

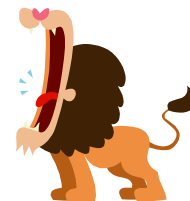


THE LION'S DEN

Thursday, February 11, 2010

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"Growing the Fruit of the Spirit." Galatians 5:22-23

Zion Lutheran School exists to offer a Christ-centered, child-focused, quality Lutheran education to all children, empowering them to be bold disciples of Jesus.

THIS WEEK AT ZION

Join us for the following worship and fellowship opportunities at Zion Lutheran Church and School.



Thursday, February 11
10:00am Adult Bible Study

Friday, February 12
Preschool Party
8:45am 5-6 Young Authors @ SE
1:30pm K-8 Parties
6:00pm Chili Supper—Gym

Saturday, February 13
8:00am All Pro Dad—Gym
9:00-12:00 Recycling
7:00pm Pulse Praise & Worship!

Sunday, February 14
Valentine's Day
8:00 & 10:30am Worship
9:15am Bible Study & S.S.
2:30-4:00pm Youth
7:00pm Men's Basketball

Monday, February 15
Presidents' Day
SCHOOL IN SESSION
9:30am Mr. Faurote-BHS here

FROM OUR PRINCIPAL

Next week students will attend the noon Ash Wednesday service to begin Lent.



SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE



Each family is reminded of the Parental Pledge they signed on the school application form to *bring*

their child to Church and Sunday School every Sunday. Grow the fruit of God's Spirit in your family!

CHAPEL OFFERINGS

We continue to collect school supplies for Haiti. If you have not already done so, please bring in the following for school kits: College lined notebooks (70 or 150 sheets); construction paper (12 sheet package of various colors); No. 2 pencils; pencil sharpeners; erasers (2-3"); crayons (12 count); rulers (12" w/centimeters) and blunt end scissors. Please bring in these items so we can ship them to children in need.



LAMB Offering to date \$64.02

INVOICES

Invoices were sent home last week for those with outstanding fees. If you have not already done so, please remit your balance now. *Thank you!*



5-6 YOUNG AUTHORS Friday, February 12 - 9:00am

Grades 5 & 6 will go to Southeast for "Young Authors" **tomorrow**. They will meet Indiana author Hannah Stahlhut who wrote "Journey to the Homeland" and other books in the "Keegan's Journey" series.



VALENTINE PARTIES February 11 & 12

K-8 Valentine Parties will be held **tomorrow** at 1:30pm unless otherwise announced by your child's teacher.

If your child chooses to bring valentines, they must bring one for each classmate. Please have them write only their name.



We thank our room mothers and parents for preparing games, crafts, treats, etc.



Please remember—NO peanut butter or peanut ingredients of any kind should be brought to school at any time. *Thank you!*

FIRST ANNUAL CHILI COOK-OFF Friday, February 12 - 6:00pm

Everyone is invited for supper **tomorrow** at 6:00pm in the Gym. For only \$5 you can eat and vote for your favorite chili.



Drinks, hot dogs and chips will be supplied for those who do not eat chili.



Proceeds benefit our School & Evangelism ministries.

ALL PRO DAD Saturday, February 13 - 8:00am

Dads and kids—boys and girls—it's almost time for All Pro Dad. Meet in the Gym **this Saturday** at 8:00am. Fathers meet with their kids and other Dads and kids to strengthen their relationships. Please RSVP to Terry Bultemeier at 728-4833 or the church at 724-7177.



RECYCLING Saturday, February 13 - 9-12

Recycling has been rescheduled for **this Saturday** from **9am-noon** in the parking lot weather permitting. The following 5th/6th grade students are scheduled to work and haul papers and cans:



Jesse Mendez
Alexyss Norby
Rebekah Phifer
Jon Sweney
Blake Thomas
Cole Walchle

Parents—please bring a truck, trailer, van or SUV and a tarp to make recycling more efficient.

Proceeds benefit the 2012 class trip to Washington, D.C.

PULSE PRAISE & WORSHIP!
Saturday, February 13 – 7:00pm



Join us for modern praise and worship **this Saturday at 7:00pm** in the sanctuary. *Let's make a joyful noise to the Lord!*

MAKE-UP DAY
Monday, February 15



School will be in session on **Monday, February 15**. It is our first make-up day this year.

PANCAKE & SAUSAGE SUPPER
Tuesday, February 16 - 6:00pm



Join us for the Shrove Tuesday Pancake and Sausage Supper on **Tuesday, February 16 at 6:00pm**.



Kids—Pastor Phil challenges you to join the “Pancake Races”. There will be cool prizes!

NWEA TESTING

NWEA results will be sent home with third-quarter midterms **next Wednesday, February 17**. *If you have questions, please contact your child's teacher.*

FATHER-SON HOCKEY NITE
Friday, February 19 - 6:30pm



Fathers & sons—come on out to Komets Hockey on **Friday, February 19**. We will meet at the church at **6:30pm** & carpool to Ft. Wayne for the 8:00pm game. We are trying to get a group rate, so contact Pastor Phil (701-7177 or pphifer@ziondecatour.com) ASAP with your intent to attend. Without the group rate, tickets for the upper deck will be \$10 Adults, \$8 Youth & Seniors and \$6 Children 12 & under.



OPEN HOUSE
Sunday, February 21 - 12-3pm

Do you know someone who is considering a change for their child's education? If so, invite them to our **Open House on Sunday, February 21 (12-3pm)**. It is open to the entire community—new and returning families—and is in conjunction with Northeast Indiana Lutheran Schools. P-8 classrooms will be open and teachers and Board of Education members will be on hand to answer questions. *See you there!*



ZION BASKETBALL



Congratulations to our Zion Lions for capturing Second Place in the “Our Savior Lutheran Tourney” in Lansing! They defeated OSL-Lansing 28-12, Holt Jr. Rams 37-23, but fell in the championship round to OSL-Grand Rapids 41-27.

Special thanks to **Mrs. Smith** and **Mr. Risch** for coming to cheer us on along with **Taylor, Emily, Angel, Lexy and Allison** for making signs & being our cheerleaders. It was fun and the boys appreciated it.

SCRIP UPDATE!

Get involved in the Scrip Program and have 75% of the contribution goes toward your child's Registration/Tuition. Scrip



cards are available at the School Office. Please remember the following guidelines:

Once orders are entered, scrip cards cannot be returned or cancelled. If a business closes, we cannot refund or exchange cards. If you buy scrip cards to pay existing bills, please call the business to be sure they will accept scrip cards for payment—some will NOT.



TIN CAPS READING PROGRAM
Now through April 2

The 2010 Tin Caps Reading Program will be underway shortly (as determined by each teacher). Each student who reaches their reading goal (established by their teacher) by April 2 will receive a free ticket to the Tin Caps game on Sunday, May 9 at 3:05pm.



HONOR STUDENTS

Congratulations to the following students on being named to the second quarter honor roll.

DISTINCTION

- Joel Harvey—grade 5
- Cole Walchle—grade 5
- Ben Fullenkamp—grade 6
- Natalie Busse—grade 8
- Lilly Endorf—grade 8

HIGH HONORS

- Brielle Adams—grade 5
- Tony Busse—grade 5
- Taylor Andrews—grade 6
- A.J. Bienz—grade 6
- Emily Gunsett—grade 6
- Grant Millington—grade 6
- Jeremy Razo—grade 6
- Zach Thomas—grade 6
- Sydney Williams—grade 6
- Adam Garner—grade 7
- Stephen Gage—grade 7
- Allyson Norby—grade 7

HONORS

- Saige Jauregui—grade 5
- Jon Sweney—grade 5