## **Annual Events**

Open House (August)

• Students are invited to meet their teachers, see their classrooms, and take their school picture.

New Family Orientation (August)

• New families are invited to a special evening where they can connect with school leadership, meet their teachers, and take their school picture.

Athletic Orientation Meeting (August)

• All athletes and parents are highly encouraged to attend this meeting to review athletic policies & forms and to connect with the coaches.

High School & Middle School Orientation (May or August)

- Incoming 9th graders are invited to a special evening where they register for classes and learn more about high school.
- Incoming 6th graders and parents are invited to a special meeting where they learn more about middle school.

Middle and High School Retreat (September)

• These parent/community led events are intended to build community and deepen our student's relationship with Jesus. Middle School Retreat is typically a 1-2 day event held at a local host site. High School Retreat is typically a 2-3 day event held at the Lake Geneva Christian Center near Alexandria, MN.

Ecology Trip (October)

• This opportunity is offered to students who take Ecology and provides a 3-day experience up north to enhance their classroom learning.

Harvest Festival (November)

• This is one of our largest fundraisers of the year and includes many activities and booths, as well as live and silent auctions.

Washington DC Trip (November)

• This trip is offered to our senior students who take Government class and provides an opportunity to extend the classroom learning experience to our nation's capital.

Fall and Spring Parent-Teacher Conferences (November/February)

• These conferences provide an opportunity for parents to connect one-on-one with teachers during the fall and spring.

Winterim (January)

• This week-long program takes place at the end of 1st semester for high school students. It was created for students to have a purposeful learning experience beyond the traditional classroom and an opportunity to explore areas of interest. Central Showcase (February)

• This is our academic showcase where students display art projects, classroom projects, our live 5th-grade wax museum, and much more.

Annual Meeting (April)

• This is our Annual Meeting for all families and constituents, where we update you on the school finances, academic programming, and other pertinent information.

Middle School "Camp Encounter" (May – every other year)

• Offered to 6th & 7th Grade students and provides a 2-day camp experience in the Spicer area to enhance classroom learning.

Mission Trip (April)

• Our Juniors and Seniors have the opportunity to go on a mission trip sponsored by area leaders in the spring that is either work or evangelism-focused.

Grandparent's Day (April)

• This special day includes opportunities for grandparents to visit their K-5th grade students in their classrooms and to view a special program put on by the students.

Junior/Senior Banquet (May)

• Junior & Senior students are invited to participate in this special evening which includes a Grand March and a Banquet. Junior students and their parents typically plan the event.

Parent Senior Banquet (Evening after the Jr/Sr Banquet)

• Our Bluejay Connection Crew sponsors this special evening for Senior students and their parents the evening after the Junior/Senior Banquet.

Pops Concert (May)

• This fun musical concert is the last of the season where free pop and popcorn are served.

Graduation (May)

• A time to celebrate our Senior's accomplishments and send them off to their next chapter.

Freedom Fun Run and Prinsburg 4th of July Celebration

• This fun community event is our largest fundraiser of the year, beginning with the Freedom Fun Walk/Run in the morning, followed by a community church service, pork dinner, games, parade and evening fireworks.