St. John Eagle Edition

February 3rd, 2023

St. John School Mission Statement

Igniting hearts and minds through living, loving, and learning in Christ



Lutheran Schools Week January 22-27 Summary

The students and teachers enjoyed Lutheran School Week. The overall theme for the week was the same as the theme for the school year, "Making Disciples for Life" based on Matthew 28:19-20. Below is a summary in words and pictures of the week's activities.

Sunday: Students sang at the 10:15 worship and the PTL served refreshments during the coffee hour.

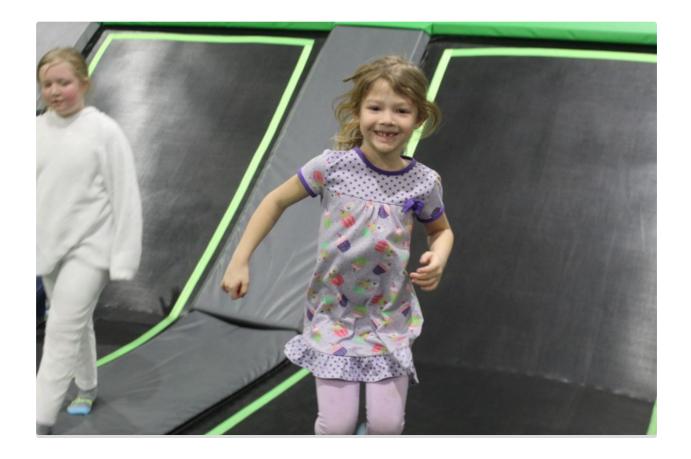
Monday: Future Day, students dressed up showing what they hoped to be and put encouraging ribbons on each of the K-8 student lockers.

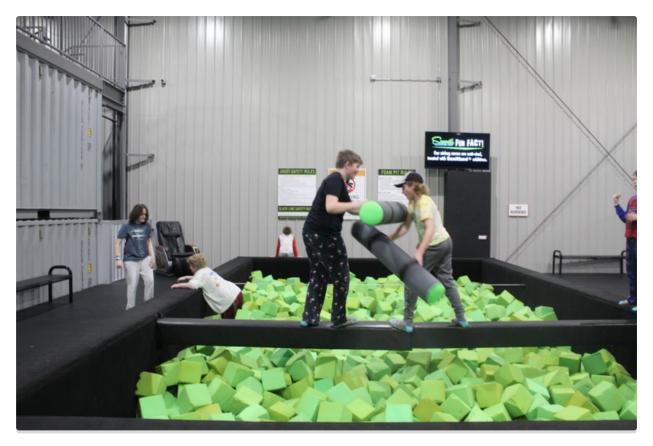
Tuesday: Hero Day, students dressed up as their heroes. Grades 2-8 participated in the first annual Bible Bee.

Wednesday: School Spirit Day, students dressed up in the school colors and attended a chapel led by Pastor John.

Thursday: PJ Day, students stayed in the PJ's all day. The PTL treated the K-8 to a trip to the trampoline park and 3K-4K to special tasty treats.

Friday: Mismatch Day: students dressed in clothes that didn't match. During art class the students created "Making Disciples for Life" posters.















Registration for the 2022-2023 School Year

Registration information is available for parents interested in registering their children for the 2023-2024 school year. St. John Lutheran School offers 3K-4K and K-8 grades. St. John Lutheran School is part of the School Choice Program in the State of Wisconsin through the Department of Public Instruction. The CHOICE application period starts February 1st and runs through April 20th. Click on this link and apply:

https://sms.dpi.wi.gov/ChoiceParent/ If you qualify your tuition may be paid through School Choice. If you don't qualify for School Choice, then St. John has tuition assistance grants available to help families. For more information about registering your child or if you would desire a tour of St. John Lutheran School, please contact Principal Jiter. Call 715-842-5212 or email Principal Jiter at principal@mailstjohn.com

St. John P.T.L. Meeting

St. Johns PTL meets the 2nd Monday of the month at 5:00 P.M. in the school Tech Room at 6pm. We have lots of opportunities to help with activities for the school/kids of St. Johns. Join us to find out what exciting new activities we're planning for the upcoming year. For more information email jennifer_wirt@yahoo.com. Jennifer Wirt PTL



Life in Wisconsin

We don't have hurricanes! We don't have hurricanes! We don't have hurricanes!"

