

WEEKLY WATCH
IMMANUEL LUTHERAN SCHOOL
HILLSIDE, ILLINOIS

“As For Me and My House, We Will Serve the Lord”

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WELCOME BACK! As we begin another school year in Jesus’ name, it is so very important that we keep an open line of communication between the school and home. That is one of the main reasons the **“Weekly Watch”** is published each week. We will be emailing the “Weekly Watch” to you each Friday. Please make sure that the office has your correct e-mail address as well as notifying them if it changes during the course of the year. Each week, one copy of the “watch” will be posted on the “For Your Info” bulletin board in the front hallway entrance. We hope that by you receiving this publication, we will be able to foster better communication between the school and home.

Our P.T.L. (Parent/Teacher League) meetings and special events are planned for the year. Please try to attend the meetings and activities scheduled. The first meeting being held is on Wednesday, September 8th at 5:30 P.M. There will be an Open House from 5:30-6:00 PM with a Pot Luck Dinner following at 6:00 PM.

OPEN HOUSE – PTL POTLUCK DINNER – WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH

The Open House will be from 5:30-6:00 pm. Dinner will follow in the school gym. PTL will supply the main dish and families of certain grade levels are to supply the following:

- PreK-K – desserts**
- 1st & 2nd – bread & rolls**
- 3rd & 4th – salads**
- 5th thru 8th – veggies & fruit**

This year’s PTL Board is Stacy Mitchell, LaDonna Tolefree, Carone Pierce, Gwendolyn Reese & Sabrina Harris. Advisory staff is Julie Bramos and Lana Hahn.

CHAPEL

Chapel services will be held every Wednesday at 8:45 AM (unless otherwise noted). The next service will be held on Wednesday, September 1st. Mr. Donn Hempel will lead us in worship with the theme being “Jesus is Forever, Trust Him.” Every week chapel envelopes will be given to each student. Offerings are designated Feed My Starving Children. For more information about FMSC, check them out at <http://www.fmssc.org>

PTL 4TH ANNUAL CAMPOUT – FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 17TH. ONLY \$10 PER FAMILY. THIS COST INCLUDES DINNER, SNACKS & BREAKFAST. BRING A TENT, SLEEPING BAGS & A FLASHLIGHT AND WE’LL DO THE REST! QUESTIONS? ASK JULIE BRAMOS OR STACY MITCHELL. SEE THE SIGN UP SHEET ATTACHED.



MARKET DAY

Our first Market Day pick up will be on Tuesday, August 31st from 3:00-4:00 PM. Market Day orders will be available once a month through June. Order forms were handed out at registration and due back this morning. If you have any questions, please call the school office.



NO SCHOOL MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH – LABOR DAY HOLIDAY

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TUITION PAYMENT REMINDER

All tuition payments go through Smart Tuition. If you receive monthly invoices for payment, the payments are due on the 1st of every month. After that day, a \$40 late fee is incurred. If you wish to avoid extra fees, you must make sure your mailed in payment is received on time. An alternative is to have a direct debit from your checking or savings account. You have three choices for dates of the 1th, 10th, or 20th of every month. If you wish to change your payment plan, please see Miss Carol in the school office.

FORMS....FORMS....FORMS!

If you did not turn in the forms that were given to you when you enrolled, you must come in to the school office and bring in the necessary paperwork. **ALL STUDENTS** must have emergency forms turned in; all students in PreK and Kindergarten need current physical forms on file; all students in Kindergarten must have an eye exam form on file; all students in PreK & Kindergarten must have a copy of their birth certificates on file.

FORGOTTEN LUNCHES- If your child forgets to bring their lunch, you will be called to bring a lunch to them. There is a "drop off" table in the front hall. Make sure you put the child's name on it. If you cannot be reached, your child will receive cereal and you will be charged.

From the Principal's Desk

Welcome to the new school year at Immanuel Lutheran School. We are pleased to have you with us. It is exciting to see the summer growth of returning students. We look forward to building new relationships with the children that are new to ILS. You will find that we are a family, united in Christ. Our theme for the school year is from Joshua 24:15 and is directed at our family—*As for me and my house, we will serve the LORD*. We live, love, and work together to grow closer to God.

Each week, you will find an article under the heading, "From the Principal's Desk." The topics will vary from parenting tips, educational strategies, news, and events. Please take the time to read it over (and the rest of the Weekly Watch). Feel free to call or e-mail me to discuss the articles.

Your family handbook is another great resource. Please make sure that you read it!

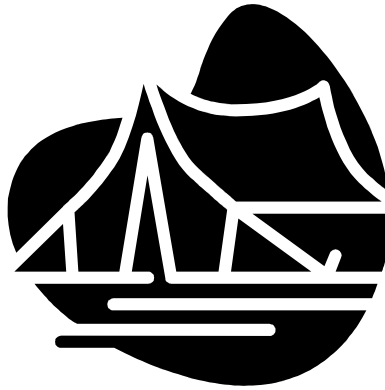
I welcome parents into my office; however, I do ask that you make appointments. An appointment will assure you of adequate time and attention. I look forward to getting to know parents as well as the students.

In Christ,
Lana J. Hahn

Please note: The uniform dress code does not allow for shorts. Our rooms are air conditioned and kept at a reasonable temperature. Also, belts are a must. Thanks for your cooperation with the uniform dress policy. The students look great!

