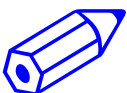




NEWSLINE



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Newsline 27

Principal's Message

Greetings WCS,

I believe there has been some confusion over our play in May. In hopes that everyone would understand what is happening, an e-mail was sent out on Thursday last week. However, I am going to repeat the facts again, just in case people missed or deleted the e-mail by mistake.

There are going to be four performances of the "The Magician's Nephew". The following are the times and dates:

Thursday, May 7

1:00 p.m. (The audience will be our Grandparents)

6:30 p.m. (The audience will be general public and parents)

Thursday May 8

12:30 p.m. (The audience will be students from local schools)

6:30 p.m. (The audience will be general public and parents)

If for any reason you have concerns about this, please contact the school or send me an e-mail.

As was noted earlier, the evening performance is open to the general public and they will be charged \$5 for adults, and \$3 for children. Any member of our society will enter for free. Please use the form at the end of the Newsline to **indicate how many tickets your family would like to have**. We would also ask that if you attend one show, would you be willing to help supervise students during one of the other shows?

We will also be selling **DVDs** of the production for **\$25**. Some of the extras will include pictures taken before and during the event.

For the time being, I would like to give an early thanks to the many people that are working behind the scene to make this whole production possible; many hours have already been logged. Keeping this in mind, please remember to send in any of those hours to the school, because time is running out to reach our 10,000 hour mark.

In other news – On April 22nd, at 7:30 p.m. (two weeks from this Wednesday) is our annual **Spring Membership Meeting**. All parents are encouraged to attend. We will be voting on our 2009-2010 preliminary budget, and for new board members, because the following members will be retiring this year: Bernard Kraayenbrink, Jeff DePooter, and Patti Metayer. This meeting is also your opportunity to ask questions about how the school operates and the vision it has for the future.

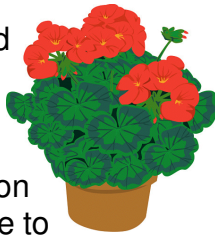
Even though life is getting busier as this year rushes along, please remember to pray for your children and talk to them daily about their concerns and joys while being at school. If you need to talk to us, we are here to listen.

Shalom
Mr. Andy J. Alblas

SCHOOL NEWS ITEMS:

Geraniums!

You should have received the geranium order forms last week. There are more available from the school. The forms, with payment attached, are due on Monday, April 20. You will be able to pick up your flowers from the school on Friday, May 1st after 10 a.m.



P.J. & Breakfast Day!

This Thursday, April 9, is P.J. & Breakfast Day! Wear your favourite pajamas and bring your appetite for what will be a really yummy breakfast! Your meal will include scrambled eggs, sausage, pancakes, toast & juice all for just \$2.50. Please return the form in this Newline. Keep in mind that we will be serving this meal at lunchtime. We hope you enjoy!!

New Office Hours

Beginning April 7, Laurie will be in the office **Tuesdays and Wednesdays** from 9:30 - 4:30. This should help avoid any confusion about her hours when there is a Monday holiday. This also means the **Newline will be coming out on Tuesdays**, beginning April 14.

Please feel free to leave her a message any day of the week, by phone or email at admin@wallaceburgchristianschool.com

Eduard Klassen Concert

Thank you to all those who provided baked goodies for us to enjoy after the concert. They were greatly appreciated!

TRIP News:

Please note:

- You have **3 ½ weeks** (until April 30) to reduce your tuition for next year (2009-10) by purchasing gift certificates for purchases you are going to make anyway! **Keep shopping with gift cards; it pays off!**
- Stekelbos will be closed from April 4 - 23. You can purchase your gift cards from Laurie at the school, Lucia Kraayenbrink, Patti Metayer or Susan Beth Martin.

The Magicians Nephew Sets:

We are beginning construction on the sets to the play. However, we are in need of many things in order to do so. If you could help out in donating any of the following objects, please let Mrs. Hoogstad or Mrs. Lammers know, or drop them off at the school. If you also need clarification about these things, please ask!