Brownie Rubble

This 5-star recipe turns basic brownies into a decadent dessert by topping them with marshmallows, chocolate chips and roasted peanuts.







Current School Choice Parents

Parents of students who are currently in the Wisconsin School Choice program need to go to the Wisconsin Department of Instruction website and enter the Wisconsin School Choice page for applications. Click on this link:

<u>https://sms.dpi.wi.gov/ChoiceParent/</u> You need only prove residency.

Even though you do not need to reapply to verify income, you need to reapply to verify your current address and public school district. You need to do so between February 1 and April 20, 2023. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Saucy Mediterranean Chicken with Rice

The hints of Mediterranean flavor in this chicken dish will make it a family favorite!

Substitute Teachers Needed

St. John is looking for substitute teachers. To qualify one needs only to have a bachelor degree. The major or minor of your degree does not matter. Please contact Principal Jiter if you are interested or if you have any questions. Principal Jiter may be contacted at 715-842-5212 or principal@mailstjohn.com





The next School Board Meeting

The next School Board meeting is scheduled for Monday, February 13th, starting at 6:00 in the Church Library. Parents are always welcome to speak to the School Board at the beginning of each meeting. There is time set aside for public input.

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=j1uokltEOcE



Wisconsin Valley Now School Choice

BIG NEWS AT WI VALLEY LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL: WI Valley has now joined the WI Parental CHOICE Program! Through this program eligible families may send their students to The Valley tuition free. At The Valley, this year and next year, students may qualify at all grade levels for incoming, transfer, and current students. Families of students who are currently in the CHOICE Program do not need to re-qualify for eligibility, but do need to apply to the WI CHOICE Program as they have each year.



The CHOICE application period starts February 1st and runs through April 20th. We are excited about the CHOICE Program because of the potential to share the ministry of The Valley with families who may not have otherwise considered enrolling their student due to the cost of tuition. Both the families who

enroll through the CHOICE Program and WI Valley Lutheran will benefit from families being a part of the CHOICE Program. It's a win/win! Please apply at wvlhs.org/choice-program or call the school office for more information (715-693-2693).



St. John's Free Wild Game Feed and Seminar

St. John's Free Wild Game Feed and Seminar will be on Saturday, February 4th, doors open at 3:00 P.M. There will be an Official Scorer present to score your trophy, vintage hunting items displayed, Youth BB Gun Range and seminars on meat cutting, predator control and decoying Coyotes with dogs. 5:00-6:00 will be the free Wild Game Feed, we will have a cooking and cured meat contest so bring in your favorite wild game dish or cured meat. Prizes will be awarded. At 6:00 P.M. we will have James Arneson as our keynote speaker. As a youth James enjoyed hunting, calling coyotes, trapping and fishing. At the age of 15, James started using drugs and his life went on a downward spiral. At the age of 38, James asked God to help him change the life he was living and escape his addiction. God answered his prayers and he is back doing the hobbies he enjoyed prior to his drug addiction. There will be a free prize drawing following the speaker. Invite your friends and neighbors, all are welcome!

Bow the Knee Participants Needed

Practices will once again resume for the musical presentation of the Gospel "Bow the Knee". The cast is open to anyone who wants to sing or act and share the Gospel. All singing levels are invited. Practices will be held on Sunday evenings beginning January 29 from 6:00-7:30 pm at Zion Lutheran Church, Town of Easton.



"Bow the Knee" presents the view of the crucifixion and resurrection of Jesus through a centurion's eyes and is presented the two weekends prior to Easter. Acting, powerful choral pieces, and an even more powerful message have touched the lives of thousands.

Performances will be held at Peace Lutheran Church in Antigo on March 25 and 26 and at Zion on April 1 and 2.



School & Church Dates to remember

- February 4th 9:00 Prayer Shawl Ministry
- February 4th 3:00 Wild Game Feed and Seminar
- February 13th 5:00 P.T.L Meeting
- February 13th 6:00 School Board Meeting
- February 13th 6:30 Board of Christian Education Meeting
- February 13th 7:00 Elders Meeting
- February 16th Parent Teacher Conferences 3:00- 7:30 P.M. No D.C. Everest 4K Class
- February 17th No School Parent Teacher Conferences 8:00 A.M.-12:00 P.M.
- February 20th 7:00 Council Meeting
- February 22nd Ash Wednesday, 7:00 Worship
- February 26th 11:30 Church Voter's Meeting

Isaiah 40:31

31 "But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint."





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