



# St. Peter Lutheran School

## Newsletter

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Dear Parents,

### **GOD'S WORD FOR THIS WEEK—**

*Revelation 7:17 For the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd he will lead them to springs of living water. And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.*

### **5K-2<sup>nd</sup> GRADE PARENT ORIENTATION**

**NIGHT** will be held on Tuesday, September 10.

Two sessions will be offered for parents:

Session One will run from 3:30 to 5:00 p.m. and Session Two will run from 5:00-6:30 p.m.

*Please plan to attend one of these sessions— Pastor Tony Schultz will also be presenting on "More than Conquerors" at the beginning of each session. If you are not able to attend, please let your classroom teacher know.*

### **5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> GRADE PARENT ORIENTATION**

**NIGHT** will be held on Thursday, September 12. The 5<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Orientation Session will run from 6:00-7:00 p.m. and the 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Orientation Session will run from 7:00-7:30 p.m.

### **PARENT SCHOOL SPEAK LOGIN**

**INFORMATION—**St. Peter Lutheran School uses a variety of tools to communicate with parents. One of those tools is School Speak, our student information system. Teachers use School Speak to take attendance, record grades, produce progress reports, and communicate with parents. Our office uses School Speak for our online student registration process, as well as our school database of all contact information and general information for students and parents, and also

to communicate weather-related school closings or delays. Parents can use School Speak to monitor their child's school progress. Parents who used School Speak last year, your login and password have not changed. Parents, if you cannot remember your login or password, please contact Mrs. Michelle Tellock, one of our office assistants, at 739-2009 or at [michelle.tellock@922ministries.com](mailto:michelle.tellock@922ministries.com). She will email you your login and password information.

### **PARENT CONTACT INFORMATION IN SCHOOL SPEAK—**

Parents, if you have any changes in your contact information (home, cell, or work phone numbers; cell phone carriers; emails; address; emergency contacts, etc.), you are able to update your information in School Speak, our system which we reference for all contact information for you and your child(ren).

- Log in to your School Speak account.
- Click on your Username (in the upper right corner of the screen) and then click on "My Profile" to edit your profile information, and make your changes.
- Click "Update" to save your changes.
- Additional changes can be made to other family members' profiles by clicking on their names on the bottom of the screen.

School Speak will send an automatic email to Mrs. Tellock showing her any updates you make.

### **SCHOOL PICTURE DAY AND FALL SPORTS**

**PICTURE DAY** will be held on Tuesday, September 10. Individual school pictures will be taken of all students from 8:00 - 10:30 a.m. A proof copy order form will be sent home with each student that same day. **If you are interested in ordering individual pictures of your student(s), please follow the**

instructions on the proof order form for each child and either order online or return the order form(s) and payment (checks made payable to Harmann Studios) to the school office by the date listed on the form. Harmann Studios said that anyone who already had their picture taken and is not satisfied and would like a retake will have to pay an additional \$5 for a retake sitting fee (return the original picture order form, checking the RETAKE box on the bottom of the form). Sports pictures will be taken after individual pictures, from approximately 10:30 a.m. until noon. **Students who are participating in volleyball, cross country, or soccer should bring their uniforms to school for their team picture.**

**ATTENTION PARENTS, DON'T MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY SPONSORED BY FVL SCHOOLS: Screenagers Presentation—Wednesday, September 25 from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. at the FVL Auditorium—**Are you watching kids scroll through life, with their rapid-fire thumbs and a six-second attention span? Physician and filmmaker Delaney Ruston saw that with her own kids and learned that the average kid spends 6.5 hours a day looking at screens. She wondered about the impact of all this time and about the friction occurring in homes and schools around negotiating screen time-friction she knew all too well. In *Screenagers*, as with her award-winning documentaries on mental health, Delaney takes a deeply personal approach as she probes into the vulnerable corners of family life, including her own, to explore struggles over social media, video games, academics, and internet addiction. Through poignant and unexpectedly funny stories, along with surprising insights from authors, psychologists, and brain scientists, *Screenagers* reveals how tech time impacts kids' development and offers solutions on how adults can empower kids to best navigate the digital world and find balance.

