

Raider Review 9.2.15

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- **NO SCHOOL Friday, Sept. 4 or Monday, Sept. 7 (Labor Day) Enjoy your long weekend!**

Sign in sheet in office – All volunteers and visitors, please stop in the office to sign in first. Thank you!

We ♥ our volunteers! They help everything run smoothly here at school. We are looking for just a few more friendly faces in these areas:

Lunchroom helpers – monitor the lunch room from 11:15 am – 12:45 pm. Contact Carrie VandenBosch to choose your day. 651-274-4718

Morning supervisors – monitor the gym from 7:30 – 8:00 am. Contact the office or Miss Klessig to choose your day.

AR helpers – 3 volunteers needed to monitor the computer lab from 8:00 – 8:30 a.m. Contact Jackie Stokke at 651-253-7818.

Thank you to all who have volunteered. These programs can only run with parent help.

Mission News – Our first semester mission project will be toward the building of a church in Thailand. Mission offerings are collected each Friday during Matins.

School Pictures will be taken on Tuesday, September 22 (and Wednesday, September 23 for M/W/F Pre-K.) We need one more parent helper for Tuesday morning. Please contact April in the office if you would like to help.

Thank you from our new teachers:

Dear Crown of Life Church and School,
Thank you for such a warm and enthusiastic welcome! Thanks for your generous gifts of congratulations and well wishes and for keeping us in prayer! Thank you again for the confidence and trust you have extended to us. We look forward to serving our Savior with you this year, and for the many years to come! What a blessing it is to guide and nurture the littlest of lambs.

Amber Johnson and Kate Wahl

Choristers – Rehearsals begin next Wednesday, Sept. 9. Students in grades 5-8 are eligible to join. Commitment/permission slips are due back to Mrs. Danner by TOMORROW, Sept. 3. Information packets are available in the mail box outside the Music room.

Important Dates

Sept. 4	NO SCHOOL
Sept. 7	NO SCHOOL / Labor Day
Sept. 9	Sports Pictures
Sept. 11	Matins & Muffins and Panera
Sept. 18	Family Groups Prayer Partners
Sept. 21-30	Terra Nova Testing
Sept. 22 & 23	School Pictures
Sept. 27	Gr. 3-8 sing 8:00 WSP 9:00 EGN

Grace Given, Grace Driven

For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith – and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God – not by works, so that no one can boast.
Ephesians 2:8-9

Good News

Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly.
Colossians 3:16



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AD News *Justin Ohm, AD*

Sports fees are due for the fall sports seasons. Soccer and volleyball seasons have officially begun with practices starting last week. Practices continue this week as the teams prepare for their upcoming games; just a reminder that both the volleyball and soccer teams will practice tomorrow (Thursday, Sept. 3) before the four day weekend. When the students return to school on Tuesday they will compete in their first conference game by hosting Salem, Stillwater. Here are the details of that game day:

Tuesday (Sept. 8) COL vs. Salem, Stillwater

Volleyball (played at Crown of Life):

B Girls @ 4:15

A Girls @ 5:00

Soccer (played at St. Thomas Academy's practice field #2):
Game time @ 4:15

Practice field #2 at St. Thomas Academy is located on their baseball outfield right next to Mendota Rd. Directions will be handed out as the players leave school on Tuesday. The next game day will be Thursday, Sept. 10 when COL travels to Christ Lutheran in their second conference game. More details on that game will be provided in next week's Raider Review.

There have been some changes to the soccer calendar. Please check the google calendar on the church website (date changes are Thursday, Sept. 17 and Tuesday, Sept. 22 with a practice added on Wednesday, Sept. 22).

FALL SPORTS PICTURE DAY is next Wednesday (Sept. 9). Picture order forms will be sent home prior to picture day. Crown of Life is using a different photography company for their school and sports pictures this year. Please read through and become familiar with the new order form. Cross Country will take their picture before school is dismissed; soccer and volleyball teams will take theirs after school, during their practices. Here is a list of what the players should bring with them:

Soccer: Jersey (washed from last game), game shorts, game socks and shoes

Volleyball: "B" Team – COL shorts and jersey uniform

"A" Team – COL jersey and their own athletic black shorts

Cross Country: COL jersey, the athlete's own black shorts and white T-Shirt for under the jersey

Homework Pickup for Sick Child – Any homework for a student absent due to illness will be brought to the bench outside the office for pickup. We will not be sending homework with siblings.

Car line procedure- ALL parents picking up children at dismissal time are required to use our car line procedure. This is for the safety of all of our students. DO NOT park in the spaces facing Crusader Ave. and run across to get your child. Thank you for your cooperation.

School Doors & Parking Lot Gate – The school doors leading into the gym hallway will be locked at 8:30 am each day, and the parking lot gate will be closed at that time as well. The gate will be re-opened at the end of the school day for the car line to come through.

Pioneer News

Upcoming Meetings: Thursday, Sept. 10 & 25, 6:30 pm

PTN News

Prayer Partner Volunteers Needed

The PTN is looking for 5-10 Prayer Partner helpers the morning of Friday, September 18th, beginning after matins until about 11:30am. Helpers will assist students in writing letters to their Prayer Partners. If you are able to help, please contact Leslee Yoder at (612) 616-8594 or lmnyder@q.com.

New Program – Kwik Trip Caps!

The PTN is introducing a new reward program for our school. Collect and save these items from Kwik Trip products:

*Caps and bag tops from Nature's Touch products

*UPC bar codes from 16 oz or larger Nature's Touch ice cream

*Glazer ½ dozen tan price oval
Drop off in the box by the BoxTops container in the narthex. COL receives 5¢ for each label.

After School Care

This program is open to all students in Pre-K through grade 8, and is offered from 3:15 – 5:30 pm Monday through Friday (except early release and no school days.) Our ASC supervisor is Mrs. Rachelle Danner (our upper grade departmentalized Math, Art and Music teacher.) The cost is \$5/hr. There is a \$20 per child registration fee, paid up front. Registration forms are available from the office or Mrs. Danner. Please inform the teacher if your child will go to ASC that day.

Band info – contact John Fenske @ 651-242-4168 if your child is interested in band and you have not signed up yet. Band lessons begin on Tuesday, September 15.

COL logo water bottles are on order and due to come in on September 3. Feel free to send a water bottle from home until then, if you'd like.

Looking for Art Adventure Volunteers! – Any parent interested in volunteering as a “Picture Person” for the Art Adventure program in January should contact Mrs. Danner at rdanner@colwsp.org or 651-451-3832 ext.117. The time commitment involves 1 hour of classroom time per week for 3-4 weeks, plus the required 2 ½ hour training session at the Minneapolis Institute of Arts (scheduled for the evening of November 5 or the morning of November 12).

Lunch Program – CKC Good Food provides our lunches. Each day there's a hot meal, entrée salad or sandwich meal available. Meals are \$2.75 for students and includes milk. Fresh fruit and salad bar come with all meals. Milk only is sold for 50¢. Students are to sign up each week by Tuesday morning, for their meal choices for the following week. Sign up sheets will come home each Friday, and should be returned to the teacher by Tuesday morning start of school. **Payments:** Returning families should be using their FeePay accounts. New families have been sent a link by Mr. Herbison, in order to set up your account. This will enable you to deposit money, view your child's balance etc. We also accept cash (in an envelope marked with your child's name and grade) or checks (payable to Crown of Life) in the office at any time. Use the gold mailbox right inside the office door to deposit your payment. This money is recorded and deposited at the end of each week.

