

**LUTHERAN SCHOOL ASSOCIATION**  
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Mission Statement: "The Lutheran School Association of Cole Camp is committed to equipping disciples of Jesus Christ by providing a Christ-centered education so that its students, firmly grounded in God's Word, may demonstrate and share God's grace in their lives at home, at school, and in our community."

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**7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Classroom Connection**

*Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be terrified; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go. Joshua 1:9*

**FOR THE WEEK(S) OF:** December 14, 2009 - **NEXT EDITION:** January 4, 2010

**8<sup>th</sup> Grade Religion (Luther's Catechism and New Testament) Pastor Kollbaum**

Monday: December 14 – lesson 26 & 27

Tuesday: December 15 – lesson 27 & 28

Wednesday: December 16 – Chapel at Trinity 8:05 with Pastor Kollbaum

Thursday: December 17 – Test **LAST CLASS OF THE SEMEMSTER**

Friday: December 18 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Petition of The Lord's Prayer/Meaning & Matthew 24: 27 & 44 and their question sheets; Report on Maps of Israel due Friday, December 18

12 sermon notes are due by Friday, December 18. These can be turned into Pastor Kollbaum when completed  
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**7<sup>th</sup> Grade Religion (Church History and Contemporary Issues) Pastor Boothby**

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## **Memory (Monday's Grade 7<sup>th</sup> & Friday's Grade 8<sup>th</sup>): Mr. Andersen**

Please check the current Knights and Days or go to the internet at [www.lsachool.com](http://www.lsachool.com) for a current Knights and Days or go to Mr. Andersen's Classroom Events tab or use the Calendar tab and then click on Memory to get any past or present memory assignments.

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## **Chapel and Chapel Offerings:**

Chapel is every Wednesday. You are encouraged to attend with friends and family anytime. Please remind your children to wear non t-shirts and sweats on Chapel day. Thank you. December offerings will be going to: Prison Ministry which will help to provide Bibles for prison inmates. We will be collecting classroom offerings for the Cole Camp Food Pantry. The 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade class will be collecting shampoo and soap for adults and children: **Offerings for December: Prison Ministry**

## **Math: Ms. Sunderman**

There is a math test after each 5 lessons

There is a math test after each 4 lessons

Lessons this week:

### **Math 8/7**

Monday: Lesson 44  
Tuesday: Lesson 45  
Wednesday: Lesson  
Thursday: Test 8  
Friday: lesson

### **Algebra 1/2 Math & Algebra 1**

Monday: Lesson 44  
Tuesday: Test 10  
Wednesday: Lesson  
Thursday: Lesson 45  
Friday: Test

## **Spelling: Mr. Andersen - NO SPEELING THIS WEEK**

On Thursday, will correct Chapter and have a test over the 15 words from the spelling book along with the 15 extra words listed below.

7<sup>th</sup> Grade words: Chapter :

8<sup>th</sup> Grade words: Chapter :

**Parents make sure your child reads over their notes every night. It should only take 5 minutes each night.**



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## **Reading: Ms. Sunderman**

**\*7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> AR points goal for 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter is 25 points. AR POINTS ARE DUE ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 21<sup>st</sup>! \***

Monday: **In Class:** Read Ch. 1 & 2 of *The Best Christmas Pageant Ever* **Homework:**

Tuesday: **In Class:** Read Ch. 3 & 4 **Homework:**

Wednesday: **In Class:** Read Ch. 5 & 6 **Homework:**

Thursday: **In Class:** Read Ch. 7, Start movie **Homework:**

Friday: **In Class:** Finish movie, AUTHOR STUDIES DUE! **Homework:**

### **Journal Schedule - JOURNALS ARE DUE THIS WEEK!**

Monday: Brandon, Alexis, Victoria, Zachary

Tuesday: Kaleena, Meghan, Harper, John

Wednesday: Cameron, Connor, Dylana, Miranda

Thursday: Drew, Jacob, Dusty

Friday: Marshal, Tanner, J.T.

## **Reading Projects – 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter**

2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter's Reading Project will be an Author Study over an author of the student's choice from a list I provide.

Author Study Due Dates:

Biography (green sheet) – **Friday, Nov. 20<sup>th</sup>**

1st Plot Summary (pink sheet) – **Friday, Dec. 4<sup>th</sup>**

Entire Project Packet – **Friday, Dec. 18<sup>th</sup>**

## **English and Writing: Ms. Sunderman**

All *Shurley* English is to be done during the class period and turned in by 3:00 on the day assigned! This is not to be taken home!

Writing:

Monday: Ch. 14 Skills Test

Tuesday: work on revising writing Wednesday: Ch. Skills Test

Thursday: revise

Friday: revise



## **History: Mr. Andersen**

We are currently studying American history: The Bill of Rights and the State of Missouri Constitution and history.

