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Bethlehem Lutheran School

August 24, 2017

RenWeb!

As a reminder, if you have not updated the 5 different forms on RenWeb that were requested, **we may not have information needed on your child.** Please take the time to update the forms as we will be printing our emergency binders next week and need the updated info.

School Policies!

Below are a few of our school policies. The handbook is available on RenWeb. Please take time to look through the handbook and know the policies.

- **Volunteers and Visitors:** For safety purposes, we request that all volunteers and visitors come to the school office to sign in and out as you come and go, and that you wear a volunteer badge. This badge will reassure staff, students, and parents that our school is a safe place for children.
- **Arrival and Departures:** Parents, if your child will be leaving the school early (doctor, dentist, lunch, etc.) or arriving late, they must be signed in and/or out **by the parent.** This is how we know how many students are in attendance at all times. There is a sheet on the counter in the school office for parents to sign their child in and/or out.
- **Attendance and Tardiness:** Please call the school office before 8:15am if your child will be absent or late to school. It is important that we know why a student is not at school.
- **Phones:** All cell phones shall be turned off **while on campus.** A student may use their phone **only** with the permission of and in the presence of school staff. Any non-compliance will result in the confiscation of the phone.

Chapel Offerings!

We raised \$830.59 in chapel offerings the second half of last year for Disabled American Veterans Wheelchair Program. Information on chapel offerings the first half of the year will be out soon.

Recess Duty!!



No plans for lunch? How about joining your child and their friends by volunteering for recess duty. It is an great opportunity to help the school allow teachers some time off and earns you PSP hours. We have calendars on the bulletin board outside of the office for you to sign up on the day(s) you choose. We do train anyone who has not don't this before. We are looking for some one to coordinate recess duty if you are interested.

Church services on Sundays are at 8:00 & 10:30am with Sunday School at 9:15.

UP COMING EVENTS

Aug. 25		Hot Lunch orders DUE
Aug. 31	3:00 pm	Cross Country at EVMS
Sept. 4		Labor Day No School or Daycare
Sept. 11		Patriotic Dress Day
Sept. 24	8:00 am	3rd-5th Choir Sing In Church
Sept. 29		Parent/Teacher Conferences No School

HOT LUNCH!

*Parents, we understand your child likes to write their own name and grade on the lunch order. **However,** people other than staff help with the orders, so it is important that we have the students first and last name written legibly. Order forms and payment are due **tomorrow.** An email with the **order form** and September calendar attached was sent out on Tuesday. There are copies available for pick up in the school office. Remember, you will have one week from the previous order remaining. **Pizza will be coming from Costco this year!***

Uniform Reminders!!

We have had quite a few questions on style, color, etc. regarding the uniforms. Here are a few highlights but please refer to the uniform section of the handbook or call the office if you have questions.

- Top colors (shirts, sweaters, sweatshirts and light weight jackets) are **white, maroon, gray, red, navy blue, and hunter green** only.
- Pants, shorts, skirts, jumpers, capris are navy blue, black, or khaki. Denim jeans on non-chapel days only.
- **Shoes and socks** at all time. We have kids with blisters because they are not wearing socks.
- **Dresses are not a part of our uniform.** Even if they look like a top and skirt, they may not be worn. **It must be two pieces;** a shirt that is tucked into pants, shorts, capris, or a skirt, or worn under a jumper.

