1st LUTHERAN SCHOOL FRIDAY NOTE October 12, 2018

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

With October settling in, fall is finally in the air! Fall is always a busy time in a school; the next few weeks are no exception. Today brought the 1st quarter to a completion. We look forward to visiting with you at Parent Teacher Conferences next week. This weekend, we have a chance to celebrate our faith with and show our appreciation to First Lutheran Church as we join in worship as the combined choir sings. Next weekend, we look forward to an extended weekend for Fall Break, providing opportunities to rest and recharge. On October 26, we host our Annual Fund Golf Tournament which provides important funds to operate our school; it's not too late to sign-up if you are interested!

As we reflect on this 1st quarter we give thanks for all that has been accomplished already this year and we look forward to a great remainder of the year!

TEXAS ROADHOUSE DINNER ROLLS

It's hard to believe, but it's time to be thinking about your Thanksgiving dinner and those delicious Texas Roadhouse dinner rolls. Last year this was a very successful fundraiser for 1st Lutheran and we would love to exceed our sales from last year. We make \$3.00 on ever dozen we sell!

Order forms will be sent home with students Monday, October 15 and are due back October 29. The rolls are sold by the dozen and can be picked up at the restaurant on South 74th Street at your convenience November 10 through November 13 just in time for Thanksgiving holiday dinners. They cost \$5.00 per dozen and money needs to be turned in with the orders. Once orders have been received in the school office, vouchers will be given out to enable

purchasers to pick up their dinner rolls at the restaurant anytime between November 10 and November 13.

WALK WITH US

Our next walking event is the "Pumpkin Run" on Tuesday, October 16, at 9:45 a.m. As in the past, we would love to see parents and grandparents join us. We only walk for 30 minutes and seeing adults model healthy exercise really encourages us to get in our laps.

PANTHER BASKETBALL

Thanks again to the parents who volunteered to coach teams or help coach teams this year. It is time to start planning and coordinating our practice schedules and gym times for all three FLS teams! If you volunteered, please check your calendar/schedule and think about what days/times work for you. Practices will need to start in November because games start in December. We do not have a game schedule from the league yet. We will be in touch over the next week, so look for a call/text or email. Thanks! Go Panthers!!

FLU IMMUNIZATION

The Arkansas Department of Health will be at our school on Wednesday, October 24, to offer flu vaccines to our students.

If you would like for your child to receive the Seasonal Flu vaccine, you must complete and return the required forms by Thursday, October 18.

CHAPEL OFFERING

This month we are collecting pasta sauce, dried pasta and canned fruit for the Community Services Clearinghouse.