

# Laker News and Notes

St. Peter's Lutheran School  
Fond du Lac, Wisconsin

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*"God is the strength  
of my heart & my  
portion forever."  
(Psalm 73:26)*

**Mission Offering:** Our second semester mission project is the Costa Maya Ministries. Our total for the semester so far is \$541.00.

## Lunch Menu February 22-26

Monday	Macaroni & Cheese
Tuesday	Hard or Soft Shell Tacos
Wednesday	Tater Tot Hot Dish
Thursday	Chili or Taco Soup
Friday	Chicken Patty Sandwich

**Forensics:** Forensics is open to all students in grades 5-8. Please have your child sign up with their teacher ASAP. If you would like more information about forensics before you sign up, please email Mrs. Roecker at [robertaroecker@stpetersfdl.net](mailto:robertaroecker@stpetersfdl.net). Details with meets are still being worked on and more information will be provided once it becomes available.

**Cheer & Basketball Uniforms:** After this season is done, please return your cheer and basketball uniforms to Mr. Manske.

**3:30pm Lent Services:** If you are planning on attending the 3:30pm Lent service with your children, we will keep those staying for church in the classrooms until 3:15. You may make plans to meet them in the narthex after 3:15. Please do not send your child to the service alone – make plans for them to go with another family if you can't be there by 3:30. Any child without a parent picking up prior to the 3:30 service will be assumed to be going to after school care.

**Hot Lunch News:** Thank you to all who filled out our survey, and thank you for your comments. If you would like more details on our reasons for exiting the federal program, please email [pamzuberbier@stpetersfdl.net](mailto:pamzuberbier@stpetersfdl.net), and Pam will forward a document to you. Results of the survey

showed overwhelming support to get out of the federal program, and so we will be independent starting in the 2021-2022 school year. The tentative price for a student lunch will be \$3.10, however, the final lunch price will be determined in June after financials for the 2020-2021 school year are in.

The biggest concern about exiting the federal program was with students not having financial aid available for lunch. There will be a fund available to those who apply for help. For those who wish to donate to this fund, it will be advertised in church and in school News and Notes that Hot Lunch for one student for all of next year will cost about \$525.00, and one month about \$62.00. Notice that this fund will be independent of the lunch cost.

**Help Needed:** Are you looking for a new opportunity? How about a chance to interact with the children of our school? The School Board is looking to hire two individuals to assist in our Before and After School Care Program. There will be flexibility offered for these positions regarding the particular days and hours available. The program runs from approximately 7:00am–8:00am and 3:00pm–5:30pm Monday through Friday during the school year. If you are interested or have questions, please contact our School Board President, Chris Jerabek at [cjerabek07@gmail.com](mailto:cjerabek07@gmail.com).



**Yearbook Pictures:** It is time to start putting together the yearbook and we need pictures. If you have any sports pictures (teams or action shots) that you would like to share, please send them to Mrs. Hinds at [stefaniehinds@stpetersfdl.net](mailto:stefaniehinds@stpetersfdl.net). Deadline to submit them is February 23. Thank you!

**Volleyball Coaches Needed:** We are looking for a few parents to coach both A and B Team girls' volleyball. If interested in being considered to be a coach, please contact Carl Manske ASAP at carlmanske@stpetersfdl.net or 922-1160 ext. 408.

**SCRIP:** Kwik Trip is offering a 10% rebate through the month of February. Don't wait to stock up!

**FANG Reading Club:** Attached is a coupon for \$7 off an EatStreet.com order from select restaurants in the FDL are. The coupon is valid until February 28, 2021. One use per customer.

**Kindergarten Round-Up:** Our Kindergarteners for next school year are invited to join us on Friday, February 26 from 9:00 to 11:00am. If you know anyone who is looking for a school for next year, please invite them. Mrs. Mildebrandt has flyers available with more information.



**WALL A-Team Tournament:** Our A-Teams will compete in the last tournament of the season. Our boys first game is Friday at 4:00 in Oakfield against Faith. Our girls play in Lomira at 5:20 against Horicon. Guidelines and brackets have been sent home. Play hard and GOOOO Lakers!

**School Calendar/Tuition Rates 2021-2022:** The tuition rates passed by the Board of Education and Church Council is attached. Please watch for more information regarding enrollment through TADS coming in March. Next year's school calendar is also attached.

## Calendar Reminders

### Friday, February 19

WALL A-Team Tournament

### Saturday, February 20

WALL A-Team Tournament

### Sunday, February 21

Worship 7:45 & 10:30am

Public School Confirmation Class 9:00am

Divine Call Meeting 11:30am

WALL A-Team Tournament

### Wednesday, February 24

Lent Services 3:30 & 6:30pm

### Thursday, February 25

Worship 6:30pm

### Friday, February 26

Kindergarten Round-Up 9:00-11:00am

## Preschool Happenings by Mrs. Westphal

### *Jesus Feeds the Hungry*

Our Bible lesson was “Jesus Feeds the 5,000” from Matthew 14:13-21. It is the only miracle found in all four gospels: Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John. Jesus not only taught the people, he also provided for their physical needs. He healed them and when they were hungry he gave them food to eat. We sang the song “Jesus Loves the Little Ones Like Me” reminding us that Jesus' love for us goes on day after day.

### *Presidents' Day and Week*

We listened to patriotic music and looked at books about America after snack. We found out that a mixture of vinegar and salt can make pennies shiny again. Books All About Coins were read as we looked closer at pennies and nickels. We also took a peek at dimes, quarters, and the buffalo nickel. 4K began learning “The Pledge of Allegiance” as other classrooms recite this every morning. Young Abraham Lincoln and George Washington were read.

### *Getting Ready for Reading*

Each day in 4K our reading readiness helps us prepare to be efficient readers in the future. Our moms and dads reading to us really helps, too!

Our goals this week were:

- \* Match patterns
- \* Practice sequence and descriptive words
- \* Sequence events
- \* Mark Xs using sequence words
- \* Listen to the storybook The Nightingale
- \* Mark Xs in the storybook

### *Using Numbers*

Each day in school we're learning the numbers by using them in various ways:

- \* We count days until an important event on our calendar.
- \* We count how many suns, clouds, or snowflakes we have on our weather graph and decide which has more, less, or the same.
- \* 4K counts how many days they've been in school by adding a number to our caterpillar on the wall.
- \* 4K gives the number from 1-12 as Mrs. Westphal points to it on our caterpillar.

\* We name and stand on numbers on the floor as we line up to go outside or into the gym.

\* We count how many napkins and glasses we will use on a given day.

\* We pick a number or letter on which to sit on the carpet.

\* 3K also focuses on certain numbers each week. This week we focused on the numbers 6, 7, and 8.

\* 3K used finger pencils, colored, and counted the numbers 7 and 8.

\* The 3-D book 8 Spinning Planets was listened to by 3K.

### *Chapel*

4K will attend chapel on Friday, February 19. Mission money will be collected for Costa Maya ministries in Mexico. Thank you for helping to spread the love of Jesus to the Mexican people.

### *Visiting Kindergarten*

4K will visit kindergarten next Friday, Feb. 26. Please send your child to school as always. We will still have center time, calendar and Bible lesson in the morning. Mrs. Mildebrandt has a fun morning prepared for them after that. They will come back to 4K to share their favorite part of the visit. Please remember to send a stuffed animal. They all are excited and have told me what animal they plan on bringing. Pick up will be as usual.