

Christ Our Rock Lutheran High School

# THE STALLION EXPRESS

Thursday, December 22, 2011

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 pray for safe travel over Christmas
- Please pray of thanksgiving for competing the Fall Semester

## Announcements

Dear students at Christ Our Rock,

This New Years, CORLHS is hosting the Ongoing Ambassadors For Christ for their annual New Years Gathering. O AFC is a group of high school students with college students and adults who get together to tell other people about what Jesus has done for us. They do it in a fun encouraging environment with drama, canvassing, bible study and singing. This is an easy way to learn to express your faith—a skill we want you to have for the rest of your life.

They will begin meeting on Thursday, December 29th at 4 PM and continue until Sunday January 1. They will be staying overnight at school but you will be allowed to go home each night. They are paying \$30 to come, you can come for free. As a student of CORLHS you are invited to come and participate with them. Some of you may see them in church New Years Eve or New Years Day. Come meet them before hand. They are coming to get to know YOU. If you have any questions or to register, see [www.oafc.org](http://www.oafc.org) or e mail Jacob Mueller at [muellerjac@cs.l.edu](mailto:muellerjac@cs.l.edu) Thanks and Merry Christmas!

Jacob Mueller

## Thank You

We would like to extend a special thank you to all of the parents who prepared food and helped serve our Christmas lunch on Dec. 21. The food was excellent and a great way to end the semester. The Christmas chapel and lunch are special highlights for the COR family as we celebrate together not only the end of the semester but, more importantly the birth of our Savior. Thank you for being part of that family! Thank you also for all of the donations to our faculty and staff appreciation fund. The COR teachers and staff members express their sincere gratitude for this special gift.

## Semester Grades

Semester grades will be sent to parents and students over the Christmas break.

## Second Semester Schedules

Second Semester Student Schedules are available on RenWeb. Students will receive new copies on the first day of the Second Semester. Questions should be addressed to Miss Cole 226-3315.



### **Christmas Break School Office Hours**

Thursday Dec. 22 8-3pm  
Friday Dec. 23 8-Noon  
Monday Dec. 26-Closed  
Tuesday-Friday Dec 27-30 8-3pm  
Monday Jan. 2-Closed

Please call Mr. Duensing 367-2101 if you need to reach the school office outside of the posted Christmas Break Office Hours.

### **Estate Planning**

A letter is attached informing you of an opportunity to take advantage of free family estate planning sessions. The goals of the process are to:

- 1.) Help families prepare needed legal documents by overcoming any fears of the process, having knowledge to make decisions, and understanding the importance of each step
- 2.) Inform families of the various financial instruments that can financially help provide for heirs, reduce taxes, and leave gifts to ministry

3.) Keep costs for attorney fees to a minimum This is about Christian stewardship. We want families to have secure feelings knowing that their children will be adequately taken care of according to their wishes and not the State of Illinois (who is the default Will if you don't have one).

### **CORLHS Auction**

Have you wanted to be involved at CORLHS but not sure where? Consider serving on one of the Auction committees for item acquisition, ticket and book, or event. We need individuals on each committee volunteering as many hours as they wish. You help when convenient to your schedule from January until the event on March 24. Contact Chad Knolhoff at the school office to sign up and help on one of the committees.

#### Coming Events:

CHECK THE EVENT CALENDAR at [www.corlhs.org](http://www.corlhs.org) for more!

Thursday, Dec. 22	Christmas Break NO SCHOOL Dec. 22 through Jan. 2 Boys basketball practice 8:30am to 10:30am Girls basketball practice 10:30 to 12:30pm.
Monday, Dec. 26	Boys basketball practice 2:00 to 3:30pm.
Tuesday, Dec. 27	Boys basketball freshmen practice 10-12:00pm. Boys Basketball tournament Dieterich HS Girls basketball practice 9:00 to 11:00am.
Wednesday, Dec. 28	O AFC at COR Boys basketball freshmen practice 10:00 to 12:00pm. Boys Basketball tournament Dieterich HS Girls basketball practice 9:00 to 11:00am. Girls basketball team service project 12:30 to 2:30pm.
Thursday, Dec. 29	Boys Basketball tournament Dieterich HS Girls basketball practice 9:00 to 11:00am. O AFC at COR
Friday, Dec. 30	Boys Basketball tournament Dieterich HS(snow day) Girls basketball practice 9:00 to 11:00am. O AFC at COR
Saturday, Dec. 31	O AFC at COR