- 30 hinges
- black spray paint (at least 4 cans)
- blue acrylic paint - multiple tones for sky scenes
- chicken wire - enough to construct large paper mached rocks (life size)
- 4 - 4' lengths of chair rail
- lots of acrylic paints - oranges, yellows, reds, browns, white, black, purples, greens
- Christmas trees - all sizes
- glue gun sticks - lots
- 6 very small blow up pools - new born size and preferably blue

Thanks for all the help in collecting costumes and props for the Magician's Nephew! The following costumes and props are still needed:

- top hat
- wig (girls)
- fake mustaches / beards
- large animal costumes
- giant wings
- battery operated candles
- guinea pig (live or stuffed animal)
- flashlights (small - medium)
- face paint
- police badge

The students in JK to Grade 4 will need the following costumes for the play:

- JK (stars) - black or dark blue clothing
- SK (stars) - black or dark blue clothing
- Grade 1 and 2 boys (grass) - green clothing
- Grade 1 and 2 girls (flowers) - green clothing
- Grade 3 (trees) - brown clothing
- Grade 4 (animals) - varies depending on their animal costume.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Thursday, April 9
Friday, April 10
Monday, April 13
Wednesday, April 15

7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, April 22
Friday, April 24
Wednesday, April 29
Thursday, April 30
Thursday, May 7

6:30 p.m.

Friday, May 8

6:30 p.m.

Breakfast & P.J. Day
Good Friday – no school
Easter Monday – no school
Vaccinations for Grade 7
Grade 7-8 Parents Meeting – re graduation and end of year activities
Spring Society Meeting
P.D. Day – no school
JK Hotdog Day
Hotdog Day – Grade 3-4 to bring treats
Grandparents Day
The Magician’s Nephew performance
The Magician’s Nephew performance



Alison Pietens
Elijah Martin
Bradley Luth
Melody Riedl
Hannah Haveman

April 7
April 8
April 10
April 10
April 12

Reminder from the Cleaning Committee:

If you are having someone clean for you, please send your money in on the Wednesday (cost is \$35).
If you are writing a cheque, please leave the name blank, as there are 4 different people who clean.
Contact Patti at 519-627-5228 for more information.

April 10

KRAAYENBRINK, J & L
KRAAYENBRINK, L
LUTH, G & W
LUTH, G & A
MALOTT

April 17

MARTIN
MCLACHLIN
MCLAUGHLIN
METAYER
DEPOOTER, J & N

April 24

KRAAYENBRINK, E & I
KRAAYENBRINK, G & A
KRAAYENBRINK, Herman
VANDENDOOL, P & A
VANDERLAAN, J & M

CLASSROOM NEWS ITEMS:

Kindergarten:

This week the letter is **Vv**. The alphabet pal is Vicky Vulture. The Bible character is Visitors. Please pray for people in Venezuela. The Bible verse is "Verily there is a reward for the righteous." Psalm 58 Snack is provided by Emily.

Grade 1 and 2:

1. **Spelling Tests this Thursday.**

Word Wall Words (for both Grades 1 & 2

-- these are also on the spelling tests:

yes comes think pretty

Grade One Spelling (*words with the long o sound*)

go so row bow
low slow glow grow

Bonus Word: bones

Grade Two Spelling (*forming plurals by adding -s or -es*)

desk desks map maps
kitten kittens mess messes
lunch lunches fly

Bonus Word: flies

2. **Memory Verse** (due Tuesday, April 7)

Matthew 28: 5 - 7, "The angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid, for I know that you are looking for Jesus, who was crucified. He is not here; He has risen, just as He said. Come and see the place where He lay. Then go quickly and tell his disciples: 'He has risen from the dead and going ahead of you into Galilee. There you will see him.' Now I have told you."

3. We will **not** have Math P.O.W. sheets this week

Congratulations to last week's P.O.W. winners:

Gr.1 – Kyle Kraayenbrink

Gr. 2 – Brendan McLachlin

Have a blessed Easter!

Grade 3 and 4:

Math: Please practice math facts daily with your child. It is very important that your child is practising these at home as well. ***Grade 4 has begun long division. Please review the steps each night with your child. For right now, we are not having remainders to our answers.

Spelling: List 18 - Test on Thursday.

four
eight
eleven
twelve
thirteen
fourteen
fifteen
sixteen
seventeen
eighteen
nineteen
twenty
thirty
forty
hundred
thousand
million
where
were
wear
mathematics(Bonus Word)

Our Bible test is on Tuesday, April 7. A review sheet was sent home last Friday.

