

BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN SCHOOL WEEKLY NOTE

May 9, 2007



BETHLEHEM'S SPRING MUSICAL Thank you to everyone who directed, performed and helped make Bethlehem's Spring Musical "Noah's RemARKable Voyage", a great success! It was a wonderful performance and enjoyed by all!

GIRL SCOUTS CAR WASH: The Junior Girl Scouts will be having a CAR WASH & BAKE SALE *THIS SATURDAY*, May 12, from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. Proceeds will be going toward malaria prevention. Few people in America even know that malaria is still a danger in other countries. Malaria infects more than 300 million people each year and a child dies about every 30 seconds from malaria. But malaria can be prevented with a simple bed net treated with insecticide...a bed net that costs only \$10 to produce & deliver. Please come and support this worthy cause!

ATTENTION 7TH & 8TH GRADE PARENTS: The cookbooks are going to print and we need some help assembling and distributing them. We'll be working on them Friday morning, 10am, at school. If you have ordered any, or need some sent home, they will be available after school. Also, we'll be distributing them to church members Sunday morning. I have the 8am service covered but could use help at the 10:30 service. If you are available, call Scotti Hermansen at 708-681-0837.

ATTENTION AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS!: That was a great musical last week and I'm sure that many of you took some remARKable photographs. There were certainly enough digital cameras there to capture those memories. Please share a few of your favorite pictures with us and we will post them on Bethlehem's web page. Send them via email to Scotti.Hermansen@sbcglobal.net or get them to me on a memory stick or CD. Thanks!

YARD SIGNS: It's spring registration time! For those of you who received Bethlehem yard signs last year, please remember to put them out, if you have not already. We are in the process of ordering more lawn signs. If you would like to display a sign in your yard, but do not yet have one, please contact Kari Hermansen at 708-681-0837, email her at Kari.Hermansen@cais.cus.edu, or stop her on the lawn, after school and let her know. We will also be ordering some extra stakes. If you still have your sign but simply need a new stake, let her know too, and as soon as we receive them we will get them to you. Thanks!

7TH & 8TH GRADE COOKBOOK: "What's in our Kitchen" is a new cookbook that the 7th and 8th grade class and their families are making. It has well over 100 recipes in it! We are taking preorders for this Great gift idea fore Mother's Day! The cost is \$ 10.00 each and they will be available before Mother's Day! If you would like to order one, contact Scott Hermansen to sign up.

ACADEMIC TESTING: academic testing is underway! During testing, it is very important that all students be at his or her very best. To support this, **research shows that students should get a good night's sleep and eat breakfast every morning.** We ask that each child bring 4-#2 pencils, and a mid-morning snack to school. If you have any questions, regarding the testing, please contact your child's teacher.

RUSSELL'S NIGHT: There will be a Russell's Night Fundraiser for Bethlehem **TONIGHT** from 4:00 pm until 8:00 pm. Just tell the cashier you are with Bethlehem when ordering and 10% of your order will go to our school! Come, and have a night without cooking and support Bethlehem at the same time!

P.T.L. MEETING: The next P.T.L. Meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 16th at 7:00 pm. We hope all families will attend!

HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP FUND DINNER: The next High School Scholarship Fund Dinner will be a "50's and 60's Diner"! It will be held on Saturday, May 19th. There will be continuous serving from 5: until 6:30 pm. There will be entertainment by D.J. Elvis from 5:30 until 6:30. Tickets are \$ 12.00 for adults and \$ 6.00 for children under 12. Tickets are available from Judy Virzi, Peggy Shabez, Jeanne Walsh or Elizabeth Gallup. For more information, contact Judy Virzi at 847-451-8221.

CHAPEL OFFERINGS: The Chapel offerings for the months of April and May will be going to the Lutheran Seminaries Food Pantries. We thank all students and their families for their support of our chapel offerings!

SCRIP PROGRAM: Please note the next turn-in date for SCRIP orders will be on Friday, May 4th. If you have any questions, please contact Linda McGinnis at 708-681-1076.

WORSHIP SERVICES: Bethlehem Lutheran Church's Sunday services are held at 8:00 am and 10:30 am and Sunday School is held at 9:15 am. If you don't have a church home, we invite you to join us!