

St. Peter's School Newsletter
"A Family of Learners Trying to Live Like Jesus
In Our School, Homes, and Community"
September 28th, 2017

1. On Wednesday morning, October 4th, the 5th-8th graders will be taking a bus on a **field trip to the UWL Planetarium**. A big thank you to Ron and Rae Evenson for making this trip possible!
2. The **Marathon is Saturday, October 7th at the Houston Bike Trail**. The run/walk/bike will be from 10 to noon. More information was sent home with students on Monday. Also, on October 7th, we have **Bread Baking** here at St. Peter's in preparation for the Roast Beef Dinner. Can you help? Call Amanda Hinze or Holly Horihan for details. Thank you. Tell your friends, relatives, neighbors about the marathon and bread baking.
3. **St. Peter's Apparel orders are due Wednesday the 4th**. FYI: Some of the colors are different from the way they look on the order form. Please see **color descriptions** below each clothing item. We have lots of beautiful options, from size 6 months for infants to size 4XL for adults. **Size samples** are available in the office. Order forms are available in the school office and were sent home with students. The next time we have an order will be in two years. Thank you.
4. It's not too late to buy or turn in **Football Mania** tickets. The season has started, but there are still a lot of chances to win. There are paper tickets in the office and you can also buy online at <http://www.charitymania.com/give/A708A>. Tell your friends! **Congratulations Rick Cross**. He won \$25 on Football Mania this week.
5. We are in the process of **renewing our Accreditation** through Minnesota Nonpublic Schools Accrediting Association. We do this comprehensive self-study and planning every 7 years (in addition to annual requirements). The School Board, staff, and other volunteers are working on this process. If you are interested in helping as well, please contact Mrs. Fishel at stpeter@acegroup.cc. Thank you.
6. We still have openings for **After School Care from 3 to 6 pm**, even for drop-ins. The public school buses will all drop off here at St. Peter's. Call or email if you would like more information or have any questions.
7. We still need a **lunch/recess supervisor** for Thursday and/or Friday. Please let us know if you can help. You'll get a delicious meal.
8. **Transportation issues or questions?** Please call Joan Von Arx or Rachel Fishel and we will do our best to help you!

9. If you have **questions**, please contact: lunch questions—Pat VonArx or Tammy Miller; tuition questions—Arlene Hegge or Joan VonArx; scrip questions-Jaynie Sheffer or Holly Horihan; general questions-Joan VonArx. If you ever need to **speak to the principal**, Mrs. Fishel, please call 894-4375 or email stpeter@acegroup.cc or stop in after 12:30.
10. Fall weather makes deciding **what to wear** a little tricky. Remember our **guidelines**: Shorts (to the end of your fingers) are only allowed if the predicted temperature for the day is over 65 degrees. Sleeveless shirts (NOT spaghetti straps) are allowed if the predicted temperature for the day is over 85 degrees. Bring a sweatshirt for cool mornings! Thank you for your cooperation.
11. If you are **late to pick up** your child after school, your **child will go to After School Care**, and you will be charged the one hour minimum of \$3. Thank you for your understanding.
12. Mark your calendars: **Picture Day** will be October 11th, and Retake day (and for preschoolers) will be November 14th.
13. The **roast beef dinner and country market** are on October 14th. Please make plans to work at the dinner and donate a baked good or homemade item to the country market. The sign-up sheets are in the lobby. **Every family needs to make two pies for the Roast Beef Dinner** (bring to room to the right of the school library Friday night or Monday morning) **and contribute some homemade item or baked good to the Country Market** (bring to the lobby Friday or Saturday). Thank you for supporting St. Peter's!
14. At St. Peter's School, we teach your children what you teach them, **your faith and your values**, things our culture and society do not teach.
15. Want to **know Jesus better? Read the gospels**-Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John. Need a bible? You can borrow one from Mrs. Fishel anytime, for as long as you want.☺

