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HAPPENINGS

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The mission of Emmaus Lutheran School is to provide a program of academic excellence which encourages and prepares the student for a full productive lifelong commitment to the Christian faith, to service, to learning and to problem solving in a changing diverse world and to make serious faith decisions in the face of its many challenges and opportunities.

2012 Emmaus Calendar



An order form for Emmaus Calendars has been sent home. Calendars are \$20 and 8" X 10" photos of each class are \$10. Students will use these to sell calendars. Remember, the profit from each calendar will go directly to that student's classroom. The classroom selling the most calendars per student will receive an extra \$100 for their classroom. All orders must be received by November 11. The leading class is the first grade with \$110 in sales!

Choir Sunday



All students, including pre-school and pre-kindergarten, will be singing at the 9:00 AM service at Emmaus Lutheran Church on Sunday, November 13. All students are invited to join us. There will a special Thanksgiving craft project during Sunday school following worship. Parents are welcome to join their children for the craft project or attend one of our two Bible studies.

On Time, Ready to Learn!



This school year has seen a new procedure used for students who are tardy to school. Students now stop in the office to get a pass before they go to their classroom. The hope was that this would cut down on the number of tardies. The result so far has not been as positive as expected. Being on time allows our students to get the most out of the school day. It also helps them get into the habit of being on time which will be very beneficial to them in their future education and careers. Please make every attempt to have your child at school by 8:10 AM so that they are ready to learn at 8:15 AM. Thanks for your cooperation!

Ms. Martin

Character Studio of Acting



Theater classes for students in second through eighth grade will be offered at Emmaus on Tuesdays or Wednesdays. An informational flier went home with the students on Wednesday.

It's Getting to Be That Time!

We are drawing closer to winter weather every day. While every effort is made not to cancel or delay school, it is still sometimes necessary. This year, every parent should be contacted through the SchoolReach system if school is cancelled or delayed. If you are not sure your name and number is in the SchoolReach system, please contact Mr. Martin. In addition, announcements will still be made on television and radio stations. Listen for the call for "Emmaus Lutheran School." All parents are reminded that if school is cancelled, make-up days will be added at the end of the school year.



Thanksgiving Feast

This year's Thanksgiving Feast is on Friday, November 18. The Feast is for our students and the older, wiser members of our congregation. It is our small way of thanking them for their continued support of our school. Unfortunately, we are unable to serve additional people on that day. We do need your help with the desserts on that day and are asking the following grades to donate: **PS – homemade cupcakes, PK – brownies, Kdg – homemade cookies, grade 1– pies, and grade 2 - pumpkin bars or other Holiday themed desserts.**



It's About Family

When members of the family need help and support, you do just that, help and support. Please keep Sarah and her family in your prayers. Prayers are heard by our loving God and are powerful indeed. There are other ways that we can help as well. Meals are needed on Tuesday and Thursdays. There is a sign-up sheet in the office if you would like to provide the family with a meal. If you would like to do so but do not have the time to make and deliver a meal, one of our school moms is willing to do so for \$20 per meal. For more information, please contact Mrs. Smith or Mr. Martin.



Junior High Youth Group

Sixth through eighth grade students and friends are invited to "Movie Night" from 6-9 PM on Friday, November 11. Please bring a snack and a beverage. For more information, please contact Miss Martin. Be sure to visit us on facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/EmmausYouthGroup>.



High School Youth Group

High school students and friends are invited to "Movie Night" from 6-9 PM on Friday, November 18. Please bring a snack and beverage. For more information, please contact Miss Martin. Be sure to visit us on facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/EmmausYouthGroup>.

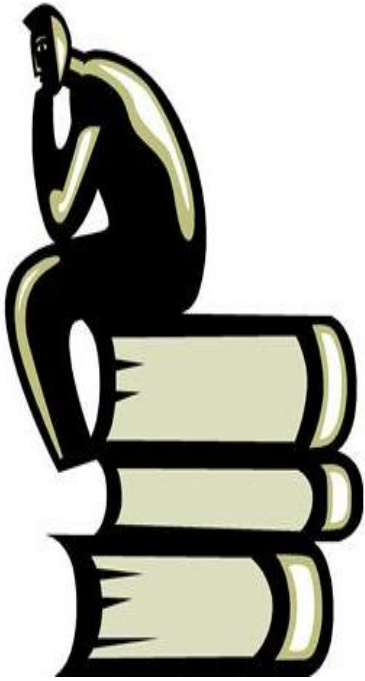
Need a Car!?!

