



Graduation Class of 2010

Lauren Jennifer Beaugh
Brittney Jeanette Blanco
Betsy Anne Byra
Jeremy Campbell
Sean Campbell
Noah William DeLaet
Samantha L. Echtenkamp
Madison Brooke Moore Evans
Janelle Kathleen Feldmann
Elizabeth Mae Fry
(Mary) Laura-Li Gaide
Jason Frederick Gallmeyer
Josephine Bee Geisler
Thomas Carlton Gifford
John C. Greunke
Hannah Elizabeth Guida

Hannah Christine Hock
Clark Kelly
Lindsay Elizabeth Lake
Charles W. Lehman
Jacob G. Lodwig
Jeffrey Michael Maheu
Nicolas J. Martinez
Eyren J. Monson
Britton Eugene Naas
Killian Louise Ramey
Levi Daniel Romero
Stephen Lawrence Schamp
Frank James Sturniolo
Seth Alan Von Rentzell
Kody Michael von Holdt
Joshua Andrew Walquist



"Even youths shall faint and be weary, and young men shall fall exhausted; but they who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles; they shall run and not be weary; they shall walk and not faint." Isaiah 40:30-31



8th Grade Graduation

8th Grade Graduation Thursday, May 27 at 7:00 pm in the Church sanctuary. A cake reception will follow in the school cafeteria.



Textbook Fines

Teachers are checking student's textbooks for abnormal wear. If there is excessive wear to the book, a fine will be assessed. All **book fine money** must be **turned in to your classroom teacher**. Checks are made payable to Bethlehem Lutheran School.

Tuition Discount for 2010-2011

A discount of 1.5% is applicable if you pay your tuition in full by Wednesday, June 30, 2010.

School Closing Chapel Services



Join us Fri., May 28 at 10:45 am for our closing chapel service. We encourage parents, congregational members and all others to join the children and staff as we call upon the name of our Lord.

Afternoon with the Arts Review



A huge thank you to all of our musicians and artists for making last Sunday such a special day. The art work on display was truly amazing. The concert at 1:30 was very well done. All of you singers, ringers and band members should be very proud of yourselves. You did a fantastic job of learning so much fun music to share! Families, your support of your kids in being at the concert was very gratifying. The looks on your kids' faces as they performed for you was priceless. The very generous door offering will help very much as we begin to look to what we can do next year. Thank you, thank you, thank you to all of you!

Flip Flops on Friday, May 28

Yes, it's official! You may wear flip flops on the last day of school.

Last Day of School Schedule Fri., May 28

Yearbook Signing -9:00-9:50 am (playground)

Awards Ceremony - 10:00 – 10:45 (sanctuary)
We will honor our students who have achieved Perfect All Year Awards, Presidential Physical Fitness, Presidential Academic Awards, Science Medals, WordMaster Medals

Closing Chapel – (sanctuary)
Pastor Langewisch will lead us in the closing worship service from 10:45 – 11:20

Final Goodbyes - Dismissal to classrooms at 11:20 for final (tearful) goodbyes with report cards and year end packets handed out

Dismissal - All students are dismissed at 11:30 am from their classrooms (**Childwatch/ELC closes at 11:30 am**)

Report Card/Transcript/Diploma Release

The following accounts must be paid in full before the final report card, diploma, and transcripts are released:

- All tuition and childwatch fees. Please check with Carol (ext 110) if you have a question or concern.
- All lunch accounts. Please check with the kitchen staff (ext. 119) if you have a question or concern.
- Library books must be returned. If not, a book replacement fee will need to be paid.
- Fines for textbooks or property damage. Homeroom teachers will be sending notices by the end of the month.

Thank you for your help.



Transcript Requests

For all 8th graders and all non-returning students next year: Transcript request forms need to be filled out and signed by parents before released to your student's new school. Forms are available in the school office. Please allow a 48-hour notice before transcripts can be completed and **mailed**.

Lunch Menu

<p>5-21-2010 Beef, Bean & Cheese Burrito Nachos Fruit Chocolate Cake Milk</p>	<p>5-24-2010 Hamburger on a Bun Cheese (optional) French Fries w/Ketchup Fruit Scotty Bar Milk</p>
<p>5-25-2010 Spaghetti w/Meatballs Salad French Bread Fruit No Bake Cookie Milk</p>	<p>5-26-2010 Mini Corn Dogs Tater Tots w/Ketchup Fruit Rice Krispy Bar Milk</p>
<p>5-27-2010 Popcorn Chicken Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy Roll Fruit Misc. Desserts Milk</p>	<p>5-28-2010 Early Dismissal Last Day of School No Lunch Served</p>

Lunch menus are available on Teacherease.com.

