



# *Forest Hills*

## *Lutheran Christian School*

### Forest Hills Friday News

February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2020

I recently came across a poem by Edgar Guest, entitled, "A Sermon We See." It was rather interesting, and I thought I'd share it with you. It goes as follows:

I'd rather see a sermon than hear one any day;  
I'd rather one should walk with me than merely tell the way.  
The eye's a better pupil and more willing than the ear,  
Fine counsel is confusing, but example's always clear;  
And the best of all preachers are those who live their creeds,  
For to see good put in action is what everybody needs.  
I soon can learn to do it if you'll let me see it done;  
I can watch your hands in action, but your tongue too fast may run.  
And the lecture you deliver may be very wise and true,  
But I'd rather get my lessons by observing what you do;  
For I might misunderstand you and the high advice you give,  
But there's no misunderstanding how you act and how you live.

This poem had both positive and negative thoughts for me. As I reflected on it, I realized that I have, by no means, always been the example that God calls me to be. I have not always lived what I have preached, and there are times when my witness can be misunderstood. Unfortunately, I think we can all make that claim.

You see, in the world in which we live, each of us has two roles. We are sinners and we are saints. We are sinners as we fail to meet God's perfect commands. But we are saints through the blood of the Lamb.

When we do fail to do the things we should do, God picks us up, and offers us unconditional love and forgiveness. Having received these, and experienced the warmth they provide, we are called to give these to others on a daily basis.

I encourage you this week to put your faith in action. Live out the love God has given you, but know that when we fail to meet the standard, God forgives us, and enables us to go on in love, until we perfectly experience and share God's love for eternity.

Mike Schiemann. <><  
Principal



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#### Join Us:

- The FHLCS **Girls' Basketball** coaches are hosting an open gym for **4-8th grade girls** on Fridays from 3:20-5:00pm. No sign up needed, but please RSVP to [athdir@FHLCS.org](mailto:athdir@FHLCS.org). Girls should report to the gym after school prepared with appropriate clothing, shoes, and water bottle. Please pick up in the gym lobby promptly at 5:00 pm.
- **Monday Prayer Group:** join Mr. Schiemann for prayer group 8:15-9am
- **Tuesday Bible Study** "Mindset for Parents" w/Mr. Schiemann 8:30-9:30am
- **Thursday Bible Study** "Befriend" with Kerry Bauer 8:30-9:30am

#### LEST Spirit Days:

Monday 2/10: Crazy Hat or Hair Day  
Tuesday 2/11: Favorite Team Day – Beavers, Ducks, Blazers, Timbers, etc.  
Wednesday 2/12: Falcon Spirit Day

#### Family Envelopes today:

- **Auction Ticket Purchase Form**
- **Auction Call for Volunteers**
- **PTA Box Tops Information**
- **Middle School Field Trip Information**

#### Dates at a Glance:

Saturday 2/08	Happy Birthday Mrs. Brown!!! Happy Birthday Mrs. Leinhos!!!
Monday 2/10	Crazy Hat or Hair Day 7/8 <sup>th</sup> Boys Bball Here v. St. OES, 4pm
Tuesday 2/11	Favorite Sports Team Day 7/8 <sup>th</sup> Boys Bball Here v. CS Lewis, 4pm
Wednesday 2/12	Falcon Spirit Day – Show your Falcon Pride! Chapel Host Bethlehem, 8:20am LEST Choir to perform in Chapel, 8:20am LEST Assembly in Gym, 2pm
Thursday 2/13 – Saturday 2/15	No School, LEST!!! Tentative Schedule & Resources <a href="#">Here</a>
Monday 2/17	No School, Presidents' Day
Tuesday 2/18	3/4 <sup>th</sup> CoEd Bball Practice Starts, 3:15p 7/8 <sup>th</sup> Boys Bball at Faith, 4pm
Wednesday 2/19	Buddy Chapel Host Trinity Lutheran, 8:20am

#### The deadline to apply for 2020-2021 financial aid is 02/28/20

- ALL applicants must apply through the TADS website to be considered ([www.TADS.com](http://www.TADS.com)).
- Each year our school has a limited amount of aid available to award families on a need basis. TADS analyzes applicant information and tax documents, and provides us with the calculated need.
- If you would like to include a letter of special circumstances, it can be uploaded to TADS at the time of your application.
- Families will be notified of awards approximately mid-April.
- If your family does not qualify for financial aid, the cost of the application will be refunded.
- If you have any questions regarding the process, please contact our Business Manager, Angie Reese, at [reesea@fhllcs.org](mailto:reesea@fhllcs.org) or (503) 359-4853.

# Special Announcements

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## Pacific University Hosts Girls Sports Clinic:

Bring your girls to Pacific on Feb. 9 for National Girls and Women in Sports Day. Student-athletes and the Department of Exercise Science will host a [free sports clinic](#) for girls ages 5 to 14. Starting at 1 p.m., female student-athletes will teach the girls and their guardians basic skills of lacrosse, volleyball and tennis, among other sports. After the sports clinic, the girls and their guardians will have the opportunity to gain insight on how to use positive self-talk and mental imagery as a way to build confidence in athletics and life. The event is free, with no pre-registration required.



**You are invited** to attend our **2020 School Auction with Grace** being held on Saturday, February 29, 2020, at 5PM, on our beautiful school campus of Forest Hills Lutheran Christian School! We would love to have you attend this fun, elegant night of fellowship and fundraising fully catered by OutAzaBlue Catering, beer provided by Slow Drift Brewing Company, and wine served by A Blooming Hill Vineyard. Tickets are on [sale now](#). We look forward to seeing you at our Auction!

**Chance to make a Difference:** Chapel offerings this trimester will go to support Gideons International. For every \$1.20 your child brings to Chapel on Wednesdays, the Gideons will be able to send one New Testament Bible to Russia. We look forward to the opportunity to help in this way.



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