



January 28th, 2021

Mission Statement St. Peter Lutheran School exists to help parents bring up their children in the training and instruction of the Lord, to provide academic excellence using God’s Word, and to share the Gospel of Christ with the world.

Masks

The Wisconsin Assembly is voting today (Thursday) to end the state mask mandate. The Senate already approved the resolution on Tuesday. **If the mask mandate is repealed today**, then St. Peter will follow our mask guidelines **STARTING MONDAY, FEBRUARY 1**, as stated in our COVID-19 Safety/Instruction Plan adopted this past August. As a review, our safety plan states the following regarding masks:

- a. Students will not be required to wear a mask or face shield unless mandated by state or local authorities. Without a mandate, the choice of a student wearing a mask will be left to the discretion of individual families.
- b. Teachers will not be required to wear a mask or face shield unless mandated by state or local authorities.
- c. Visitors will be required to wear a mask or face shield.
- d. Teachers, when meeting with parents, will be required to wear a mask.

If the mask mandate is repealed and you would like to have your child continue wearing a mask while in school, please contact his/her teacher to inform he/she of your wishes.

Please note that our **athletic league** will still require all fans attending basketball games, either home or away, to wear masks. This will be true even if the mask mandate is repealed. Fans will not be allowed entrance to any gymnasium without masks.

Tuition 2021-2022 School Year:

After a year of freezing tuition and the blessing of a technology grant from the St. Peter’s Foundation being awarded to each student, the School Board has decided to set the rates for next year. There will be an increase to tuition rates for 2021-2022. You can see the breakdown below.

<u>Grades</u>	<u>Member</u>			<u>Nonmember</u>		
	<u>Tuition</u>	<u>Technology</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Tuition</u>	<u>Technology</u>	<u>Total</u>
3K	\$180	\$150	\$330	\$314	\$150	\$464
4K	\$447	\$150	\$597	\$853	\$150	\$1003
K-8	\$853	\$150	\$1003	\$1490	\$150	\$1640

Next School Year

Planning for the next year has already begun. This is the time we receive calls from prospective parents interested in learning about our school and possibly sending their children here to hear God’s Word on a daily basis. With this communication, we are attempting to begin getting an idea of student numbers

for the 2021-2022 school year and give you the opportunity to secure a spot for your child(ren). Attached you will find a commitment form that allows you to share with us your intent on sending your child(ren) next school year. Because you already have a child or children in our school, we are giving you the first opportunity to hold a spot for them. To secure a spot, complete the form and return it along with a nonrefundable \$50.00 per family deposit to the school. The deposit will be applied to next year's tuition costs. **Please complete the attached commitment form and return it right away even if you are not planning to send your child or are unsure at this time. If you do not have a printer, you can contact the school office and ask that a form be mailed to you or sent home with your child.** Starting February 22nd, an Open Enrollment period will begin for all prospective parents seeking to enroll their children at St. Peters. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Mr. Miller at 920-867-2200(school), 920-867-4004(home), or e-mail j.miller@splwega.net.

Private School Tuition Deduction 2020: Parents are allowed to deduct tuition paid in 2020 for dependent children who attend St. Peters. The subtraction may be claimed by a full-year resident, part-year resident, or nonresident of Wisconsin. Parents must have paid tuition to St. Peters during the taxable year your child attended St. Peters. The child must have been claimed as a dependent on your Wisconsin income tax return and the child must have been a **pupil in grades K-8 at St. Peters**. The deduction **DOES NOT INCLUDE** supplies (books or athletics), meals, transportation, personal use items, or uniform fees. Parents will have to complete form Schedule PS in figuring their taxes. **These forms are available at the school office.**

Spirit Week

Even though basketball is being conducted on a limited basis regarding the number of games played and no usual year-end tournament, St. Peter still plans on having a Spirit Week for the 20-21 school year. The week will have many 'dress-up' days leading to the pep rally. The various events are being done to show our support for the A-teams both boys and girls. The events will be held February 10 – 19. A student Spirit Week committee was put together which included students from grades K-8. They represented their classmates and gave suggestions on what the 'fun' days should entail. The staff even tossed in an idea of their own. Below is a list of the calendar days along with each 'spirit' activity for that particular day. Please remember that the school dress code should still be followed when participating in each activity.

SPIRIT EVENTS

Wednesday, February 10 – Pajama Day [Come in a comfy pair of pajamas. Stay warm!]

Tuesday, February 16 – Movie/Video Character Day [Dress-up as . . .]

Wednesday, February 17 – Student/Teacher Clothes Swap Day [Pick a teacher to dress as.]

Thursday, February 18 – Bible Character Day [Dress-up as . . .]

Friday, February 19 – School Colors/Pep Rally [Wear red and white.]

Roundups:

The various roundups for **grades 3K / 4K / K** that were on the calendar are being rescheduled for the month of March. More information regarding these days will be coming out in February. You can look for them via the church bulletin, school newsletter, emails, and maybe even texts. These events will be scheduled for the purpose of communicating what each program has to offer parents and give attendees the opportunity to enroll their children for the 21-22 school year.

Yearbook Pictures: Please send any pictures that you have for the yearbook to tabdrews@gmail.com the pictures can be anything involving the children in school/sports/activities. Thank you

Redhawks Basketball:



A-Team Boys, Friday, January 29th @ Home starting at 6:00pm. Friday, February 5th @ Home at 6:00pm.

A-Team Girls, Friday, February 5th @ Home at 4:30pm.

B-Team Boys, Thursday, February 4th @ St. Paul Green Bay at 6:00pm.

B- Team Girls, Thursday January 28th @ Martin Luther Oshkosh at 4:30pm.
Thursday, February 4th @ St. Paul Green Bay at 4:30pm.

FVL Musicfest 2021: This event will be held virtually on Sunday, January 31 from 1-3 PM! This virtual event includes performances from our FVL and FVL Schools bands, choirs, and Choraliers, as well as several piano players and small groups. Many students from FVL Schools are participating as part of the Cadet Band and Concert Winds. FVL's Alumni Alive is also inspiring generosity through a gift match! The gifts \$2,750 raised by the online auction and donations will be matched to support FVL Music Programs. Visit www.fvlhs.org/musicfest to learn more!