



# **THE COLTS CHRONICLE**

## ***Crown of Life Lutheran School***

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**Principal David Stoltz**

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### **From Principal Stoltz**

1. We will be having a tailgate party on Friday, May 26. The event will start at noon. This is an optional activity. Our closing chapel service will start at 11:30 a.m. and you are welcome to join us before the tailgate festivities begin.

2. Thank you to all those families who helped out this last Saturday with the church and school work day. All your efforts are greatly appreciated and we look forward to more workdays in the future.

3. This year's Graduation Service will be on Thursday, May 25, and we will have the Prek-8th grade students sing. The service will start at 6:30 p.m. This will also be our closing service for the school year.

4. A special thank you to all the students, parents, and families for all the wonderful gifts and surprises for Teacher Appreciation Week. As a faculty we feel truly loved and appreciated at Crown of Life.

### **SCRIP Order Being Compiled!**

An order for SCRIP is being placed this week! Contact Belinda Matter with any questions.



### **Recital News**

The handbell choirs and piano students at Crown of Life will be performing in their Spring Recital on Wednesday, May 17, at 6:00 p.m. From classical to jazz and folk songs to pop songs, there will be music for everyone to enjoy! Come enjoy a night of music and see our students showcase their talents next week. We hope to see you there!

### **Mission Offerings**

#### ***Multi-Language Productions***

**May 10--\$7.50**

### **Vacation Bible School**

Crown of Life's Vacation Bible School will be held July 11-14. The free Camp Phillip Day Camp "Up in the Air" is for students entering 3K-Grade 6. **Registration is online at [crownoflifehubertus.com](http://crownoflifehubertus.com) under "News and Events."**

### **VBS Volunteers**

Students entering 7th grade and alumni (as well as parents and grandparents) are welcome to help with our summer VBS Day Camp the week of July 10-14. Volunteers can help with snacks, crafts and guiding groups of attendees and are needed from 8:45-3:15 or half days. If you would like to help or have any questions, please contact Mrs. Grivno.

## Chapel Family Field Day

The last day of school we will be having a special field day. Students from all grades will participate in a rotation of fun games and competitions culminating with a whole school gathering in the gym. Throughout the year, during chapel, students have sat together in families with students of all ages. These groups are each assigned colors. For our last day of school each chapel family is asked to dress in their color. There are just a few changes to make things easier. The group that was silver is now going to be light blue, the blue group is going to be dark blue and the gold group can dress in mustard yellow and the previously yellow group can dress in lighter and neon yellows and avoid the mustard tones.



Following the activities, all are welcome for our closing chapel at 11:30 a.m. in the church. If you are interested in helping out at one of the stations on Friday, May 26, please sign up at this link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B044DAFAD22A3F58-field>

## Community Pig Roast

You are invited to COL's Community Pig Roast on Saturday, June 10, at 3:30-6:30 p.m. Come for free food, children's activities, gift card drawings, and fun! The band *Unworthy* will be playing at 5:30 p.m. We hope to see you there!

## Care to Contribute

Contributions are now being accepted for door prizes for the COL Community Event taking place on Saturday, June 10 from 3:30 – 6:30 p.m. The event includes free food, free music and free activities, lots of fellowship, special guests and door prizes. Contributions for door prizes can be in the form of handicrafts, gifts, gift cards or monetary donations. Please contact Belinda Matter with any questions or drop off contributions to the school office by June 3. Watch for numerous other opportunities to lend a hand and mark your calendar to attend.

## Band Awards

Congratulations to Albert Grivno, Ava Herman, and Ava Stolzman who were recognized at the Kettle Moraine Elementary School Band Program Music Awards on Friday. Way to go!

## May and Mental Health

May is the month chosen to help increase awareness of mental health. It is also the month when the ASICS company (ASICS is an acronym for the Latin phrase *anima sana in corpore sano* translated by Asics as "a sound mind, in a sound body") sponsors the Blue Jean Mile – a free event that is virtual. If time and weather allows, students at COL will participate in this activity during a PE Class, but families are also invited to take the initiative and get involved. You can register if you wish at race roster, invite family and friends or go it alone, put on a pair of blue jeans and traverse one-mile on a trail or on the road. This is the 4th year for the event and to date student has accomplished the goal. Help students remember to bring a pair of blue jeans to school on their PE days. Visit [ASICS.com](http://ASICS.com) for more history on this unique event. Visit [RaceRoster.com](http://RaceRoster.com) and locate the 2023 Blue Jean Mile to sign up.

## Pickleball Underway!

All students in K-8th are learning elements of the game of pickle ball, the country's fastest growing sport. This PE unit will conclude with the opportunity to participate in mini tournament in conjunction with the tailgate taking place on the last day of school. Instruction will be provided as will equipment. Play will take place in the gymnasium so indoor, clean gym shoes will be needed to play. Singles and doubles will be offered and you will be allowed to change partners throughout the event.



## Hand in Track Uniforms

Please make sure washed track uniforms are handed in to the office by Wednesday, May 17, in a labeled plastic bag.

## COL Ski Club

As our weather warms, nobody wants to think about next winter. That said, we wanted to give a heads-up on an opportunity we are working on for next winter. Jason Dobbs is working with Little Switzerland (Slinger) to setup a ski club for our school. If we are able to get 30 participants, the group will be given discounted lift tickets/lessons/rentals for four evenings of skiing or snowboarding. If you haven't priced this out lately – a Saturday lift ticket/rental/lesson can exceed \$150.