For each car sold to any Emmaus families and friends, Preferred Auto will donate \$ 150 to the school. All funds donated to Emmaus will be used by the school for classroom supplies for our teachers and our students! To qualify for this donation, mention Emmaus at the time of your purchase and ask for Rob Goodman, Managing Partner. Make sure to mention Emmaus and our school will receive \$150 per car sold. So tell your family, friends & neighbors. Help support Emmaus! This is only good at the Illinois Road Store.



Congratulations!

Every student listed below is commended for using their God-given talents and abilities and achieving academic excellence. Every student is encouraged to do the same in the second academic quarter.



HONOR ROLL STUDENTS

Sierra Detwiler, Grade 8
Abby Moore, Grade 8
Meghan Helgeson, Grade 7
Grace Lunz, Grade 7
Abby Minger, Grade 7
Moorea Reiskytl, Grade 7

Caroline Bussick, Grade 6
Micayla Schmidt, Grade 6
Chase Deetz, Grade 5
Justin Morken, Grade 5
MaryBeth Shearer, Grade 5

HONORABLE MENTION STUDENTS

Emma Brinneman, Grade 8
Kylee Calloway, Grade 8
Jessica Gamble, Grade 8
Aaron Arora, Grade 7
Michael Bankemper, Grade 7

Makenna Behny, Grade 6
Atticus Bennett, Grade 6
Bailey Ortiz, Grade 6
Quenton Scott, Grade 5

CHAPEL OFFERING for the months of November and December will be used to help seminary families from Concordia Theological Seminary right here in Fort Wayne with Christmas gifts. Our gifts will be used to purchase gift cards through our SCRIP program to send to the seminary to be distributed to the families for Christmas. Along with our chapel offering in November, we will be collecting non-perishable food items and cleaning products for the seminary food co-op. Each room will have a box to collect the items and these items will be brought to chapel on Wednesday mornings for collection. Thank you for all of your support in helping these future ministers and their families.



TRUNK OR TREAT NEWS: Thank you to all who decorated trunks, there were 20 in all. In just a few short hours we welcomed over 350 people to our event. Over 140 of those people were visiting from the community. What a great joy to be able to reach out to so many people in our local community and share Emmaus with them. We would like to extend a HUGE thank you to all who made the event an extra special evening by volunteering their time and also those who came just to enjoy the night. It was a great time had by all!! Thanks Again!

BROWNIE & JUNIOR GIRL SCOUTS will meet Friday, November 4th in the library.

MARKET DAY NEWS Thank you for your Market Day order this month! We're looking forward to seeing you when you pick up your order on Tues., Nov. 8th between 6 and 7 p.m. You can find us in the cafeteria by using the back doors. If you have any questions please contact Lisa Terrell @ 710-1949. Thank you for your continued support!

LOOKING FOR A DIFFERENT STOCKING STUFFER? Starting next week (November 7) Lego clubs will start to sell **colored smencils** (each of the 10 flavors are a different color: orange/orange, grape/purple, very berry/dark blue, watermelon/green, cotton candy/light blue, bubble gum/ pink, root beer/ brown, cinnamon/ red, tropical blast/ yellow, and black cherry/ black) for \$1 a piece. We will also (until supplies run out) sell **holiday smens and smencils**. Both holiday smens and smencils come in the same scents (Smens are \$2 for one and Smencils are \$1 for one). Those 5 scents are: Cinna-what?!, candy cane, holiday cheer, gingerbread, and sugar plum. The holiday Smens are retractable pens! I also have some original smens (\$2) and smencils (\$1) left from our spring sale (see Mrs.

Durlacher for what scents are available in those). If you would like to order before November 7, please e-mail Mrs. Durlacher at: sdurlacher@emmauslutheranfw.org. To buy: you can purchase them directly from Mrs. Durlacher before school (parents only on after school purchases please!) or by e-mailing her. Thank you for your support! Money from the sale of these wonderful writing utensils will go to help purchase upgrades for both clubs.



LEGO JUNIORS & ROBOTICS will meet Thursday, November 10th in Mrs. Durlacher's room and the Art/Science Room.

BUZZ BOOKS HAVE ARRIVED For those families who completed the buzz book form at registration will receive their books today. Ask your child for your copy (one per family).

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY IDEAS WANTED ~ The Board of Christian Education is wanting new ideas and programs that we can put into place here at Emmaus. If interested, please meet us for coffee at Mocha Lounge (on Covington Rd) on Sunday, November 6th at 2 p.m. to brainstorm where our children's ministry is going to take Emmaus next.

DAISEY GIRL SCOUTS will meet Saturday, November 12th from 10-11:30 a.m. at Emmaus School in the Art/Science Room. Please join us for a great and fun filled year.

