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Weekly News

February 11, 2021

Principal Points

Thought for the week . . . Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. **1 Corinthians 13:4-5**

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News for the Week



Street Sign

Our Sumner Campus main street has a new name! Thanks to the Koffarnus family for their support of Mr. Tom's Way this past year. This coming year, our new street name is Peterson Place - chosen by second grader, Lauren Peterson, whose parents were the winning bidders of this live auction item in November at our Luau for CLS. We are thankful for the fun support of this item each year!

Ash Wednesday Services & Family Service Reservations

Wednesday, February 17; All campuses

Join us this Lenten season as we gather together, in-person and online! [Check our website](#) for service times and what to expect! Special Ash Wednesday service for families with children. After a short service in 211, families will move to a box of activities at a reserved table. If livestreaming from home don't forget to pick up your box beforehand! [Register online](#) by Sunday, February 14.

Penny Challenge Results

Wow! Thanks to everyone who participated in our Penny Challenge during National Lutheran Schools Week. We collected a total of . . . \$1,852.94. That's a lot of coins! These proceeds will greatly benefit Lutheran Family Services. (January's Mission of the Month) Congrats to 5th grade who had more pennies than silver coins and 2nd grade for bringing in the most money. The Otter Room in Child Care brought in the most pennies and money.



Spirit Store Now Open

Closes Monday, February 22, 2 pm

Our CLS Spirit Wear Store is now open to order items for the remainder of the school year. Order now thru Monday, February 22 at 2pm:

<https://christschoolsspiritwear.itemorder.com/sale>

Elementary News

Elementary Upcoming Dates

Click [here](#) for details on calendar

Feb 11 Parent Teacher Conferences
Feb 12 No School-Teacher Comp Day
Feb 15 No School-President's Day
Feb 16 No School-Staff Professional Dev.

No School

Feb 12, 15 & 16

There is no elementary school on February 12, 15 and 16. We will see everyone back on Wednesday, Feb. 17th.

Parent Teacher Conference Information

February 9 & 11, 4 to 7 pm

- Everyone will be required to wear a mask.
- Enter at the main door off of Sumner Street into the school office area and exit after your conference out the west door.
- Meet with your child's teacher in their classroom.
- Please be on time for your scheduled appointment. We will not have waiting chairs as this will create additional sanitizing.
- To assist the teachers, we ask that you stick to discussion for your allotted time. If additional time is needed, please schedule another meeting at a later time with your child's teacher.
- We ask that your child(ren) not attend the conference with you to limit crossover.
- We will be sanitizing the table and chairs used for the conference between visits.

Private School Family Income Survey

Yesterday we sent home a form to each family regarding free and reduced lunches. We ask that you complete the form and return to the school office by February 19 if your family qualifies based on the household income chart that was shared.

Auto Re-Enrollment

All current K-4 families should have received an invoice last week from TADS with your enrollment fee for the 2021-22 school year. Auto payment of this fee will occur on February 20. If you need us to divide up payments for your enrollment fee, please contact [Jaelene](#) in the school office to let her know.

Covid Testing

Please remember that we are asking parents to notify the school office if anyone in your household is pending results of a COVID test.

Camp Sonshine

Camp Sonshine's day camp, located near Roca, NE offers programs for campers entering K - 9th grade. Camp Solaris, Camp Sonshine's overnight camp, is located near Firth, NE and offers programs for campers entering 3rd - 9th grade! Whatever program you choose, every camper will be a part of a small group led by one of our friendly, well-trained staff who will be engaged and actively involved all day long. To register or learn more about Camp Sonshine, call 402.423.8746 or check out CampSoshineMemories.org

Junior Saltdogs League

Here is [information](#) to play summer baseball with the Junior Saltdogs League. Regular registration period is January 11-February 20, 2021.

Child Care News

Child Care Upcoming Dates

Feb 10 - 12 Penguins Parent Teacher Conferences
Feb 12 - 15 & 16 School Age Care for Sumner Campus
Feb 15 School Age Care - LPS Students for YH Campus



February School Out Days Sign-up

Summer: Friday, February 12, Monday-Tuesday, February 15-16
Yankee Hill: Monday,

February 15

February School Out Day registration is closed. Need care? Please contact Robin at ext. 110 for Sumner care and Kim at ext. 127 for Yankee Hill care.



2021 School Age Summer Program

Registration is open for the 2021 Summer School Age Program, "Journey In Time". We are providing the links here for your convenience: [Summer School Age Registration](#), [Summer Info Sheet](#) and the [Yankee Hill Info Sheet](#). Spots will fill up fast, register soon!



Dental Health Week

Friday, February 19

Dental Health week is coming up. Dr. Killeen will be giving a presentation for our preschool groups at Sumner campus. At Yankee Hill campus, dental hygienist Amy Moore, will speak with our preschool groups.

American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry

February is dental health month. Check out their [Mouth Monsters](#) page for tips and other resources concerning oral health.



Research Study through UNL

The Nebraska Strong Families Lab at UNL is conducting a study of families with young children. Compensation and Go Pro camera is involved. For more information, please visit

[NSFL Study](#) and check out their [flyer](#) on the Go Pro camera for the infant study.

Half-Day Preschool News

Half-Day Upcoming Dates

Feb 12 No Class for Starfish 4's
Feb 15 No Class for Starfish 4's



Date Change

Please note that the teacher comp day that was originally scheduled for Tuesday, February 16 has been **MOVED** to Friday, February 12. **There will be**

NO CLASS on February 12th and on Monday, February 15 for Starfish 4's. Starfish 3's will have class on Tuesday, February 16.



Open House for New Families

Friday, February 26, 2021

We will be offering an Open House opportunity for NEW families who are interested in the Half-Day Preschool program. If you have a friend or family member who is interested in preschool, feel free to send them this sign up link or refer them to the administrative team. [OPEN HOUSE FOR NEW FAMILIES.](#)

Re-enrollment for Starfish 3's & 2nd year Starfish 4's

Re-enrollment for 2021-22 opened Monday, February 1 for CLS families. Please see [Letter](#), [Program Description](#), [FAQ](#) and [Tuition](#) page for more information, then [ENROLL](#) with this link!

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Admissions

Now Enrolling

Enrollment for Elementary, Half-Day Preschool and Summer Program began on Monday, February 1, for 2021-22. All current Elementary families will auto re-enroll. Contact Elementary Admission Director, [Sara Fahleson](#), for K-5 enrollments or [inquire here](#). For Half-Day Preschool or Summer Program, [inquire here](#), or check your email for more information that was sent out earlier this week.

Support Us



Plant Sale is Coming!

Sale packets will come home next Thursday to each family and the sale will run February 22 - April 4 (online) or April 6 (paper orders). Pick up this year will take place on April 23, 24. Watch for more details and a listing of fun prizes our students can win for selling!



Direct Your Thrivent Choice Dollars

If you have a Thrivent policy or investment, hop on and see if you have any Thrivent Choice Dollars to direct. [Log in to your account](#) and direct this free money, given to you by Thrivent, to Christ Lincoln Schools or Church. Your 2020 Choice Dollars balance should be directed by March 31.

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