

Tuesday Note

January 24, 2017



“But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint.”

Isaiah 40:31

MISSION TRIP TO MADAGASCAR

Our “trip” to Madagascar starts next Monday. In addition to learning all about missions in that country, we will be holding some special service events.

Wednesday, February 1st

In-gathering for Downtown Mission

Students are encouraged to please bring dry goods to our Chapel service (canned food, pasta, rice, peanut butter, cereal, etc.).



Friday, February 3rd - Out of Uniform Day

Students are allowed to wear clothing other than their school uniforms and are encouraged to please bring in a toonie or two for **Missions in Madagascar**.



Your *Partner* in *HIS* mission

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday, January 24, 2017

- Chess Club 3:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Wednesday, January 25, 2017

- Chapel Service 8:30 a.m.
- Girls’ Basketball Team Practice 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Monday, January 30, 2017

- Mission Trip to Madagascar begins
- Boys’ Basketball Team Practice 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

February 1	Downtown Mission Donations
February 3	Out of Uniform Day
February 16	Basketball Tournament at ASCIS
February 17	Effective Speaking
February 20	Family Day – No School
February 22	Open House
February 28	Canadian Chess Challenge
February 28	Second Term Report Card Day
March 1	Ash Wednesday
March 2	Parent Teacher Interviews (p.m.)
March 3	Parent Teacher Interviews (a.m.)
March 3	P.A. Day – No school for students
Mar. 6 – 17	March Break
March 12	Daylight Saving Time begins

BASKETBALL PRACTICES

This week, the boys' and girls' basketball teams are continuing to practise for the annual tournament which will take place at Academie Ste. Cecile on Thursday, February 16th. The boys' team practises each Monday from 3:30 - 5:00 p.m. and the girls' team, each Wednesday, from 3:30 - 5:00 p.m.



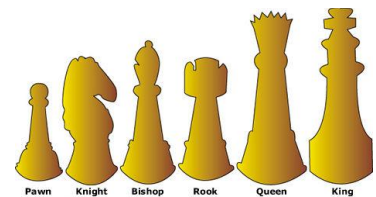
EFFECTIVE SPEAKING



Speech topics, Poetry Selections, Rough Drafts, Memorizing.....it's that time of year again. All of our students from Grade 1 through Grade 8 are beginning their preparations for their Effective Speaking Units. Each student will participate in the "in-class" presentations, and three children from each grade will be chosen to take part in the Effective Speaking Competition which will be held in the Chapel on **Friday, February 17**. We're looking forward to hearing from our "amazing orators" once again!

IN-SCHOOL CHESS TOURNAMENT

Members of our Chess Club will participate in an in-school tournament on Tuesday, January 31st, during the afternoon. There will be no after school Chess Club on that day. This tournament will help us to choose participants for the Canadian Chess Challenge.



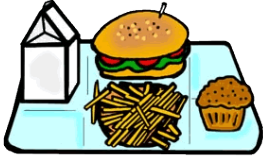
LIKE US ON FACEBOOK

As we prepare our school marketing programme in advance of our scheduled Open House in February, we would like to ask a favour of you. Some of our families have already "liked" us on Facebook and we are very appreciative of that. For those who have yet to do so, may we strongly encourage you to take the time to "like" us? We already know that you all love this school; the reason we wish for you to add us to your Facebook likes list, is so that we can reach our target audience with our outreach. More and more, social media is proving to be one of the most effective marketing tools and your endorsement through this action would be highly beneficial for FLCA.



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HOT LUNCH NOTICE



As indicated on the January Lunch Menu, there will be no hot lunches available on Friday, January 27th, Monday, January 30th and Tuesday, January 31st. We are sorry for any inconvenience this may cause. Please send both a lunch and a drink from home with your child on those days. Thank you.

PRE-KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Under current legislation, we are limited to five spaces in our Pre-Kindergarten programme again for 2017-2018. We know that there are younger siblings of some of our students who will be eligible for PK in 2017/2018. Pre-Kindergarten students at FLCA are at least 2.5 years of age and toilet trained (So for 2017-2018, this could apply to children born in 2014 and 2015). If it is your hope that they will join our PK at some point in the next school year, could you please fill out the attached form and return it to the school office as soon as possible? We want to reserve spaces for our current families before opening them up to new families.



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PRE-KINDERGARTEN 2017-2018

It is my intent to register my child for Pre-Kindergarten at First Lutheran Christian Academy, for the 2017-2018 school year.

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Estimated Month of Registration: _____

Signature of Parent