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# Weekly news & updates

**December 1, 2022** 

# **NEWS HIGHLIGHTS**

#### **Inclement Weather Plan**

It is that time of the year again! The winter season has begun and we want you to be aware of our plans for closing and delays for ALL our programs. Please note that due to changes in operation hours, some of our procedures have changed. Please click <u>HERE</u> to see the updated times and plans.

Alerts will be made in the following ways: Text messages (Remind), Facebook posts, Popup on the christlincolnschools.org website, as well as announcements on TV channels 10/11 & Channel 8. The Elementary school will be announced as "Lutheran Schools of Lincoln" and Child Care & Preschools will be announced as "Christ Lincoln Child Care & Preschool". If you haven't been receiving text messages please reach out to Jaelene at the front desk right away!



# **ADDITIONAL NEWS**

#### **Come Help Decorate Christ for Christmas!**

Help us get the church (and School office) ready for Christmas! Join us at 6 pm on Tues. December 6 at the Sumner Campus for decorating. There will be hot chocolate, Christmas cookies, Christmas music & fellowship. Mention that you would like to help decorate the school office!!

#### **Christmas at Christ Lincoln**

As we enter the Advent season and you are making all your holiday plans be sure to check out all the happenings and church services available for your family to attend at Christ Lincoln! Come and celebrate the birth of our Savior!

# **ELEMENTARY NEWS**

### Elementary Upcoming Dates:

December 16 - Spirit Day

December 20 - Christmas Concert (6:30)

December 21 - 11:30 Dismissal - Christmas

Dec 22 - Jan 3 - No School -Christmas

#### **Core Essentials - December**

This month's Core Essentials word of the month is Joy and our animal is a Ladybug.

Joy seems a fitting word for the month of December. We sing about Joy in many of our favorite Christmas carols and hymns and we



reference how the lights, special gifts, and food can bring a sense of Joy during the Christmas season. But we also know that sometimes the holidays bring times when we don't experience Joy. Maybe it is because we are sick, or we have to miss out on a fun tradition because we have to be gone, or maybe we have experienced the loss of a family member. This month we will talk about how even when things don't go our way, or things are different and we aren't feeling happy, we can still have Joy in our hearts.

As Christians, we know true Joy isn't found in presents, lights, or even in those who are around us. The Joy of Christmas and every day is found in the Baby, born and laid in a manger, in less-than-ideal conditions. A special baby, the Son of God, who grew up and gave His life to save each of us granting us eternal JOY!

## Free Dress Day Coupons for Sale

Did you miss out on purchasing Free Dress Day Coupons at the Auction this year? You are in luck! Just in time for Christmas Stockings, you can purchase your student these monthly Free Dress Day coupons. They are \$40 and contain coupons for December through May. Simply stop by the school front desk to purchase. Cash or Check only, please!

## **Semester 2 Registration for CK Dance Academy**

Have a son or daughter who might be interested in dance? Looking for a physical activity for your child beyond sports? Check out CK Dance Academy! CK Dance holds dance classes on Mondays near the school library. They are currently accepting applications for the 2nd Semester. Come for a FREE class during the month of December! You can check out the details <u>HERE</u>.

#### Alexa-what's for lunch?

The Christ Lincoln Schools lunch menu is now available on Amazon Alexa. Thanks to Andy Stumpf for getting this setup. Here is some information and helpful tips if you would like to give it a try. Amazon approved the <u>new iteration of the Alexa skill</u> that includes the new invocation (or wake phrase) "Alexa, ask C.L.S. menu what's for lunch today?" or you can ask for a specific day...."Alexa, ask C.L.S. menu what's for lunch Monday?" Although the skill is called Christ Lincoln Schools Menu... the invocation is C.L.S. Menu.

#### **Champions Wrestling**

Any student in grades K-5, who is interested in learning about wrestling or would like to continue to hone their wrestling skills is invited to sign up for the Champions Wrestling program. The program runs from Dec. 6 through March 23 and meets Every Tuesday & Thursday at the WCAP at Lincoln Lutheran from 6:30-8 pm. The cost is \$125. For more information including information about registration, check out the program's brochure <a href="https://example.com/hee/">HERE!</a>

# **CHILD CARE NEWS**

#### Child Care Upcoming Dates:

December 6 - Family Advent Celebration -Sumner Campus, 4:30 pm December 8 - Family Advent Celebration -Yankee Hill Campus, 4:30 pm December 16 - Spirit Day

## **Advent Celebration**

Sumner Campus - Tuesday, December 6, 2022 at 4:30 pm

Yankee Hill Campus - Thursday, December 8, 2022 at 4:30 pm

Advent Celebration will be held on both campuses. Invitations have been sent home, please contact your child's teacher if you did not receive it.

## **Christmas Break School Age Care Sign-up - Sumner Campus Only**

Wednesday, December 21 - Early Dismissal, 11:30 am Tuesday, December 27 - Friday, December 30, 2022 Tuesday, January 3 & Wednesday, January 4, 2023

Christmas Break is around the corner! Please register as soon as possible. Space is limited: <u>December School Age Care sign up. & January 3rd & 4th School Age Care sign up.</u> Any questions, please feel

free to contact Robin, ext 110.

## **Christmas Holiday Break**

December 27-30, 2022

Christ Lincoln Child Care will be closed December 22, 23 and 26 for the Christmas holiday. Monday, January 2nd we will also be closed in observance of the New Year holiday. Holiday sign-up sheets are available in your child's classroom. Please let us know if you have any changes as we schedule staff time with their families. Thank you!

# HALF-DAY PRESCHOOL NEWS

#### Half-Day Upcoming Dates:

December 6 - Family Advent Celebration, 4:30 pm December 16 - Spirit Day

#### **Advent Celebration**

Sumner Campus - Tuesday, December 6, 2022 at 4:30 pm

Advent Celebration is fast approaching! Invitations have been sent home, please contact your child's teacher if you did not receive it.

#### **Christmas Holiday Break for Half-Day Preschool**

Thursday, December 22, 2022 through Wednesday, January 4, 2023

Half-Day Preschool will be closed December 22 through Wednesday, January 4 for the holidays. Classes will resume on Thursday, January 5.

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