



Bethany Lutheran

Quarter 4

May 31, 2019

Middle School Newsletter
June 3 through June 6, 2019

Upcoming Events:

May 31	<p>Minimum Day—Dismissal at Noon Donuts for Dads Superhero Dress Up Day Extended Care offered—please bring a snack & lunch</p>
June 1	8th Gr. Service Project 10am
June 3	8th Grade Luncheon DJ Dance Party—3-4:15pm
June 4	Kindergarten Promotion 8th Grade Trip
June 5	<p>Minimum Day—Dismissal at Noon End of Year Awards—Chapel 8th Gr. vs Staff—bowling 8th Gr. Promotion @ Bethany Church Extended Care offered—please bring a snack & lunch</p>
June 6	<p>Minimum Day—Dismissal at Noon Water Day Extended Care offered—please bring a snack & lunch</p>

8th Grade End of Year Schedule of Events

- June 1 - Community Project @ BLS 10AM **8th Graders wear old work clothes.**
- June 3 - 8th Grade Luncheon
- June 4 - 8th Grade Trip - Santa Cruz
- June 5 - Awards Ceremony - 8:30am @ BLS

8th Graders vs. Staff Bowling - Stars Recreation Center @ 12:30-2:30pm

8th Grade Promotion/Reception @ Bethany Church -
6pm (earn partnership hours by decorating hall for
reception.)

- June 6 - Last Day of School- Water Day - **WE CAN USE YOUR HELP!**



SUMMER CAMP @ BETHANY

Weekly Program

June 10—August 9

Summer Camp registration packets will be going out this week. You can also find the information about our program on our website: GoBethany.com

Mrs. Bakken's Bits and Bytes kari.bakken@gobethany.com

7th/8th Homeroom:

Lots of fun and busy things to do from now until the end of school. Please look at all of the handouts and calendar updates that are listed above and let me know if you have any questions. Make sure your student applies sunscreen before school on Thursday and has appropriate clothes and footwear for our water/field day.

Eighth Grade Graduates need to be in the Fellowship Hall at the South Orchard Church Campus by 5:30 PM on Wednesday, June 5th.

5th-8th Grade Math: It has truly been a blessing to me to work with all of my students and families this year! Thank you for your prayers and support! I pray that you all have an enjoyable summer and look forward to seeing what God has in store for all of us next year!

Students are allowed to do corrections for half credit. They must show their work in order to get credit for their corrections. Here are the guidelines for **Test and Quiz Corrections:** **1)** Do **not** erase incorrect answers. **2)** Label the back of the paper or a separate sheet **Corrections.** **3)** Redo the problems missed, showing work or explaining how to do it correctly. **4)** Get a parent signature. **5)** Turn into the basket. **6)** Place returned tests with corrections in the Test section of your binder.

Here is what we have been up to and what's in store:

7th & 8th Grade Bible: We will be doing Lessons 65-66 in our "One in Christ" workbooks. We will also be working on the 8th grade luncheon and graduation.

5th Grade Math (Period 3): This week we did Lessons 116-118. Next week we will finish the book doing Lessons 119-120!

Middle School Math (6th grade, Period 4): This week we did Lessons 116-118. Next week we will take a cumulative test for the year.

Pre-Algebra (Period 4): This week we did Lessons 10.7-10.8 and review. Next week we will finish our Chapter 10 test.

Algebra 1P (Period 2) : This week we did Lessons 10.4-10.5. Next week we will do corrections.

Geometry (Integrated Math 2): This week she finished Chapter 12 and Khan Academy. Next week she will do a review on Second Semester Chapters 7-12.

Science: This week we worked in the garden. Next week we will work in the garden and write directions for our Summer Program students on how we want them to care for our garden. **Thank you to Mrs. Aguirre and Mrs Owens for all the work they have done in the garden and for helping us take care of our seedlings. We are excited to see our plants growing and tasting the fruits of our labor.**

Student Council: Thank you to all who gave money to our chapel offerings in April. The donations will be given to The Ronald McDonald House. They voted to have May's chapel offerings go to Make a Wish Foundation. **There will be a Student council meeting Monday 6/3 to continue our discussion and vote on how we want to spend some of our fundraising money.**

[Miss Harrison jade.harrison@gobethany.com](mailto:jade.harrison@gobethany.com)

History:

This week's schedule is a little different.

Wednesday, May 29

5th/6th Grade:

- Study guide due
- Know 35 Presidents

7th/8th Grade:

- Chapter 13 test

Friday, May 31

5th Grade:

- Chapter 11 and 12 test

7th/8th Grade

- History movie

Just a reminder for this quarter, I will only allow for late work to be turned in the following class period. Late work is -5 points. I will not accept late work 2 class periods later unless excused. So if an assignment is due Monday and the student turns it in Wednesday, it is -5 points. If they turn it in after that, 0 points. Last quarter was difficult with students turning assignment in so late.

[Mrs. Johnston deborah.johnston@gobethany.com](mailto:deborah.johnston@gobethany.com)

5th/6th Homeroom:

Thank you to all who have donated classroom supplies during this school year!

Bible: We have finished lessons 1-100 in our "One in Christ" textbook. Remember to be an ambassador for Christ by showing kindness, forgiving others, by obeying God's commands, and much more this summer and always.

English: Last call for Alliance Reports is Monday. If you have any school books at home, please return the books on Monday. Thank you!!! It has been a pleasure and a blessing getting to know each and everyone of my students this past year. Please remember to keep on reading!

Dr. Nomura's Musical Musings megumi.nomura@gobethany.com

Woohoo! We're in the last final stretch before we're out for the summer! PLEASE, PLEASE, Please make sure your student is up to date with all of the practice logs and assignments! Educate should be updated with all current assignments from this quarter.

We will be performing "Ghostbusters" at the 8th Grade Graduation on Wednesday, 6/5 (6pm at Bethany Lutheran **Church**). This performance is not mandatory but if your child is missing any assignments or quizzes in either band or Spanish, this will be the perfect opportunity for extra credit and a grade boost!

Dr. Nomura's Spanish megumi.nomura@gobethany.com

Spanish 1A and 1B (5th and 6th Grades): Thanks for a wonderful school year! Both sections will have a fiesta (party!) on Tuesday, 6/4! We will be watching Saludos Amigos while eating snacks and beverages :). Please ask your student what s/he volunteered to bring-- please let me know if you have any questions or concerns!

Spanish 2 MS (7th and 8th Grades): Thank you for a fantastic year! I hope you learned A LOT! And hopefully you'll retain some of the information for next year ;).

Coach Nichols william.nichols@gobethany.com

LIFE SKILLS

This week we worked on learning a bit about finances and how money in/out works.

Keyboarding

By the end of class Friday students should be at 30 Hours on typing club. With the block schedule the students will have enough time to catch up if they are a bit behind.

PE

The students have done an amazing job this year. They were introduced to the fitness standards tests and have made great improvement. We have worked on endurance, strength, flexibility, nutrition, team work, all year long.