

Panther Prints

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Welcome

As we begin this new academic year, Peace Lutheran School welcomes everyone to hear about the love of God and the Good News of our Lord, Jesus Christ. We pray that God will bless our school year as we grow in Him and His grace. If you ever want to visit a classroom, just let us know, so you can find out more about the special place Peace Lutheran School is!

Peace offers opportunities for a variety of volunteers dependent upon teacher and staff needs. If you have an interest in helping, please let us know.

Chapel Offerings

CHANGING THE WORLD TWO BY TWO: For the entire 2010-2011 school year our chapel offerings will be sent to Heifer International. Our goal? \$5,000 to purchase oxen, donkeys, water buffaloes, camels, chicks, rabbits, bees, sheep, llamas, and more for countless families living in hunger and poverty around the world. Won't you help by remembering each Wednesday to send a donation to help us fill the ark? Your generosity and kindness can change a life! Look for more opportunities to participate as the school year progresses.

SMART Cards

More are available! Have you sold yours?

www.peacesaginaw.org/school/

CALENDAR MARKERS

- **Fri.** Sept.3 – No School
- **Mon.** Sept. 6 – No School
- **Tue.** Sept. 7 – 3 yr. Pre-school begins
- **Wed.** Sept. 8 – 4 yr. Pre-school begins
- **Fri.** Sept. 10 – Patriotic Spirit Day
- **Sun.** Sept. 12 – Installation/Rededication Service (9:30 A.M.) @ Adams
- **Mon.** Sept. 13 – P.T.L. Board (7:00 P.M.) @ Lawndale
- **Thu.** Sept 16 – School Pictures
- **Fri.** Sept 17 – School Pictures

Welcome Township Teachers

We are pleased to announce that Mrs. Amanda Smith will be teaching lower grade Art, Computer and P.E. classes this year. Ms. Christine Mulford will be Art and Computer classes for the 6th – 8th grades. Please say hello to these new members of our teaching staff!

SCRIP

Scrip orders are due Tuesday by 9:00 A.M. and will be sent home Fridays or may be picked up in the office Friday from 2:30 – 3:30 P.M. REMEMBER: 50% of the profit from your purchase of SCRIP cards will be credited toward your book fee for next year! Questions, please contact Kathy Ehlert at 791-1386 or kdehlert@sbcglobal.net.

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Classroom Extensions

Kelly/Williams	109
Pittman	110
McDonald	116
Gulliver	111
Hauser (B)	121
Minda(Ka)	113
Felsing	123
Drinan	112
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Athletic News

Panther Prowl Golf Outing: The newly-formed athletic booster club's inaugural Panther Prowl Golf Outing will take place at Apple Mountain on September 25th. If you prefer to attend the dinner without the golf, that option is available as well. For more information, please visit the school's website.

Soccer: The soccer team begins its season on Sept. 7th when they travel to St. Paul, Flint for a 4:45 game. Please note that the game will be played at the Flushing YMCA. Their home opener is at 4:30 on Sept. 9th against Immanuel, Frakentrost.

Girls' Volleyball: The girls' volleyball teams begin their seasons on Sept. 9th when they travel to Immanuel, Frankentrost. The "B" game begins at 4:30.

PTL Corner

If you haven't signed up for PTL events please contact Kelly Southmayd (southkelly@gmail.com). Approximately 50% of families signed up for events at Registration, with an additional 10% on the undecided list. Thank you to those who have signed up so far. Still needed: Co-chair for Family Fun Night in the Spring. Remember - next PTL meeting 9/13/10 at 7 pm.

After School Pickup

Parents who are parking in the South parking lot (by the primary wing) for student's pickup, be aware of the safety zones for students to walk to their parents' cars. It can be very dangerous if cars cross these zones when students are going to their parents' vehicles.

Please do not remove cones/chains to get into parking areas "early." The Safety Patrol personnel will do this as part of their duties. **Thank you for your assistance.**

School Website

Please regularly check our school website at WWW.PEACESAGINAW.NET for important information and updates. Many of our teachers have links to their own classroom websites at that location!

Important Reminder

School begins this year at **8:10 am** and closes at **3:10 pm**. **Doors will open at 7:55 am.** Please do not arrive too early because this causes a problem regarding supervision of students.

Latchkey

The school building opens for students at 7:55 am each school day. Students arriving before that time are to go to the Latchkey Room in the cafeteria. The Latchkey Room opens at 7:00 am. An after school program is also provided that begins at 3:10 pm and closes at 6:00 pm. All parents will be required to fill out latchkey forms at registration time. Students who are not picked up by 3:20 pm will be required to use the Latchkey service. Parents will be billed on a bi-weekly basis.

Hot Lunch

The price for hot lunch remains at \$1.60 per day. You may deposit whatever amount you wish to a child's account, which will be debited when they eat hot lunch. The price for milk is \$.40. It has been our long-standing practice that we do not wish to have fast food brought in for a student's lunch. This has caused particular problems in the past. If a student is not eating hot lunch, they should bring their lunch with them in the morning.

Absences

Please be sure to notify the school office by 8:30 A.M. if your child will be absent or tardy. This not only is for the safety of your child, but it allows us to make sure that there are sufficient lunches ordered for the day. We need to have an accurate hot lunch count because lunches are delivered to the school by 10:00 A.M. **If you have not called the office, please be sure to pack a cold lunch for your child. We will only be ordering lunches for those students who have ordered hot lunch by 8:30 A.M.** You may also leave a voice mail prior to 8:00 A.M.

Mark Your Calendars

Plan to join us in the Peace Lutheran Church Gym on Sunday, September 19th at 12:30 P.M. for an Italian Feast. The cost for adults is \$7, children 12 and under \$4 and no charge for pre-school age children. Proceeds will be used to support Pastor Heise, our T.I.M. Missionary in Russia. Presented by Peace ChristCare Small Group Ministries.