

NEWSLETTER

January Newsletter: Volume 6

Welcome back St. John's Lutheran School Falcon Families! We hope you had a marvelous Christmas & a Happy New Year! We are ready to start the new year and finish this school year out right!

Christmas Spirit Week

St. John's Lutheran School Falcons went ALL out for Christmas this year... Here are some photos from our Christmas Spirit Week from before the Christmas break!

Monday- Wrapped Up for Christmas

Tuesday- Tinsel Toes

Wednesday- Candy Cane Day

Thursday- Christmas Character

Friday- Ugly Sweater Day

Monday- Christmas Spirit Day

Tuesday- Pajama Day



Food Drive

St. John's is collecting non-perishable food items for the month of January! These items will be donated to the Second Harvest Food Bank. All food items need to be turned into the front office or Mrs. Beck's classroom by Wednesday, February 8th!

Please let Miss. B or Mrs. Beck know if you have any questions or concerns!

Spirit Night

St. John's Spirit Night will be Thursday, January 12th at Bobo's Deli from 5 PM to 8 PM. Bring the family out for a fun filled night to enjoy some delicious food & spend some quality time with the family.

Address: 3478 Robinhood Rd, Winston-Salem NC, 27106



CHURCH SERVICES:

Contemporary Service 8:30AM

Traditional Service: 10:30AM

Sunday School: 9:45AM



Upcoming Events...

Wednesday, January 4th –
First Day Back to School

Monday, January 9th –

Friday, January 13th –
Classroom Spelling Bees

Thursday, January 12th –
Bobo's Spirit Night at 5 PM

Friday, January 13th – Early
Release Day (NO LUNCH)

Monday, January 16th –
MLK DAY (NO SCHOOL)

Monday, January 19th –
Class Photos

Monday, January 23rd –
Friday, January 27th –
National School's Choice
Week

Friday, January 27th –
School Spelling Bee

Wednesday, February 1st –
100th Day of School (DRESS
LIKE YOUR 100 YEARS OLD)

Friday, March 10th –
Grandparents Day

Community Outreach Project

St. John's Lutheran School will be preparing blessing bags for the City of Dwellings, an organization that not only houses the homeless but provides care and support for them as well! We will be collecting items to create blessing bags for anyone who needs them...

These bags will be filled with various self-care items such as individual shower toiletries, winter gear (socks, hats, gloves), towels, t-shirts, and even coffee. All items must be turned into the front office by Tuesday, January 31st!



Spelling Bee- Volunteers Needed

St. John's Falcons will have the opportunity to test their spelling strength in the classroom January 9th-13th. The classroom winners will then enter the school spelling bee to compete head-to-head for the medal & the chance to go to the next round of the Script National Spelling Bee.

What we need from you... We are looking for three parents who are interested in being judges for our school's spelling bee. This event will happen Friday, January 27th at 8:30 AM. We anticipate this event taking 45 mins to an hour to complete.

Artwork by Students

St. John's Lutheran School wants to thank Mrs. Patterson & all of the students for their great artwork! These pieces are on display around the school!



100th Day Of School

Our St. John's Falcons will be 100 days smarter on Wednesday, February 1st. With all this new knowledge, we are asking students to dress as if we have 100 years of knowledge! Dress like you're 100 years old to help us celebrate the 100th day of school! Must be school appropriate!

Keeping up with the Principal Tiffany Banks

January Newsletter:

Wow! You know what they say, 'time flies when you are having fun' and this school year has been so much fun! I can't believe that we are in the year 2023 already! It feels like just yesterday we were welcoming kids in for the first day of school. I hope that your Christmas Break was full of joy, rest, and fun! We are looking forward to finishing up the second half of the year just as strong as the first half.

In December our Door Decorating Contest was judged by the PTO as well as the Women's Bible Study Group that meets on Tuesdays. The winners were as follows.

1st Place: 5th Grade (Pizza Party)

2nd Place: 4th Grade (Ice Cream Party)

3rd Place: Kindergarten (Popcorn and Movie Party)

Congratulations to everyone for their participation in remembering that we have so much to be grateful for.

This month we have a lot of fun things starting up. The Scripps National Spelling Bee begins this month with Classroom Bees for 1st-5th grade. We will have a School Bee and then the winner from the School Bee will go on to the next level with other spellers from the area. This is a great time to show off what intelligent and kind students we have here at St. John's.

Clubs will be starting soon! I have two clubs that are in the works, so far Cooking Club and Lego Club. More information on these clubs will be sent out shortly. If you are interested in starting a club, please reach out to me for the paperwork to get started.

As we move into 2023, we have that much more to be thankful for and to praise God for. Pastor Tom gave a lovely sermon this past week on Praising God. It came at just the right time to remind us that what we have is all a blessing from God and that in the good and the challenging we can always Praise God.

Heavenly Father,

You are so good to us. You are the maker of all things, and you use all things for your good. Help us to remember to Praise you Lord because you are worthy of our praise.

Thank you for bringing us through another year. Help us to move through this year as better ambassadors for you. Be with us and give us strength this year. Direct and guide us to use the talents that you have given us to be a blessing to others.

In your name,

Amen