In Christ,
Lana J. Hahn

It's Time for the 4th Annual
Cardinal Campout!!!



Where: Immanuel Lutheran School

When: September 17, 2010

Time: 5:00 PM

It's that time again, time for roasting hot dogs and marshmallows. Bring a tent, sleeping bags and a flashlight and we'll do the rest! For only \$10.00 per family we'll provide hot dogs, chips and drinks for dinner. S'mores and a bonfire will follow after dinner and a pancake breakfast in the morning. If it rains we will camp in the gym. Please fill out the attached sheet if you and your family would like to attend. All responses need to be turned in by September 10th for an accurate amount of food to be purchased. Please contact Julie Bramos at 708-562-5580 or Stacy Mitchell if you have any questions. We hope to see you there!!

Cardinal Campout Sign up Sheet

(_____) Yes, we will attend.

Family Name: _____

Number of People Attending: _____

Phone Number: _____

(_____) Yes, we would like to attend, but would need to borrow a tent.

Family Name: _____

Number of People Attending: _____

Phone Number: _____

(_____) We have a tent we would be willing to lend a tent.

Family Name: _____

Number of People Attending: _____

Phone Number: _____

* Please include \$10.00 payment with form. *

Cooking Club

Cooking club will take place once or twice a month lasting about an hour. It is open to students in grades 1st - 8th.

Each class will cost \$4.00. Money and permission slip must be present at the time of the class. A limited number of students will be allowed for each session it is recommended that you sign up early and pre-pay. This will hold your student's place.

Please pick up your student between 4:00 pm and 4:15pm. After this time your child will be sent to extended care and you will be responsible for the fee. If using extended care, charges will not start until after the club ends.

Payment can be given to Mrs. Bramos.

Dates and Cooking Activity

Tentative Dates

September 22nd Bee's Knees Banana Muffins

October 13th PB & J Squares

November 10th Giant Oak Cookies

December 9th Holiday Cheese Tarts

January 26th Choco Chip Mega Muffin

February 23rd Roly Poly PB-Chocolate Balls

March 9th Chocolate PB Chip Cookies

April 27th Tacos

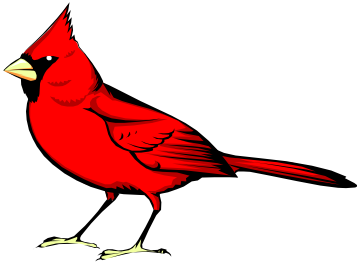
May 25th Cooking on a Can

This is an offer to pre-register and pre- pay for the different cooking activities.

Fill out the permission slip and check the box in front of the date(s) your child wishes to participate in. You will not need to fill out any permission slips for the events marked on this form. If your child wishes to participate in an activity and it is not marked on this form an individual permission slip will be sent home and must be returned with the money the day before the cooking activity.

By filling out this form and pre-paying, your child's place will be held for the events marked.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Sept. 22 nd Bee's Knees Banana Muffin | <input type="checkbox"/> Feb. 23 rd Roly Poly PB Choco Balls |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Oct. 13 th PB & J Squares | <input type="checkbox"/> Mar. 9 th Chocolate PB Chip Cookies |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Nov. 10 th Giant Oat Cookies | <input type="checkbox"/> April 27 th Tacos |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dec. 8 th Holiday Cheese Tarts | <input type="checkbox"/> May 26 th Cooking on a Can |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jan. 26 th Choco Chip Mega Muffin | |



FROM THE SPORTS DESK...

The Week That Was

WELCOME
BACK!!!

2010 – 2011
IS SHAPING UP TO BE
A VERY SPECIAL YEAR!!

The Week Upcoming

Monday, Aug. 30th – Girls V-Ball Practice

Tuesday, Aug. 31st – Girls V-Ball Practice

Wednesday, Sept. 1st – Day Off

Thursday, Sept. 2nd – Girls V-Ball Practice

Friday, Sept. 3rd – Girls V-Ball Practice

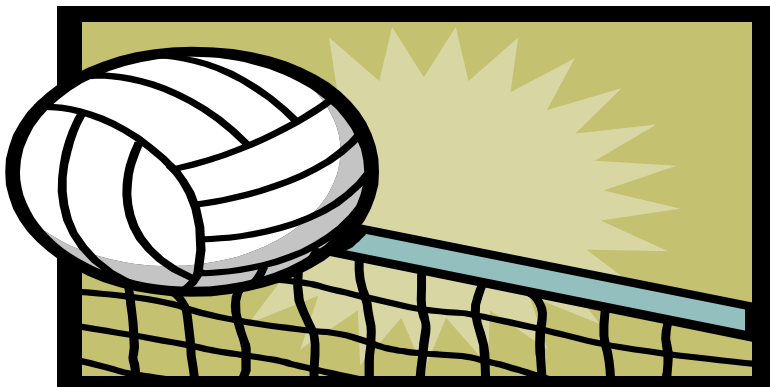
GIRLS VOLLEYBALL BEGINS....

MONDAY, AUGUST 30TH

All girls in 5th – 8th grade are invited.

All you need is shorts, a t-shirt, gym shoes, knee pads and
the desire to learn to play volleyball

SEE YOU THERE!!!!



Quote Of The
Week.....

If at first you don't
succeed, you are running
about average.