

Below you will find a duplicate of the papers that parents and youth signed on Sunday, September 24. Responsibilities of families in charge and newsletter are spelled out elsewhere in this newsletter. The Youth Group meeting will always meet at the church unless otherwise noted. The youth leaders will be in charge of the Additional activity. It looks like a great year. I hope you are looking forward to it. Mark your calendars!!

# CONCORDIA YOUTH GROUP NEWSLETTER

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OCTOBER 1995

NOVEMBER 1995

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JANUARY 1996

Oct. 8-Youth Group  
5:30 pm

Nov. 12-Youth Group  
5:30 pm

Dec. 10-Youth Group  
5:30 pm

Jan. 14-Youth Group  
5:30 pm

**OCTOBER  
WAS A  
SUPER  
MONTH  
OVER 25  
YOUTH IN  
ATTENDANCE**

**NOVEMBER  
PROVED TO BE  
SUPREME!!  
22 - NOV. 12  
18 - NOV. 21**

Newsletter: Nick Plumb,  
Matt Warner, Erin Scheiwe

Additnl. Activity: Caroling,  
popcorn, cocoa, & movies  
@ someone's house \*

*\*Remember Sunday Bible  
class @ 9:15*

**Parent Helpers:**

- 1.) Røstvedt
- 2.) Hendricks
- 3.)

Newsletter: Angela Carrell  
Danielle Schuelke

Additnl. Activity: Climbing  
Wall @ Middle School.  
Super Bowl Party

*\*Remember Sunday Bible  
class @ 9:15*

**Parent Helpers:**

- 1.) Svendsen
- 2.) Warner
- 3.) Dalton

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- 2.) Carlson
- 3.)

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- 2.) Erickson
- 3.) Poole

FEBRUARY 1996

MARCH 1996

APRIL 1996

MAY 1996

Feb. 11-Youth Group  
5:30 pm

Mar. 10-Youth Group  
5:30 pm

April 14-Youth Group  
5:30 pm

May 10-Youth Group  
5:30 pm

Newsletter: Jennifer Fritz,  
Julie Jarvis, Brooke Julian

Newsletter: Laura Zimmerer,  
Cheyenne Wellman

Newsletter: Lisa Warner,  
Katie Cartwright,  
Kelly Hanson

Newsletter: Josh Carrell,  
Sarah Kammerer,  
Katie Carlson

Additnl. Activity: Sledding  
@Howelson Hill, Soda Crk.  
Middle School

Additnl. Activity: Bowling

Additnl. Activity: Theme  
dinner (lock in)

Additnl. Activity: Perform a  
play; retreat at Carrell's

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**Parent Helpers:**

- 1.) Fritz
- 2.) Twede
- 3.) Jarvis

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- 1.) Cartwright
- 2.) Zimmerer
- 3.) Wellman

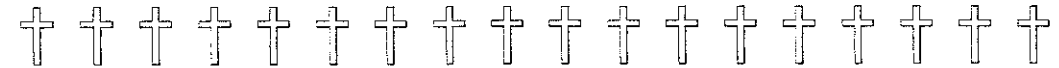
**Parent Helpers:**

- 1.) Weber
- 2.) Marten
- 3.) Hanson

**Parent Helpers:**

- 1.) Plumb
- 2.) Carrell
- 3.) Klemz

This schedule is pretty well set, with the exception of the Additional activities. The Additional activities could change based on availability, weather, etc. We will keep you posted through this newsletter.



**November Recap:** Another super turnout in November. Our Sunday, the 12th, crowd put great effort and thought into some fantastic skits. I think Tim Letterman needs to return for another performance some month!! We've got everything down on video.

Our thanks go out to Ron Haas, @ the Overlook Hotel, as he hosted us for a swim and hot tub gathering on Tuesday, Nov. 21. It was wet and wild. We then ate pizza up at a couple of condos where we learned some new "string" games. After receiving "a pat on the back" we settled in to watch French Kiss, Circle of Friends, NFL Follies, NBA Bloopers, and Sleepless in Seattle. It was a little sleepless in the condos until about 3 am.

## Pastor's Corner:

Matthew 20:6..."Why do you stand here all day long and do nothing?"

Rest is great! But, in the bed until noon? TV is okay, but, eight hours a day? Putting off homework until you are ready is fine, but doing it between classes can get you into serious trouble!

