



ST. JOHN LUTHERAN SCHOOL
The Eagle Express
February 19-25, 2009
'Led by God's Grace'



LUTHERAN SCHOOLS-WHAT ARE THEY?



- Christ-Centered
- Academically Strong
- Respectfully Operated
- They are driven by a commitment to the Gospel and focused on a mission of bringing hope and healing to students and their families.
- They are governed by board members who clearly understand their roles and focus on the vision and board policies that effectively govern the operation of the school.
- They are engaged in planning which enables the Lutheran school to maximize its ability to achieve its mission.
- They utilize an accreditation process like National Lutheran School Accreditation (NLSA).
- They meet or exceed state and national academic standards at all grade levels.
- They help to develop developmental assets in children.
- They lead their students to professional church work.
- They lead students to share Christ and their faith story in an unbelieving world.
- They identify future leaders for our schools.

TUITION INCENTIVES:



St. John School is a wonderful child-centered community that helps children to grow in the knowledge and love of Christ. Our main mission is to help equip our students with a strong foundation in Christ, and to live a life of Christian servant hood in this world. St. John's would like to be able to touch the lives of more families that need to hear and be apart of the saving message – but, for that, we also need your help. We would like to offer a \$200 discount on your family's tuition for the 2009-2010 school year when you refer a new family that enrolls at St. John School next school year. Also, for the new family enrolling at our school, we are offering a \$200 savings on their family tuition. This applies for grades Kindergarten through Grade 8. You will be receiving these coupons with your child's 3rd quarter progress report. These two coupons can be used by you, the referring family, and the second coupon can be given and used for a new family. If you need more coupons, please stop by the school office, or print them off from our schools webpage:

<http://www.stjohnplymouth.org>

St. John School would like to impact more lives within our community – please pass these coupons on to neighbors and friends that want their children to have a strong Christ-centered education and to grow in Christ here at St. John School.

	-	JK to Plymouth Public Library	10:30-11:30 AM
	-	Book Fair/Fellowship Hall	3:45-7:00 PM
	-	A-Girls Bball Practice	3:50-5:15 PM
	-	Parent / Teacher Conferences	5:00-7:00 PM
	-	B-Girls Bball Practice	5:15-6:45 PM
	-	Hosanna! Singers – MMR	6:30 PM
	-	A-Girls vs. SJB @ Home	7:00 PM
	-	Mid-Quarter Reports (picked up at Conferences)	
Friday, February 20	-	No School	
	-	Cheerleading Practice	9:00 AM-12:00 PM
	-	A-Boys Bball Practice	3:50-5:15 PM
	-	GIFT Pizza Set-Up Day	
Saturday, February 21	-	GIFT: Pizza Making	7:00 AM-1:00 PM
	-	GIFT: Pizza Pick up	10:00 AM-1:00 PM
	-	B-Boys v. Bethlehem @ Immanuel	8:30 AM
	-	B-Girls v. Bethlehem @ Immanuel	9:30 AM
	-	Market Day Pick-up (Volunteers @ 9 AM)	9:30-10:15 AM
	-	A-Girls Bball v. Bethlehem @ Bethlehem	12:00 PM
	-	A-Boys Bball v. Bethlehem @ Bethlehem	1:00 PM
	-	Book Fair – After Church/Fellowship Hall	
	-	Hot Shot Finals @ LHS	
Sunday, February 22	-	Gospel Light Chorus Sings	8:00 AM
	-	Adult Choir Sings	10:30 AM
	-	Book Fair – After Church Services/Fellowship Hall	
	-	Washington’s Birthday	
	-	Happy Birthday Ms. Doris Myers	
Monday, February 23	-	A-Girls Bball Practice	3:50-5:15 PM
	-	B-Boys Bball Practice	5:15-6:45 AM
	-	A-Boys Bball v. TLS Maroon @ Immanuel	6:00 PM
Tuesday, February 24	-	Scholastic Olympics Practice (Gr. 5-8)	7:45-8:30 AM
	-	TT 3K & JK to Poth Family Dental in Fredonia	9:00-11:30 AM
	-	LHS Soul Train presentation/Gym/K-8	2:45-3:10 PM
	-	Cheerleading Practice	3:50-5:15 PM
	-	B-Girls Bball Practice	5:15-6:45 PM
Wednesday, February 25	-	Ash Wednesday	
	-	Chapel – Pastor Knippa	9:00 AM
	-	A-Girls Bball Practice	3:50-5:15 PM
	-	Gospel Light Chorus Sings	4:00 PM
	-	Soup Supper/Cafeteria	4:30-6:30 PM
	-	B-Boys Bball Practice	5:15-6:45 PM
	-	A-Boys Bball Practice	6:45-8:15 PM
	-	Adult Choir Sings	7:00 PM

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Happy Birthday to the following students who will be celebrating birthdays this coming week.

