

St. Peter Lutheran School Scribe

Friday, May 2, 2014

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*Communication is key
for success!*



Upcoming Events

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| ◆ Peek Eye Exam-9am | May 6 |
| ◆ Vision/Hearing-9am | May 7 |
| ◆ Open House-6pm | May 9 |
| ◆ Family Movie Night-6:30pm | May 9 |
| ◆ Country Run- 9am | May 17 |
| ◆ Students singing-10:15am | May 18 |
| ◆ Full day of School | May 19 |
| ◆ PTL Meeting-6pm | May 22 |
| ◆ NO SCHOOL | May 26 |
| ◆ Preschool Zoo Trip | May 28 |
| ◆ School Play-7pm | May 30 |
| ◆ Golf Scramble-9am | May 31 |
| ◆ Last Day of Preschool | Jun 4 |
| ◆ Zoo Field Trip (K-5 th) | Jun 4 |
| ◆ SURPRISE Field Trip | Jun 9 |
| *This is only for students who reach their A/R reading goals/points in class. | |
| ◆ Field Day/Last Day | Jun 11 |

Surprise Field Trip - June 9th

This will be a special field trip for only the students who meet their A/R reading goals and earn enough Character for Christ trait (Honesty is May's trait). Parents can help by encouraging their child to read a book at home and take a quiz on it school. Every child has the chance to go, they just need to apply themselves, read and earn reading points! If you have any questions, please contact your child's teacher.

COUNTRY RUN

The 2nd annual St. Peter Country Run/Walk is scheduled for May 17th at 9am. That is just around the corner! We are encouraging you and your family to sign-up to run and to get your family and friends involved.

We are also in need of volunteers to help make this run smoothly. There is a list of areas that need volunteers on the bulletin board. You can also contact Sara Boettger at 989-224-3178.

We need people to make muffins as well! We want to make these available to the runners after they have finished the race. We need about 13 dozen, we have a few slots that have been filled already, but we need more!

We look forward to seeing you on May 17th at 9am!

SINGING ON MAY 18th-ARMED FORCES DAY



Our SPLS students have been asked to sing in at the 10:30am service on May 18th. That is the day we are celebrating Armed Forces Day. Please have your child(ren) here by 10:15am in their classrooms. Like usual, we will walk over together as a group, sit together and then walk back to their classrooms. That is where you can pick up your child after service. If you have any questions, please contact your child's teacher. Preschool families please consult with Mrs. Gust to find out her plans.

SPLS SPRING PLAY - May 30 at 7pm

Our Spring Musical will be focusing on God's Creatures. We will be sharing several songs celebrating the glory of God's creation. In addition, the children will be researching an animal of their choice, and will share a brief presentation at the musical.

We are asking each child to come up with a costume to represent his or her animal. It could be as simple as a headband or as elaborate as you and your child decide.

There will be a **FREE** ice cream social afterwards.

Our performance will be Friday, May 30 at 7:00 p.m. Students are to be here at 6:30pm in their classrooms; dressed and ready to go in their costumes.

Field Trip - June 4th

Kindergarten - 5th grades will be going to Binder Park Zoo in Battle Creek. More information will be coming home about this field trip. The kids are very excited about this trip!

PTL MEETING is scheduled for May 22 at 6pm. We hope to see parents there.

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PEEK & VISION/HEARING TEST

On May 6th at 9am we will be having a group come in and perform the PEEK eye test. This is free and only requires that you fill out the form that was sent home earlier this week with your child. Your child WILL NOT be test with PEEK if the form is not filled out (both sides please). Siblings are welcomed for this testing, please just call in advance so that we can plan for them. ☺

VISION AND HEARING TEST through, Clinton County Health Department, will take place on May7th at 9am. Each grade will be tested on either hearing or vision. Should they discover that you child has any issues with their eyes or hearing, you will be contacted.

For any questions about either of these tests, please contact Mrs. Gust.

TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK - May 5-9

Next week is Teacher Appreciation Week!

Each day the students will do something to show the teachers how much we love them and appreciate all they do.

A full schedule for the week will be sent out this evening- my apologies for the short notice!!!

- Sunday - the school board is hosting a potluck at 12pm in the gym for the teachers.

- Monday -please have your child make a card or draw a picture to give their teacher.
- Tuesday- bring your teacher one of their favorites (a list will be on the full schedule)
- Wednesday- bring your teacher a flower!

More details to come.

Please contact me if you have questions or concerns. Thank you!

Katherine VanVleet, PTL

OPEN HOUSE & FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

Join us at 6pm to learn about our Preschool and Kindergarten programs. Come see and learn what we offer, meet the teachers, see the classrooms and ask questions.

Then at **6:30pm** we will be starting our Family Movie Night. The featured film is "FROZEN." Bring your entire family, your friends and a snack or beverage to share and enjoy the movie!



NEW SCRIP CARDS ON HAND:

- Lowes \$25, \$100
- Menards \$25, \$100
- Pizza Hut \$10

So pick up a few cards for home improvements and pizza for dinner!

SCRIP NEWS

Kroger's Community Rewards program begins again every year in May. If you didn't do your online re-enrollment in April, it's not too late. It is a fairly simple online process that should only take you about 5 minutes. Visit www.krogercommunityrewards.com. Sign in with your email and password, then click "Enroll Now." Enter the organization number for St. Peter Lutheran School (82657) then click on

the circle in front of our name and click "Enroll." Your Account Summary will come up, and then you can sign out. You'll be all set for another year of earning money for the school by shopping at Kroger. Let me know if you have any problems re-enrolling and I can help you get it set up. Thank you for taking the time to participate.

Eva Luce

PLANT/SEED EXCHANGE - May 24

Saturday, May 24th, 9:30-11:30. Tell your neighbors, bring a friend! Bring healthy, extra annuals, perennials, seeds to swap for something you don't have. Some pots/soil available. Extra pots and potting soil welcome. Children with an adult can learn seed-starting, or pot a plant to take home. Printed handouts on invasive plants will also be available.

CHURCH-WIDE RUMMAGE SALE

A Rummage sale is being planned for this summer to help raise money for Festival of lights. Donations of usable, unbroken items--dvd's, jewelry, linens, tools, furniture, dishes, fru-fru--anything you can no longer use (except clothes/shoes) will be accepted after June 1. Watch for more details!

GOLD SCRAMBLE - May 31st

It finally feels like spring!! Dust off your golf clubs, shine up the putter, it is time for the ST. PETER GOLF SCRAMBLE. Saturday, May 31st 10 AM at Overbrook Golf course in Middleton. Get your team together & sign up today for a fun filled day of golf, food & prizes. Look for the registration forms in the back of the church or in the church office. Please sign up by May 18th so that we can make all of the preparations for the day.

NOT A GOLFER, BUT WANT TO SUPPORT OUR EFFORT IN RAISING FUNDS FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS AT OUR SCHOOL? Sponsor a tee \$125, or a green \$75, or a cart \$50, or All three for \$200, & have your name or in memory of or in honor of your favorite golfer, teacher, student (whoever you want), displayed at the sight & in our program. Or you could help us contact local businesses that have donated in the past, or new ones that you may have personal contact with to request their donations. Please make your donations by May 18th so that we have time to make the signs. We will take smaller amounts also! Please make checks payable to St. Peter Lutheran School.

I know that if we all work together this can be a great fund raiser for our ST PETER LUTHERAN SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS. Please contact John Burgess 989-224-1862 or Laurie Flegler 989-587-4325 if you want to be part of this event. THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR ALL OF YOUR SUPPORT!

PRESCHOOL FIELD TRIP

Preschool is scheduled to go to the zoo on May 28th. Please check your classroom newsletter (posted to the st.peterriley.org website) from Mrs. Gust for details.