What’s coming up:
Tuesday, Sept 19
5:10pm Vball Game @ Stillwater
Wednesday, Sept 21
3:15pm Vball Practice
Leah’s Birthday
Friday, Sept 22
4pm Cross Country Corcoran Invitational
Tuesday, Sept 26
4pm Vball Game vs. KOG @ Crown of Life
Thursday, Sept 28
4pm Vball Game Vs. COL @ Berea
Friday, Sept 29
Cooper’s Birthday

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Cross Country

CLC Teachers’ Conference
Berea is blessed to be hosting this year’s CLC Teachers’ Conference, which will be held from Wed. Oct. 18th—Friday, Oct. 20th. This is an annual conference of teachers from CLC congregations from around the country. We will be hosting around 65 teachers as well as junior and senior ILC students in the education program. There are a few teachers who still need housing. Berea members can check the sign up sheet in the narthex to volunteer for housing. There is also a sign up sheet to provide snacks and food for the meals that will be provided for the teachers. There will also be a worship service on Wednesday evening to which the congregation is invited. School will be dismissed the entire week: Mon Oct. 16—Friday, Oct. 20. The agenda includes the following:
Wednesday, Oct. 18
• Lessons from Elijah: How to Be a Called Servant (Pastor Luke Willitz, Living Savior, Eden Prairie, MN)
• Mini Presentations
  Math Game Ideas (Kendra Rodebaugh)
  Phy. Ed Units (Heidi Nelson)
  Top Ten Reasons for Teaching Latin (Grace, Sleepy Eye faculty)
• “Think You Might Have a Special Education Student?” (Abigail Naumann)
• Special Ed. Panel Q & A (Abigail Naumann, Tina Radichel, Teri Schierenbeck, Noel Voss)
Thursday, Oct. 19
• "Fruits of the Spirit" - Teaching our students to be servants. (Josh Ohlmann)
• Book Discussions
  The Book Whisperer: Awakening the Inner Reader in Every Child by Donalyn Miller (Connie Hickman)
  Ungrading: Why Rating Students Undermines Learning (And What to Do Instead)- By Susan D. Blum (Collette Krause)
• Standard-Based Grading (Jeff Schierenbeck)
• Phonological Awareness (Marcie Schierenbeck)
• Field Trip (choice of Minnesota Vikings Museum in Eagan, or hiking at Lebanon Hills)
Friday, Oct 20
• A.I. Use in the Classroom (Kevin Schrader)
• Curriculum Review – Wordly Wise 3000 (Jeff Karnitz)
• Ideas Exchange
Please note:
Mr. Thurow is gone again tomorrow. He is in Eau Claire, WI for CLC Board of Regents meetings, which were yesterday and today. Jamie Arndt is substituting for him these days. You are reminded to contact Mrs. Augustin for absence, sickness, or transportation changes during this time. Mr. Thurow will also be gone on Friday. Susan Rehm will be substituting for him that day. Please contact Miss Abbas for absences, sicknesses, or transportation changes that day.

Reminders:
- Turn in any forms that are still needed.
- Pay school registration fee if you have not done so yet.
- Check your child’s backpack daily for assignments and items sent home by the teachers
- Remind your child to take home their lunch each day.
- Remember to replenish school supplies as they run out during the year. Look for notes from your child’s teacher indicating this.
- If you need to contact Mr. Thurow during school hours, call or text his cell – 612-516-1177

Notes from Mrs. Augustin (Grades 1-8):
- Tomorrow) Math 5 will have a test on Chapter 2
- Another winning Spelling Test week last week! Keep it up lower graders!

Notes from Miss Abbas (Grades 1-4):
- Group 3 has show and tell (Marissa, Ivy, Aubrey, and Clara)
- Science Gr 3&4 both have tests on Tuesday. Don’t forget to complete your vocabulary notebooks.

Notes from Mr. Thurow (Grades 5-8):
- Tests this week: Tomorrow—PreAlgebra (chapter 1); Wednesday– English 5&6 (Chapter 2), Reading 7&8 vocabulary quiz (ch. 1-4); Friday—Math Course 2 (Chapter 1), English 7&8 (Chapter 2), Reading 5&6 vocabulary quiz (first three stories)
- 7&8 grade Geography: U.S. Regions Brochure project due tomorrow