



# ROCKET REVIEW

Altamont Lutheran Interparish School

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October 6, 2011

**Bethlehem Lutheran Ch.**—Sun. 9 am; SS 10 am **Immanuel Lutheran Ch.**—Sat. 6 pm, Sun. 8:30/11am; SS 9:45 am  
**St. Paul's (Blue Point) Lutheran Ch.**—Sun. 9:30 am; SS 8:30 am **Zion Lutheran Ch.**—Sun. 9:30 am; SS 8:30 am



**ALIS Rockets won the Regional Championship game over Rome on Monday, September 26. Team members include: front row, Cameron Stuemke, Klaiton Wolff, Kaleb Whitt, Austin Kline, Brennan Hutson, and Noah Kopplin. Second row, Travis Whitt and Jacob Sigg. Third row, Devon Guerrettaz, Christian Freezeland, Eric Wolff, Brett Harmeier, Logan Deadmond, Krayl Gehle, Adam Mayhaus, and Assistant Coach Benton White. Back row, Assistant Coach Lance Freezeland and Head Coach Alan Whitt.**

## CHAPEL SERVICE OCT. 12



You are invited to attend the Chapel Service officiated by Rev. Vail on Wednesday, Oct. 12, at 8:20 a.m. The 2nd grade class will be singing. Baptismal birthdays: 10/9 Lily Laatsch, Ben Yagow, 10/15 Dawn Pagel. 1<sup>st</sup> Qtr Off.-Lutheran World Relief Chapel 9/28 \$445.56 & 10/5 \$49.50

9/25/11 ALIS Church Attend: 66 % Sunday Sch: 60%  
10/5/11 ALIS Church Attend: 66 % Sunday Sch: 53%

LEARN BY HEART - WEEK OF OCT. 9

♥ The Ninth Commandment: **You shall not covet your neighbor's house.** *What does this mean?* We should fear and love God so that we do not scheme to get our neighbor's inheritance or house, or get it in a way which only appears right, but help and be of service to him in keeping it.

## LUNCH MENU

**Mon., Oct. 10-** No School

**Tues., Oct. 11-** Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, B&B, cake, milk.

**Wed., Oct. 12-** Hot dog on bun, oven fries, fruit, jello, milk.

**Thurs., Oct. 13-** Chili, peanut butter sandwich, baby carrots, dip, fruit, crackers, milk.

**Fri., Oct. 14-** Pizza, salad, vegetable, fruit, cookie, milk.

## COMING EVENTS

**Fri., Oct. 7-**No School-Teacher Institute

**Mon., Oct. 10-**No School-Columbus Day

**Thurs., Oct 13-**Family Reading Night & PTL Book Fair

**Fri., Oct 14-**Kleinhenn Orders Due in the Office

**Mon., Oct. 17-**Board of Directors 7:30pm

**Tues., Oct. 18-**Flu Mist Shots 1pm

**Thurs., Oct. 20-**PTL Meeting 7pm

**Fri., Oct. 21-**End of First Quarter

**Sat., Oct. 22-**Paper & Aluminum Drive 8-11am, Red Ribbon Week Oct. 22-Oct. 30

**Sun., Oct. 23-**Zion Chili Supper 4pm

**Thurs., Oct. 27-2<sup>nd</sup> -4<sup>th</sup>** Effingham Pref. Center 10am, Fall Parties 1:30pm, Early Dismissal 2:10 pm, Parent/Teacher conf. 2:20-8pm, Jr. High Band Parade at Vandalia 7pm

**Fri., Oct. 28-**No School

**Sat., Oct. 29-**Jr. High Band Parade at Altamont 2 pm

**Sun., Oct. 30-**Jr. High Band Parade at Effingham 2pm, Reformation Service at Imm. 7pm

## SPORTS SCHEDULE

**Thurs., Oct. 6-**CH prac 3:30-5:15pm, BB prac 5:30-7:30pm, GBB vs Pana 6pm

**Fri., Oct. 7-** BB prac 5:30-7:30pm

**Mon., Oct. 10-** BB prac 5:30-7:30pm

**Tues., Oct. 11-** CH prac 3:30-5:15pm BB prac 5:30-7:30pm GBB vs Sigel 6:15pm

**Wed., Oct. 12-**CH prac 6:30-8am

**Thurs., Oct. 13-** CH prac 3:30-5:15pm, GBB @ Shelbyville 6:15pm

**Fri., Oct. 14-** CH prac 3:30-5:15pm, BB prac 5:30-7:30pm

## BOOK FAIR AND FAMILY READING NIGHT

The PTL Book Fair will be held next week on Thurs., Oct. 13. The fair will be open starting at 8 am and continue until 8pm. Grandparents or other "Grandpersons" are invited to shop with their grandchildren during their free periods at school that day. A note will be sent home with a schedule of their free times. We will be serving pizza, chips, cookies, and drinks from 5-6pm. Family Reading Night will follow starting at 6:15pm. Coaches will be the special readers. Parent "secret" shopping will be held during the last reading time. Reservation papers were sent home yesterday.

