

Friday Note

September 13, 2019

From the Principal

We look forward to seeing many of you tonight at the Sock Hop from 5:30-7:00! This will be an evening of fun and fellowship while also raising funds for teacher professional development. We thank you in advance for your support. Just like our students, our staff must also continually grow and improve and we appreciate the opportunity to attend national, regional, and local conferences. We are blessed by your support.

The Grand Event

When we created the school calendar for this year, we made the decision to move the Grand Event (Grandparents and Special Friends Day) to the spring. The Grand Event will be Friday, April 24th. This is the day after the operetta. We hope that this also allows out of town grandparents an exciting extended weekend of events to be here for. Thanks for telling your grands in advance so that they can mark their calendars for April.

Golf Tournament

The 1st Lutheran School Golf Tournament is coming up on October 15th at Ben Geren. The golf tournament is an important fundraiser for our school. We would love to have you or any of your friends and family join us on a team. We also have sponsorship opportunities available for business and individuals. Even if you cannot play, do you have a sponsor suggestion to share with us? We would love to follow up with them or provide you with the information to make a request on our behalf.

Please contact the office for more details and registration forms. Team entry cost is \$400 (4 person team). Sponsorship opportunities range from \$2,000 presenting sponsorships to \$100 hole sponsorships.

October Childcare

Please make the important note that school (both preschool and elementary) is dismissed early on October 9th and not in session on October 10th and 11th as teachers are attending the National Lutheran Education Conference in St. Louis. We will also be dismissing early on October 17th for parent teacher conferences and out of session October 18th for Fall Break. We plan to offer childcare on these days, but need to ensure that we have our minimum number of children and that we have necessary staffing to cover ratio requirements. Please let the office know as soon as possible if you would like more information or to sign up for care on any or all of these days.

Individual School Pictures

Individual school pictures for the yearbook for students in Preschool through Sixth Grade will be Tuesday, September 17, beginning at 8:20 a.m. Your child may come to school wearing an outfit for individual pictures, but must change into his/her school uniform after pictures. Please remember to send your child's uniform to school in his/her backpack. You will have an opportunity to purchase pictures when the proofs are returned to school.

Texas Roadhouse Spirit Night

Where else can get a hand-cut steak and fall-off-the-bone ribs while raising money for FLS? At Texas Roadhouse of course! On Monday, September 23, 1st Lutheran School will be having a Spirit Night at Texas Roadhouse from 4-10 PM. We will earn 10% of the profits from those sales. Be sure to tell them you are from 1st Lutheran!

Join Us on October 1

On Tuesday, October 1, at 5:30 p.m. we will have a parent meeting for parents to learn more about volunteer opportunities and the various ways you can be involved with PALS and support FLS.

“All About the Call”

Our Primary Musical rehearsals are going great! I am just amazed at the talent these kids show! The Choir has almost memorized all the words to the songs, and continues to work hard every practice! All students grades K-3 will be in the performance on September 26 at 6:30 pm. Call is 6:00 for both Cast and Choir. Dress for the Choir will be just as we do on Fridays, Spirit shirts and jeans or uniform pants/skirts. The performance is about 25 minutes long, but packed with lots of humor, and God’s Word. See you on September 26th! ~Mrs. Davis

Fifth Grade Beginning Band

We are off to a great start this year with our Band! We have very well balanced instrumentation, and the kids are having a blast! Learning a new instrument is a challenge, and these kids are staying focused and making it happen. For the next few weeks, we will continue to have sectionals with woodwinds, and then brass and percussion. A schedule will be coming home so parents will know which days their child needs to have their instrument at school. I just LOVE beginning band! ~Mrs. Davis

Mark Your Calendar

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| ➤ Tues., 9/17 | Individual School Pictures |
| ➤ Mon., 9/23 | Spirit Night at Texas Roadhouse |
| ➤ Tues., 9/24 | Monthly Walk at 1:15 |
| ➤ Thurs., 9/26 | K – 3 Play “All About the Call” |
| ➤ Mon., 10/1 | Parent Meeting at 5:30 |
| ➤ Sun. 10/6 | K – 6 Students Sing at First Lutheran Church at 10:45 |
| ➤ Wed., 10/9 | 1:30 Dismissal ~ Notify the office if you will need childcare |
| ➤ Thurs., 10/10 | No School ~ Notify the office if you will need childcare |
| ➤ Fri., 10/11 | No School ~ Notify the office if you will need childcare |