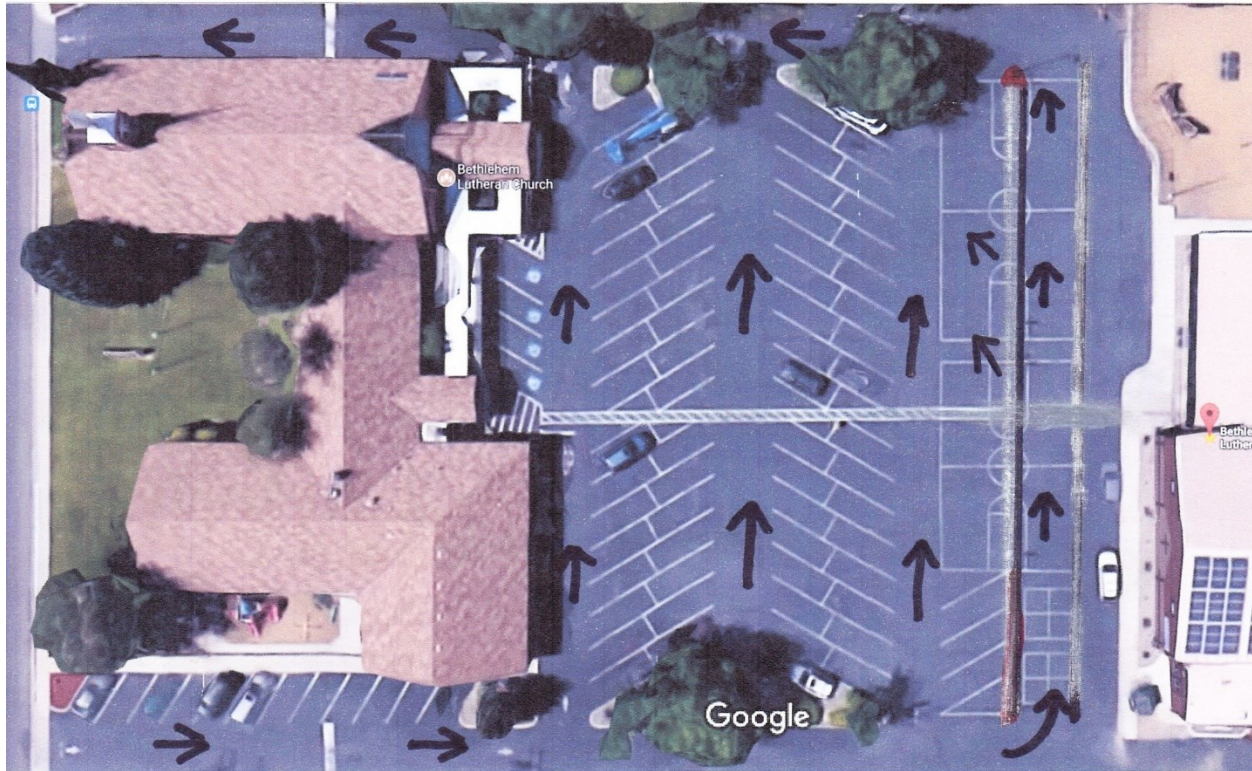
Parent Service Program PSP hours

This year each family is required to volunteer 10 hours **per family** or pay \$15 per hour not worked to CPTL. There are many ways of earning PSP hours. Any time you are helping the school/teachers you can earn hours. The person/teacher/staff you are helping will be able to answer questions regarding how to record and what hours can be submitted for PSP. Continue watching emails and newsletter for requests of help needed to earn PSP hours.

For the safety of our students and congestions in the parking lot, we have included a copy of the Parking Lot Procedures with this newsletter.



BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN SCHOOL PARKING LOT PROCEDURE



Express Lane

In an effort to alleviate some of the congestion in the parking lot, we have implemented an Express Lane drive thru for grades 2-8. Please do not park in the event parking nearest the school that is now our pull out lane for the Express Lane.

When using the Express Lane, please adhere to the following rules:

- A. Students must quickly enter/exit the vehicle so as not to impede the flow of traffic.
- B. Once your child is in the vehicle, please immediately exit the Express Lane.
- C. Please do not get out of your vehicle.
- D. If for any reason your child must exit the vehicle, you must pull through the lane, exit the parking lot, and return to park in a designated parking area.
- E. If your child is not out of the school building while you are in the Express Lane, you will be asked to pull through and come back around.
- F. The Express Lane will open at 8:00 AM and 2:50 PM.
- G. Please inform all persons responsible for dropping off/picking up of the Express Lane procedure.
- H. All pedestrians must use the cross walk.

Volunteers Welcomed!!!!