

WEEKLY WATCH
Immanuel Lutheran School
Hillside, Illinois

“Whatever You Do”

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NO SCHOOL - MONDAY, MAY 31ST - MEMORIAL DAY

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Thursday, June 3rd – 7th & 8th class trip

Friday, June 4th – 2:00 PM PreK Promotion

Monday, June 7th – Last day of school schedule:

8:15 AM chapel – awards presentations

Field days (weather permitting)

11:30 AM Early dismissal (no after care available)

7:00 PM Graduation – kindergarten & eighth grade
(in church)



IMMANUEL CHURCH is a balloon-free building! Please ask your friends & family to save the balloons for another time. No balloons will be allowed in the narthex or sanctuary. Questions? Please feel free to contact Mrs. Hahn.

CHAPEL - The next chapel service will be on Wednesday, June 2nd at 2:00 PM. Leading us in chapel will be Pastor Vratny. The theme will be “As I Grow as a Member of Christ’s Body, the Church.” Our offerings are designated to Heifer Project International. Individual classrooms may work toward chickens, cows, rabbits, pigs or even water buffalo.



READY FOR A VOYAGE OF A LIFETIME? It’s time to set sail on a High Seas Expedition. Immanuel’s Vacation Bible School will be held June 21-25 from 6:00 - 8:30 PM. At High Seas Expedition, kids will explore the mighty love of God on a journey that will change them forever! Mark your calendars & sign up to attend, or volunteer...and bring some friends! There’s plenty of room on the ship for everyone! It’ll be a BIG SPLASH! Any questions, email Alicia Blair at jarzblair@comcast.net or call the school office.

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MARKET DAY - This will be for our sale/pick up date of Tuesday, June 1st. This will be the last sale for this school year. **Time to stock up for the summer months ahead! Order online today before 11:00 AM!!!!**

PRE-K PROMOTION - FRIDAY, JUNE 4TH AT 2:00 PM.

Parents of preschoolers should meet in the school gym promptly at 2:00 PM. A brief ceremony will be held. Afterwards, your child may be taken home. All preschoolers are invited to return on Monday, June 7th for chapel, award presentation and field days. Dismissal that day will be at 11:30 AM.



RE-ENROLLMENT

Enrollment for the 2010-2011 school year began in January. If you have not yet completed the SMART Tuition form and submitted a check for \$100, please do so immediately to hold your child's place. If you have completed your 10 volunteer hours and have not turned in your card to receive credit, you may use that \$100 to go towards your child's reenrollment simply by returning your volunteer card & your Smart Tuition form.

A late enrollment fee will be charged July 1. Late enrollment during July will be \$150 (instead of \$100) and beginning August 1, the late enrollment fee will be \$200. We cannot adequately plan for the school year without knowing enrollment numbers. Enrollment affects the purchasing of books and contracting of teachers. If you have questions, please contact Mrs. Hahn.

TUITION PAYMENTS

Please remember that all families who are not current with tuition payments by the last day of school will have their child's report card held back. **IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PARENTS OF KINDERGARTNERS AND EIGHTH GRADERS:** Your child will not be allowed to participate in the graduation ceremonies on June 7th if tuition and any other fees are not paid in full. Please check now to make sure you are on track with your payments so that you won't have to pay a large amount all at once before the end of the school year.

JULY MAILING



A mailing in July will be mailed to your home with all the necessary paperwork needed for your child to attend Immanuel next year. This mailing will only be mailed to you if you have already re-enrolled by paying the \$100 fee and returning your Smart Tuition form.

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From the Principal’s Desk

The days of the 2009-2010 school year are quickly winding down. Students and staff are excited about the upcoming summer break. It is a time to slow down and rejuvenate.

Meanwhile, we have four full and one half day of school yet to go. There are still assignments to be completed and tests to take. Please take time to check with your child to make sure all assignments have been turned in, and that they are keeping up daily.

We also have some milestone events coming up! The 7th/8th grade class will be going to Chicago for the day on June 3rd. They have plans for a really full day of museums, theater, and fun. Also on June 3rd, Mr. Hempel will be taking qualifying choir students to Great America. On June 4th, the Pre-kindergarten will be promoted at 2:00 p.m. They will be doing a play about Jack and the Beanstalk for attendees. On Monday, June 7, we have a half day of school. We will begin the day with our final chapel service followed by awards. At 9:00 a.m., we will begin field day activities. We will return to classrooms at 11:20, distribute report cards, and at 11:30 dismiss for the school year. That evening at 7:00 p.m., both kindergarten and eighth will graduate.

