

God's Word is our Great Heritage



Cougar Chronicle

January 18, 2012

Upcoming Events:

Sat Jan 21

10:00 am

Basketball A team
vs. Sleepy Eye

Sun Jan 22

8 & 10:30 am

Worship

9:15 am Sunday
School

Mon Jan 23

4:15 pm Basketball
vs. Coyotes

Wed Jan 25

8:20 am Chapel

Sat Jan 28

10:00 am

Basketball at
Belview vs. Echo

Birthdays this month!!

Anna Rubendall-4

Austin Rubendall-4



Basketball Schedule Change: There will not be two games this Saturday, January 21st. Sleepy Eye only has enough players for one team, so just our A team will play. **The B team does not have a game.** The cheerleaders do not plan to cheer for the game and we will not have a concession stand. *Kayla MacArthur is signed up to do scorebook. We still need someone to run the clock and someone for clean-up.

Spelling Bee: Samuel Lutheran will be having its second annual school-wide spelling bee. Grades 5-8 will be held on Monday, January 23rd and grades 1-4 will be on Tuesday, January 24th. The time for both will be 1:00 PM. Class spelling bees will be held previous to those dates and two students from each class will be selected from each class to participate in the school spelling bee. The winner of the 5-8 school bee will represent Samuel in the regional spelling bee in Redwood Falls on February 14th. Study words have been sent home with the students. We hope that everyone will take some time to study and make our spelling bee a fun and challenging experience. Parents are invited to attend the January 23rd and 24th events. If you have any questions contact your child's teacher or Mrs. Zander. Have fun spelling!

Samuel Grades 3-8 Host Coffee Hour: Families from grades 3-8 are scheduled to host the next coffee hour on January 29th after early service. We need to provide 10-12 dozen treats and 2 gallons of juice. We also need volunteers to set up and make coffee as well as help serve and clean up. If you are willing to help, please email or call the office.

Basketball: The Cougars host the Coyotes on Monday, January 23rd. The B-team plays at 4:15 and the A-team at 5:15. Parents signed up to work that day are:

Concessions (B game) - Amanda Berg and Julie Lyons

Concessions (A game) - Melanie Werner and Donna Wendorff

Scorebook (B game) - **No one**

Scorebook (A game) - Jennifer Danielson

Clock (B game) - Tanya Blanchette

Clock (A game) - Tanya Blanchette

Clean up - Debbie Evens and Laurie Schultz.

Every basketball and cheerleader family should have signed up at least three times to work for home basketball games. **There are still families who have not signed up to work.** The sign up sheet is posted at home basketball games and attached with today's Cougar Chronicle. If you are able to work one of the open time slots, please fill in your name or email the office.

**Also a reminder that for safety reasons children are not allowed behind the concession stand with you when you work.*

Singing Schedule: Students in Kindergarten through eighth grade will be singing on Sunday, January 29th in the late service as we celebrate Mission Festival. Plan on staying for the potluck dinner which will follow the 10:30 AM service. Please bring a generous dish or two to pass.

PTF Meeting: There will be a meeting of the PTF (Parent, Teacher, and Friends of Samuel) on Monday, January 30th at 6:30 PM.

Penny Wars: Start saving your pennies and other change. PTF is organizing a fun event to help raise money for the playground. Information is included with today's Cougar Chronicle.

MailChimp: This is a professional email communication tool that Christ Church and Samuel school are making use of as a way of communicating to our families. We feel this will be a great tool in our technological society. We need every church and school family to sign up now. It's easy, all you have to do is go to the home page of the church/school website, www.christlutheran-marshallmn.org and click the join our mailing list on the left hand side of the page. Even if you receive the Cougar Chronicle via email, you still need to go in and join our mailing list since in the future we will be using this service to design and send the Cougar Chronicle. This is a safe and secure site that many schools and businesses use. (Our own church body, the Wisconsin Synod, uses this means of communication.) Please take a minute now to sign up. Thank you.

Snow Removal: We need people to volunteer to take a week or two to remove the snow from school. There are shovels and a blower at school. Please sign up on the sheet by the bulletin board at church.