

Christ Our Rock Lutheran High School

THE STALLION EXPRESS

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Christ Our Rock Lutheran High School educates and equips today's youth in faith and knowledge while guiding them to become Christian leaders.

Prayer Requests

Every week we pray for students, parents, supporters, area schools, and congregations. If you have a prayer requests, we would be happy to include them in our prayer time.

- Please prayer for all those who are sick or are having problems with allergies.
- Please pray for the students as they prepare for the end of the 1st Quarter.
- Please pray for the Prayer Vigil at CORLHS Saturday, October 22, 6 am-6 pm

Announcements

CORLHS to host annual Reformation Service Don't miss this opportunity to celebrate the Reformation and learn about our reformation Heritage at Christ Our Rock Lutheran High School, on Sunday, October 30 at 4:00 p.m. This special service will include traditional Reformation music and place special emphasis on the Augsburg Confession with the theme "A Reformation Celebration- Understanding the Reformation Heritage." Pastors from the area Lutheran Congregations will be leading the service. Light refreshments will be served following.

CORLHS Prayer Vigil- Once again a 12 hour prayer Vigil is being held at CORLHS on Saturday, October 22nd, from 6am-6pm. Please call the school (226-3315) and sign up for a ½ hour time slot. We are hoping to have at least 24 people participate in this vigil. The Seeking, Serving, Soaring Spiritual Life Committee.

Thank You from the American Cancer Society.

Dear COR,

Thank you so much for your hard work and dedication to the fight against cancer! Your fundraising dollars are going straight to help the American Cancer Society fund research, advocacy, patient services and education programs. You guys are awesome! Please let me know if there is ever anything I can help with!

Amy Rohrer

American Cancer Society

Request for Paper Towel Roll Tubes.

From now until 4th quarter the **Art classes** are collecting paper towel rolls, the tubes left after the towels are gone. These will be used in large sculpture projects. Our goal is to collect at least 1500. So, for those who can, please save your paper towel rolls and drop them off at the school. Thank you!



Parades

Thank you to all the students, parents, alumni, and grandparents who walked in the parades at Salem's Little Egypt Festival this past Saturday and Okawville's Wheat Fest on September 18. Over 3,500 CORLHS pencils and info cards were handed out. The parades help us promote what a great school we have. We will participate in two more parades: the Southern Illinois Harvest Festival Parade (Mt. Vernon) on Saturday, October 15 at 2pm and the Halloween Parade (Centralia) on Saturday, October 29 at 7pm. Call the school office and sign up to walk in one or both parades showing school spirit.

National Honor Society: Twelve students will be inducted into the National Honor Society Chapter at Christ Our Rock during a ceremony to be held at 7 p.m., Tuesday, Oct. 11, in the commons area of the school. Family, friends and students are invited to attend. This year's speaker is Monica Allen, a registered nurse from St. Mary's/Good Samaritan Hospital in Centralia, who will share her experiences with medical mission trips to South America. This year's inductees are seniors Ben Maschhoff, Tyler Pokojski and Morgan Michael; and juniors Hayden Klockenga, Amara Lyons, Ellie Rueter, Caitlin Fuehne, Kim Daum, Bethany Kleiboeker, Gabby Orr, Sarah Gardner, and Megan Pick. This year will see the largest number of inductees in the school's history, which will bring the chapter membership up to a record 17 members.

Christ Our Rock Lutheran High School Annual Banquet Sunday November 13.

Save the date: Sunday, November 13, Rev. Bill Wrede will be the keynote speaker. Arriving in lower Manhattan soon after the collapse of the site of the World Trade Center offering pastoral care to people standing in the streets. Rev. Wrede will share with us a glimpse into his experience and the opportunities he had to share the Gospel in the midst of chaos as a chaplain in lower Manhattan on September 11, 2001, at Respite South during November of that year, and at the on-site morgue from December 2001 to June 2002.

Kaskaskia College Alumni and Friends Open House

On Saturday, October 8, 2011, from 10:00 am-4:00 pm Kaskaskia College will be hosting the annual Kaskaskia College Family Reunion & Open House. The day is filled with a wide variety of activities for all ages, including a realistic Civil War encampment. As part of the Civil War re-enactment, cannons and mortars will be fired on Friday (9:30 am-Noon) and Saturday (1:00 pm-2:00 pm). Be prepared for increased traffic around the CORLHS campus next weekend.

Scholastic Bowl season has started at Christ Our Rock! We have twelve students participating this year, with the first match scheduled at Cowden-Herrick High School on Thursday, Oct. 13. Parent volunteers are always needed to provide transportation and help keep score at home matches. Contact Mr. Pennington or Mr. Kasten if you are available to help out.

Testing Days. Wednesday, October 12 Freshmen, Sophomores, and Juniors will be taking standardized tests in the morning, while the seniors will be meeting with Mr. Duensing and Miss Cole. Following the morning tests, students will have their regular afternoon classes and school will dismiss at its normal time, 3:10.

Golf News:

The golf team played in their regional's on Tuesday and placed 4th out of 13 schools. Three of the players are going on to Sectionals, Austin Grote, Sam Baxter & Jake Baxter on Monday Oct. 10, at Governors Run Golf Course in Carlyle. All are welcome to watch and good luck!

Coming Events:

Saturday, Oct. 8

CHECK THE EVENT CALENDAR at www.corlhs.org for more!

Soccer game at Springfield Lutheran HS 1:00pm.

Freshmen Boy's Basketball open gym 8:30 to 10:00am.

Monday, Oct. 10

NO SCHOOL – Columbus Day

Golf Sectionals at Governors Run in Carlyle

Tuesday, Oct. 11

National Honor Society Induction 7:00pm.

Cheerleading practice 3:20 to 5:30pm.

FFA Chapter Visit 8:15am.

Volleyball practice 3:20 to 5:30pm.

Soccer practice 3:20 to 5:00pm.

Wednesday, Oct. 12

FFA soil CDE at KC – all day

Volleyball game at Mulberry Grove HS 6:15pm.

Soccer Regionals vs Harrisburg 4:30pm.

Thursday, Oct. 13

Volleyball game at Ramsey HS 6:15pm.

FFA meeting 7:15am.

Cheerleading practice 3:20 to 5:30pm.

Friday, Oct. 14

Golf State

Volleyball practice varsity only 3:20 to 5:30pm.

End of the first quarter

Saturday, Oct. 15

Southern Illinois Harvest Festival Parade in Mt. Vernon 2:00pm.

Freshmen Boy's Basketball open gym 8:30 to 10:00am.

