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On Eagles' Wings

Dear Parents,

Congratulations to our girls' volleyball team! This past week, they won the tournament at Prince of Peace Lutheran School in Fremont.

That follows our boys' team who won their tournament two weeks ago.

The Harvest Event is only a week away. If you have not purchased tickets yet for this event, it is not too late. We want to have as many people at this event as possible. This is not only a big fundraiser for our school, but it is also a great fellowship for our parents! Please take this opportunity and join us!

For a variety of reasons, **please refrain from bringing any pets on campus.** This can be a real distraction for our teachers and students, and it can also be a safety concern. I appreciate your support in following this school rule!

In Christ,
Joel D. Wahlers
Principal

PALS phone: 738-7901

Thank you for your prayers, hugs, cards, food, words of comfort, encouragement and support as God called my dad to his heavenly home. You are truly a blessing to me!

*In Christ,
Ellen Burmester*

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| 1. Sun. | Oct. 26 | Choraliers-10:45 service |
| Sat. | Nov. 1 | Harvest Event -See attached flyers |
| Sun. | Nov. 2 | Tone Chimes-8:00 am service |
| Sun. | Nov. 2 | Kindergarten & 1 st grade choir-10:45 am service |
| Mon. | Nov. 10 | Teacher In-Service Day-No School or PALS |
| Tues. | Nov. 11 | Veterans' Day-No School or PALS |
| Fri. | Nov. 14 | The Squid are Coming-item |

Smencils are available in the school office.

\$1 each



- God's Blessings to the students celebrating **Baptismal Birthdays**:
Benjamin Sange Madeline Beitz Allyson Reeves Nic Reeves Doug Braddock Elise Scherner
- Congratulations to our **S.N.A.P.SHOTS of the week**:
Brad Anderson Signe Best Samuel Craft Jonathan Kinda T.J. Schrette
Justin Bueno Monique Hale
- Harvest Event**: The 2008 St. John's Lutheran School annual Harvest Event is being held on November 1st from 6:00 pm-11:00 pm. The event will be a sit down dinner with a live and silent auction/orchestra and dancing at the Meritage Resort and Spa in Napa. The price per ticket is \$75.00 and may be purchased by contacting Vickie Nethercott at vickieg7@sbcglobal.net, going to the school office or mailing a check to SJLS at 3521 Linda Vista Avenue. The theme for this year is "*the USO revisited*". Thank you to all the volunteers who have been working so hard getting donations for this event. Also thank you to everyone who has donated items to our auctions! If you would be interested in being a head cashier or runner for the auction please contact Vickie Nethercott.
- Disney World Resort Raffle**: Raffle tickets for a trip to Walt Disney World will be available in the school office or by contacting Vickie Nethercott. Raffle tickets are 1 for \$20.00, 5 for \$50.00 and 15 for \$100.00. Drawing for the raffle will be on November 1st but you do not need to be present to win.
- 5-6 Basketball**: Students participating in LSAA basketball need to turn in both their participation form and the emergency care form prior to their first game or they won't be allowed to play. Forms may be given to Mr. Hauch, team coaches, or the classroom teacher.
- 7/8 Girls Volleyball**: Our St. John's 7th & 8th grade girls volleyball team split into two teams for the Lutheran Schools League volleyball tournament hosted by Prince of Peace, Fremont, this past weekend. Both teams came out of morning pool play to enter the gold division bracket. Each team played well, with the A team, mainly eighth graders, making it all the way into the championship game against Redeemer, Redwood City. The girls then defeated Redeemer 2-0 to take 1st place in the tournament. Congratulations girls!

8. **Candy Sale:** Cub Scout Pack 183 from St. John's will be taking orders for See's Christmas candy boxes over the next three weeks. Each box is \$5.00 and 50% of the money made goes back to the Pack. There are four types to choose from: A Snowman box of mixed chocolates, Milk Chocolate Foil Balls, Mini Holiday Fancy, and Peanut Brittle. If you would like to order please contact any Cub Scout or look for them after school near the parking lot. You may also contact Jill Kusel who will put you in touch with a scout. Thank you for your support. Pack 183.
9. **Cope Family Center** is in need of new "**Cookie Fairies**" to help bake sugar cookies for their holiday party they host for children in our community on December 6th. They need 200 sugar cookies baked for the children to decorate. Matthew Heathcote while researching for a Cub Scout project discovered this need and really would like to help as a Cub Scout Troop and School. If your family can bake a dozen or two sugar cookies the first week of December that would really help us out! Please call Suzzette Heathcote @ 254-1800 or email at heathcotesuzzette@hotmail.com.
10. **Lost and Found:** Please go through lost and found this week. **All items not labeled with names will be donated to charity after October 31st.**
11. **Box Tops for Education:** Remember to turn in your Box Tops for Education from all of your General Mills products. There is a white container in the school office where you may drop them into.
12. **Napa Junior Lacrosse Club** is now accepting registration for Spring 2009. Go to www.napalacrosse.com for more information or contact Peri Best at 226-2600. There are some registration forms in the school office.
13. **The Scoop From Scrip:** October 31st marks the half way mark of the Scrip Commitment year. Thank you to everyone, whether you are involved in the tuition discount program or not, for purchasing Scrip this year. We are down about \$2,000 from this time last year in our box Scrip. Please continue to purchase Scrip for yourself and have your family and friends stop by the school office and purchase Scrip. Unlike any other fundraiser there is nothing extra to buy or work for you to do. Groceries, gas, coffee, and many other things you purchase everyday. Why not support St. John's and purchase gift cards from us for your shopping needs. Visa/Mastercard accepted!
14. **From the Minister of Youth and Children:**
7th and 8th Grade Ministry...Don't forget to join us **tonight**, October 24th for "Sports Spectacular" Night! We will meet from 7-9 pm to play a bunch of "sporting games". If you want, you can dress up in your favorite sporting teams color or even wear their jersey, if you have one. Bring your friends and plan to be with us!
15. **Hot Lunches: Monday/Wednesday/Friday lunches need to be preordered the week before.**
Please do not use the Lunch Coupons for Tues. & Thurs. Lunches.

Mon. Oct. 20th	Baked Ham/Mashed Potatoes/Gravy/Fruit Cup or Chicken Caesar Salad	
Tues. Oct. 21st	Grilled Cheese and Caesar Salad	\$3.50
(Dance Team)	Extra Sandwich	\$1.00
	Candy	\$.50
Wed. Oct. 22nd	Sloppy Joes/Tater Tots/Cookie or Chef Salad	
Thurs. Oct. 23rd	Cheese Pizza	\$3.00
	Extra Slice	\$1.50
	Ice Cream	\$.50
Fri. Oct. 24th	Crispy Beef Tacos/Green Salad/Churros or Chicken Caesar Salad	

Remember to preorder your lunch when buying Kinyon (M,W,F) Payment is by checks or coupons only...No cash.

*\$40.00 per 10 coupon book-Preschool
\$45.00 per 10 coupon book-K-8
Coupons available in the school office.*

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