Assignments for the week will be for Chapter :

Our next test will be: Friday, December 18 over The Bill of Rights. This is an Open Book/Note Test

**REPORTS: Use portaportal.com to get information**

We will be doing the National Geographic Bee on Thursday, December 17 for the 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade class

Current Events articles for: **NO ARTICLES THIS WEEK - Use portaportal.com to get information**

**NEXT TIME ARTICLES ARE DUE WILL BE THE WEEK OF JANUARY 11, 2010**

Monday: Brandon, Kaleena, Connor, Jacob

Tuesday: Alexis, Meghan, Dylana, Dusty

Wednesday: Victoria, Harper, Miranda, Marshal

Thursday: Zachary, John, Drew, Tanner

Friday: Cameron, J.T.

## **Science: Mr. Andersen**

We are currently studying Physical Science: Chapter 16

Assignments for the week will be: questions and worksheets

Our next test will be: Monday, December 21

**REPORTS:**

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## **Art: (Tuesday and Friday) Mr. Andersen**

Mechanical drawing – we will be learning how to “frame” our projects and begin simple square drawings and then develop more complex drawings as the year continues. We have been drawing simple squares and triangles of various dimensions. We will continue learning how to use our drawing angles.

## **PE: (Monday and Thursday) Mr. Andersen**

Please make sure your children have tennis shoes (appropriate shorts and t-shirts would be nice) at school every day. We will take about 10 minutes each day just walking. Walking is life sport anybody can do and we are trying to get the kids into good habits to walk now and that will continue in their adult life.

We will be playing basketball and lacrosse.



## **Choir Mrs. Schnakenberg/Ms Sunderman/Music Appreciation Mrs. Eckhoff:**

5 – 8 Choir: Practicing for the school Christmas program on Wednesday, December 16

Music Appreciation: Practice for the Christmas program

## **Band: Mr. Lozer**

Band for grades 7 & 8 is every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Grade 7 & 8 students have band from 2:08 – 2:58 with students leaving LSA at 2:00 pm. Please let me know if you any problems or concerns about band.

## **Computer: Mr. Andersen**

We are doing keyboarding most days' emphasizing the "Home Row", sitting up straight and not watching your fingers while typing. Please remind your children about these same things at home while they are typing on the computer. Some kids are still trying to hunt and peck, but can type correctly. They need to be working on accuracy and speed. Each student has their own assigned computer in the computer lab and in the classroom. They also have a flash stick provided by the school in which stay at school.

## **Library: Mrs. Stoermer and Mrs. Heimsoth**

We have library every Tuesday and Thursday from 10:00 – 10:15. Students are encouraged to have a book at school everyday so they can read for reading and/or personal enjoyment.

**Stamps Mrs. Kroenke:** Will be done every Friday from 8:00 – 8:15. If you presently are not involved with the Stamp program and would like more information, please contact Mrs. Kroenke. It is never too late to start.

## **Sports Mrs. Kollbaum, Athletic Director:**

7 & 8 Girls basketball – Coach Oelrichs: Practice

7 & 8 Boys Basketball – Coach Fox: Practice



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## **Need Help?:**

You can call me at 669-9960 or e-mail me at [mr.andersen@embarqmail.com](mailto:mr.andersen@embarqmail.com) any day before 9:00 p.m.

## **NOTES AND REMINDERS**

1. If you lose your Knights and Days remember that you can always go to the school web site and find the current edition as well as past editions. There is also a tab for the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Classroom Connection if you delete this e-mail you can access the schools web page any where, at any time.
2. Please make sure your child has tennis shoes, shorts and a shirt for P.E.
3. Chapel Offerings for the month of December is Prison Ministry. Offerings will be used to purchase Bibles and then put them into local and state prisons with highlighted Bible verses. God be given the GLORY and PRAISE!
4. Don't forget to have your child in Church with you each week. Each child needs 12 sermon notes by December 18.
5. The end of the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter and 1<sup>st</sup> semester is Tuesday, December 22. Report cards will go home Monday, January 4, 2010.
6. Curriculum Fair Project Plan sheet telling what your child will be doing their project on is due Friday, December 18 and needs to be signed by a parent and the child.
7. The 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade class will be collecting shampoo and soap for both adults and children. These items along with what the other classes bring in will be donated to the Cole Camp Food Pantry.
8. We will have a class Christmas party on Tuesday, December 22 after Chapel. We will watch a movie. Kids can bring something to drink and a treat if they wish. If they wish they can bring treats to share. We will not be exchanging classroom presents. Our class is to bring shampoo for adults and/or children which will go to the Cole Camp Food Pantry.
9. We will be taking food bags to the Cole Camp Food Pantry after Chapel this Wednesday.
10. Merry Christmas. Have a blessed, safe and refreshing Christmas break.

Blessings.

- Disclaimer: all information is subject to change.



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