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Zion Lutheran School

BLUE NOTES

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But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law. Galatians 5:22-23

NLSA ACCREDITATION

Just a reminder that Zion Lutheran School will be undergoing an **Accreditation process** this year conducted by the National Lutheran School Association which is the accrediting body that represents the Missouri Synod schools across the country. As part of the process our school will be conducting a self-study to evaluate the actual conditions that are in place related to seven essential indicators of school quality. We are asking parents to help in this process by:

- 1) Completing a **NLSA Parent Survey** through this link [NLSA Parent Survey 2018](#).
- 2) Volunteering 3-5 hours of your time this winter to be a member of one of our self evaluation teams along with staff members, Board members and other members of the congregation. If you are interested in participating please email us at principal@zionschool.net

Lunch Program Helper (Assistant) Needed!

Zion Lutheran School is in need of substitutes for the Cook Assistant (not the head cook) to help out in the kitchen when needed. **This is a paid position.** The hours would be 9 AM-1 PM. If you are interested please contact the school.

Love Project: Week of November 5 Preschool-3rd grade—**Boxed Meals** (Taco/Pizza Dinner Kits)
4th–8th Grade—**Boxed Meals** (Hamburger/Chicken Helper)

7th & 8th Grade Students

Our 7th & 8th Grade students will be singing on Monday, November 19th at the 6:30 PM Church Service.

Lunch Account

Just a reminder, Please keep your lunch account current. This money helps us pay for the food we need to order for next month.

Lost & Found

Please check the lost and found to see if your child is missing a item. Our lost and found is filling up fast.

Upcoming Scrip dates: November 26

	Mon. 12th	Tue. 13th	Wed. 14th	Thurs. 15th	Fri. 16th	Sat. 17th	Sun. 18th
<div style="border: 2px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Safety Patrol</p> <p>Week of 11/12-11/16</p> <p>Sydney Andrews Almea Giovannini Athan Poggas Sub: Morgan Cetera</p> </div>	Veterans Day Program		<p>No PM BUS</p> <p>Chapel will be led by Joe Ferwerda (DCE Burlington)</p> <p>Honor Choir</p> <p>Science Fair Presentations</p>	Science Olympics Practice	Fall Charity Dance for 5th–8th grade	VBoys Invitational – Belvidere Science Olympics	VBoys Invitational – Belvidere
	Please see website for times and information						

Pottery Class

Just a reminder the Hand & Hamsa Dishes Pottery Class on November 22nd has been changed to November 29th. All Pottery Classes will be dismissed through the athletic entrance on the east side of the building. The Hand & Hamsa Dishes & the Christmas Ornaments Classes are now full. Thank you for your interest.

Zion PTL Pie

We will be selling the extra pies after the 8:00 AM Church Service. The Top Two Sellers are; Nicholas Jacobi in 3rd grade with 59 pies sold, the second seller is Khari Allen in Mrs. Dailey's Preschool Class with 34 pies sold. The class party winner is Mrs. Dailey's Preschool Class with 34 pies sold.

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Online Directory

We are pleased to announce that we will be using Fourleaf Networks for our online directory this year. Some key advantages to our new directory will be:

- **Convenient.** Access from any device, anytime, anywhere. On your smartphone, tap to call, text, email or get directions.
- **Searchable.** One box search makes finding what you're looking for quick and easy.
- **Up-to-date and in control.** Parents control what information is viewable to others and can update their information at any time.
- **Private & Secure.** Each adult in Fourleaf has their own account based on an email address and secure password. The information contained in Fourleaf is for use by families and staff of our school for non-commercial purposes only. It is NOT available to the general public.
- **Communications.** You choose how you want to receive important notices (email, text, both, none).

INSTRUCTIONS:

Register to view/search our directory and specify how you would like to receive important communications sent through the directory.

a) Point your browser to <https://www.fourleaf.net/zionschool>

b) At the prompt, enter your email address to be directed to our online registration form.

c) Continue to follow the prompts to add in your contact information, your family information, and indicate which data you'd like viewable to others.

You will receive an email with a link to set your password. Access to the online directory is restricted to our school community, so you will pending access until our Directory Administrator can review and authorize your access. (This may take a day or two, so please be patient). You will receive an email once your registration has been confirmed and you can log in and begin enjoying our new online directory.

Fourleaf Networks is a San Francisco Bay Area company founded in 2012. They specialize in creating trusted private networks that help schools create a more connected, efficient, and involved parent communities. To learn more, visit their website www.fourleaf.net.

