WYNEKEN WEEKLY PARENT NOTE SEPTEMBER 19 – SEPTEMBER 23, 2022 REACH, TEACH & SEND

LUNCH MENU SEPT 19-23		(subject to changes)	This institution is an Equal Opportunity Provider	
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
French Toast	Chicken Strips	Shredded Turkey Sand.	Walking Tacos	Pizza
Peas/Carrots	Romaine/Tomato	Ham & Beans	Salsa	Peas/Veggies
Pear	Pear	Veggie Cup	Romaine	Applesauce
Chex Mix	Corn Chip	Peaches	Pineapple	Rice Krispy

Picture Retake Day will be Monday September 26th.

During the month of September our teachers, staff, and students are focusing on respect. This week we are speaking about respect for property and our environment by picking up after ourselves and making certain that trash makes it into the trash can. Our families can also help encourage this type of respect by discussing this at home and giving opportunities to put this into practice.

<u>Chapel Offerings</u>: Our first quarter offerings are for the Pack-Away-Hunger campaign held each spring at Wyneken. Your child's offerings will be used to help pack 60,000+ meals to benefit others in their communities.

Can you help us? The month of October is pastor appreciation month! Wyneken is blessed with outstanding pastors who support our school, families, and community in many ways. We are so privileged to have servants like Pastor Brege, Pastor Brock, Pastor Dahling, Pastor Steffen, Pastor Yeager, and Vicar Barnett! To show appreciation, our school is collecting special gift items for these servants. We would like to surprise these individuals with cards and notes of gratitude along with Wyneken Scrip. If you would like to contribute to this cause and help us show our appreciation for all our pastors do, monetary gifts, cards, and words of thanks may be submitted to the school office *by Monday, October 17.* You may send items to the school office with the words "Appreciation Gift" on the outside. Any checks may be written to "Wyneken". Thank you for helping us show appreciation to these servants of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ!

<u>Accepting Snow Removal Bids</u>: Wyneken Memorial Lutheran School is accepting snow removal bids for the 2022-2023 school year. All bids shall be returned to the school office or a current school board member by 3:30pm on Tuesday, October 11, 2022. Bids should include the following:

Parking Lot: Per occurrence rate for 1" to 2", Per occurrence rate for 2" to 5"; Per occurrence rate for 5.1" to 8"; Per hour rate for over 8".

Sidewalks: Per occurrence rate for 1" to 2" plus ice melt, Per occurrence rate for 2" to 5" plus ice melt; Per occurrence rate for 5.1" to 8" plus ice melt; Per hour rate for over 8" plus ice melt.

Other: Ice melt application to parking lot; To apply salt during snow event cost; To apply salt only event cost.

Snow removal is to occur anytime school or daycare is in session – lot will need to be cleared by 6:00 am. The school may also call you for special circumstances or events.

<u>Wyneken Singers-</u> Students in grades 6-8 are invited to join Wyneken Singers beginning Wednesday, September 7th. This elite group of singers practices Wednesdays after school from 2:15-2:45 throughout the school year. They sing for a variety of events including 2 Sunday services, Wyneken's Christmas and Spring concerts, and other events that pop up throughout the year. If you love singing please consider joining this fun group!

Wyneken Golf Fundraiser: The Wyneken Class of 2024 (current 7th grade) golf outing fundraiser is Sunday, September 25 at Cross Creek Golf Course in Decatur. All Golf slots are full!! But, if you would still like to help the Class of 2024, please consider purchasing meal tickets only for \$12, delicious pulled pork and side from Nine Mile. Tickets can be purchased in the office from 7:30am-3:30pm, at each of the three churches, or upon request. For more information, contact Michelle Knipstein at 260-413-6249 or mmknipstein03@hotmail.

Family Directory Correction: Please note the following correction to the Family Directory The correct address for John and Kristin Bixler (Allison – PS) is 10710 N 000 Rd Decatur, IN 46733.

"But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. Therefore, my beloved brothers, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain." -1 Corinthians 15:57-58 **Delays and Closings**: Wyneken Lutheran School will be announced for all delays and closings. We do not announce under North Adams Community Schools. Weather delays/closings are reported on most area radio and TV channels. You can also check on our school website, <u>www.wyneken.org</u>, and our Facebook page for information. You are encouraged to sign up for our text reminders – as notifications are also sent thru the text alerts. To receive messages via text, text **@wynparents** to **81010**.

St Paul Preble Ladies Aid is having an Autumn Gently Used and Bake Sale Friday, Sept. 16, 8am-4pm and Saturday Sept. 17 8am - 11am.

All-Youth Gathering Frisbee Golf at CTS & Supper

Sunday, September 18; 3-7 p.m. – Frisbee Golf at CTS & amp; Supper We will meet at 3 p.m. in the Bingen parking lot to drive to Concordia Theological Seminary where we shall frolf. Bring your frisbees if you have them. More will be provided. Supper to follow at Portillo's on Coliseum. We should be back by 7 p.m.

<u>Illness Policy</u>: The school should be notified immediately of a communicable disease. All children are to be excluded from school for a communicable disease or a condition that is readily transmitted to others. A written permit from the doctor is required when a child returns to school after recovering from any communicable disease.

If a child has an acute upper respiratory infection, sore throat, earache, upset stomach, or an elevated temperature of 100 degrees of more, the student should be kept home or will be sent home. Children should remain home for <u>A FULL 24 HOURS</u> following an episode of fever or vomiting to ensure full recovery.

<u>Students with Food Allergies</u>: Students who have any type of food allergies are to have a prescription from the child's doctor stating what the food allergy is and it will be kept on file in the office. We will need to share this information with your child's teacher and with the kitchen staff.

Parent-Teacher League (PTL): The PTL of Wyneken meets just four times a year with all meetings starting at 6:30pm. This school years meeting dates are Monday, November 7 @ 6:30pm; Monday, February 6 @ 6:30pm; Monday, April 24 @ 6:30pm. We use this time to discuss programs, topics of interest, and activities that are relevant and important to the function and purpose of our school. The PTL is also in charge of fundraisers and special events for our school. The income from these fundraisers goes directly to the support various aspects of our school. Please plan to attend these meetings and share your ideas and thoughts! The PTL program could not be successful without the many volunteers from our Wyneken families

<u>Teacher Subs – Aide Subs – Kitchen Subs & Custodian Subs Needed:</u> If you are interested in being able to serve as a teacher sub, an aide sub and/or kitchen sub or custodian sub, please call the school office at 260-639-6177 for information and to get an application. All applicants for the teacher sub position must have a valid sub teaching license with the state of Indiana. All applicants will also have to complete an Expanded Criminal Background Check.

LOOKING AHEAD

Sept 21 Beginning Band Carnival at Concordia High School @ 6pm, Sept 25 Class of 2024 Golf Outing, Sept 26 Picture Retake day

All after school activities, including any sports games/practices, are canceled when school is canceled. Check our website page at <u>www.wyneken.org</u> or our school Facebook page for information.

Wyneken Memorial Lutheran School admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin in administration or its educational policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other school administered programs.