

St. John School

BADGER BYTES

Principal's Corner - Mr. Snow

We are planning for the last day of the year on May 28th. The plan is to go to the Mineshaft game room with parent drivers. When we have had enough fun there, we will travel over to Menomonee Park to check out the zoo and play equipment and have bag lunches. Please send a bag lunch with your child that day, if you need the school to provide a lunch, let us know and it will be counted against your hot lunch account. In the afternoon we plan to come back to play some yard games like croquet, bags, ladder golf etc. If you could help with transportation (like we did for our sledding outing) that would be great. Please call or email the school office if you are able to drive. Thank you to those parents who have already signed up to drive.

Remember the plant sale going on this Sunday from 9am to noon under the canopy at school.

Confirmation will be next Sunday, May 16th at the 10:30am worship service. Congratulations to Kaylee and Dominick. 3rd and 4th graders will play their recorders for the service.

Only 3 weeks of school left! Just a reminder all accounts need to be cleared up before you child will receive their report cards, these include hot lunch, tuition, and library fines. Please be sure to get all library books turned into the library.

Closing chapel will be Thursday, May 27th at 2pm and graduation will be at 6:30pm as part of the worship service. Congratulations to our 8th graders: Taviah Fredenburg, Aliyah Johannes, Dominick Nechkash, and Kaylee Vergin.

We wish all our mothers Happy Mother's Day this weekend, you are a blessing to your children.

May 7, 2021
Weekly Edition

Upcoming Events

May 9 -
Mother's Day
Garden Sale

May 11 - 6pm
Board of
Education
Meeting

May 12 -
Faculty
Meeting

May 13 -
Basketball
Open Gym

May 16 -
Confirmation

May 20 -
Volleyball Open
Gym

May 26 -
Kindergarten
Graduation

May 27 -
8th Grade
Graduation

May 28 -
Last Day of
School

Chapel Offering: \$25.75 Total Offerings: \$208.57

Mark Your
Calendars!

4K

We have sent home a review paper for the letter V. Please help your child complete it and return it to school. Your child will be able to share it with their classmates.

This week we were reviewing how to write the numbers 5, 6 and 7. Our poem this week was "Hot Cross Buns".

We continue to learn songs for sight words. We added the words am and have.

We sent home the grant book, "Ducks in a Row". As you read it with your child, have them point out all the words they can read.

We read a story called, "How Many Toys in the Tub". We used math sentences using addition and subtraction to illustrate what was happening in the story as we read. We compared items and made predictions about which would float, and which would sink.

With the new month we made new calendar markers. This month we made three different kinds of bath toys, duck, turtle, and boat. We used unifix cubes to practice an ABC pattern.

Kindergarten Ms. Linse

During Jesus' time, we read about Jesus ascending to Heaven. Jesus went up into heaven, above the clouds. Before leaving, He gave His disciples a job to do: tell everyone about Him. Jesus wants us to show and tell people about His great love for them. He promises to stay with us always and to take us to heaven to live with Him forever.

We cannot wait for our moms to open their presents on Sunday. We have also started working on our graduation projects - we need those family pictures please.

We are in the final countdown for the chicken eggs to hatch. We are excited to see them hatching Monday and Tuesday.

We are working through our last Superkid book, and we have finished all our math lessons. Please keep reading with your child 20 to 30 minutes every day. They got a new Superkid story today and their next homework bag. Can you believe there are only 15 days of school left? Kindergarten graduation is fast approaching: May 26th at 6pm. Please send in a family photo that we can use for our graduation project.

1st/2nd Mrs. Fritsch

This week we heard from Acts 1:1-11, the story of how Jesus arose into heaven! The disciples were told that Jesus will come back the same way He left! He goes to prepare a place for ALL of us in heaven, so we can be with Him. He also told the disciples to stay in Jerusalem and wait for the Holy Spirit to come to them. Well, how long would they have to wait? 10 more days, the day of Pentecost, the Holy Spirit came like the sound of a rushing wind. Their gift was to speak in different languages and tell everyone in Jerusalem about Jesus! We also heard about the man named Saul. He was working for the Pharisees and was going around arresting Christians. Until Jesus came to him, caused him to be blind for 3 days and changed his heart. Saul repented of his evil ways, was Baptized and changed his name to Paul, now a follower of Christ!

