



# Bethel Lutheran School's Weekly Newsletter

# BOBCAT BULLETIN

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In the beginning God created the heavens and  
the earth. Genesis 1:1

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**CHAPEL:** During the third quarter our chapel offerings will be given to our own **Equip for Quality Fund**. This fund is used to purchase things for the school which are not budgeted but necessary. Most recently a lot of money from this fund has been used to upgrade or purchase new technology. This past week we collected **\$46.37**. Our total for the quarter is now **\$46.37**.

**PRESCHOOL ENROLLMENT:** Open enrollment for BLS 21-22 Preschool sessions began on **Friday, January 15, 2021**. Enrollment is open to the public on a first come first served basis. As of today, there are **seven** students enrolled in the 4 yr. old program and **one** in our 3 yr. old program. Help us get the word out!

**HONOR ROLL:** Congratulations to those students in grades 6-8 who made honor roll for the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter!

**All A's & B's**

- Olivia Rouech Gr. 6
- James Krohn Gr. 7
- Logan Szostek Gr. 7
- Hayden Powers Gr. 8

**All A's**

- Trevor Dean Gr. 6
- Connor McGehee Gr. 7
- Heidi Dahn Gr. 8
- Alivia Kukla Gr. 8

**LUTHERAN SCHOOLS WEEK:** It was a fun week last week. The penny challenge was a big success. We collected a total of **\$824.66!** **Grades 3-5 won the Penny War challenge collecting \$349.52.** Work will begin to use these funds to purchase snacks and food for the staffs of local nursing homes. It's our way of saying thanks to front line workers in our community. **Grades 1-2 won the spirit week contest and will have the Spirit Stick in their room until next year.** A video of our students was placed on our website and on Facebook. Check it out! Thanks to my entire staff for their hard work and support of **Lutheran Schools Week**. Thanks to all our students and their families for their support as well.

**FUNDRAISER:** Bethel will have an on line fundraiser to support the treasury of our Christian Education Association. There is a letter attached to this newsletter as well as pictures of the various products we are selling. The fundraiser starts today! The CEA is working on two major projects – replacing our gym scoreboard and major renovations to our playground. Please participate to the extent you are possible. Thanks!

**REMEMBER:** The BC Public schools are having face to face instruction again. We will follow their lead on weather related closings. **If the BC Public schools are closed because of the weather we are also closed.** No separate announcement will be made.

**SCORE BOARD/PLAYGROUND:** The Board of Education and the Church Council have tentatively approved a plan that will enable us to replace our ageing gym scoreboard. Jennifer Thunberg will be coordinating this project. It will be purchased using sponsors. If everything works out we should have something new to use before the next school year. No funds from the CEA or BOE will be needed. If there are surplus funds raised, they will be used to help support the CEA's efforts to raise money for a major playground space renovation. There are a lot of exciting things developing – stayed tuned!

3/26 End 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter  
 Faculty in Service – Dismiss at Noon  
 3/31 Report Cards Sent Home

**REMINDER:** If you have posted our paper copy of the school year calendar, please remember a change. **We will have school on Monday, February 8<sup>th</sup>.**

**VOLLEYBALL:**

**Practices:** Practices are from **3:00 to 4:30** unless otherwise listed.

**Monday 2/1**  
**Thursday 2/4**  
 Monday 2/8  
 Thursday 2/11

**Matches:**

**Friday 2/12 vs. GS Mid. @ 5:30 @ Bethel**  
**vs. St. B's @ 7:30 @ Bethel**  
 Friday 2/19 vs. SJ Hem. @ 5:30 @ Christ Sh.  
 vs. Trinity I @ 6:30 @ Christ Sh.  
 Friday 2/26 vs. SJBC II @ 5:30 @ SJBC  
 vs. SJBC I @ 6:30 @ SJBC  
 Friday, 3/5 vs. SJSag @ 5:30 @ Bethel  
 vs. Trinity II @ 7:30 @ Bethel

**BIRTHDAYS:** Happy Birthday to:

Parker Sweetman 2/1 K  
 Ian McGehee 2/4 Gr. 4  
 Chloe Crites 2/5 Gr. 6

**COMING UP:**

2/14 Valentine's Day  
 2/17 Ash Wednesday  
 2/24 Hungry Howies Pizza Day  
 2/26 Faculty in Service – ½ Day  
 3/5 Principals' Conference in PM  
 Sports Team Pictures in PM  
 3/12 MALL League Meeting  
 3/14 Day Light Saving Time Begins