



HOME BULLETIN

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Date: April 29, 2024

"Rooted in Christ" based on Colossians 2:6-7

Board News:

- The 2024-2025 Calendar has been approved and is available on the website on the Parents page.
- Applications are still available for the 7/8 Grade Math position. Interested? Talk to Mr. Buss. Applications will be accepted until May 15.
- Extra Bus Drivers: Anyone willing to learn to be a substitute Bus Driver? Please talk to Mr. Buss.

Father/Daughter Dance:

Eagle Boosters is excited to host our 2nd annual Father/Daughter dance this year! Save the date for Saturday May 11 from 6:30-8pm. Our theme is "Ready, Set, Glow" an invitation was sent out to each girl. We need a couple parents to help assist with the dance. If you'd like to help please contact Jessica Stuart at 360.354.3670.

8th grade class trip:

Please remember our 8th graders, along with Mrs. Van Staalduinen and parent chaperones, who will be on their class trip next week, Wednesday - Friday, May 8-10 to Black Diamond Camp in Auburn. Please be praying for safe travel, good camaraderie between the kids and chaperones, and an awesome time of fun.

Hearing & Vision Screening:

Hearing and Vision Screening was completed on the 18th & 19th. If there were any concerns for your student, you will be notified via email by our school nurse, Mel Blok. We recommend that you follow up with your primary care provider.

SCRIP NEWS:

The next SCRIP payout will be posted in May and show up on your May tuition statement. Your last week for funds going to this payout will be May 15. Orders after that will be applied to your November payout.

*Gateway Grill is still temporarily unavailable.

RaiseRight:

Your next RaiseRight payout will be posted in May and show up on your May tuition statement. The closing date for funds going towards this payout will be April 30. Orders made in May and beyond will go toward the November payout.

Special Assembly:

Friday, May 3 at 2:00 pm we will have Natasha Tripplett, author and daughter of an alumnus (Lynn Likkell) coming in to give a presentation and assembly on her career as an author. Parents are invited to come as well. Check out her books: The Blue Pickup (just released) and Juneteenth.

Eagle Boosters:

The next Eagle Boosters meeting is this Wednesday, May 1, at 10:00 a.m. (after chapel) in the art room. We extend a warm welcome and invitation to all parents. This is a great way to get acquainted with other supporters and help the school out at the same time! There is child care provided; please contact Kelsey Groen to reserve a spot for your little one. If you have any questions, please feel free to give Eagle Boosters president Kelsey Groen a call at 360-815-7201.

End of the Year Chapel:

Our annual end of the year chapel to give praise and thanksgiving to God at the conclusion of another school year is scheduled for Friday, May 31 at 1:30p.m., in the school's gym. Chapel will end approximately at 2:30p.m. **School officially ends at 3:00.** We encourage all parents, grandparents, and friends to attend this last time of singing, praying, and praising together before the year ends.

Starting at 12:45p.m., we will once again be having shuttle service for parents from the parking lot of Trinity Bible Church lot to school for chapel. Please do not park in the bus lanes here at school.

<p><u>Note:</u> NO bus service for students after chapel! Parents, please make arrangements for your students if you cannot attend our service. (The shuttle will run, but no bus routes after chapel)</p>

Last day of school:

*Wednesday, May 29 will be the last day of school for preschool.

*Wednesday, June 5 marks the last day of school for the year. We will be dismissing at **noon** with normal bus routes right after school. **Reminder:** report cards will be mailed to parents instead of going home with the students.

Lost and Found:

As the school year comes to an end, you're likely wondering what may have happened to a few coats or sweatshirts over the year. Stop by the 'Lost and Found' rack in the hallway by the office to see if something of your child's might be there. Anything left at the end of the year will be donated.

Summer SCRIP:

No SCRIP orders the last week of school.

- We will do SCRIP orders on the 1st and 3rd weeks of each month. Orders must be received via email by **noon** on Wednesdays.
- **CHANGE of LOCATION!:** Orders will be available for pick-up the next day, Thursday after 12:00pm at Swandel's home. 1405 Birch Bay Lynden Rd. (5 minutes West of Safeway) We will do porch pick up style. (I have a drawer, you drop off your payment and pick up your envelope) If this does not work for you, it is up to you to reach out to make different arrangements. (I am willing to accommodate as much as possible to help you get your orders done over the summer).
- Vendor check requests will take a week to return to you and I let you know when it will be ready for pick up at my home.
- SCRIP payments should be brought when you pick up your order or done via Venmo.
- Please fill out the order form and email it to me when placing your order, if that is not an option, please make sure you are very clear on what cards, how many and what denomination you would like.

***Dates that Scrip will be available:**

June 19-20

July 2-3 (This week orders due on Tuesday for Wednesday pick up)

July 17-18

August 7-8

August 21-22

***If you have a specific vendor check request that is time sensitive or an urgent order need, please reach out and we will work something out.**

Questions? Contact Swandel at scrip@ebenezerchristianschool.org or 360-815-7715.

Yearbook Pictures:

If you are around kids at school and take pictures, please send them to the office and the yearbook. We love having pictures from a variety of sources and a variety of events; recess, field trips, classroom parties, chapels, sporting events etc. Thank you for your help!

Yearbook is looking for specific pictures from:

- Soccer-We have the team shot, but need more of them playing
- Boys basketball-Need more of them playing
- Archery-pictures of them shooting and Nationals
- Volleyball-pictures of them playing
- 4th, 5th, 6th and 8th grade- field trips, recess, class projects etc.

Please email Office@ebenezerchristianschool.org and yearbook@ebenezerchristianschool.org.

No School:

A reminder that there will be no school on Monday, May 6 for Curriculum Day.

Calendars:

We still have some calendars available in the office for \$5.00 each. We will have them until May 3.

Ebenezer Coupon Books:

Start thinking about stocking up for summer! These coupon books directly benefit Ebenezer and support many local businesses are still available for sale. If you or someone you know would like one they can be purchased in the office. Cost is \$15 per book. Any questions call the office.

LC SUMMER CAMPS:

Once again, Lynden Christian will be hosting summer camps. You can check out their website here: <https://www.lyncs.org/2024-summer-school-camps/> Registration opens May 1, 2024.

Upcoming Calendar Reminders:

- May 1:** Chapel, 9:00 am
- May 1:** Eagle Boosters, 10:00 am in the Art Room
- May 3:** 6th Grade Bake Sale
- May 3:** Natasha Tripplett Assembly: 2:00 pm
- May 6:** NO SCHOOL, Curriculum Day
- May 11:** Father Daughter Dance: 6:30 pm
- May 24:** NO SCHOOL, Teacher Prep Day
- May 27:** NO SCHOOL, Memorial Day
- May 29:** Last day of Pre-K
- May 31:** End of year chapel 1:30pm (NO PM BUS SERVICE)
- June 3:** Field Day (NO PM BUS SERVICE)
- June 5:** Last Day, NOON DISMISSAL
- June 5:** 8th Grade Graduation: 7:00pm