What does a typical ski club look like?

- Four nights of skiing with beginner lessons included. Rentals can be included for extra \$\$
- Loyalty card for discounted skiing the rest of the season.
- Likely January to early February--exact dates TBD
- Cost would be \$110-\$125 per skier/boarder if no equipment is needed. A little over \$200 if equipment rentals are required. (They have not published next year's pricing)
- Online sign-up/payment

We will try to avoid heavy sports and practice nights. **If this is something you are potentially interested in, please let Jason Dobbs know ASAP so he can gauge the initial level of interest.** You may contact him at 414-732-3969 or [piiturbo@yahoo.com](mailto:piiturbo@yahoo.com)

## Luther Prep Summer Camps

Luther Prep is excited to offer a variety of day camps & overnight camps for various sports **AND** for the 3rd year in a row our Phoenix Adventure Camp! Please go the following link for more details and to register [https://www.lps.wels.net/apps/pages/summer\\_camps](https://www.lps.wels.net/apps/pages/summer_camps)

## Beauty and the Beast Junior

“Be our guest...” at the *Beauty and the Beast Jr.* musical performances on Thursday, June 29, at 7:00 p.m.; Friday, June 30, at 7:00 p.m.; and Saturday, July 1, at 2:00 p.m. at the Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School Performing Arts Center. This musical is presented by talented students from area Lutheran Grade Schools, including Crown of Life! Tickets will be sold at the door at KML beginning 30 minutes before each performance. All tickets are general admission and \$10 each.

## 3K-4K News

Bible Time: Esther and our song for graduation!  
Music & Movement: review of our favorite songs and games! Small Group: Fine Motor skills. We will be doing a lot of cutting this week.

Remember our end of the year class party will be on Wednesday 5/24 and Thursday 5/25 so everyone has the opportunity to attend. See our sign up to help provide items :)

## 5K-First Grade News

This week the kindergarten and first grade are preparing for their Classroom Zoo display. We will be labeling our animals and sorting them into groups. Our Zoo will be open to the public from 2:15-3:15. We welcome any visitors!



We are also practicing our song for May 24 at 6:30 p.m. Please join us for the final school service and eighth grade graduation.

Thank you to all those parents who helped drive and chaperone for our field trip last Friday. It was a wonderful day!

Next week we will begin bringing things home each day as we clean out our classroom for the end of the year. Friday we will end with our final chapel service and have our Field Day with our chapel family groups. Please join us for a tailgate lunch and an early dismissal.

## Second-Third Grade News

This week second and third grade will be finishing up our fairy tale study with writing activities and a special day on Friday. Students will be invited to wear pjs and in the afternoon we'll share our stories and watch a fairy tale movie. Friday will also be our last Show and Tell. This week is our last week of spelling and using our reading books.

Thank you to all who drove for our field trip on Friday. Your time and presence was greatly appreciated.

Thank you also to everyone for the thoughtful and kind gifts during Teacher Appreciation Week. It is a blessing to serve at Crown of Life and teach these students about their Lord and the world around them.

## Fourth Grade News

Wow! So many, many thanks for the amazing gift baskets, cards, meals, treats, hugs, and so much more from Teacher Appreciation Week. It is truly a blessing to be working at an amazing school with so many wonderful people. Thank you again!

This last full week of classes will find the students learning more about the early Christian church. Memory treasures for the week include Matthew 28:19-20 and 1 Peter 5:8. The hymn for Wednesday is 588:1. This is also the week all the students finish their written reports and put together a poster for the living wax museum next Tuesday, May 23, from 1:30-3:00 p.m. Remember to invite your family to come see and hear all the hard work put in by the fourth graders!



Friday is also our field trip to Serenity Villa. Leaving time is moved up to 12:45. The plan is to do outside activities with the residents if the weather permits. On the way back to school, we will stop at a park and enjoy a treat. Arrival at school will be 3:00 or a little after. Thanks to Spenner, Boldt, Nirschl, Klemann, and Lemke for driving!

## Fifth-Sixth Grade News

Last normal full week of the school year! We have our last two lessons in Catechism this week which will be wrapping up the Petitions. Next week, we will be doing a final overview in Catechism for everything that we discussed this school year. In Reading, we are halfway through "A Wrinkle in Time" and will be finishing up the book early next week. Finally, on Friday last week, we started our final paper for the school year which is a research paper. Students will be organizing their notes in class this week and then start writing their rough draft, which will be due next Monday, 5/22. Hope everyone had a lovely weekend celebrating Mother's Day! Please let me know if you have any questions! Have a great week!

## Seventh-Eighth Grade News

Last week, we made Mothers' Day gifts for our moms. We did Banzai in math, and finished our Science presentations, which will be presented this week. We continue to count down the days to the end of the year. We also started our end of the year olympics with Mrs. Wierschem, starting with a quiz about her. We also cooked food from Peru in Spanish class. We congratulate those who went to the Track and Field event at KML. Hayley came in 2nd in the mile, 1st in the 4x1 relay, and 2nd in the 400 meter. AJ competed. Izzie got 3rd in shot put, 1st in the 4x1, and 2nd in the long jump. Jayden came 8th in shot put, 1st in the 4x1, and 8th in long jump. Ava Herman came 2nd in discus. Ava S came in 1st in the 4x1, 5th in the 400 meter, and third in long jump. We also sent Ava S and Ava H to the Band Party at the YMCA for all band students.

*by Micah Dobbs*

*Crown of Life works to educate and equip children for lives of Christian service and for eternity.*