In Math 2nd grade is learning x4, dividing, coordinate graph and point of origin, arrays, and both grades are doing probability and marking temperatures. 1st grade is learning, to write and read tally marks, measuring by cm and inches, adding, counting by 10's. We have a really cool game board for our Legoland Math Path Game!

We planted sunflower seeds and found that some didn't germinate at all. We replanted a different kind of sunflower and most of them are now seedlings. Our Painted Lady Caterpillars arrived and are getting fatter by the day. Soon we will see chrysalis' forming! Spring is such an exciting time! Have a great weekend. Attend worship and share Jesus with everyone you meet!

**3rd/4th Grade
Mrs. Schram**

Happy Baptismal birthday to Xander. Third graders have finished the lessons in their math book. They will continue to work on math review lessons.

An Earth Day activity we did this week was make coffee ground "fossils." I told the class I would put the ingredients needed in the newsletter. What you need: 1 cup of used coffee grounds, 1/2 cup of cold coffee, 1 cup of flour, and 1/2 cup of salt. A good way to recycle/reuse coffee.

Earth Day by Kaydance

Everyone should pick up trash

Always reuse stuff

Reduce and recycle

The Earth is important

Help the environment by turning off the water

Don't cut down trees

April 22nd is Earth Day

You should give your toys to other boys and girls.

Earth Day by Xander

Everyone should pick up trash

Always recycle

Reuse cups

Take care of Earth

Help trees

Do your part on Earth Day

Anybody can help the Earth

Yay the Earth is clean.

The class is working on presenting the skit "The Earth Day Carol." I am looking at the date Thursday, May 20th at 2:00. We will perform it outside. Parents are invited to attend.

Enjoy all the beautiful colors of spring.

**5th/6th Grade
Mr. Snow**

We have completed lesson 112 in math class. Parents should have seen and signed test 21 this week.

In reading class, we have read up to chapter 12 in Old Yeller. The dog was injured badly by the hogs when protecting Travis. He has been treated and returned home to recuperate.

We are practicing track and field skills in gym class.

We have been studying Jesus' miracles in religion.

We had a test about eastern Europe today (Friday).

We have been learning about nutrition in health class.



**7th/8th Grade
Mr. Pett**

We are finishing our unit on Eastern Europe. Our next unit will be China, Mongolia, and Taiwan.

We are nearing the end of the study of fish, reptiles, and amphibians. We will have a test next week on that unit.

We are in the midst of a large art project outside. We are repainting the picnic tables and one bench. The kids made a suggestion for repainting the tables. They are learning a few life skills on how to repaint items.

It is getting near the end of the year. Please remind your student that they need to stay on task in their homework. I am starting to see some students start to stray from staying on task. This group is a very capable group with great abilities.

Have a great week in the Lord,

Mr. Pett

Sports

Just a reminder that your child is welcome at the open gyms if they are interested. They are from 3:30-5pm. These are not structured practices, but supervised time for your child to work on areas they wish to improve and just get hands on outside of our regular seasons. Masks are required and please make sure they have a water bottle.

Our last Volleyball open gym, for girls in grades 4-8, is on May 20th.

Remaining Basketball open gyms are for all students in grades 4-8 on May 13th, and May 27th.

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

This Sunday, May 9th will be the last day of Sunday School. We thank all the loyal parents who made sure their children attended every Sunday, a special thank you to the Bruss family who had perfect Sunday School attendance this year! This Sunday will be a fun day and we hope everyone can attend. Thank you to all and we'll see you in church this summer! Read your Bible stories! Mrs. Wallner

Mother's Day Plant Sale

The school will be having their Mother's Day Plant Sale this, Sunday, May 9th, from 9am to noon in front of the school. We will be selling: Roma Tomatoes, Big Boy Tomatoes, Green Bell Peppers, Jalapeno Peppers, Petunias, Pansies, Geraniums and Gerbera Daisies. We will also have a few hanging baskets available. Plan to stop in and get a head start on your spring planting needs.

Geraniums, Petunias, Gerbera Daisies are in a 4.5" pot for \$4.50
Pansies are \$3.00 per 4pack
Tomatoes and Peppers are \$4.00 per 6pack

Kids in the kitchen

Cooking with your youngster will teach him valuable kitchen skills—and help him practice reading and math. Try these suggestions.

Read recipes. Ask your child to read a recipe aloud. Then, have him gather the ingredients and tools you'll need. Can he find dried oregano and a whisk? Next, follow the steps together. *Idea:* Build his vocabulary by explaining unfamiliar cooking words. ("Zest means to scrape off tiny bits of the lemon peel.")