VISION RECHECK The nurses will do vision rechecks on Wednesday, November 15th to students who did not fare too well in the first screening and check those students who were also ill. Only students in grades 1, 3, 5, 8 and new students will have this screening. If your child wears glasses or contacts, please be sure they have them on that day.

BOX TOPS & LABELS FOR EDUCATION Collecting Box Tops and Labels for Education just got easier! If you have a Scott's/Kroger card, and register it online, Emmaus will automatically get credit for Box Top and/or Labels for Education products purchased electronically. The points will automatically get deposited into the school's account(s). You may also continue to cut out and turn in labels and Box Tops to Emmaus for additional credit. The web sites are: rewardyourschool.com (for Box Tops) and elabelsforeducation.com (for Labels for Education). Registration is fast and easy!



PICK-UP VOLLEYBALL FOR HIGH SCHOOL AGE TO ADULTS Do you like to play volleyball? We are starting pick-up volleyball here at Emmaus. The volleyball will be on Sunday afternoons from 2-4 and whoever comes plays. No teams needed. If you have any questions, please call Erin Schoof at 409-0454 or Melissa Greener at 449-0311. Come join us for exercise, fun, but most importantly Christian fellowship.

FREE "Make a joyful noise unto the Lord!" First come, first served. "Miss Dawn" Cuellar (Extended Care) has an Baldwin Encore organ for free. Please contact her at 410-5552 or see her in morning or afternoon care in the cafeteria.



**Women's Guild Christmas Sale
Emmaus Lutheran Church & School
8626 Covington Road
Saturday, November 12, 2011
9:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.**

Booths Include: Country Store (baked goods, canned goods); Rada Cutlery; Used Books; Gold Canyon Candles; Thirty-One Gifts; Embroidered Sweatshirts & Shirts; Handcrafted Wood Items; Beaded Crosses & Key Chains; Kitchen Accessories; Photo Frames; Fun Pockets; Wooden Walking Canes; Paper Flowers; Embellished Headbands; Fashionable Hairclips & Pins; Wreaths; A Variety of Crocheted Items: Blankets, Purses, Necklaces, Leg Warmers, Hats, Scarves, Baby Items, Hot Pads, and Towels; Mary Kay Cosmetics; Tapestry & Quilted Purses & Accessories; Outdoor Wooden Benches; Decorative Christmas Items; Variety of Quilted Items: Purses, Totes, Clutch Bags, Crock

Pot Carriers, Bowling Shoe & Ball Covers; Ornaments; Jewelry; . . . and much, much more (vendors are still signing up)!!

Concessions: A variety of concessions will be available during the Christmas Sale.

Come and do some early Christmas shopping and support Emmaus Lutheran Church & School! Proceeds from this event are used to help with various expenses for our church and school.

BIRTHDAYS

- Alec Pieper, gr. 6 - Sunday, November 6th
- Braeten Scott, gr. 7 - Monday, November 7th
- Marin Flora, pre-k/dg - Monday, November 7th
- Abby Moore, gr. 8 - Tuesday, November 8th
- JinJin Kennedy, gr. 7 - Thursday, November 10th



CHEERLEADING

- Monday, November 7th - practice 3:30-4:30 p.m.
- Wednesday, November 9th - practice 3:30-4:30 p.m.

VARSITY BOYS BASKETBALL



- Monday, November 7th - practice 6:30-8:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, November 9th - practice 6:30-8:00 p.m.
- Thursday, November 10th - practice 6:30-8:00 p.m.

JV BOYS BASKETBALL

- Tuesday, November 8th - practice 5:00-6:30 p.m.
- Thursday, November 10th - practice 5:00-6:30 p.m.



VARSITY GIRLS BASKETBALL

- Monday, November 7th - practice 3:30-5:00 p.m.
- Tuesday, November 8th - practice 3:30-5:00 p.m.
- Thursday, November 10th - practice 3:30-5:00 p.m.

JV GIRLS BASKETBALL

- Monday, November 7th - practice 3:30-5:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, November 9th - practice 3:30-5:00 p.m.
- Thursday, November 10th - practice 3:30-5:00 p.m.

All basketball players must have a sports physical on file and their \$40 basketball fee paid before first game. Physical forms are available in the school office should you need one.

LUNCH MENU

Mon, Nov. 7 th	Tues, Nov. 8 th	Wed, Nov. 9 th	Thurs, Nov. 10 th	Fri, Nov. 11 th
Lasagna	Meatloaf	Chicken Tetrazzini	Nachos	Mac/Cheese w ham
Vegetable	Mash Pot/Gravy	Vegetable	Refried Beans	Vegetable
Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Vegetable	Fruit
Bread stick	Roll	Jell-o	Fruit	Muffin