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Emmaus Chronicle

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Upcoming Events

- Fri, 9/1 8:30 am Chapel & mission offering collection
- Sun, 9/3 Worship 8:00/10:30 am
- Mon, 9/4 Labor Day NO SCHOOL
- Wed, 9/6 Spirit Day Disney Day
- Fri, 9/8 8:30 am Grandparents' Day
- Fri, 9/8 8:30 am Chapel & mission offering collection
- Fri, 9/8 Hot Lunch
 Pizza
- Sun, 9/10 Worship 8:00/10:30 am
- Wed, 9/13
 Picture Day
- Fri, 9/15 8:30 am Chapel & mission offering collection

Upcoming Sports

- Mon, Tue, Wed 8/28, 8/29, 8/30 3:30 – 4:30 pm Flag Football for boys grades 5-8
- Thu, 8/31 FF home game vs Christ Greenfield
- Tue, 9/5 FF away at Atonement

All School News

No School – on Monday, September 4th in observance of Labor Day.

Pet Free Campus – We have several students and staff members who have severe allergies to animals. We ask that if you bring your dog or other pet along to drop off or pick up your child, please keep the pets in your car. Pets are not allowed on campus on any school day or at sporting or other events. Thank you for your understanding.

Hot Lunch – We are in desperate need of a Hot Lunch Coordinator. Since we do not have anyone yet, we will only be offering hot lunch in September on Fridays, starting on September 8. Hot Lunch is for students in K – 8th grade. The calendar and order form for September was sent home with your child today and must be returned with payment (check or cash) by Tuesday, September 5.

If you would be willing to volunteer as coordinator, please contact Mrs. Conklin or Mr. Plocher at 602-843-3853 or by email at office@emmauslutheran.com

TADS – All billing for tuition and Extended Care is done through the online TADS billing system. Payments are <u>due by the 15th</u> of each month. If payments are late there will be a \$35 late fee charged. We are no longer able to waive these fees once they are applied. If you have a situation arise where you know that you will not be able to make your payment on time, PLEASE contact the office and discuss your situation. We can work with you as long as there is *COMMUNICATION*.

<u>School Absences</u> – If your child is sick or not coming to school for some other reason, please call the office at 602-843-3853 by 8:30 am on that day.

Grandparents' Day - On Friday,
September 8, Emmaus is celebrating
Grandparents' Day. This is a special day
for grandparents and/or God-parents to
come to Emmaus to visit their
grandchild/God-childs' classroom. We
know the integral role you play in your
grandchildren's Christian education and
we'd like to thank you for your support.
The day will begin with all school chapel
at 8:30 AM in the church. After chapel,
refreshments will be provided. Each
classroom will have some different
activities or discussions to include and
welcome our grandparents.

Flag Football - This week we will practice on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, from 3:30 – 4:30 pm at Surrey Park.

On Thursday, we have our first game. It will most likely be played at Cactus Park. We will be playing Christ Greenfield. The game starts at 4:00 pm.

Text Updates – We would like every parent to sign up to receive important text updates from Emmaus. Attached to the back of today's Chronicle are the instructions on how to sign up to be able to receive important messages from Emmaus texted directly to your phone. Once you follow the directions, you will receive a text with follow up steps. Please make sure those re completed as well. We will use this feature for important reminders, updates or in case of an emergency. Please take a few minutes and sign up today!

Financial Aid - Forms for the Emmaus Financial Aid Fund are available in the school office. If you would like to apply for financial aid for the first period, (September, October, and November) please fill out a form and write a letter to the Board of Education explaining your

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financial need. This paper work can be turned in to Mrs. Conklin in the school office. The deadline for the first quarter financial aid is *THIS Friday, Sept.* 1st.

<u>Thank you</u> – to everyone who took an apple from our wish tree and purchased the item on the apple. Your donations are truly appreciated!

If you still have an apple and are not able to purchase the item on it, please bring it back to the office so we can put it back on the tree.

<u>Fry's</u> – Please link your Fry's VIP card to Emmaus for the Fry's Community Partners Program. Go to Frysfood.com to sign up. Our school is NPO # is 80260. Last year we received over \$1,200 from this program! Pass on this information to family and friends. The more people who sign up to support Emmaus, the more earning potential we will have.

<u>Chapel</u> - Our Chapel service will be held on Fridays at 8:30 am. Parents are encouraged to join us if it works into your schedule. Mission envelopes are sent home every Thursday for chapel on Friday. Please help teach your child that it's not the amount that you give in chapel that is most important; it's a way for them to say thanks to God for all the things He has given us.

Please join us for worship - Our weekly church services are on Sunday at 8:00 and 10:30 AM, with Bible Study for children, teens and adults at 9:15 AM. We'd love to worship with you!

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