



Cougar Chronicle

January 8, 2020

Upcoming Events:

Thur Jan 9
4:15 pm Basketball
vs. Redwood

Sat Jan 11
10:00 am
Basketball vs. St. James
11:00 am Walking
Taco Meal

Sun Jan 12
8 & 10:30 am
Worship
9:15 am Sunday
School
1:00 pm Pioneers

Tues Jan 14
1:00 pm Grades 5-8
Spelling Bee

Wed Jan 15
8:30 am Chapel
1:00 pm Grades 1-4
Spelling Bee



January Birthdays

Anna Rubendall-4
Austin Rubendall-4
Elise Kobylinski-5
Myra Kobylinski-5
Ryker Hoflock-13
Averianna Timm-17
Julia Prah-18
Jaden Lyons-19
Miss Zander-27
Joleigh Kesteloot-29

Spirit Day on Friday: We will be having a Spirit Day on Friday. Remember to wear your Cougar blue and white!

Singing on Sunday: Grades 3-8 will sing in the 8:00 service this Sunday, January 12. We will meet in the basement at 7:45.

Snow Day Make Up: Monday, February 17 will be a make up day for the snow day we had in November. Please note that we will be having school that day and that buses will run accordingly as MPS also has this day as a make-up day.

Walking Taco Meal: The PTF invites you to a Walking Taco Meal on Saturday in the cafeteria at school from 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM during our basketball games which start at 10:00 AM and 11:00 AM. We are suggesting a donation of \$6.00 per meal and \$4.00 per taco bag. Proceeds will go towards a playset for the preschool.

Basketball/Cheerleader Parent Sign Up: The updated sign up sheet will be emailed with the Cougar Chronicle today. There are only three remaining time slots which are highlighted in yellow. Thank you all for your quick responses last week to get most of these filled. If you can work any of the open spots please email Mrs. Onken.

Basketball: The Cougars host Redwood Falls and St. James this week.
Worker schedule for both games:

Redwood Falls on Thursday: B team girls at 4:15, B team boys at 5:15, A team at 6:15.
Concessions (B girls game) - Renee Manian and Jon Wolff
Concessions (B boys game) - Megan Konold and Michelle Lee
Concessions (A game) - Kristi Kennedy and Lori Schultz
Scorebook (B girls game) - Michelle Lee (B boys and A game) Craig Heil
Clock (B girls game) - Wendy Rubendall (B boys and A game) Kristin Heil
Cleanup - Jon & Stacy Wolff

St. James on Saturday: B team at 10:00, A team at 11:00.
Concessions (B game) - Kristin Hoppe and Megan Konold
Concessions (A game) - Heather Fischer and Kristi Kennedy
Scorebook (B & A game) - Craig Heil Clock (B & A game) - Kristin Heil
Cleanup - Mike Timm & Travis Fischer

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

Spelling Bee: Samuel Lutheran will be having its annual school-wide spelling bee. Grades 5-8 will be held on Tuesday, January 14th and grades 1-4 will be on Wednesday, January 15th. 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. 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 14th and 15th events. If you have any questions contact your child's teacher. Have fun spelling!

Pioneers: The Pioneers will meet at Samuel on Sunday from 1-3 PM.

MVL Basketball Schedule: Please see below for the schedule of games on Saturday, January 18th at MVL.
Samuel is in charge of Hall Monitoring - making sure people are not messing around in the halls.

9:00 am A team Arlington and St. James
10:00 am A team Hutchinson and Marshall
11:00 am B team St. James and Hutchinson
12:00 pm B team Marshall and Arlington
1:00 pm A team Arlington and Marshall
2:00 pm A team St. James and Hutchinson

Recycle Beyond the Bag: Hy-Vee and Lyon County have joined forces to challenge area schools to Recycle Beyond the Bag. This program challenges area schools to recycle plastic shopping bags and plastic film not only from their school environment but also from school children's home. We all want to do something for the environment but we sometimes are not sure what we can do. This challenge will help families understand that beyond the recycling curbside cart and the community recycling drop sites, there is more that we can do to recycle unwanted items. Samuel has signed up to participate in this challenge. Please see the attached document for more of an explanation of the program as well as what you can bring in to recycle in the bins. The recycling bins will be located in each entry way at school.

No School on January 20: There will be no school on Monday, January 20th. The faculty is attending a meeting at MLC in New Ulm for a science curriculum study.

ECC Open on January 20: The child care center will be open on Monday, January 20th for those that need our services. In order to better staff the center please let Sarah Zander know if you will be attending. The center will be open from 7:30am to 5:30pm. Please provide a sack lunch for your child. Email Miss Zander at szander@christlutheran-marshallmn.org