God’s Blessings on your special day!

Adam Grosskreutz – Kindergarten – February 19

Andrew Steinhardt – Grade 1 – February 21

Alexis Holly – Grade 5 – February 21

Madlyn Schmitt – Grade 6 – February 21

Ethan Kurtz – Grade 2 – February 24

ACHIEVEMENT TESTING – Achievement Testing for **grades 1-8** will take place during the week of **March 9th-13th**. Please avoid scheduling doctor appointments, etc. during this week. Thank you for your cooperation.

ATTENTION: Please note that you should not park in the Post Office parking lot when dropping off or picking up your student or at any time. This is reserved for post office employees only. If you would park in their lot, your car is subject to a parking ticket.

RE-ENROLLMENT FORMS – Just a reminder that re-enrollment forms for the 2009-2010 school year were due in the office **LAST WEEK, FEBRUARY 13**. To guarantee your child's spot for next year, please return this form as soon as possible. Thank you to those that have already returned their forms.

INCLEMENT WEATHER - Parents make certain you have communicated the procedure to be followed by your child on early release days due to inclement weather. If the weather looks ominous, it is your responsibility to tune into a radio or TV station to see what the Plymouth Joint School District is doing.

REMINDER – If your financial circumstances change during this school term, just a reminder that you can still apply for Free/Reduced Lunches at any time during the year. Application forms are available in the office.

Track Coaches Needed: This year's 5th-8th grade track team at SJL is in need of some help. We are looking for a new head track coach. The duties of the head track coach include running practices and being a representative for athletes at track meets. Practices are right after school, but the days of practice can be arranged around your schedule. Practices are usually two to three times per week. Track meets will already be set up for you by the athletic director. Also needed are parents or adults to help the head coach run and supervise practice and meets. We are looking for adults to run with the athletes, do time trials, and help with field events. Even if you have never run before or have never been on the track team, we still would love to have your help! If you are willing to give of your time or talents to help out the team in any capacity, please contact Libby MacGillis at 893-5114 ext. 251. Practices will begin immediately after spring break. Track season runs through mid-May. Thank you for your consideration!

2009 SJL Pizza Sale: Is in progress. We will be making pizza on Saturday, February 21st and weighing and measuring on Friday, February 20th. We will be making regular cheese, pepperoni, and sausage pizzas once again. Prices are 1 or 2 @ \$6.00 each or 3 or more at \$5.00 each. If you have any questions, please contact Nola Schultz at 528-7110 or Rachel Montaba at 893-4829.

Scholastic Book Fair 2009 Welcomes you to: Lights, Camera, Book Fair "take" action" and "see" the many adventures "starring" many world famous authors! So, let us roll out the red carpet and invite you to the book fair in the Fellowship Hall on Wednesday 2/18 from 3:45-7:00 pm, Thursday, 2/19 from 3:45-7:00 pm, Saturday 2/21 after the church service and Sunday 2/22 after the church services. (We will close during church). If you would like to help "direct" our "show" please contact either Tracy Ramminger at 893-9626 or Julie Konz or Robin Larkin at SJL School Thank you!

MARKET DAY - THE FEBRUARY MARKET DAY SALE WILL BE HELD IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL ON SATURDAY 2/21.

The Sheboygan County Chapter of the Red Cross is planning to offer the **Babysitter's Training Course** in February. The class will be held at the Red Cross building located at 2032 Erie Avenue in Sheboygan. The class date is: Saturday, February 21 from 8:30 AM to 3:30 PM. This course is designed for children 11 years of age or older. Participants will learn the responsibilities of a babysitter, how to prevent accidents, how to handle emergencies, some basic first aid, infant care skills, and more. We feel this is a very beneficial program, not only for the babysitter, but also the children in their care. The program is open to both boys and girls. Persons interested in the course can register in person or mail in their registration. Class size is limited to 12 students, so early registration is recommended. If you have any additional questions, please feel free to call at 457-7739.

GOSPEL LIGHT CHORUS PARENTS will meet Sunday, February 22, after the 8:00 AM service. Gospel Light sings for the service, after which we will gather in the music room for an informational meeting regarding the spring tour to Chicago. This will be the only meeting we will have for this purpose. Questions? Please contact Tim Huebschman at the school office.

