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ON EAGLES' WINGS

Dear Parents,

Our theme this year has been "Run". It has indeed been another long run through the year. There have been good times and challenging times for all of us, but overall it has been a good run. As we close this year, I pray that you all have a wonderful and safe summer! I want to thank all of our teachers and parents for all of their hard work to help make this a great year for our students!

I want to thank all of those who stepped forward last week and helped out after Bob Hauch passed away. It was truly amazing to see how many people helped with the memorial service and did little things to help the faculty and staff during a very difficult time. It was a great example of the close and supportive community we have at St. John's.

God bless you all!

In Christ,
Joel D. Wahlers
Principal

Cindy Zeller will be in the office until June 15 and will return on June 28th. The office will be open in July and August on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 10-3. Please call ahead, 226-7970, to verify that someone will be in. Scrip will be available on these days.

1	June 14-July 23	Summer Camp-PS-4-Applications available in school office
	July 5-July 9	Summer Theater Camp-Applications available in school office
	Friday June 18	VBS All volunteers meeting 3:00 pm-gym
	Wed. August 18	Registration Day
	Thurs. August 19	First Day of School-Minimum Day-Dismissal 12 noon
	Sat. Oct. 30	SAVE THE DATE-Harvest Event-Silverado Country Club
	Nov 22-26	Lutheran Teacher Conference & Thanksgiving Vacation
	Dec 20-31	Christmas Vacation
	March 28-April 1	Spring Break
	Wed. June 2	8th Grade Graduation
	Friday June 4	Last Day of School

2. God's Blessings to the students celebrating **Baptismal Birthdays August 15:**

Rhys Irwin Wyatt Irwin Laney Irwin Claudia Torkelson Amelia Arnold Emily Kusel Sophia Johnson
Nolan Rubin Dustin Messner Sam Hoff Chris Vaziri Haley Cremen Kelli Anderson Jack Goller
Bennett Goller Milan Alas Luke Galles Ally Burnham Aaron Craft Julia Scheumann Rachel Carey
Connor Fleury Sandra Morneault

3. **Harvest Event:** In just 5 short months, the **Harvest Event 2010** fundraiser will be in full swing at the Silverado Resort. October 30th will be an evening of food, fun, and entertainment in fellowship with other parents and friends of St. John's Lutheran School. This event depends on our parents contributing their time and talent to serve on one or more of the following committees:

Live Auction; Logistics/Set-up; Visuals/Graphics; Silent Auction; Class Art Projects; Finance/Check-in/out; Wine Solicitation; Public Relations; IT/Database Entry. **Contact Ann Hobaugh; ahobaugh@comcast.net** if you are interested in leading/serving on a committee. Save the Date cards will be sent out this summer. If you have any friends or family you want to invite to attend, please provide their addresses to Ann Hobaugh. It is important that we open our pool of bidders beyond the scope of the parent body.

Donations are needed. Wines, trips, event tickets, retail items, services, and gift certificates are needed.

4. **The Scoop from Scrip:** **Did you know** that all the money raised thru Scrip goes directly to APT?! Not only does Scrip provide a convenience to you by allowing you to pick up gifts, gas cards, grocery cards, it also provides you with a great way to budget your weekly spending. But more importantly, Scrip helps your kids. The money provided by Scrip goes back to each of your children. APT supports the Art program, PE program; it helps pay for Enrichment programs such as Knowledge Bowl and Science week. Without this money your children would not be blessed with all of these great programs. With every dollar you spend a % goes directly to APT. So participate in the Scrip program, whether you use it as a discount toward your tuition, \$100 family discount for minimum of \$3,000 Scrip purchases or \$200 family discount for minimum \$5,000 Scrip purchases, or simply to help the students. The Scrip year has begun for the 2010.2011 year, so start purchasing now. We will be open in July and August T-Th 10-3.

5. **Vacation Bible School VBS-** There is an important ALL volunteers meeting on Friday, June 18th at 3:00 pm. Please meet in the Gym/Parish Hall.

6. **SUMMER 2010: CHILDREN'S CHURCH**

Sunday school at St. John's Lutheran ended on May 23rd. I have set up a schedule for **Summer 2010** for Children's Church during the 10:45am service. I would like to ask if you could possibly volunteer for one Sunday to lead the kids in some activities. They would be excused from church for approximately 45-60 minutes. I will have the lessons prepared for each week so all you have to do is pick that up sometime before your Sunday & look it over. I would encourage you to ask a friend or spouse, or high school student to help you.

Thank you in advance for considering this important service to the children at St John's. Without volunteers, we will not be able to offer any classes for our children during the regular worship service. Please call or email if you have questions. I look forward to hearing from you. **Janis King @jking@stjohnsnapa.org or 226.7970 ext 107.**

Sundays available are: Aug 1

7. **Summer Theater Camp:** The ladies who brought you "The Adventures of Lewis and Clark" and "Are We There Yet?" are offering a Summer Theater camp. The camp will be open to students currently in Kindergarten through 8th grade. The camp runs from July 5th to July 9th. The camp will be from 9am to 1pm. On Friday night the 20 minute mini musical "On the Radio" will be performed for family and friends. Applications are available in the school office. Space is limited, so register early.
8. **Summer Camp:** St. John's will be holding their annual summer camp for students who have completed a year of preschool thru completion of 4th grade. We will be having camps for 6 weeks beginning the week of June 14th. Camp is open from 7:30am-5:30pm for the all day session and 7:30-12:30 for the half-day session. Many activities will be available including crafts, cooking/lemonade stand, face painting, bubbles, water play, special lunches on Friday's and much, much more. Applications are online and in the school office. Be sure to tell your friends, non-St. John's students are welcome to attend.
9. **Napa Valley College Basketball Camp:** Chris Kvidahl, the women's basketball coach, will be hosting a basketball camp for girls entering grades 5th-9th on July 19-22 from 10 am-12:30pm. The fee is \$80. The camp will teach fundamental basketball skills and include drills along with game play. Please contact Chris at Kvidahl@gmail.com for registration forms and more information.
10. **Wine Country Aquatics of Napa-Summer Swim Lessons:** Swim Lessons are available for children ages 3 & up from June 21-August 6. <-F 10am-12noon and T & Th from 5:30-7pm at the Vintage High School Pool. You may sign up on Sunday, June 6th from 1-3pm at the Vintage Pool or reserve your spot via email at lessons@wcanswim.org.
11. **Summer Reading Program 2010:** Friends of the Library will launch the summer reading program June 1-July 10. Select your own books, read books to earn a certificate & other rewards. Readers' Celebration Day will be in Napa on Tuesday, July 27, Calistoga-Thursday, July 29 & American Canyon-Thursday, August 5th. For more information, call the Napa Main Branch at 253.4070.
12. **Summer Music Camps:** Join the students of Miss Genavieve's Piano and Vocal Studio on June 14-18. For more information please call Genavieve at 254-5994.

***Don't let the fear of striking out keep you from playing in the game.
2010 8th grade class motto***



HAPPY SUMMER