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Good Morning,

I just wanted to take a few minutes to share some updates and follow-ups to our meetings before the Educator's Conference.

First of all, I wanted to let you know that Kathy Knudtson will be finishing her work with the accreditation commission this year. She has been an important part of our group for many years, but for various reasons needs to cut back on her involvement. She will be participating on the visit to Zion ECC, Ft. Myers and helping to finish the Gold Seal updates to the EC EBA document. I have made some re-assignments of her other duties. She has expressed a desire to continue to serve on validation teams in the future. We thank her for all of her service.

Here is an update on team captain assignments for the spring:

School:	Location:	Team Captain:
Advent Lutheran School	Boca Raton	Ruth Wiedenmann
Faith Lutheran School	Eustis	Roger Walker
Shepherd of the Coast	Ft Lauderdale	Bob Boyd
St. Michael Lutheran School	Ft Myers	Jon Peterson
St. Paul Lutheran School	Boca Raton	New Captain
St. Paul Lutheran School	Peachtree City	Steve Hoffschneider
Trinity Lutheran Academy	Athens	Pat Weingart
Trinity Lutheran School	Rockledge	New Captain
Trinity Tots	Lake Placid	New Captain
Zion Lutheran Early Childhood Center	Ft Myers	Jody Schweichler
Good Shepherd Lutheran School	North Fort Myers	Karen Smith
Holy Cross Lutheran Academy	Sanford	Pat Weingart

I have tentatively scheduled the training for some new captains on Friday, November 9, at the district office. After that training some of those captains will be assigned to schools. **Steve, would you please let the people at Trinity, Rockledge know that they have been approved for a visit and that their team captain will be assigned shortly?**

Here is the list of the consultants for schools that will be starting their self-study in preparation for a visit next year:

School:	Location:	Consultant:
Epiphany Lutheran Early Learning Center	Lake Worth	Karen Smith
Epiphany Lutheran Preschool	Tallahassee	Ruth Wiedenmann
Faith Lutheran Preschool	North Palm Beach	Pat Weingart
Good Shepherd Early Learning Center	Titusville	Brenda Sorren

Grace Lutheran School	Jacksonville	Bob Boyd
Grace Lutheran School	Winter Haven	Jon Peterson
Our Savior Lutheran School	Plantation	Jim Richards
Peace Lutheran Early Learning Center	Naples	Jody Schweichler
Peace Lutheran School	Okeechobee	Jon Peterson
Redeemer Lutheran School	Pensacola	Roger Walker
St. John Lutheran School	Ocala	Jon Peterson

For those of you who are consulting:

- Please make contact with your school and set up a meeting to help them get started on the self-study.
- Costs for your initial visit will be reimbursed through Lynda at District Office. Send your requests to her.
- Let me know when you have scheduled your meeting.
- I will forward the applications from these schools as they are received.
- Remember to point the school administrators to the most recent accreditation materials at the LuthEd site.

At this point schools should have turned in annual fees to the district office and the national office. The following link from the district web site has a good listing of due dates and fees: <https://flgadistrict.org/accreditation-due-date/>

I have trained a number of new potential team members at the Educators Conference. I also have several candidates who would like to serve on teams again this spring before potentially doing training as team captains. I will share their contact information when we start putting teams together.

Thanks again for your dedication, expertise, and hard work. God's blessings!

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