Summer Office Hours

The school office will be staffed most days throughout the summer. It's a good idea, however, to call before coming. If no one answers, please leave a message and we will return your call as soon as possible (303-233-0401). Please remember to leave us a message (if we're not here) with any new addresses and phone numbers during the summer months.



School Calendar

May 21	Field Trip	
May 24	Field Trip	
May 25	Field Trip	
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May 25	8 th Grade DVD	7 pm PAC
May 26	Field Trip	
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May 27	Field Trip	
May 27	Graduation	7-8 pm
May 28	Early Dismissal	11:30 am
May 28	ELC/Childwatch CLOSED at 11:30	11:30-6:00 Closed
May 28	8 th Grade Graduation Party	5:30 pm

WordMasters Challenge Winners

The WordMasters Challenge has been administered for the past 23 years to students in grades 3 through 8 to inspire high achievement in American schools. WordMasters Challenge is an exercise in critical thinking that first encourages students to become familiar with a set of interesting new words (considerably harder than grade level), and then challenges them to use those words to complete analogies expressing various kinds of logical relations. Working to solve the Challenge analogies helps students learn to think both analytically and metaphorically. This is a national language arts competition entered by over 220,000 students annually.

Competing in the very difficult Gold Division of the Challenge, sixth grader Samantha Einspahr earned a perfect score in this year's third meet. In the entire country only 213 sixth graders achieved at this level. Way to GO SAMANTHA! Outstanding results in the meet included 4th grader Izzy Fry and 2 sixth graders Thomas Gardner and Katie Hindman. These students were coached in preparation for the Challenge by Diane Hollenbeck (8th grade teacher). Congrats to these four individuals on a job well done!





Chapel Offerings for May is DLHS

Chapel offerings for the month of May will go to Denver Lutheran High School. Denver Lutheran High School is a Christian high school that nurtures academic excellence and encourages growth in Christ.

Medications

All medications need to be picked up and signed out by a parent on or before the last day of school.

8th Grade Graduation Party

We will be having a graduation party for the entire 8th grade class and their families @ the Schamp residence Friday, May 28 from 5:30-9:00 pm. All last names beginning with A-F bring a dessert to share. Last names with G-R bring an appetizer and S-Z bring five 2 liter bottles of soda.

Junior Jazzercise-have fun AND get Fit!!

If you had fun at the spring-a-thon this if for YOU!! Paula Byra, Certified Jazzercise Instructor, will be offering Junior Jazzercise again this summer. It is a fun filled fitness class for boys and girls ages 5-12. They will move to their favorite songs, improve coordination and balance and be challenged in a non competitive atmosphere. Call Paula for more information (303)829-4181.

3rd Annual 2010 DLHS Summer Slam

All hoopsters ages 10 and up—gather your team for DLHS 3 on 3 Streetball Tournament held on Saturday, June 5. Funds from this event will help offset the cost of DLHS teams traveling to California. Stop by the school office for your entry form. Contact Ryan Bredow at 303-895-9576 for more information.

High Seas Expedition 2010

Bethlehem's 4-day VBS is for 3 year olds through 2nd grade and will be held July 26/27 and 29/30. There is no VBS on Wednesday. Join us for these 4 days from 9 - 11:30 for a great adventure and we get to know our great God. See you on the seas!

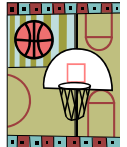
Theater Camp

We have a great new offering for kids going into 5th through 8th grade. Our two-week theater camp runs from June 14-25 from 9:00-3:00 pm. A special reduced rate for childcare before and after Theater Camp is available. The kids will experience all elements of a production that will result in their own presentation of *Beauty and the Beast*. Contact Marilyn Havekost for more information.

Coaches needed for 2010-2011 school year!



Bethlehem is in need of dedicated individuals who would be interested in coaching in the following areas: JV volleyball B-team, Varsity volleyball B-team, Boys JV basketball B-team, Varsity boys' basketball B-team, JV girls basketball B-team, and perhaps a varsity girls basketball B-team. If you are interested, please contact Mr. Breidert at 303-233-0401 ext. 133.



Attention 8th Graders and Parents

Please plan on attending the viewing of the 8th grade memory DVD on Tuesday, May 25 at 7 pm. Remember that the DVD's are \$10 a piece. Checks payable to "Shelby Ramey." See you there.



Summer Band Lessons

Have fun and work on music skills with Mr. Misa this summer. Keep those fingers from getting rusty, or get a head start on beginning a new instrument! Flexible schedule, reasonable rates. Lessons here at Bethlehem or in your home. Call Jim Misa at 303-937-9223 to inquire, or email jim_misa@yahoo.com.



