

# Christ's Love Calls Us - Share the Message



## Cougar Chronicle

October 27, 2010

### Upcoming Events:

Thur Oct 28  
3:30-8:30 pm  
Parent-Teacher  
Conferences

Fri Oct 29  
8:30-12:00 pm  
No School -  
Parent-Teacher  
Conferences

Sun Oct 31  
8 & 10:30 am  
Worship

Sun Oct 31  
9:15 am  
Sunday School

Sun Oct 31  
2:30 pm  
Reformation Rally  
at MLC

Thur Nov 4  
Flu Shot Clinic

Thur Nov 4  
7 pm Board of Ed

### Birthdays this month!!



Mrs. Zander - 3  
Cele Finlo - 4  
Mr. Festerling - 4  
Alex Heil - 15  
Spencer Rosburg - 24  
Mrs. MacArthur - 28  
Pastor Schreiner - 29  
Matthew Onken - 30

**Conferences:** There will be no school on Friday, October 29th. Parent-Teacher conferences will be held Thursday evening, October 28th from 3:30-8:30 and Friday, October 29th from 8:30-12:00 PM. A note was sent home yesterday for you to return indicating your time preferences. Please return the form by Monday, October 25th. Appointment times will be sent home next week.

**MVL Tournament Pictures:** Check out the photo galleries on the school website for pictures from the MVL Volleyball tournament. A big thank you to Mr. Steve Bartz for being the team photographer that day!

**Reformation:** The celebration of our Reformation heritage will take place next Sunday, October 31<sup>st</sup> at MLC in New Ulm at 2:30 PM. Minnesota District President Charles Degner will be preaching at this service. Music will be provided by the MLC College Choir. Following the service, the WELS Kingdom Workers will host a program updating their ministry and a meal in the MLC cafeteria.

**Red Hat Granny Readers:** The Red Hat Granny Readers will be coming to our school on Monday, November 8<sup>th</sup> to present to the PreKindergarten through the 5<sup>th</sup> grade. This is a group of retired school teachers who enjoy reading! These six women are from Wabasso, Vesta, and Lucan. November 8 – 12<sup>th</sup> is National Young Readers Week so it will coincide with that.

**Harvest Festival:** The PTF Harvest Festival will be held Friday, November 12th from 6:30-8:30 PM. This year we are asking that each family bring a bag of candy or some kind of a item such as a pencil, bookmarker, erasers (about 25 pieces) etc. that can be then passed out to all of the children that are attending the Harvest Festival. If you have small pumpkins or gourds you could donate that be appreciated as well. Please drop off at school by November 10th. If you are willing to donate cakes, pies or cupcakes in a disposable container please sign up at church or school. Baked items can be brought to school the day of Harvest Festival. Put your creative minds together and donate a gift basket to be purchased at our silent auction held during Harvest Festival. All proceeds will go towards our PTF fund. Suggested basket ideas: date night, babysitting service, yard work/snow removal, hair products, baby products, goodie basket, Mary Kay etc... Any questions, please feel free to call Becky Swanson 532-2324 or Hannah Prahl 337-0785. Please have your basket dropped off at school by November 10th.

**Flu Shot Clinic:** Public Health Services will be at our school on Thursday, November 4th at 8:30 AM to provide 2010-2011 Seasonal Flu vaccinations free of charge for any students who have returned a consent form. Pre-K students will need to be accompanied by a parent.

**Children's Challenging Behaviors:** Are you concerned about your child's behavior? Are you looking for resources and information? Are you curious what behavior is "typical" and what isn't? The Minnesota Department of Health is sponsoring a training by NAMI (National Alliance of Mental Illness) called *Children's Challenging Behavior* on Saturday, October 30th from 9-4 PM at Western Community Action in Marshall. Raising a child or adolescent with challenging behaviors can be difficult. If you would like to get together with other parents and learn five essential tasks to build confidence in our skills including new parenting strategies, ideas for support, self-care and advocacy please call 651-645-2948, ext. 102 to register. This workshop is free of charge and lunch will be provided.