## ROCKET REPAINTED

Nanci Wolff and Emilie Merkel volunteered to repaint the Rocket logo outside the front doors. They did an excellent job. Thank you very much!



**Congratulations to the Girls Basketball Team. They won the Old State Capitol Classic Tournament in Vandalia.**

**PAPER/ALUMINIUM CAN DRIVE**

The fall paper/aluminum can drive will be held Saturday, Oct. 22, from 8am-11am in the Immanuel Lutheran Church parking lot. Check the PTL book to see if you are on this committee. More volunteers are welcome to help with this event.

**MATCHING GIFT PROGRAM**

**Altamont Lutheran Interparish Endowment Fund and The Southeastern Illinois Community Foundation (SICF) Matching Gift Program.** ALIS has an opportunity to receive a gift of \$10,000 if the member congregations can raise \$20,000 for the ALIS Endowment Fund. The ALIS Endowment Fund Committee has established the goal of reaching \$20,000 by December 31, 2011. At this time ALIS has received \$1,650. Please prayerfully consider contributing to this "Matching Gift Program" in order to reach the \$20,000 goal which will contribute to the long term mission of ALIS. Make checks payable to "ALIS Endowment Fund" and send it to ALIS.

**MORE ALIS VOLUNTEERS**

Debbie Hanson has been a volunteer driver at ALIS since last year. Her name was left off the list in the last Rocket Review. Also, Sheryl Painter takes care of the school website, and Mary Campbell takes photos at special school events. Leigh Ann Ruffner has volunteered to help take the plastic bags to Walmart. We appreciate all of the time that is spent volunteering at ALIS.

**COACHING POSITIONS AVAILABLE**

ALIS is looking to fill two coaching positions for this year. We are in need of a volleyball coach and a 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade cheerleading coach. The volleyball season is from December through March, while the 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> cheerleading season is from December through February. If you are interested in either of these positions, please contact Mr. Jones at 618-483-6428 or 618-830-0324.

**WALK-A-THON THANK YOU**

Thank you to the students, staff, and helpers during the PTL Walk-a-Thon. Please send all Walk-A-Thon money collected to school by Tues., Oct. 11. Prizes will be awarded next week to the three students who raised the most money.

**PTL SCRIP**

Scrip cards will be available in the school library all day on Mondays and from 10 am - 3:15 pm Tues. - Fri. when school is in session. If you have any questions, please call Leigh Ann Ruffner at 618-553-6613, or you can email her at [ruffner3@yahoo.com](mailto:ruffner3@yahoo.com)

**SCRIP ORDER SCHEDULE**

Turn in to ALIS	Turn in to Church	Pickup at ALIS
Fri., Oct. 14	Sun., Oct. 16	Fri., Oct. 21
Thurs., Oct. 27	Sun., Oct. 29	Fri., Nov. 4

**RHODES FISH FRY AT AGS**

The Altamont High School Senior class is having an all you can eat fish, shrimp, and chicken meal catered by Country Rhodes on Fri., Oct. 14<sup>th</sup> from 4-7pm at the Altamont Grade School. The prices are \$8.50 for adults and \$5.50 for children. Desserts will be sold at an extra price. All proceeds from the fish fry will go to help the Altamont seniors pay for the trip to Washington D.C.

**ROOMS FOR DANVILLE TOURNAMENT**

We have reserved a block of 20 rooms for the Danville tournament. The tournament is December 3rd, the rates are \$74.95 for a double, and \$84.95 for a suite. We have 13 double rooms and 7 suites. You will need to tell them that you are with the Altamont Lutheran Interparish School to get those rates. The last date to lock in those rates is November 15, 2011. We did not reserve rooms for Friday night, but they told us they would honor the same rates, so if you wish to stay both nights, you may do so. The hotel is the Sleep Inn and Suites in Danville, and the phone number is 217-442-6600. Make sure you say that you are with ALIS, because there is also an Immanuel that plays in the tournament and they can get them confused very easily! If any questions, contact Clint or Emilie Merkel, 483-5176

**BALLARD NATURE CENTER OUTDOOR DAYS**

The National Road Reading council invites you to join them at Ballard Nature Center Outdoor Days on Sat., Oct. 15. Come hear a story, do a craft, and go on a hunt from 12:00 noon -1:00pm. There will be prizes and lots of other activities. Join the fun!



**4<sup>th</sup> Grade sang two songs during their part of the Grandparents' Day program held last Wednesday.**