Piano Lessons

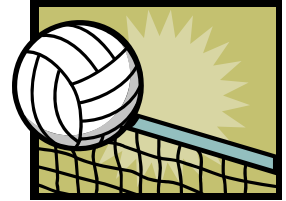
Sign up now for summer piano lessons or lessons for next school year. Nancy Duensing is accepting new students. For more information you may pick up a brochure in the school office or call Nancy at 303-795-7412. Give your child the gift of music!



Summer Varsity Volleyball Camps/Tryouts

Open gym for volleyball at Bethlehem for all incoming 7th and 8th grade girls will be held from 10 am to 12 noon on the following dates:

Sat., July 10
Sat., July 17
Sat., July 24
Sat., July 31



Tryouts are the following days and dates for Varsity:

Mon., Aug. 16 (6:00-8:00 pm)
Tues., Aug. 17 (6:00-8:00 pm)
Wed., Aug. 18 (3:15-5:00 pm)

Coach Sturms
303-456-0022

Summer JV Volleyball Camps/Tryouts

We have open gyms scheduled for incoming 5th and 6th grade girls trying out for volleyball at BLS. Camps will be from 6:15-8:15 pm on August 9-13.

Tryouts are the following times and dates:

Wed., Aug. 18 (5:00-6:30 pm)
Thurs., Aug. 19 (3:15-5:00 pm)

Shelby McCabe
303-763-5545

School Relay Team 2010

Congratulations to the Bobcat School Relay team who captured first place at the annual Field Day School Relay Race on May 14th. Bethlehem competed in Class A against four other Lutheran schools. The team consisted of the following: 1st gr.-Andrew Funk, 2nd gr.-Seith Dvorak, 3rd gr.-Kai Bickner, 4th gr.-Ben Rockwell, 5th gr.-Grayson Herd, 6th gr.-John Meyer, 7th gr.-Josh Clausen, 8th gr.-Jeremy Campbell.



School Vision Implementation Members

The School Vision Implementation Team (VIT) is the governing body of Bethlehem Lutheran School. Listed below are the names and contact information for each VIT member for better communication.

Jean Wendelin, Chair	303-988-9437
Nathan Schomer	303-918-8243
Laura Prinzi	303-988-1765
John Dreier	303-431-0065
Kimberly Wenger	303-975-9819
Mike Siffring	303-579-6826

Email blsvit@bethluth.net to reach all VIT members.

Lost and Found

Please make sure you check Lost and Found and the office (for jewelry, glasses, etc.) for your children's lost belongings. All remaining items will go to Goodwill if not picked up by the last day of school.



Mr. "B's" Sports Report

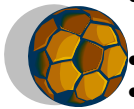
Last Thursday Bethlehem conducted its annual athletic awards program in the Parish Activity Center, at which time the coaching staff honored the 86 young men and women who participated in a sport at Bethlehem this year. Coaches from all the sports had an opportunity to reminisce about the past season and then give special recognition to their outstanding players. As I mentioned earlier, 86 young people received awards of participation in grades 5 to 8! The coaches' special awards are listed below:

Volleyball



- Most Valuable Player-Killian Ramey
Hannah Hock
- Most Improved-Madi Evans
- Coaches Award-Hannah Guida

Soccer



- Coaches Award-Brittany Blanco
Jason Gallmeyer
- Inspiration Award-Noah DeLaet
- Most Valuable Player-Erich Eggers
Andrew Wahlers

Girls' Basketball



- Most Improved-Hannah Hock
- Hot Shot-Lauren Beaugh
- Most Valuable Player-Chandler Sturms

Boys' Basketball Coach Wahlers



- Most Improved-Josh Walquist
- Rookie of the Year-Erich Eggers
- Best 6th Man-Noah DeLaet
- Most Valuable Player-Andrew Wahlers

Boys' Basketball Coach Breidert



- "Silk" Shot Award-Grant Harkness
- Most Aggressive Rebounder-John Greunke
- Mr. Hustle-Jacob Schreiner
- Hot Shot-Kody vonHoldt
Stephen Schamp
- Best 6th Man-Britton Naas
- Rookie of the Year-Daniel Langewisch
Nick Martinez
- Most Improved-Jacob Lodwig
Seth Von Rentzell
- Most Valuable Player-Jeremy Campbell
Josh Clausen
- Dunk Award-Josh Clausen
For first dunk in a game in
Bethlehem basketball history!

Track

- Rookie of the Year-Cameron Naas
- Most Improved-Madi Evans
Noah DeLaet
- Most Valuable Player-Killian Ramey
Chandler Sturms
Josh Clausen



Athletes of the Year

Lauren Beaugh
Laura-Li Gaide
Noah DeLaet

Congratulations