

Monday, October 19, 2021

Field Trip to Carpenter Nature Center

Tomorrow Grades 1-8 will be going to Carpenter Nature Center (located along the St. Croix River bluffs east of Hastings, MN) We will be leaving school around 11:45. Our class starts at 12:30 and should last about an hour and a half. The topic is "Changing Seasons". For a portion of the class, the students will be divided into two groups—1-3 and 4-8. Most of the class will be outside, so students will need to dress for the weather. The nature center requires masks be worn for the indoor portion of the class (about 1/2 hour). We will bring along paper masks from school, but you may send masks along with your child that day. We will be returning to school by 2:45 pm. Students should wear Berea gear if possible. **Any child under the age of 8 must have a booster seat. Please make sure that you send one with your child if they need it!**



CLC Teachers' Conference

Teachers conference is this week, Wednesday, Oct. 20 – Friday, Oct 22 in Hales Corners, Wisconsin, at Messiah Lutheran Church and School from The theme for the conference is "Building Blocks of Christian Education" based on I Timothy 1:13-14 "Hold fast the pattern of sound words which you have heard from me, in faith and love which are in Christ Jesus. That good thing, which was committed to you, keep by the Holy Spirit who dwells in us." Topics include: Parents Role in Christian Education, Mobile Devices and Math, Student Led Activities, Impact of Nutrition on Learning, Instructional Activities That Work, BJU Press Curriculum Review (Berea faculty will be doing this presentation), The Congregation's Role in Christian Education, The Teacher's Role in Christian Education, The Divine Call, Breaking the Mental Block: Dyscalcula. All four teachers will be attending. School will be dismissed from Wednesday - Friday. School will resume Monday, Oct. 24th.

Fall Party

- ⇒ The fall party is coming up on October 29th. Some of it will be outdoors, so please have your child dress appropriately.
- ⇒ Have your child's costumes approved by their teacher before the 29th.
- ⇒ In conjunction with the Fall Party, we'd like to invite families to host a Trunk or Treat event for the kids! For those unfamiliar with this, it involves decorating the trunk of your vehicle however you'd like, maybe dressing up in a costume yourself, and handing out treats to the kids! This event will start at 3:15pm on the day of the party. Feel free to come early and set up in the lower parking lot by the playground.

What's coming up:

Monday, Oct 18

Tanner's Brithday

Tuesday, October 19

**Carpenter Nature
Center Field Trip**

Wed-Fri, Oct. 20-22

No School—

Teachers' Conference

Friday, Oct. 29

**End of 1st Quarter
Fall Party**

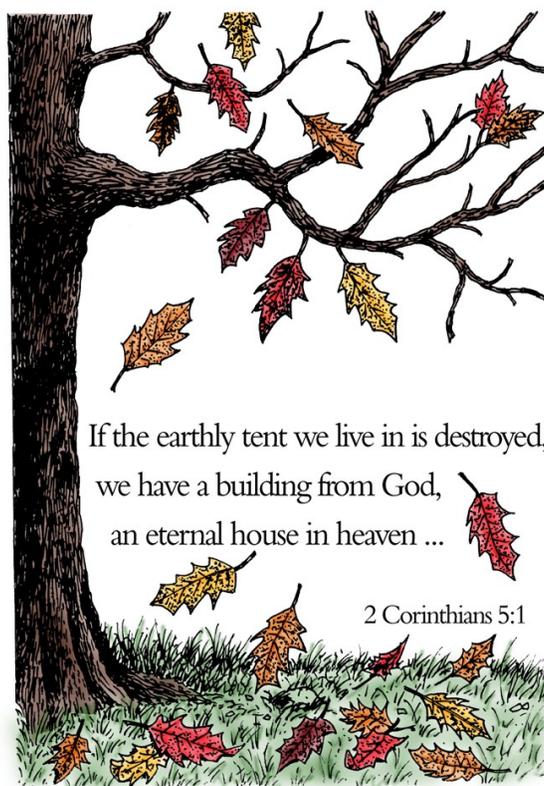
Carnival—Silent Auction

We will be hosting our school carnival on Sunday, Nov. 14 from 11:30am – 2 pm. A reminder that you should let Heidi know what your game/booth will be by Monday, Nov. 1. Please email her at hhavemei@travelers.com if you haven't already done so. Set up of the carnival will happen on Saturday, Nov. 13 at 6 pm.

We are also in need of items for the silent auction that is held during the carnival. Some ideas are handmade items, gift cards, baskets for hobbies (like fishing, scrapbooking, cooking, stamping, etc.) tickets to sporting event, just to name a few. If you or anyone you know have items to donate or have any questions, please contact Heather Schierenbeck at hschierenbeck@hotmail.com.

Picture Day

Picture Day is scheduled for Wednesday, Nov. 3rd in the morning. All students and staff will be having their pictures taken that day. Information on ordering picture packets online is included in this week's folder (you do not have to order packets). If you would prefer an ordering envelope to send a check or cash in, please let Mr. Thurow know prior to Monday, Nov. 1



Notes from **Mrs. Augustin** (Grades 1-8):

- Enjoy your days off!

Notes from **Mrs. Rehm** (Grades 1-4):

- Have a great break!

Notes from **Mr. Thurow** (Grades 5-8):

- Tests this week: Tomorrow—Algebra (Chapter 3)
- Enjoy the Break!

