



CRUSADER



Bethlehem Lutheran School

May 18, 2017

A Night in Luther Hall

Tomorrow, May 19th at 7:00pm

Join us for an evening of music and drama! The Speech/Drama class will present 3 plays, and music will be provided by the Handbell choir and the 5th grade recorders. **Remember, we are collecting canned, non-perishable food for the church's food pantry.**

Parent Reminder!

Kindergarten, Pre-K, & Preschool

The last day of school for these grades will be Friday, May 26th. There will be a promotion ceremony at 8:30am followed by a reception in the Fellowship Hall for the families of our kindergartners and preschoolers. **Following the reception, these students will be released for the day.** Daycare will be available, if needed, Tuesday through Friday (May 30-June 2) for kids currently using daycare. **A sign-up sheets went home today.**

RenWeb Update!

Please make sure all of your info (address & phone numbers) on RenWeb are current. We will use this info during the summer when sending out school updates. When making changes you need to change each demographic area (student and each parent) separately. They do not roll from one to the other.

The Last Day!

Thursday, June 1st, is our last day of school. **We will have our closing chapel at 8:30am, which will include 8th Grade Graduation.** Parents, grandparents, etc. are invited to attend. Students **must** be in school uniform Chapel attire. They must return to their classrooms after chapel for report cards and will be dismissed at that time (approximately 10am). All are welcome to attend a reception hosted by C.P.T.L. in Luther Hall.

2017-2018 Tuition!!

If you are paying tuition in full, **REMEMBER your tuition is due by June 15th.** A statement of what you owe went home in folders last week. This is for **all families preschool through 8th grade.**

Field Day & BBQ

Our annual BBQ and Field Day events for student in 1st-8th grade will be Wednesday, May 31st. Field day activities will be first, followed by a BBQ lunch and then **early dismissal**. The following is the schedule:

5th-8th grade

Activities starting at 10:00 with lunch at 11:30

1st-4th grade

Activities starting at 10:30 with lunch at 11:50

ALL students will be dismissed at 12:30

An order form went home in folders today and must be returned by Friday, May 26th. Volunteers are needed.

UPCOMING EVENTS!

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| May 19 | 7:00 pm | Box Tops DUE Speech/Drama, Handbell, and 5th Gr. Recorder Pgm. |
| May 26 | 8:30 am | "K" and PreK Promotion Day |
| May 31 | | BBQ and Field Day |
| June 1 | 8:30 am | 8th Grade Graduation |
| June 4 | 8:00 am | Graduation Recognition Sunday |
| June 12-16 | | Camp Invention |



Free Dress Days!

Tuesday and Wednesday, May 30th and 31st, will be Free Dress Days. However, proper dress is still required on these days; see below.

Proper Dress

This is a Free Dress Day, not a theme dress day, therefore PJs and sweats are not to be worn.

On Free Dress day, proper dress is still required. Length requirements must be respected. Spaghetti straps are not allowed and tops must have sleeves. Nothing too tight or revealing will be permitted. All shoes must have closed toes and heels, and socks are a must. If you have questions, please refer to the school handbook on RenWeb.

CPTL News!

- * Congratulations to the newly elected CPTL board! Sallyanne Miles - President, Anna Maschke - Vice President, Kimberly Fahey - Treasurer, and Jennifer Schober - Secretary.
- * **Box Tops are due TOMORROW!** May 19th is the last day to turn them in. This is an easy way to help earn money for the school.
- * **7th Grade parents** - The form you received to help with the 8th grade graduation is due tomorrow! Only three families have responded. We still need help with every item on the list. **How can you help?**
- * **Field Day & BBQ Wednesday, May 31st** - Look for the order forms in the Pee Chee's today! Also, we still need volunteers for this day. **Please sign up to help.**

CPTL is happy to announce we were able to purchase a new, extra large, BBQ for the school with a generous grant from Walmart this year. We will be seasoning it well on Field Day! CPTL minutes for the May 10th meeting is printed on back.

Knowledge Bowl 2017!!

Mr. Manning took a 5th/6th and 7th/8th grade team of students to a tournament in Napa, CA. Check out their success printed on the back.



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

Knowledge Bowl 2017

Union generals named a battle after a nearby geographical feature but what did Confederate generals name a battle after? What was the Dr. Seuss story where a main character tries to steal a holiday? What is the official language spoken in Kenya? These are only some of the questions Bethlehem's Knowledge Bowl teams answered as we finished a successful season with our tournament in Napa, CA. The 7/8 Grade team included Alex Garton, Andreas Gilson, Dylan Friend, Christina Van Geel and Hunter Healy. This team had a rough start but picked up speed earning fourth place in a very close competition. The 5/6 Grade team included Hayden Steyn, Kenneth Friend, Sandra Denney, Samantha Steyn and Joseph Seddon. This team started off strong and gained a commanding lead during the championship round winning the first-place trophy.

Congratulations for a good Knowledge Bowl season! Both teams were coached by Mr. Manning.

CPTL Meeting Minutes Wednesday, May 10, 2017

Meeting called to order by Jen Hukari, VP

Meeting attended by:

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| Sallyanne Miles | Heather Bugg | Jennifer Schober |
| Anna Maschke | Kimberly Fahey | Natalee Medel |
| Barb Melcher | Nick Emery | Alisha Lamprecht |
| Cheryl Henry | Jen Hukari | Vanessa Bernhardt |

Treasurer's Report: Jen Highley not present at meeting.

Old Business:

- Volunteers – Sign-ups for specific times/duties seems to work best.
- Bike-a-thon – Over \$8,000 was raised for our next year's operating budget.
- Book Fair – Do not have sales report yet from Scholastic.

New Business:

Upcoming events:

- Kindergarten Promotion – May 26th. Will need few people to cut/serve cake that morning. One confirmed volunteer at this time.
- Field Day – Wednesday, May 31st. Quite a few volunteered to BBQ. Will be sending out sign-up email to confirm volunteers.
- 8th Grade Graduation – Thursday, June 1st. Have received very few responses from 7th grade parents.

Board Elections:

A motion was made by Jen Hukari for the following CPTL Board positions...

- President (2 year term): Sallyanne Miles
- Vice President (1 year term): Anna Maschke
- Treasurer (1 year term): Kimberly Fahey
- Secretary (2 year term): Jennifer Schober

The motion was second by Barb Melcher; everyone in favor.