



St. Paul's Lutheran School

Raider Record



March 3, 2010



Student Sickness and Absence from School:

Please make sure that all absences are reported to the school office (354-2329 ext.10) in the morning. We are

obligated to report student absence due to influenza-like-illness (ILI) of 5% or more overall (or 3 or more students in a classroom) to the state health office. *Wednesday, March 3rd's total was <3%. ILI is a fever of 100+ along with a cough or sore throat. If your child does have a fever, please remember to send them back to school no sooner than 24 hours AFTER medication is needed. Helpful HINI documents can be found on the St. Paul's School website!*

Singing Dates: Students sing in church for the following service dates and times in March:

- *Grades 5-8; Sunday, March 7 at 8:00 (SJ+SP)
- * Grades 5-8 sing for Lent on Wednesday, March 10 at 4:30 (SP only)
- * Grades K-4 sing on Sunday, March 14 at 11:00 (SP + SJ)



Please show courtesy to your teachers and choir directors by excusing your child if they will not be in church to sing on these days. Thanks for making the effort to allow our praising of God's name to be extra special!



Band Activities Approaching:

All bands will play in the Winter Concert on Thursday, March 4th at 7:00 P.M. in the gymnasium. Band members

should be "dressed up" and arrive at 6:30 to "tune up." **Grades 3 and 4 will also be singing that night.** All bands, as well as individual students, will be participating in the MVL Music Festival on Saturday, March 6th. Raider band should arrive at 7:30 A.M. and go to the gym stage. We perform in the music room at 8:00

A.M. Junior band should arrive at 8:15 A.M. and go to the gym stage; performance is at 8:40 A.M. Jazz band performs at 9:20 A.M. Band members should also "dress up" for this event as well. We thank God for the gifts of our students and their director!

Science Projects Shared:

Starting at 6:00 P.M. on Thursday night, March 4th, the science projects of students in grades 5-6 will be on display before the band concert. Please come and see what Mrs. Grunwald's scientists have been up to!



Meet the New Principal: Mr.

Greg Thiesfeldt and his wife, Lisa, will be in attendance at the band concert this Thursday night, March 4th! They will be in New Ulm March 3-5 as they search for a home, meet with the St. Paul's leadership, and begin preparations for their move in July. The Thiesfeldt's will be introduced during the evening.



MLC Early Field Experience:

Each spring, MLC requires students studying to be teachers to gain some "early field experiences" in Lutheran school classrooms. Many teachers at St. Paul's will be hosting sophomores and juniors from the college to observe and participate in their rooms during the weeks of March 1-5 or 8-12. MLC freshmen studying education do their experience on campus. Some of our students will be their students as they practice teach their lessons in small groups. *All students in Ms. Hopmann's, Mrs. Schroeder's, Mrs. Ring's, Mrs. Grunwald's, Mr. Schleusener's, and Mr. Dretske's classrooms will be participating this year on Wednesday, March 3.* A school bus will transport students to and from MLC. Students will be on campus from 9:00 A.M.-12:00 P.M.



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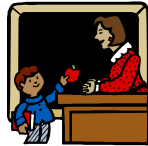
Jump Rope for Heart: On Friday, March 5th from 1:00-2:30, ALL students in grades K-8 will participate in the “Jump Rope for Heart” activity. Students will be exercising and learning more about heart healthy activities while trying to raise money for a worthy community cause. Please consider helping your child collect donations for this event (they do not have to be submitted online but can also be handed in at school in the envelopes already provided). Refer to the materials to answer questions, or call Mrs. Carol Schoenherr at school (354-2329) to leave a



message. Students should wear comfortable clothing to exercise in that day. Please have your child’s gym shoes in the building, and make sure that all packets are handed in that day.

New Student Teachers Being Welcomed:

Our three current student teachers will be joined by three more on Monday, March 8th. Ms. Jessica Gierach will be in Mrs. Wolf’s Kindergarten classroom from March 8-April 16. Ms. Ruby Wong will be in Mrs. Wendler’s 4th grade room from March 8-May 7, as will Mr. Mark Hesse in Mr. Schleusener’s 5th-6th classroom. These three will be welcomed at St. Paul’s Church on Sunday, March 7th during and after the 9:30 A.M. service. All six teachers will be welcomed at St. John’s Church on Sunday, March 14th during and after the 9:30 A.M. service.

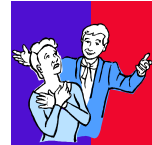


MVL Summer Sport Camp Information: MVL’s summer sports camp information can be obtained in the school office.

Registration forms and information are available for all camps including basketball (boys and girls), baseball (boys), volleyball (girls), and softball (girls). Camps vary in age level, length, date, and cost.

School Musical Rehearsals

Underway: The St. Paul’s Raider Choir will present its annual musical performance on April 9th and 10th at 7:00 P.M. in the gymnasium. 20 rehearsals will be held in March and early April on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays from 3:00-5:00 P.M. at school. This includes Maundy Thursday on April 1st.



Confirmation Rehearsal and Pictures:

It’s time to start throwing reminders your way, 8th graders! St. Paul’s confirmation is on Palm Sunday, March 28th. They will have rehearsal and pictures on Saturday, March 27th from 9:00-11:00 A.M. in the church. Watch for materials from the pastors. God bless you as you confess your faith in Him!

DON’T FORGET:
COOKIE DOUGH ORDERS BENEFITING THE ST. PAUL’S LUTHERAN SCHOOL TECHNOLOGY FUND WILL BE READY FOR PICK-UP ON THURSDAY, MARCH 11TH AT 3:00 P.M. IN THE SCHOOL CAFETERIA!

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