



# FALCON FORECASTER

August 12, 2009

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**School begins Monday, August 24 at 8 AM – This is a full day of School!**

All students (K-12) must be at school at 8 AM for our first day. We will begin the year with our annual prayer circle for students, families and staff.

## A SUMMER OF SPORTS!

Summer Break! What's that and when does it start?!! At FCS, it has been a busy summer that went too fast. For our sports teams, the summer has been filled with practices, and fundraising. The Volleyball team is raising money to again go to the ACSI National Tournament in Dayton Tennessee – this year hoping to take first place

in the nation! Their first practice at Lighthouse Church was August 3. The Soccer team already has had several practices and is in need of a coach. Anyone interested please contact Matt. This year, the soccer team will play in the ACSI state tournament in Illinois.

## FCS RECIPE BOOK

We are excited about this year's fall fundraiser – the first FCS recipe book! Mary Ryan has appreciated all the recipes sent in, and has worked to create a book filled with great recipes and FCS class pictures. This great family keepsake will sell for \$10. We are hoping that each FCS family will sell ten books, so please begin

selling them now, and ask if your church would allow us to set up a display and sell them at your church. FCS families not interested in helping with this fundraiser are asked to make a \$100 donation (cost of 10 books) to the school. Thanks for your help!

## Parents Meeting/Potluck

August 20 at 6:00 pm we will hold our annual FCS Parents meeting and Potluck Supper. We hope to begin the meeting at 6:30, and finish by 8 pm. Please come to receive the latest school information, meet new teachers and old friends!

Food items will be assigned by last name. If your last name begins with:  
A-F please bring a Main Dish Casserole  
G-H please bring a Salad  
K-Z please bring a dessert  
Elementary Staff – 2 bags of chips  
Other Staff – 2 liters of cold soda.

## SUMMER COLLAGE

A picture is worth a thousand words – so we hope to put together a FCS summer collage highlighting the summer's adventures of students,

families and staff. Please send to school a hard copy picture showing what you did last summer! We are hoping for a picture from every student!

**Don't  
Forget!**

**Parent's  
Meeting/Potluck  
Aug 20-6:00 pm**

**SCHOOL  
BEGINS  
MONDAY –  
AUGUST 24**

**Your Falcon  
Forecaster now  
comes on  
Wednesdays &  
is emailed to  
you!**

**Coffee for  
Elementary  
Moms on Fri  
Aug 28-8am**

**Support our school by using SCRIP! A new order will be placed August 20 to be picked up August 27. Call Chris Ancil for more information – 477-1028**



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FCS Mission  
*To provide a Christ-centered education, joining believing parents and churches to help each student obtain their full potential as a chosen creation of a sovereign God.*

We're on the Web!

for us at:

www.

fondulacchristianschool

.com

## LIFE PRINCIPLES FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR

At FCS, we will again focus on a different spiritual principle each month. Expect to see these principles in chapel talks, devotions, and in each month's Falcon Forecaster.

Aug/Sept - Obey the Prompting of the Spirit  
October - You can never out give God  
November - Allow Jesus to live in & through you  
December - God blesses us so we can bless others  
Jan. - Adversity creates a deeper relationship to God  
Feb. - Prayer is life's greatest time saver  
March - No Christian should "go it alone"  
April - Learn more in the valley than the mountaintops  
May - To live productively, anticipate Christ's return

## THANK YOU TO SUMMER WORKERS

Thank you to everyone who spent time this summer painting, cleaning and preparing our school for the fall! A special thanks to Chuck Stanley and Corey Baker! Last year they tackled several jobs, including the new soccer goal next to our school! This summer they donated their time and the materials

to repair our bathrooms by installing new sinks and benches. Remember, our school survives because of volunteers - please use your gifts and abilities to help our school. We need volunteers in the office, classroom and with fundraisers. **There's more painting to be completed before school starts. Call Matt (960-4435) if you can help.**

## NEW MATH TEACHER

We are very excited about the new teacher God has brought to our school! Gary White has his Bachelor's Degree in Secondary Ed from UW-Eau Claire with a double major in Math and Physics. He has his Master's in Education from Marian and 33 years experience in FDL

public schools during which he coached the math teams to many state victories! Gary and his wife Karen have three children and attend Community Church. His life verse is Ephesians 6:10-20, and he hopes to challenge his students to "take up the whole armor of God."

## Balken/Clayton Wedding

During the sports season, we often have scheduling conflicts in which game dates and times need to be changed. But Deb was surprised when Wyldewood had a conflict with a soccer game Oct. 29 and the FCS volleyball coach had a conflict on the same night. What was the problem with Oct 29? Wyldewood's pastor/athletic director's son is marrying the daughter of our volleyball coach, Pastor Balken on Oct 30. Since the rehearsal dinner is Oct 29, both games have been moved to Oct 1, at Wyldewood. Congratulations to both families!!!

## CALENDAR

- Thurs Aug 20 FCS Potluck and Parents Meeting-6:00pm**  
**Mon Aug 24 First Day of School - 8am**  
 Thurs Aug 27 Volleyball vs Green Bay Homeschool, Away, 5:00 pm  
**Fri Aug 28 Coffee for Elementary Moms at 8am at FCS**  
 Fri Aug 28 Soccer vs Madison Homeschool at Home 4:30 pm  
 Thurs Sept 3 Soccer vs. Wyldewood at Home 4:00pm; Volleyball at 5:00pm  
 Fri Sept 4 Volleyball vs. Waupaca, Away, 5:00pm  
 Tues Sept 8 Volleyball vs Green Bay Homeschool, Away, 6:00 pm  
 Thurs Sept 10 Soccer vs. Trinity, Away, 4:00pm; Volleyball Away 5:45 & 7pm  
 Fri Sept 11 Soccer vs. Victory at Home 4:30; Volleyball at 6:00pm  
**Thurs Sept 17 Prayer Meeting 6-7, Board Meeting 7pm**

