

Christ Our Rock Lutheran High School

THE STALLION EXPRESS

Friday, September 16, 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 the success of the Tee Off Golf Scramble this Sunday.
- Please pray for the CORLHS Homecoming activities.
- Please pray for the Association Board of Directors meeting Tuesday evening.

Announcements

Ford Drive One 4 UR School

Top Ten list to participate in the Ford Drive One 4 UR School at CORLHS:

10. You get to drive a brand new car.
9. Ahh. The smell of new leather.
8. You don't have to pay for the gas.
7. Learn about all the new car gadgets.
6. No pushy salespeople.
5. Free food.
4. You get to see some beautiful countryside.
3. Test out the new concrete entrance at CORLHS.
2. It only takes 15 minutes.
1. Ford donates \$20 to CORLHS for every test drive.

Mark your calendar to help us raise \$8,000 by test driving a new Ford vehicle. Help us even more by inviting a friend and volunteering to work a shift to be a test drive rider, registration, or food server. Call the school office at 226-3315 to volunteer.

Okawville Parade

CORLHS has a parade entry in the Okawville Wheat Fest Parade this Sunday, September 18. We could always use more walkers to help hand out pencils and info cards. The parade starts at 2pm with the starting lineup near the corner of Hwy 177 and Hwy 160 in downtown Okawville. Look for the CORLHS trailer.

Red Cross Blood Drive

The American Red Cross, in cooperation with the SLT Service Club, held a Blood Drive in the school gym on Wed., Sept. 14. A total of 32 productive units were collected, falling just short of the goal of 35 units. Nine donors were deferred for a variety of reasons. There were 11 first time donors who successfully gave blood, which is awesome! The Service Club wishes to thank all of the students, family and friends who took the time to help save a life!

Picture Day-Retakes.

Tuesday, September 13 was picture day. If your student was absent, the makeup date is November 22. Additionally, the schools website has two pictures of the entire student body.

Online CORLHS SpiritWear

Don't forget to shop online for new CORLHS SpiritWear items. Click on the Order CORLHS SpiritWear now! link on the homepage of the school website.



Christ Our Rock Lutheran High School Annual Banquet Sunday November 4.

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.

Homecoming. Christ Our Rock's annual Homecoming Dance is scheduled for Saturday, Sept. 24. This year's theme is "Bright Lights, Big City," which promises a taste of metropolitan New York for participating students. Due to record enrollment, this year's homecoming dance will be held in the gymnasium. To protect the gym floor, students will be required to check their shoes before entering the gym.

Last Year's homecoming king and queen, Dylan Burmester and Dorothee Belli, will be returning to crown this year's homecoming royalty. Tickets for the dance are \$8 per individual and \$12 per couple. Tickets for the dance will be on sale until Friday, Sept. 16. Students bringing a non-CORLHS student must have a signed permission slip on file prior to the dance.

As always, alumni of Christ Our Rock are invited to the homecoming dance, and will be admitted free of charge. If you know a Christ Our Rock alum, we encourage you to pass this information along to him or her.

Half-Day of School September 30

Christ Our Rock will dismiss at 12:00 pm on Friday, September 30 for a teacher in-service. No lunch will be provided.

Soccer News

The Silver Stallions played a good game Saturday against Breese Central. We came away with a 2-2 tie. Our 2 goals were scored by Dustin Kreig with an assist by Joel Krenz.

Volleyball News

The Silver Stallions Volleyball Team had another busy week. They hosted two games and went on the road for one more. The varsity was victorious against Cisne on Monday with a 25-13, 25-20 win. The Stallions handled the Lions from Cisne High School with more ease this time thanks to the hearty support of the Stable. Tuesday night they hosted a co-op team from Clay City and Noble. It was a long night as our JV played two sets of a Frosh game, followed by a combined team for the JV game and finally the regular varsity game. Once again the girls came out ahead in a 25-14, 25-19 finish. Thursday night they traveled to Patoka High School and continued their winning streak with a 25-14, 25-18 victory. I can't wait for the exciting week of homecoming! With three games scheduled, it should be packed with fun! Looking ahead, the SLT is planning a "pink out" game in October, so get your shirts before it's too late. Our regular season games are half over already. Time Flies!! Our record is Varsity 10-0. What a great way to start the season!! Keep up the hard work Ladies!

