

Kindergarten Newsletter

February 7, 2019

This week we had preschool visit our classroom. The Kindergarteners enjoyed showing them what we do every day. We read our stories: At the Beach, By the Sea, and Let's Swim. We learned all about Reggie Rooster, the letter Rr and what sound it makes. It was fun learning two new sight words: **will** and **be**. In math, we learned about estimation, and how it is a good guess. They learned that sometimes their estimation are right and sometimes they are wrong.

We will be having classroom Valentine's party on Thursday, February 14th. Each child may bring valentines to pass out. Please keep them blank (not personalized) so they will be easier to pass out. We will also have a valentine's ice cream party. A sign-up sheet is posted outside the classrooms. If anyone has or can get paper grocery bags (the kind with the handle) we would love to have them. We are going to use them to collect valentines.

Friday 2/15 is a minimum day/D.E.A.R. day/Pajama Day. Children can wear their pajamas, pillows and stuffed animals. We will be focusing on books, and why they are important. We will also be taking a walking field trip across the street to the library this day. Please make sure your children have a jacket and walking shoes. Please sign and return the permission slip by Thursday 2/14 in the morning.

Today, you will find a valentine's project in your child's folder. This is a valentine that parents make for their child and send it back to school. We will have them on their table on Thursday morning so they can have a special valentine from you.

Please remember to bring a jacket for outside. We have some student's coming to school with no jacket, and they are cold during recess. We hope to see everyone on Saturday at the crab feed!

Upcoming Dates:

2/9: Crab Feed!

2/11: Priority Registration begins

2/14: Valentine's Day Ice Cream Party

2/15: D.E.A.R Day/Pajama Day/Minimum Day

2/18-22: Winter Break

2/27: Minimum Day

Have a great weekend!

Mrs. Fernandez and Miss Mathews



BETHANY LUTHERAN SCHOOL

MISSION STATEMENT

Bethany Lutheran School is a family of hope-filled Christian believers dedicated to nurturing all children to love, honor, and serve God.

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Student Learning Outcomes (SLO's)

Graduates of Bethany Lutheran School will be prepared to be:

Active Christians

- They will look to the bible for guidance and growth, upholding its teachings.
- They will serve God, home, church, school, and community.
- They will respect and maintain their bodies as the temple of the Holy Spirit.

Productive and socially responsible citizens

- They will collaborate to accomplish tasks as members of a group.
- They will exemplify good citizenship and social skills.
- They will recognize and respond to the needs of their community.

Effective and self-expressive communicators

- They will receive, process, and respond to information in clear and appropriate ways.
- They will utilize various technological resources.
- They will experience, participate, and creatively express themselves through the arts.

Critical thinkers

- They will collect, analyze, interpret and evaluate information.
- They will formulate and implement plans of action addressing challenges and opportunities.
- They will learn to work collaboratively in groups of two or more to arrive at critical and logical conclusions.