In this text Jesus is encouraging us to do well with the gift of time. I think that this is a marvelous bit of advice.

One of the things I have noticed about our group of young people here at Concordia is the marvelous use of time that most of you model. You all have busy schedules with school, family, sports, drama, church, recreation, travel, friends, etc. You are forced to use your time well.

One thing to be mindful of...Apply the passage, and the question, to your total spiritual life. What if you stand around all day long (day after day) and do nothing with your spiritual life? I can tell you one thing for sure, you will not develop the spiritual side of YOU.

Youth Group, church, worship, communion, personal study, family devotions, conversations of faith with faithful friends, etc., all help us from becoming idle.

Into your busy schedules, be sure your spiritual life is not being ignored. By the way, I happen to enjoy the products of your busy schedules. I love going to your sporting events, your drama productions, your dances, your extra activities. Keep up the good work with the gifts God has given you.

*Pastor*

*Revisiting:*

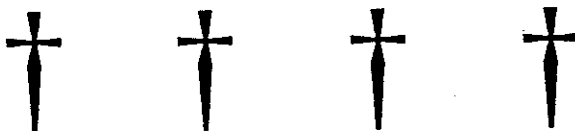
Each month a memory from the LCMS Youth Gathering (28,000 youth and adults) in San Antonio, TX '95 will be included.

Do you remember the Mega Sectional opportunities to hear some of the finest speakers on a variety of topics of interest to teens?

Bob Lenz, Director of Life Promotions, spoke at two of them. Bob will be speaking to youth in Steamboat on Wed. Dec. 20 (More information at our next youth meeting.)

Bob's humor and stories enabled us to catch the vision. He spoke on "Sex, Dating, and Decisions" and "Sharing the Light". They were tremendous sessions.

Start spreading the word about this inspirational speaker to your friends.



Leader's Speak:

**December Details:**

Meeting Date: Sunday, December 10  
Place: Concordia Church Basement  
Time: 5:30 pm  
Parent Helpers: Rostvedt, Hendricks

**Additional December activity:**

Wednesday, Dec. 20

Bob Lenz- A favorite speaker from the San Antonio Conference will be speaking at the church in the evening and at the school during the day.

An evening TBA:

Snow shoveling, caroling, bonfire, hot chocolate.

Newsletter assistants for December:  
Nick Plumb, Erin Scheiwe,  
and Matt Warner

This newsletter begins the brief biographies that are taken from the information sheets that you filled out on November 12. We did not get sheets from the following:

- Caio Cesolini
- Christina Erickson
- Abby Fox
- Jennifer Fritz
- Jake Jarvis
- Janel Kammerer
- Sarah Kammerer
- Brianne Rostvedt
- Danielle Schuelke
- Matt Warner
- LeAnn Wattles

Please return the sheets to Bert or Bert's mailbox so we can get you in the newsletter

**December's Calendar:**

- Saturday, December 2: Forensics @ Glenwood Springs  
BBB @ Meeker Tournament  
GBB @ Meeker Tournament  
W - Steamboat Invitational
- Sunday, December 3: Church, Bible Study 9:15 (Gift Certificates-Rostvedt, Hendricks)
- Tuesday, December 5: BBB Soroco (4, 5:30)  
GBB @ Soroco (5:30, 7)
- Wed., December 6: Soup Supper 5:30  
Advent Service 7:00
- Thurs., Fri., December 7 & 8: HS Play, "A Christmas Carol"
- Saturday, December 9: BBB Rangely (11, 12:30, 3:30)  
GBB Rangely (11, 12:30, 2)
- Sunday, December 10: Church, Bible Study 9:15 (Gift Certificates-Rostvedt, Hendricks)  
Youth Group, 5:30 pm (Rostvedt, Hendricks)
- Wed., December 13: Soup Supper 5:30  
Advent Service 7:00
- Fri., Sat., & Sun., Dec. 15-17: Ballet: "The Nutcracker"
- Saturday, December 16: BBB @ Aspen (1, 6)  
GBB @ Aspen (4:30, 7:30)
- Sunday, December 17: Church, Bible Study 9:15 (Gift Certificates-Rostvedt, Hendricks)
- Wed., December 20: Bob Lenz speaks @ High School  
Concordia 5:30 7:30
- Sunday, December 24: Christmas Eve Services 10:00 am, 7 pm & 10 pm
- Monday, December 25: Christmas Day Service 10 am
- Sunday, December 31: Church, Bible Study 9:15 (Gift Certificates-Rostvedt, Hendricks)



Name: **Erin Lucas**  
Birth date: **6-27-79**



Year in HS: **Junior**  
Special hobbies/interests: **Acting, Singing**  
Sports: **Lacrosse, Basketball, Volleyball**  
Most recent book read: **"Salem's Lot"**  
When out of HS I hope to go to college  
and study theater and acting.