Golf News

The Golf team played Thursday at Nashville playing against Nashville & Greenville. Ended up losing by one stroke to Greenville HS. Next match is Monday, 19th at Ramsey HS.

Spirit Week Dress

Up Days

September 19-23, 2011

This is a competition! Which class has the most spirit?

Monday: Fake Injury Day

The best injuries are fake injuries! Challenge your creativity with this theme. Your eyes, nose and mouth must be visible, and no blood (fake or otherwise) is permissible. You need at least two “injuries” to get credit and not be counted out of dress code!

Tuesday: Celebrity Lookalike

Imitation is the sincerest form of flattery! Emulate your favorite celebrity (movie star, pop singer, president or athlete). You must have at least three items of celebrity wear to receive credit, or else you're out of dress code, mister! Celebrity impressions must be tasteful, with no “skin” showing or offensive apparel. Who wants to impersonate those celebrities anyway?!

Wednesday: Spirit Day

Wear your Stallion spirit wear: tees, hoodies, lanyards, ball caps, sweat pants, etc. Show your support of the school and our athletic teams. Note: This is not a relaxed dress code day. Are you a true Stallion?

Thursday: Hawaiian Day

Aloha! Let's get away to a tropical paradise with this theme! Grass skirts are allowed this year, but coconut bras and flip flops are not. At least three items of sand and surf wear needed for credit and to avoid the out of dress code violation!

Friday: Fashion Disaster Day

Plaids and stripes? Polka dots and checks? No problem with this theme! Clash all you like, no one can tell you what not to wear with this theme day! At least three items of hideously clashing apparel needed to get credit.

NO flip flops are permissible. Sunglasses may not be worn during school day. You may be asked to remove any headgear by your teacher.

Special Activities

- **Penny War!** Time to find that spare change! Students place pennies in their class' container and silver or paper in competing class containers. Silver coin and paper money are *deducted* from class totals! The class with the highest positive (or lowest negative) balance wins! Proceeds go to the Carlyle Food Bank
- **Canned Food Drive** – Classes compete against each other all week to collect the most canned food which will in turn be donated to the Carlyle Food Bank.
- **Special Lunch** – Mr. Freels will be grilling hot dogs and hamburgers for us on Friday! Students are asked to bring \$3 to cover cost. You may bring your lunch if you do not wish to participate.
- **Friday Pep Rally** – A pep rally will be held from 2- 3 p.m. There will be different competitions as classes compete for the prized, candy-filled Spirit Stick! For the Stretch Out competition, items can be tied together prior to start of timed competition; however, all items must be clothing items. NO ropes, extension cords, etc.

Coming Events:

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

Saturday, Sept. 17

Soccer at St. Anthony HS in Effingham 11:00am.
Freshmen Boy's Basketball open gym 8:30 to 10:00am.

Sunday, Sept. 18

Tee Off Golf Scramble at Greenview Golf Course 1:00pm.
Okawville Wheat Festival Parade 2:00pm.

Monday, Sept. 19

Golf at Ramsey HS 4:00pm.
Soccer at Metro East Lutheran HS 4:30pm.
Volleyball game at Woodlawn HS 6:15pm.

Tuesday, Sept. 20

Association Board of Director meeting 7:00pm.
Golf at Sandoval HS & playing Okawville too 4:00pm.
Volleyball practice JV only 3:20 to 5:30pm.
Volleyball practice V only 6:00 to 8:00pm.
Soccer practice 3:20 to 5:00pm.
Cheerleading practice 3:20 to 5:30pm.

Wednesday, Sept. 21

Golf practice 3:30pm.
Soccer practice 3:20 to 5:00pm.
Volleyball practice 3:20 to 5:00pm.

Thursday, Sept. 22

FFA meeting 7:15am.
Volleyball game against Cowden Herrick HS 6:15pm.
Soccer against Carlyle HS 4:00pm.
Golf against Sandoval HS 4:00pm.
Cheerleading practice 3:20 to 5:30pm.

Friday, Sept. 23

Volleyball game against Beecher City 6:15pm.(Homecoming game)
Golf against Ramsey HS 4:00pm.
Soccer practice 3:20 to 5:00pm.

Saturday, Sept. 24

Driver One for School-Ford Test Drive Event
CORLHS Homecoming Dance 7:30 to 10:30pm.
Golf Centralia Invitational 9:00am.