

# Savior's Word

## Beautiful Savior Lutheran School

February 2, 2012

*"Dog Saves Woman's Life." That was the newspaper headline. You may also have heard of a dog jumping into the river and rescuing a child. You may remember the dog who barked to wake up its masters when their house was on fire or even Pastor Schmidt's and my dog eating money. (Oh, that is another topic.) But this dog in the headline was an Irish setter who dialed 911 and saved a life.*

*Oh, really! Here is what happened. Because of a breathing disorder, the owner slept with an oxygen mask over her face. While she was sleeping, the breathing machine's plug fell out, and oxygen was cutoff. Without oxygen, she could have died. But the dog remembered her training. She heard the oxygen alarm and first tried to awaken her mistress. When the woman did not respond, the dog knocked off the telephone receiver and bumped a button programmed to dial 911. Help arrived in time.*

*God rescued us. He could have walked away from our sinful ways but he didn't. He sent His life giving Son, Jesus, to be our 911 call. And there's even more to this rescue - though we sin daily, God freely forgives us. He cares for us and promises never to leave us. That's good stuff.*

Harvey Stowe, Principal

**Grandparents Day** is March 9. Start inviting grandparents and special friends to school for a light breakfast, a special chapel, and time with your child. Watch for a formal invitation coming home soon.

**Silent Auction** - The PTL is putting together a silent auction to go along with Fine Arts Night on April 27. If you have anything you would like to donate or know of someone the PTL can contact, please send that information to the office or talk to a PTL member. More information to come.

**Jump Rope for Heart** – Coming up on Friday, February 10. Let's work together to reach our school goal of \$3,000!! Remember to turn in your donation packets by Thursday, February 9 to get entered in the prize drawings. Together we can be heart heroes! Contact Mrs. Jansen if you can help with the event. We need volunteers!!!!

**ATTENTION:** Classroom Box Tops contest starts Monday! The contest will run February 6 – 10, and the class with the highest percentage per student will win a class treat!

**Have you or other of your family members been volunteering at school?** If you have earned enough Comet Rewards to redeem, contact a PTL member. Keep turning in those volunteer forms!

**SCRIP** – SCRIP is a great way to help support Beautiful Savior while shopping at your favorite stores. SCRIP offers many merchants whether you need supplies, food, or clothing. Simply place an order for the gift cards you'd like (see a complete list on [www.shopwithscrip.com](http://www.shopwithscrip.com)) and you will receive the full amount you purchase while a percentage goes to Beautiful Savior. The next ordering dates are February 5 and 19. Check out scrip now for instant gift cards. Contact Stephanie Krueger at [nkrueger6@wi.rr.com](mailto:nkrueger6@wi.rr.com) or 262-501-0150 with any questions.

\*\*\*\*The scrip program is looking to expand. Please consider taking advantage of this program. Invite family and friends to participate also! Check out the ScripNow program at [www.shopwithscrip.com](http://www.shopwithscrip.com) which lets you print off gift cards to use right away! If you know of any businesses that would be interested in purchasing gift cards through our program, contact Stephanie Krueger with any information or questions.

**Game Club** - **VOLUNTEERS** are in great need for this program in order for it to continue. Please contact Mrs. Krebs if you can help. The next Game Night is on Friday, February 10.

**Parent Liaisons Needed!** - The PTL is looking for parent liaisons to help find volunteers for specific events. This would involve finding volunteers from families in your assigned classroom. A parent liaison is eligible to earn more Comet Reward Points. Parent Liaisons are still needed for Kindergarten, 3&4 and 5th grades. If you are interested, please contact Stephanie Krueger at [nkrueger6@wi.rr.com](mailto:nkrueger6@wi.rr.com) or Julie Blischke at [blischke4@aol.com](mailto:blischke4@aol.com) .

**Coke Rewards** - Keep collecting those Coke bottle caps, 12-pack box ends, and Coke Powerade drinks to earn points for our school. These points can be accumulated to get free art and music supplies, gym equipment, and other items for our school. If you wish to help us, go to [www.mycokerewards.com](http://www.mycokerewards.com) and locate our school.

**Here are some events to add to your calendar:**

- **Monday, February 6:** Classroom Box Tops Contest Starts!!!
- **Tuesday, February 7:** Grades 3-5 field trip to Sunset Bowl 12:30 – 3:00 p.m.; Sports Club 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.
- **Wednesday, February 8:** Handbells 3:45 – 4:45 p.m.
- **Thursday, February 9:** Preschool/Kindergarten field trip to First Stage Theater; Antarctica Presentation for grades 1-5 at 9:30 a.m.; Jump Rope for Heart donations due
- **Friday, February 10:** Jump Rope for Heart 9-11 a.m.; Game Club 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.
- **Sunday, February 12:** Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church Anniversary - Cherub Choir, Sonshine Choir, After School Handbells all participate in the service
- **Wednesday, February 15:** Family Chapel and Lunch starting at 11:00 a.m.
- **Sunday, February 19:** Plant Sale ordering starts!
- **Thursday, February 23:** No School; Parent/Teacher Conferences
- **Friday, February 24:** No School; Teacher In-service
- **March 5 – 9:** National Lutheran Schools Week!
- **Thursday, March 8:** Early Release @ 1:55 p.m.
- **Friday, March 9:** Grandparent's Day – Dismissal at 11:00 a.m.
- **Sunday, March 11:** National Lutheran Schools Week Sunday - BSLS students sing and ring in the worship service