

Thursday, September 4, 2008

Dear Parents,

Students will be allowed to wear a Popeye shirt to school tomorrow – if you do not wish to wear a Popeye shirt, please follow the dress code and wear your polo shirt.

Just a few dates for September:

Friday, September 5 – Early dismissal for K-Grade 8 at 1:30 p.m. for Popeye Picnic. Preschool/Extended Care and After School Care will run their regular schedule. Students are allowed to wear a Popeye shirt to school.

Wednesday, September 10 – Chapel choir will be the 7th grade

Friday, September 12 – Little Caesar pizza orders and money are due to the school office (Preschool-Grade4)

Sunday, September 14 – Junior Choir will sing at 10:00 a.m. service (Junior Choir will not sing on Sunday, the 7th)

Wednesday, September 17 – Chapel choir will be the 8th grade

Friday, September 19 – 1st Quarter mid-term

Sunday, September 21 – Primary choir will sign at the 10:00 a.m. service

Monday, September 22 – PTL Book Fair and Ice Cream Social at the Parish Hall 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, September 24 – Chapel choir will be the 1st grade

Wednesday, September 24 – 1st Quarter mid-term reports go home with students (Grades 1-8)

Thursday, September 25 – Little Caesar pizza pick-up at the Parish Hall 2:45 – 5:15 p.m.

September 26 – Early dismissal 12:10 p.m. for K-Grade 8. Preschool/Extended Care and After School Care will run their regular schedule.

September 28 – Junior Choir will sing at the 10:00 a.m. service

Acolyte Schedule

Saturday, September 6 at 6:30 p.m. Chelsea Schroeder and Devin Valleroy

Sunday, September 7 at 7:45 a.m. Elizabeth McClure and Brent Rains

Sunday, September 7 at 10:00 a.m. Deanna Hohgreffe and Matthew Myers

Booster Club News and Sports

Congratulations to the boys baseball team. They placed 1st at the Christ Lutheran Baseball Tournament on Saturday, August 30th!

Mark your calendar!! Booster Club Dance will be held on Friday, September 26 at the Parish Hall from 6:30 – 9:00 p.m.

Games:

Friday, September 5 – Baseball at Jacob. Game starts at 4:15 p.m.

Tuesday, September 9 – Softball and Baseball at St. Mark's. Games starts 4:00 p.m.

Wednesday, September 10 – Baseball at home against Jacob 4:15 p.m. Softball at Jacob 4:15 p.m.

Thursday, September – Softball and Baseball at home against Red Bud Lutheran 4:00 p.m.

Monday, September 15 – Softball and Baseball at Evansville 4:00 p.m.

Tuesday, September 16 – Softball and Baseball at PDR 4:15 p.m.

Thursday, September 18 – Softball and Baseball at Pinckneyville 4:00 p.m.

Tuesday, September 23 – Softball and Baseball regionals begin.

In the event of a rain out or game canceled – you can look on the

www.stjohnchester/school site and click on Principal's Page and there is a scroll across the page and we will update as soon as we receive the information. Also you can check the calendar at calendar.yahoo.com/stjohnhornets

PTL PIZZA SALES

Jane James and Valerie Blechle have again taken the task of organizing the pizza sales. They did a great job last year and this is a profitable fund-raiser for the PTL. The pizza order forms were sent home last week with the Preschool- Grade 4 students. If you would like to order and do not have a student ask you, please call the school office. Orders and money need to be returned by Friday, September 12th!

BOOK FAIR/ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Please mark you calendar for the Annual PTL Book Fair/Ice Cream Social. This will take place on Monday, September 22.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WILL BEGIN

St. John will begin their Sunday School program on Sunday, September 7th. Sunday School begins at 9:00 a.m. We will again separate the students as follows: Preschool and Kindergarten; Grades 1,2,3; Grades 4,5,6,7; and the 8th grade is invited to join the Jr. High Bible study with Vicar.

JUNIOR CHOIR DATE CHANGE

The Junior Choir will not sing on Sunday, September 7. The date has been changed to Sunday the 14th.

ST. JOHN FALL HARVEST FESTIVAL

November 1, 2008 is the date for the sixth annual St. John Fall Harvest Festival and Dinner Auction. We are asking for you help in two ways:

1. Please consider making a donation to the auction. We are looking for donations of services that may be auctioned off, collectables, sports memorabilia, tickets to sporting event, etc. If you do not have anything that you wish to donate, perhaps you would consider a monetary donation to help purchase something for the auction.
2. Please consider supporting the school by purchasing tickets and attending. Tickets are still \$25 per person and may be purchased through Anne Ebers in the church office (826-3545).

The Popeye Picnic will be held the weekend on September 5th, 6th, and 7th. School will be dismissing at 1:30 p.m. on Friday, September 5 for Kindergarten – Grade 8. Students will be allowed to wear a Popeye shirt to school on Friday. If you choose not to wear a Popeye shirt, please wear your polo shirt.

Have a great time at the picnic!

Christopher Urquhart