

Through Our School Door

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EPCS School Theme 2009-2010:

"May the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be pleasing in your sight, O LORD, my Rock and my Redeemer."

Psalm 19:14

EPCS Mission statement: To offer a Christian educational alternative that integrates faith and learning through a Biblical worldview. We strive to equip our students to develop their gifts, to become discerning disciples, and to joyfully serve God in their calling in their community and world.

Monday, May 24, 2010

Annual EPCS Corporation/Society Meeting

Thursday evening, May 27, 7:15 pm EPCS Gymnatorium

Please plan to attend this very important meeting!!!

EPCS Spring Choir Concert

What a wonderful time we had at EPCS this Friday evening at our Spring Choir Concert! We enjoyed hearing the EPCS Choirs and took great pleasure in seeing the play Cinderella!! Many thanks to Mrs. Cornwell and to all the hands that made this performance work so well!!! May God be praised!

Scrap Metal Pick Up

If you are able to help pick up scrap metal over the next few weeks, please call Erica Van Camp. (926-0119) Thanks for your help!

Lap-a-thon Pledge Sheets

Please fill in ALL your pledge sheets (and more) and hand them in! If you have the chance, fill in some more!! Our \$\$ budget depends on it! Thank you in advance. Note: If you put postage on your pledge sheets, that is tax deductible. Prizes will be handed out on Lap-a-thon Day.

Lap-a-thon 2010!!!!!!!!!!

Come support our runners and walkers in our EPCS Lap-a-thon 2010
this Friday, May 28 at 9:30 am

Walk/run with us, volunteer to help, support our students!!!

Thanks for your encouragement!!!!!!

PS. If you can help with the afternoon Field Day events, please let us know—597-4400

EPCS Calendar

Monday, May 24, 2010 Day B

T&F Practice till 4:30 pm

Tuesday, May 25, 2010 Day C

Enrollment Forms Due Today!

Track and Field Practice until 4:30 pm

EPCS Board Meeting –7 pm

School Prayer Time – 7pm

Wednesday, May 26, 2010 Day D

Collection for World Vision Child—Godfrey

Hot Lunch

Thursday, May 27, 2010 Day E

Track and Field Practice until 4:30 pm

EPCS Corp/Soc Meeting 7:15 pm

Friday, May 28, 2010 Day F

EPCS Lap-a-thon/Field Day

Monday, May 31, 2010

Track & Field Team leaves to Sussex NJ 12:30pm

Tuesday, June 1, 2010 Day A

T&F Team at T&F Meet

And Beyond:

Friday, June 4-7 EPCHS Trip to Toronto

Tuesday, June 22 8th Grade Graduation-7:15pm

Board News

Enrollment: Please remember the next deadline for enrollment. It is **TOMORROW**, May 25th. **Any family not registered by this date (not just your transportation form) will be charged an addition \$100 per student for textbooks, in addition to your \$200 enrollment fee.** This \$100 per student fee is an addition to and not included in your tuition payments.

Lap-A-Thon

Workers are needed to help tally laps for each class. We have some positions filled, but need more. If you can help, please call the school office. Thanks! Also see insert in today's School Door.

Future HS Field Trip Invitation

The EPCS High School students are planning a trip to visit Stratford, Ontario, Canada, on June 5th and see the Shakespeare play "As You Like It," after which the students will spend the weekend in Toronto. Their invitation to you is to join them in Stratford at the play, after which we will have supper at a local Amish Restaurant. More information on this exciting trip will be forthcoming. Mark your calendar.

Yearbook

The EPCS yearbook will soon be here!!!! There is a sign-up sheet by the water fountain in the hallway. **Parents:** The cost will be \$8.50 and due at the time of delivery (to be announced later).

School Cleaning

M – Fisher Family

T – Furdey Family

W – Lockwood Family

Th – Webb Family

F – Winslow Family

Tues 6/1 – Furdey Family

If you need keys to clean after hours, please let the office know so that we can make arrangements for you to get keys. Thank you!

Adopt a Bill

Please look at the list of bills and prayerfully consider if you may be able to help in any way.

Screen Vision Direct - **\$156.00** (monthly item)

Toshiba Copier - **\$165.75** (monthly item)

Time Warner - **\$126.18** (monthly item)

E & V Energy - **\$975.00** (\$190.00 monthly item)

Q's Lawn and Landscape -

(plowing/mowing)) **\$750.00 +**

Advertising for Enrollment in area newspapers

~ \$75.00 per week.

Please specify adopt a bill with your donation and remember that all gifts are tax deductible.

If you have any questions, please call the office.

Track and Field Team members

Look for information to come home this week regarding the track meet!

Kindergarten & Preschool

Math – Subtraction

Reading – Reading with expression

Writing – Using phonics to attempt writing sentences independently

Bible – We are jumping ahead in time to Jesus' life on Earth.

Social Studies – Our country

Science /Health – Senses

Books: I am missing one of each of the following books: In the Sun, Hop on Top, I Like to Look, and Sam the Cat. If you have any of these at home please send them in.

Reminders:

• Gym Monday and Thursday

• Show and Tell – 8

First & Second Grade

Bible: We are continuing to learn about the Christian life. We are working in the book of James. Our memory verse this week is James 1:19-20.