Use math. Put your youngster in charge of kitchen math. He can find the correct measuring spoons and cups, measure wet and dry ingredients, and read a food thermometer. He'll also learn about conversions—for example, that 4 tsp. = $\frac{1}{4}$ cup.

Tip: Get your child in the habit of putting dishes in the dishwasher as he works. That way, there won't be a big sticky mess to clean up at the end. ●

Hot Lunch Next Week

Mon, May 10th

Tacos; cheese, lettuce, salsa; carrots-vegs; chilled peaches; dessert, milk

Tues, May 11th

Covered wagons, tator tots, baked beans, carrots-vegs, applesauce, milk

Wed, May 12th

Pizza, rice pilaf, carrots-vegs, chilled pears, milk

Thurs, May 13th

Chicken fajitas; onions, cheese, salsa; carrots-vegs, mixed fruit, dessert, milk

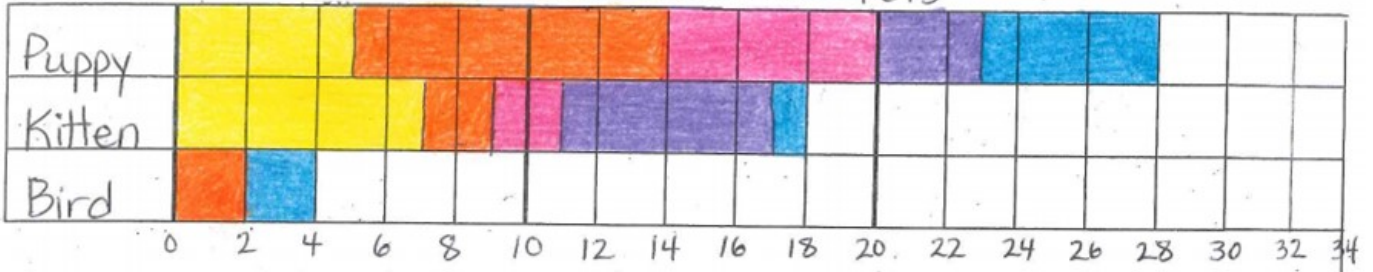
Fri, May 14th

Cheese omelets, ham-sausage links, pancakes-French toast sticks, broccoli, breads, pineapple tidbits, milk



Grades K-8

Our Favorite House Pets



Observations about the graph.

1. Bird is the least favorite house pet.
2. Puppy is the favorite house pet.
3. 50 people voted.

Graph Key

K =

1+2 =

3+4 =

5+6 =

7+8 =

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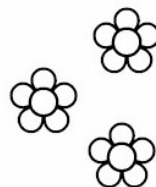
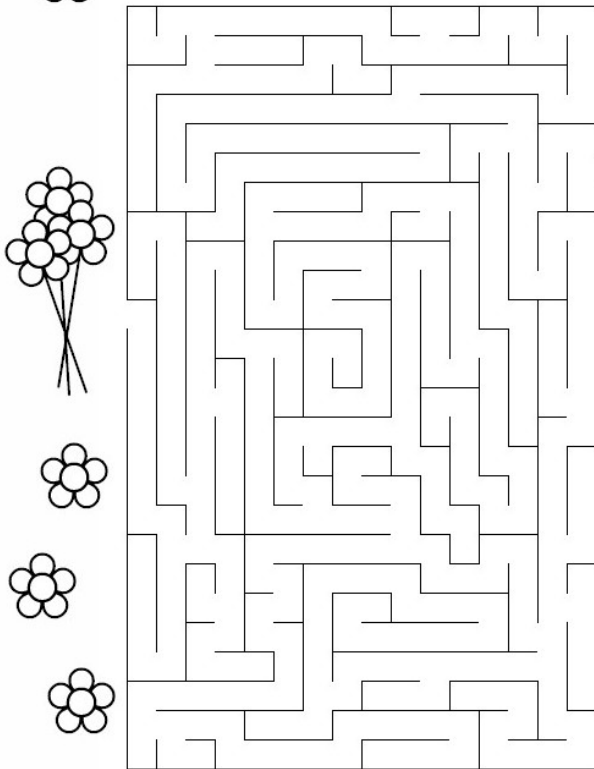
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BRING THE BOUQUET TO MOM



Happy
Mother's
Day