shepherd and knowing he loves each and every one of us. “The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.” - Psalm 23:1. The Lord shows his love and blesses us each day through the death of his Son. We continue to focus on this throughout our days of education, that although we may be discussing other subjects, we are creating those connections to God’s Word for the students here at CSJ.

We pray that the past week was a time of relaxation for both you and the children and ask for your continued encouragement for your children in their studies here to finish off the year strong!

In Christ,

Jace Fellers,
Principal in Training

NEW THIS WEEK CONT.

Teacher Appreciation Week is May 6th through May 10th. Look for more information coming this week.

The Time, Talent, & Treasure

Showcase is just around the corner. Thank you to all of the families who have signed their children up to make this a successful event. We are excited to share with you the projects and individual, group, and classroom performances of our talented students here at CSJ.

Performances are scheduled to begin at 6:00 pm on Friday, May 3rd, but feel free to come early and check out all the amazing projects.

Thank you to those who signed up for the pre-performance meal. If you signed up to enjoy the meal prior to the event, we will be serving dinner from 5:15-5:50 pm. We know that everyone’s schedules are extremely busy, and we hope that this will be a helpful convenience for you.

We are looking for a few families willing to donate 1-2 dozen cookies or bars to serve with our meal. If you are interested in helping out, please contact Lisa Black in the office or Amber Frelitz.

Friday Chapel Mission Offerings:

Our second semester mission offering will be going to Cornerstone Lutheran High School. **Our offerings to date total \$862.20**

Spring MAP Testing for all 3rd through 8th grade students will be held on Monday, April 22nd, through Friday, April 26th.



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Logger Dog Reading Incentive Program CSJ readers are off to a great start! Reading results are as follows:

24 readers made it to first base
18 readers made it to second base
10 readers made it to third base
6 readers hit a homerun!

Keep up the good work! **Reminder that the Logger Dog Program ends on Monday, May 6th.** If you have any questions, please contact the school office. Thanks!

COUGAR CAFE

Menu Change: There will be a menu change on Wednesday, April 24th. We will be serving the personal pepperoni pizza on Wednesday, April 24th, and chicken pasta buffet on Thursday, April 25th. Thanks!

ATHLETICS

Track Practice will be held on Thursday, April 25th, from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. There is no practice on Tuesday due to the First Lutheran Invite Track Meet at Luther High School.

Upcoming Track Meets:

- First Lutheran Invite held at Luther High School on Tuesday, April 23rd. **Field events start at 3:30 p.m.**

ATHLETICS CONT.

- LALSAC Track Meet at Luther High School on Saturday, May 4th.

CSJ PROGRAMS

Scrip Program: Participating in the Scrip Program is a great way to cover some or all of your tuition costs and helps CSJ at the same time. If you would like more information on how our Scrip program works, please contact the school office. Thanks!

Kwik Trip Ultimate Car Wash Cards are available for purchase in the school office. There are five washes per card at a cost of \$35.00. The car wash cards make a great gift and helps support your school. For more information, contact the school office. Thanks!

LIBRARY NEWS

From Mrs. Garbers: The last day for books to be checked out is Wednesday, May 1st. All books need to be returned to the Library by Friday, May 10th.

Thank you for your cooperation and I hope you all have a happy summer!



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REMINDER

Dress Code: Now that the weather is warmer outside, the students can now wear shorts. Please refer to the dress code located in the School Handbook for guidance on what is appropriate attire for the warmer season.

May Calendar

- 3 Time, Talent & Treasure Showcase
- 5 St. John's Confirmation 10:30 a.m. Service
- 5 Spring Spotlight 2:00 p.m. @ Luther High School
- 8 No Afternoon Bussing – Early Release for West Salem Schools
- 9 Ascension Service 6:30 p.m. @ Christ Lutheran
- 17 Olympic Day @ CSJ
- 23 Graduation Service (5K through 8th grade sings) 6:30 p.m.
- 24 Last Day of School – Half Day-Dismissal at 11:30 a.m.
- 24 End of Fourth Quarter (44 Days)
- 24 End of Third Trimester – 3K, 4K & 5K
- 28-29 Faculty In-Service – 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

