



Cougar Chronicle

September 11, 2013

Christ is the Center of our Education

Upcoming Events:

Sat Sept 14
Volleyball at
Redwood

Sun Sept 15
8 & 10:30 am
Worship
9:15 am Sunday
School

Mon Sept 16
School Pictures
4:00 pm Volleyball
at Lynd

Wed Sept 18
8:20 am Chapel

Kick-It Cancer Kickball: Mrs. MacArthur's room will participate in a fun and fellowship day playing kickball at Redwood Falls on Friday, September 20. This is not just any ordinary day of kickball. St. John's of Redwood Falls is sponsoring this event to raise money for childhood cancer research. We have enough drivers for the day but could use a few more parents to ride along to help with the games. If you would be willing to help with activities that day, let us know. Call 532-2162. Also a reminder to turn in pledge forms by Thursday, September 19th.

And The Winner Is... Every year the Kindergarten class has a contest for Open House. This year it was the dreaded "Kindergarten Kernel 'Kontest'". How many kernels were on that cob of corn? There were many guesses. The kernels were counted by the Kindergarten class. We found out there were 638 kernels on that cob of corn! That's a lot of counting when you are in Kindergarten. The winner of this year's contest is---Mrs. Melanie Werner---with a guess of 608. WOW! Good guessing by everyone. Thanks to all who participated!

Volleyball: The Cougar volleyball team will travel to Redwood Falls this Saturday for their annual "fun" tournament. Our first game is at 9:00 AM. Players should arrive at **8:30 AM**. The tournament is held at the Redwood Valley High School. A schedule and map is available on our website under *Latest News*.

School Pictures: School pictures will be taken on Monday, September 16th. Pre-K 1st year students who do not attend on Mondays will have their pictures taken on Tuesday, October 22nd. Picture forms for individual pictures and the all-school picture were sent home last week. Extra picture forms are available at the office.

Birthdays this month!!



Katherine PrahI-19
Rebekah Swanson-
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Volleyball Pictures: Volleyball pictures will be taken on Monday, September 16th following the school pictures.

PTF: The first PTF (Parents, Teachers, and Friends) meeting will take place Monday, September 23rd at 6:30 PM. The purpose of the PTF is to support and promote Samuel Lutheran School. All parents, teachers and friends of Samuel are invited and encouraged to attend and become members. Volunteers are still needed in a few areas. First, a vice president is still needed for this school year. Secondly, volunteers and a chairperson are still needed for the float in the SMSU Homecoming parade which will be held on Saturday, October 5th. Committee members for the float as well as the Harvest Fest committee need to decide on a proposed budget and bring their request for funds to this PTF meeting. If you have not already done so we ask that every family signs up to work for two events. This is a great way to meet other parents and take pride in your child's school. If you have any questions please call Lori Biastock at 828-6607.

Lunch Menu: If you would like to know what your student is having for lunch you will find a lunch menu on our website - www.christlutheran-marshallmn.org. Click on Samuel Lutheran School to get to the school page. Once you are there click on lunch menu on the left side of the page.

Gift Cards: Just a reminder that we have Hy-Vee, County Fair, Burger King, and Subway cards available for purchase in the office. Our school receives a percentage of all cards sold. You can either send a check with your student indicating which cards you would like to purchase and cards will be sent home with them or stop in the office and buy them from Mrs. Onken. Checks should be made payable to Samuel PTF.