Please remember that students must be in attendance during the school day to participate in after school activities. THIS INCLUDES GRADUATION!

In Christ,

Lana J. Hahn



Surveys

If you have not yet re-enrolled your child(ren) for the 2010-2011 school year, you will receive an Exit Survey on Tuesday.

Please take time to fill out the survey so that we can use the results to help improve our program.

Thanks to everyone that has participated in the many surveys for Accreditation. We appreciate your input.

NO HOT LUNCHES SERVED NEXT WEEK. BRING YOUR LUNCH TUES., WEDS., THURS., & FRI. PIZZA LUNCHES ARE OFFERED FOR FRIDAY JUNE 4TH. ORDER FORM & MONEY MUST BE IN BY WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2ND.

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**IMMANUEL
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CARDINALS FLY HIGH AT TRACK MEET!!!

On Tuesday, May 18th, the fifth through eighth graders traveled to River Forest to compete in the West Suburban Lutheran School Track Meet.

For the past four weeks they had been hard at work practicing and learning new skills under the watchful eyes of their coaches Mr. Kramer, Miss Ulrich and Coach John.

Then the day of the track meet came and it was time to show their talents. From the start of the meet the Cardinals came out flying and they never let down. This turned out to be one of the best track meets in school history. The athletes did a fantastic job with everyone bringing home an award.

Our top finishers were:

GIRLS 7TH & 8TH

Shana Nelson – 4th Place – 100 Meter Dash
Dratonyai Ratcliff – 5th Place – 200 Meter Dash
Shana Nelson, Fantasia Williams – 5th Place – 4x100 Meter Relay
Dratonyai Ratcliff, Cree Jones
Chanel Brown, Frankie Matthews – 3rd Place – 4x200 Meter Relay
Takyra McMillon, Kyla Clark

BOYS 7TH & 8TH

Jawanza Jackson – 3rd Place – 400 Meter Run
Jawanza Jackson – 3rd Place – High Jump
Marcell Wilson-Luckett – 5th Place – 100 Meter Dash

Jawanza Jackson, Marcell Wilson-Luckett – 3rd Place – 4x200 Meter Relay
Jamar Felton, Marzale Hughes

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GIRLS 5TH & 6TH

Lillian Brown – 1st Place – Shot Put
Lillian Brown – 4th Place – 400 Meter Run
Tailar Carpenter – 1st Place – 800 Meter Run
Tamron Morris – 1st Place – High Jump
Amber Reese – 3rd Place – High Jump
Amber Reese – 4th Place – 200 Meter Dash
Arielle Reese – 3rd Place – Shot Put
Arielle Reese – 3rd Place – 800 Meter Run
Tailar Carpenter, Arielle Reese – 4th Place – 4x100 Meter Relay
Lillian Brown, Tamron Morris

BOYS 5TH & 6TH

Cameron Banks – 3rd Place – Long Jump
Marcial Serrano – 3rd Place – Triple Jump
Ramone Pierce – 4th Place – High Jump
Carone Pierce – 4th Place – 400 Meter Run
Myles Dabney – 4th Place – 800 Meter Run
Draton Ratcliff, Carone Pierce – 3rd Place – 4x100 Meter Relay
Kobe Morris, Myles Dabney
Kenyon Aldridge, Marcial Serrano – 2nd Place – 4x200 Meter Relay
Cameron Banks, Ramone Pierce

SCHOOL RECORDS THAT WERE BROKEN
5TH & 6TH GRADE

Draton Ratcliff, Carone Pierce – 4x100 Meter Relay
Kobe Morris, Myles Dabney

**CONGRATULATIONS TO ONE AND ALL FOR
THE GREAT EFFORT!!**

YOU ARE ALL WINNERS!!!

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Monday, June 7, 2010

Dear Parents,

We are need of help for the field day activities. The activities will run from 9:00 until 11:20. If you can supervise an activity, please sign up below.

Return the form to the school office. Thanks!

1. Shoebox Slide _____
2. Musical Hoops _____
3. Sack Race _____
4. Soccer _____
5. Snack/Chalk/Bubbles _____
6. Kickball _____
7. Spoon Zoom _____
8. Bucket Race _____
9. Tattoo/Face painting _____
10. Hot Shot (Basketball) _____