The Play: Just to give you a heads up for the play...The grade 3s will need to wear all **dark brown** for the play. T-shirts are okay for the play as we can paint their arms to match. The grade 4s will need to wear colours that will match the animal that they are. A few grade 4s will also need to wear very fancy church clothes for a castle scene. These can be very colourful (preferably). Fancy Easter

dresses/outfits or wedding apparel would work perfectly! Check with your child if they are in this scene.

Art: Our statues are due this Thursday.

Gym: Just a reminder that our gym classes are now outside...usually Tuesdays and Thursdays (weather permitting). Please ensure that your child is dressed appropriately. We will be focussing on Field Day events.

Grade 5 and 6:

Mrs. Matheson is away for the week. Mrs. Lenover will be filling in while she is away. Please make her feel welcome!

Health - Public Service Announcements are due **Thursday, April 9**. Students will have one last class to work on them at school.

Novel Study - Questions for Chapters 17-19 are due **Tuesday, April 14**.

Memory Work - Due Friday, April 17

"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him. Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but whoever does not believe stands condemned already because he has not believed in the name of God's one and only Son. This is the verdict: Light has come into the world, but men loved darkness instead of light because their deeds were evil." **John 3:16-19**

Socials - Students are working on research projects about our American Neighbours. They will be assigned presentation dates starting **Tuesday, April 21**. They will have two classes this week to research in school and will have to complete their projects at home next week.

Spelling - Unit 25 - Test Thursday, April 9
Grade Five

- | | |
|-----------------|----------------|
| 1. average | 2. canoe |
| 3. diet | 4. inches |
| 5. typical | 6. insects |
| 7. library | 8. wolves |
| 9. straw | 10. share |
| 11. mystery | 12. movie |
| 13. carrot | 14. idea |
| 15. cherry | 16. shell |
| 17. stock | 18. strawberry |
| 19. charge | 20. unless |
| 21. librarian | 22. mysterious |
| 23. waitress | 24. waiter |
| 25. reservation | |

Grade Six

- | | |
|-----------------|------------------|
| 1. lawyer | 2. clerk |
| 3. level | 4. manners |
| 5. religious | 6. including |
| 7. ankle | 8. mathematics |
| 9. wrong | 10. flexible |
| 11. grammar | 12. responsible |
| 13. suitable | 14. moment |
| 15. avenue | 16. steep |
| 17. fountain | 18. district |
| 19. drill | 20. cattle |
| 21. lovable | 22. rapidly |
| 23. inflatable | 24. explainable |
| 25. divisible | 26. questionable |
| 27. permissible | |

Grade 7 and 8: Term Three, Week 6

Journal: Journal is due **Tuesday, April 14th** For the next few weeks we will be writing a story in our journal. This week write part 4 of your story.

Bible: Test on Wednesday



The Magician's Nephew

Family Name: _____

We would like tickets, free of charge, for our family to attend the performance of The Magician's Nephew, as indicated below.

Performance	Number of tickets
May 7, 2009 @ 6:30 p.m.	
May 8, 2009 @ 6:30 p.m.	



WALLACEBURG CHRISTIAN SCHOOL – IN STOCK Certificate / Gift Card Order Form
Name: _____ Cheque #: _____

Declining Balance Gift card	RETAILER	5	10	20	25				
✓	Canadian Tire 4%								
✓	Cara Restaurants (Harveys, Swiss Chalet, Kelseys, Montana) 3%								
	Country Style 10%								
	Crabby Joe's (W'burg only) 25%								
✓	Gospel Text Bookstore 20%								
✓	Mark's Work Wearhouse 7%								
✓	M&M Meat Shops 5%								
✓	No Frills, Zehrs, Superstore 5%								
✓	PharmaPlus 5%								
✓	Shoppers Drug Mart 5%								
	Sobeys, Foodland, IGA (paper) 5%								
✓	Sobeys only cards 5%								
	Tim Hortons 5%								

Please indicate if this is a recurring order (attach postdated cheques) Weekly ___ Monthly ___
 Revised: February 24, 2009

WCS Community Challenge

Please send in this form to the school office when you have completed service hours.

Date: _____ Hours of service: _____

Description: _____

_____ (Parent Signature)



BREAKFAST & PJ DAY! **Thursday, April 9**



1 meal = \$2.50

(includes scrambled eggs, sausage, pancakes, toast & juice)

Student:

Classroom:

Please attach exact change to this form and return to the school office **by Thursday, April 9 at 10 a.m.**