



Grade Five's Highlights

Mrs. Rickman's Class, Forest Hills Lutheran School

October 29, 2009

Learning Highlights from this Week

Dear Parents,

Thanks so much to our parent volunteers who helped with last week's field trip and today's Halloween Party.

In Christ, Mrs. Rickman

Christian Studies: We continue learning about Martin Luther's example of faith.

Math: We are into our geometry unit, measuring angles, comparing polygons and their attributes, and looking at tessellations.

Reading: Students are now all in a book club where they are responsible to read the assigned chapters, take notes, and be ready for our discussion on the assigned day—usually every other day.

Writing: We continue a writing about

something we're good at or enjoy.

Science: As we focus on conifers, students are using a dichotomous key to identify trees. Their assignment will be to collect two tree samples to identify.

Christian Music: We studied Jeremy Camp this week.

STAR OF THE WEEK



Our Star of the Week is Petra Flemmer. Petra was a member of our FHLS volleyball team, loves to play basketball, and rides in Equestrian competitions. She had a first place ribbon to prove it. Petra also enjoys Smartfood popcorn. Her sister, Addie, is in 8th grade and her brother, Isaac, is a 3rd grader. We're thankful Petra's our friend.

Next Weeks Reminders

- No memory project next week.
- **Thur & Fri—No School. Parent/Teacher Conferences.**

Take Notice...

Luther Movie

I would like to show the students *Luther*. This is the 2003 movie of the Reformer, Martin Luther. It is rated PG-13 because of some disturbing images. Please speak to me if you have any concerns or questions about having your child view this.

Explorers

We will soon wrap up our studies of ecosystems and trees. As we return to our Social Studies, we'll be learning about the early explorers. Students will be asked to research an explorer and write a report about him. I will send home more details.

Upcoming Events

Happy All Saints Day

"The righteous will live by faith"

Romans 1:17