Spelling: All groups have a new spelling unit this week. Be on the look out for homework.

Math: The second graders are continuing to learn about assign and subtracting three digit numbers. The first graders are learning about sorting things and learning about graphs.

Field Trip: We are going on a field trip to the Museum and Science Center on June 1st. Please remember to send in \$8 for each person who is attending. The money needs to be in no later than Friday.

Third & Fourth Grade

Tissues Needed: Please send in a box of tissues with your student(s) as we are out! Thank you!

Spelling: Spelling tests are finished for the year.

Reading: We will be starting new books in our groups

Social Studies: We will be working on map skills and learning how communities start.

Assembly: We will be doing assembly on May 26th along with Kindergarten.

Have a great week. ☺

Math: Grade 3: We are working on geometry concepts. We will also continue working with multiplication facts.

Grade 4: We are starting a unit over long division.

Fifth and Sixth Grade

Math: Grade 5: Our new unit is over fractions.

Grade 6: Our new unit is over percentages.

Bible: We have started learning about the New Testament and the Birth of Christ.

History: We will learn about Feudal Europe.

Spelling: Regular tests this week.

Reading: Students should finish reading their book for the last book report. We will do this report in class, starting after the track team returns.

Spanish: We meet Tuesday, June 8th. We will play bingo and the ball toss, using all of the nouns learned this year. Students no longer need to bring their folders to class.

Seventh and Eighth Grade

Bible: Test tomorrow over Samuel. Our new unit is about Elijah.

Life Science: We are starting the unit on Ecology, it should be a fun unit to finish the year with.

Spanish 1A (7th) We are starting Unit 4 Lesson 2. Students will be learning place names and how to say "Where are you going?", "I am going to ---" and other related questions and statements.

Spanish 1B (8th) Each student has received a schedule classwork. **If we do not meet due to a change in schedule, the assignment due in class becomes homework due the following day. If a student is absent, the classwork is expected to be handed in the day the student returns.** Students are reminded NOT to use ANY type of dictionary to complete their work.

Ninth and Tenth Grade

Bible: We will continue learning about the journey to Mt. Sinai and the Promised Land.

Biology - Please encourage your student to study EACH day to prepare for the regents. There is at least 1 hour of preparation and review per day.

Geometry - Please encourage your student to study EACH day to prepare for the regents. There is at least 1 hour of preparation and review per day.

Spanish 2: We are working on learning the differences in the usage of the preterite and imperfect tenses.

Spanish 3: Sarah continues to work in the Regents prep book doing reading and writing exercises. We are also practicing for the speaking part of the exam.

Band & Chorus

Lessons this week:

Tues. 8:30 Drew 9:00 Jessica 9:30 Karen 10:00 Amber & Alyssa

12:40 Noah

Wed. 8:00 Josiah 8:30 Kayla 9:00 Jaelyn

9:30 Claire 10:00 Katie 10:20 Jonah 10:45 Michelle

12:40 4/5 BAND 1:20 Emilee 1:45 Hannah

2:10 Brianna

Thurs. 8:30 Amanda 9:00 Cathryn 9:30 Amelia

10:00 Hunter 10:20 Devin 10:45 Genesis

12:40 Concert Band

Congratulations to all of our singers for an incredible performance in Friday night's Choral concert! The extra effort and after school rehearsals really paid off with a confident performance. Many thanks go to Mrs. Morgan for setting a beautiful table for our reception, and to all who served and cleaned up. We are blessed to have so many willing hands and giving hearts!

Circle News

Hot lunch this week will be hot dogs, mac and cheese, veggies and dessert. Workers will be Cheri Winslow, Kit DePerna and Holly Gardner.

Lap-A-Thon: Circle is looking for some people to provide healthy snacks for lap-a-thon day. If you can contribute something please call Cheri at 986-4240 for details. Also, many volunteers are needed to count laps and help out. Please let the office know if you will be here to help and encourage the kids in this great event!

EPCS Logo Items

EPCS Logo items are still available. T-shirts, hats, mouse pads, window stickers, car door magnets, tote bags, etc. Ask about them in the office.

Donations Wanted

Do you have scrap metal, old auto, motorcycle or lawnmower batteries or old appliances lying around just looking for a place to call home? EPCS will take them off of your hands, as we can recycle these items for cash. This cash will go towards the school. Please call Edison O'Brien at 331-4622 if you can help out. Thank you!

Lap-a-Thon Supplies

Many thanks to all the families who told me they would bring in supplies for lap-a-thon **this Friday!**

☺ If you have any questions or cannot bring in your item—please call me ASAP. 986-4240
Blessings,
Cheri

- Apples** - Shelley Morgan and Jill Beckens
- Oranges** - Leah Brennan and Erica Van Camp
- Watermelon** -Colleen Parmele, Holly Gardner, Sam Priem and K. Lockwood
- Mini-pretzels** - Kristy Ennis and Tracy Skvarek
- Animal crackers** - Betty Lou Joyce-O'Brien and Irene Webb
- Graham crackers** - Brenda Cramer and Irene Webb
- 500 (5 oz.) cups** - Sue Fagner
- Napkins** - Carol Rosati
- Plates** - Rhonda Bartlett
- 5 (2 lt.) sodas** - Dave Mann, Deb McKaig and Lou Dingman