I believe in **Jesus Christ and driving a stick.**  
A vivid memory was my **1st day of school in Steamboat.**  
I'll never forget the horrible times I am spending in my brace.  
A memorable trip was the one I took with my parents to **Canada.**  
Something I'm looking forward to with the Youth Group is **having fun and helping the needy.**  
An important thing about me is I joke about everything and I love to **have fun.**

Name: **Erin Scheiwe**



Birth date: **12-24-78**  
Year in HS: **Junior**  
Special hobbies/interests: **Volleyball & Dance**  
Most recent book read: **"The Scarlet Letter"**  
When out of HS I hope to go to college.  
My favorite TV show is **ER.**  
Something that bugs me is **cold weather.**



A memory I relish from the San Antonio Conference is **dancing.**  
Our high school would be better if it were **someplace warm.**  
A memorable trip was to **San Antonio and Washington, D.C.**  
My favorite Bible passage is **Philippians 1: 9-11**  
Something I'm looking forward to with the Youth Group is **having fun.**

Name: **Mariah Poole**

Birth date: **12-4-77**  
Year in HS: **Senior**

Special hobbies/interests: **Snowboarding & Music**  
Most recent book read: **"Sphere"**  
When out of HS I hope to go to college and get  
my degree in criminal law practice and  
minor in psychology.



I admire my parents.



I believe in **life and reality.**  
I'll never forget when I moved to **Steamboat.**  
I work best **anytime.**  
A vivid memory is my **grandfather's death.**

I'm looking forward to **meeting Christians** with the Youth Group.  
One important thing about me is I am a very understanding person  
and will listen to everyone.

**Name: Brooke Julian**

**Birth date: 12-5-79**



**Year in HS: Sophomore**

**Special hobbies/interests: Basketball, Snowboarding and Soccer**

**Most recent book read: "Catcher in the Rye"**

**When out of HS I hope to go to college.**

**I believe in friendship and honesty.**

**I'll never forget our trip to San Antonio.**

**Memorable trips are my visits to Kansas.**

**A memory from San Antonio was the good times @ the Mall**

**My most vivid memory was when I moved to Steamboat.**

**My favorite Bible passage is Isaiah 42:3**

**One important thing about me is I can't act.**



**Name: Kelly Hanson**

**Birth date: 8-16-79**

**Year in HS: Sophomore @ Soroco**



**Special hobbies/interests: Basketball, skiing, and horse-back riding.**

**Most recent book read: "The Hot Zone"**

**When out of HS I hope to go to college and become a vet or pilot.**

**I believe in is telling the truth and good family and friend relations.**

**I'll never forget my summer vacation to Norway.**

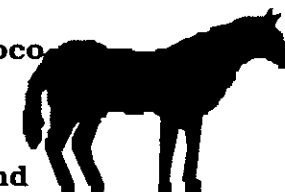
**Advice to younger students is stay organized.**

**My most vivid memory was when I moved to Steamboat.**

**Something I'm looking forward to with the Youth Group is getting to know everyone.**

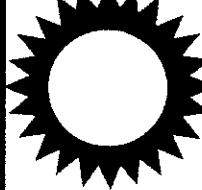
**My favorite Bible passage is Psalms 23.**

**One important thing about me is my ability to adapt to situations..**



**Name: Cory Hynes**

**Birth date: 8-1-79**



**Year in HS: Junior**

**Special hobbies/interests: Archery & driving**

**Most recent book read: "Dracula"**

**When out of HS I plan to be working.**

**I believe in the Golden Rule and always give a person the respect they deserve.**

**I'll never forget how I wrecked my car the day I got my license.**

**A memorable trip was to Lake Powell.**

**Some advice I'd give to younger students is don't be intimidated.**

**My most vivid memory was this past summer.**

**Something I'm looking forward to with the Youth Group is having fun.**

**My favorite Bible passage is the book of John**

**I admire someone who stands up for them self.**