Attention all readers K-6!!! Don't forget Monday, February 23rd, is the last day to turn in your sheet for the Read to Succeed - Six Hour Reading Club. Please turn your pink sheets into your classroom teacher or Mrs. Konz. Six hours of reading now = many hours of fun this summer at Six Flags Great America.

The St John Lutheran School Food Service will be serving **Soup and Sandwich's** for Lent, along with a Bake Sale of their school-made rolls, breads and desserts. The first night of serving will be on Wednesday, February 25, 2009. We will be

serving from 4:30-6:30 p.m. Carry-outs are available. A free will offering will be taken at the door. Bakery will be priced accordingly. The Senior Youth will be having a bake sale in the cafeteria on Ash Wednesday after the 4:00 church service. Any questions, please contact: Francha Dallman at 893-5114 x 230 or email @ francha.dallman@stjohnplymouth.org

Bethlehem Lutheran School's 8th Grade Class Brat Fry (Eat in or take out): Please come and enjoy a time of fellowship Sunday March 1st from 9AM-1PM and support a local group of students working to raise funds for their class trip in May to Chicago. Advance tickets will be available before and after weekend services from 8th grade students at Bethlehem Lutheran Church. The menu will include brats, hamburgers, beans, potato salad, Gibbsville cheese and baked goods. The 8th grade class will be taking on their parents, other classes, and possibly other challengers (teachers, other schools?!) in a tournament of volleyball or dodge ball! Don't miss it! You can contact Roni Anderson with questions 698-1477.

Trinity Showcase: Please join us for the 2nd Annual Trinity Showcase, "It's a Celebration", on Sunday, March 8th from 12-3 p.m. This special event features a brat-fry, bake sale, talent showcase and silent and live auctions. The Showcase will once again be featuring The Lutheran Lawn Chair Rangers, a precision drill team. They will be returning to perform a routine choreographed by Darlene Mech. This is one act you won't want to miss! We invite you to share with us in a day of Christian fellowship!

Basketball Program - Sheboygan Area Lutheran High School, Athletic Director Chuck Benedum, Coaches Todd Dekker and Todd Kohlman and the Crusader Three Point Club invites all boys and girls in 6th, 7th, and 8th grades who are interested in playing basketball at Sheboygan Lutheran in high school to join the Junior Crusader basketball program. The program, which costs \$35.00 includes 15 clinic dates at Sheboygan Lutheran led by Sheboygan Lutheran coaches, and a Jr, Crusader practice jersey. Depending on numbers the potential to play in leagues and tournaments also exists. If you are interested please e mail Chuck Benedum at benedum@lutheranhigh.com or call the school at 452-3323.

SCRIP Sales for the week of 02-13-09

Total Sales \$15,610.00; Special Orders \$50.00; Tuition Profit \$1,085.40; General Fund Profit \$325.60 (of which \$146.00 profit is from Kwik Trip sales; Total Gen. Fund Kwik Trip Profits to Date \$13,198.00.)

CHECK POLICY--CHECKS MUST BE FOR EXACT AMOUNT OF ORDERS. THERE WILL BE NO CASH RETURNED FOR OUT OF STOCK ITEMS. PLEASE DO NOT WRITE YOUR CHECK UNTIL YOU HAVE CONFIRMED THAT YOUR ORDER IS IN STOCK.

SHOPKO: Effective Thursday, January 1, 2009, the profit for Shopko \$25 and \$50 gift cards will decrease from 4% to 2%.

KWIK TRIP is available at a 20% discount in denominations of \$20, \$50, and \$100 gift cards. This promotion is going through FEBRUARY 22, 2009 (While supplies in stock last)! *Orders of more than \$500.00 will need to be placed by special order only. After February 22, our discount will go from 20% to 10% until February 2010 after that date it will go to the regular 5% discount.

Hallmark Gift Cards are now available by **Special Order** in \$25 denominations with a 4% profit. Hallmark Gift Cards may be used for making purchases at any participating Hallmark Gold Crown Store.

What is SCRIP? Gift certificates are purchased at a reduced rate and then sold for face value. For instance if you purchase a \$25.00 card, you pay \$25.00 for it and the difference in what we originally purchased it for becomes the profit. The profit can be applied to the General Fund or the student's tuition of your choice.

*Providing a Christ-centered education focusing on academic,
physical, spiritual, emotional, and social growth;
Preparing students for an active Christian life and eternal salvation.*