**PARENT PRESENTATION AT ST. PETER LUTHERAN—Monday, September 30, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.—**Jim Jelinske, author, college professor, and TED talk speaker will speak on the topic of preventing bullying and harassment on Monday, September 30 from 6:30-7:30 p.m. at St. Peter Lutheran. Jim's message is powerful and practical. We hope you can join us.

**THE 2019-2020 FAMILY ROSTER AND PHONE BOOK FOR 3K - 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE** is attached to today's newsletter. Parents, if you have any changes to your phone, email, or address throughout the school year, please feel free to make those changes in School Speak or let Mrs. Tellock know at [michelle.tellock@922ministries.com](mailto:michelle.tellock@922ministries.com).

**READY. SET. GLOW! 5K EVENT—**Join us for our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Glow Run 5k event on Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup> starting at 6:00 p.m.! This race for all ages will take you through the country roads of North Appleton, starting and ending through the Neon-Lit campus of St. Peter! This is a stroller-friendly course, so families are encouraged to attend! Join us for the AFTERGLOW party. This party atmosphere will be complete with a DJ, bounce houses, and Food Trucks for your enjoyment! Make sure you are wearing everything NEON or GLOW IN THE DARK! Registration is open at <https://runsignup.com/Race/WI/Appleton/5kreadysetglow>. A registration form and waiver are also attached to today's newsletter—if you are registering using the paper copy registration form, this form, waiver, and payment can be brought to the school office. If you have any questions or would like to become a race sponsor, please email [5kreadysetglow@gmail.com](mailto:5kreadysetglow@gmail.com).

**FVL BOYS HOOPS CLUB—**The FVL Boys Hoops Club is offering its fall basketball skills academy at FVL beginning on September 15. The academy is open to all boys in grades 3-8

and runs through mid-October. All participants who attend the skills academy are invited to play in a youth league. Youth league practices begin in mid-October, and games take place in November & December. After the youth league, coaches will invite players who are ready for a more competitive environment to join tournament teams that play in January - March. Details will be posted to [fvlschools.org](http://fvlschools.org) when available.

**Athletes need to register at**

<http://fvlschools.org/about/youth-sports/fvl-boys-hoops-club> by **September 13**. Contact Coach Nick Karbula ([nicholaskarbula@gmail.com](mailto:nicholaskarbula@gmail.com) or 920-840-3531) with any questions.

**FVL NOTHIN' BUT NET**—FVL's Nothin' But Net basketball program is now open to girls in grades 3-8. Nothin' But Net is the booster club for the FVL girls' basketball program. Practices for the 2019-2020 season will start September 29th and run through mid-February. **Athletes can register at** [fvlnothinbutnet.com](http://fvlnothinbutnet.com). Contact Coach David Schroeder ([fvlnothinbutnet@gmail.com](mailto:fvlnothinbutnet@gmail.com) or 920-284-4607) with any questions.

**PIANO LOOKING FOR A NEW HOME**—A member of our congregation is looking to sell or give away their acoustic piano. If you are interested in making a donation for this piano, they will give that donation plus 3 to 1 matching funds to our school. Please contact Amy at 920-851-1765 if interested.

**SCHOOL VISITORS**—Parents are always welcome at school. School visitors should use the main entrance #1. During the school day, our exterior doors are locked. Visitors should follow the instructions located at the main entrance for entry. Between 7:55 a.m. and 3:00 p.m., please use the doorbell for entry and then come to the school office to sign in and receive a visitor badge.

**SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS**—The school office will be open from 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

**SCRIP** is sold in our school office on Mondays and Fridays when we have 5K-8<sup>th</sup> grade school, from 7:30 - 8:15 a.m. and from 3:00 - 3:30 p.m. Please note that on days when there is no school, we will not sell Scrip and if there would be an early dismissal, we will sell in the mornings only. Scrip can also be purchased on Sunday mornings in the Church Gathering Area from 8:30 - 9:00 and 10:00 -10:30 a.m. If you have any questions, please contact Rhonda Van Vreede, our Scrip coordinator, at 920-740-3428 or email [stpeterscrip@922ministries.com](mailto:stpeterscrip@922ministries.com).

**BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION**—NEW THIS YEAR—new labels that offer no more clipping needed; all you need is your smartphone and the Box Tops app. The new and improved Box Tops mobile app uses technology to scan your store receipt (within 14 days of purchase), find participating products, and instantly add Box Tops to our school's earnings online. Traditional Box Tops cut-outs are being phased out of production but continue to be found on many products throughout the transition to the new Box Tops labels. There are 2 cabinets with a drawer in each to collect these cut-outs—one is located just outside the school kitchen door near the main school entrance and the other is in the Church Gathering Area, just inside the main church entrance doors. Please also encourage your relatives to sign up for the app and select our school to scan or collect Box Tops which benefit our school. Every little bit helps.

**HOT LUNCH AND MILK TICKETS**—Hot lunch tickets are sold in the school office. Students can purchase hot lunch and milk tickets in the mornings from 7:35 to 7:50 a.m. Parents can purchase hot lunch or milk tickets at any time in the school office. **The 2019-20 hot lunch prices are \$2.90 per lunch for 3K & 4K, and**

**\$3.20 per lunch for 5K-8<sup>th</sup> grade.** Milk tickets are 25 cents each. Tickets are sold in multiples of 5, and hot lunch tickets include a milk. **Please have the student's name written on the back of these tickets, and also circle the Entrée number choice on the hot lunch ticket, so we know what your child is planning to eat when we take our lunch count in the morning. Parents, please make sure that your child always has a hot lunch ticket or a cold lunch packed every day.**

**YMCA 19-20 SCHOOL YEAR AFTER-CARE—** Information on after-school childcare offered through the YMCA at St. Peter for 5K through age 12 for the 2019-2020 school year is on our website. Online registration can be completed through the YMCA of the Fox Cities program registration website. **For the 19-20 school year, the Apple Creek YMCA also provides care for students at the YMCA on select days when St. Peter school is off either a half-day or full-day of school. Children do not have to be in our regular after-school program to participate.** Upcoming dates offered for this program are:

- Friday, Sept. 27 (afternoon)
- Thursday, Oct. 24 (full day)
- Friday, Oct. 25 (full day)
- Friday, Nov. 8 (full day)
- Friday, Dec. 20 (afternoon)
- Monday, Jan. 27 (full day)
- Monday, Feb. 17 (full day)
- Friday, Feb. 28 (afternoon)
- Monday, March 2 (full day)
- Monday, March 30 (full day)
- Friday, May 1 (afternoon)
- Friday, May 22 (afternoon)

For information on this program, please see the attachment to the email of this newsletter or find it on our school website on the News & Resources page. If you have any questions, please contact Amie Olsen, Child Care Services Director at the Apple Creek YMCA at [aolsen@ymcafoxcites.org](mailto:aolsen@ymcafoxcites.org).

God's Blessings,  
*Mr. Punzel*

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### Saturday, September 7

A-team Volleyball Tournament  
at Immanuel, Greenville

### Tuesday, September 10

School Picture Day  
and

Fall Sports Picture Day for Cross Country,  
Volleyball, and Soccer (bring uniforms to school)

5K-2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Parent Night—  
Session 1: 3:30 - 5:00 p.m.  
Session 2: 5:00 - 6:30 p.m.

### Wednesday, September 11

Home Soccer and Volleyball vs.  
Immanuel, Greenville  
Soccer A-team: 4:15 p.m.  
Volleyball B-team 4:15 p.m.; A-team 5:15 p.m.

### Thursday, September 12

Chapel—8:30 a.m.

7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Field Trip to  
Heckrodt Nature Center

5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Orientation—6:00-7:00 p.m.  
7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Orientation—7:00-7:30 p.m.

### Saturday, September 14

C-team Comet Volleyball Jamboree at St. Peter—  
8:00 a.m. - Noon

### Monday, September 16

St. Mark, Green Bay Cross Country Meet at  
Colburn Park, Green Bay