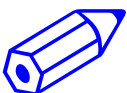




# NEWSLINE



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### Principal's Message

Greetings, WCS,

For this week I have asked the students from Grade 5-8 to give some quotes as they spent time this morning reflecting on the production of *The Magician's Nephew*. Here is what they had to say:

"The work we did really paid off. We had a lot of fun doing it! When we were downstairs it was fun to play games, but it was more fun acting upstairs. It was good to let my grandparents see it." – **Joel H.**

"It was a lot of fun working on the sets and costumes. I liked working with everybody. The actual performances were fun, too. We were nervous, but we got used to it. I'm sad it's over. It was our whole school which was cool. I liked how it was a Christian play and how C.S. Lewis made it kinda like the Bible when sin came into the world when it was just made. I think they picked the right actors for each role. I liked playing Polly." – **Hannah K**

"Doing the play was fun." – **Liza B**

"I liked having to move the props." – **Daniel M**

"I liked doing the play. My favourite part was when we tipped Uncle Andrew over." – **Dylan D**

"I liked trying on the costumes. It was fun. I was really amazed how many people

wanted to come and see our play because we aren't a very big school. It was cool that we could fit almost our whole school in one scene. The lights and fog were cool." – **Krista N**

"I liked seeing the other side of people when they act. It was funny in the crowd scene when Uncle Andrew's hat got pulled down and baby powder puffed out. And when they were seeing if he could stand up on his head." – **Jocelyn M**

"My favourite part of the play was when Jadis awoke. It was fun during dress rehearsal to see what everyone would look like for the performances. I want to do another play soon because it was a nice experience. Last time I wasn't really part of the play, because I was too young. Next time, I'll be older." – **Jillian H.**

"I was really impressed that we could put on a big performance like that because we are such a small school. I thought that it was cool to see everyone's talents. We all worked hard together on the sets and props. They turned out really cool. The attic was the best. It was cool that the other schools were cheering for us and not competing against us! It was neat that the other schools could see our faith and that we knew the other stories in Narnia. I really liked the part where Polly disappeared. I liked the lights and the fog." – **Tina F**

"I think it was fun going on stage and performing for people. All your parents can see your talent. I liked it how when the animals found Uncle Andrew they asked him if he was a vegetable, animal or mineral." – **Brad L**

"I thought it was a fun play. I really liked the book." – **Jenessa V**

"I thought it was funny listening to the actors. I liked it when Uncle Andrew was tipped over. I liked how our whole school was in it. And how the apple healed Digory's mother. I liked how the iron bar turned into the lamp post that was in The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe. And how Aslan gave Fledge wings." – **Brad K**

"I thought the play was really fun. It was cool to have the Grandparents and the other schools come watch us. I like how people put so much effort into the play and the sets." – **Ty M**

"I think it was fun, but sometimes boring when we were sitting and waiting. It was funny doing the acting and getting props ready. It would be nice for the little kids to be able to do more." – **Nicholas K**

"I thought it was fun, but I am glad to have it over." – **Joel V**

I thought everyone did a very good job and it was great how much we need to learn to rely on each other to have this become a success." – **Hannah H**

"It was a good experience and it was nice to do this play at the end of the year, because after all this is our last year at WCS. The costumes were amazing." – **Jessica F**

"It is hard to believe that we were able to get the whole school involved in this play, this was a cool experience." – **David M**

"It was really fun to do and having the whole school involved was really cool, I also enjoyed the costumes and sets." – **Emma B**

"I like how the people who working in the background were so supportive, they were encouraging and helped us feel better when we were hard on ourselves. I would love to do it again." – **Matthew K**

"One word can be used to describe this whole event, "COOL!" – **Katie K**

Shalom,  
Mr. Andy J. Alblas

## **SCHOOL NEWS ITEMS:**

### **WCS Track and Field Day – Tuesday, May 19**

Wow, this is coming fast! Please check out the **volunteer schedule** at the end of this Newsline, and see where you may be able to help out. University / college students home for the summer are welcome, too. We appreciate your call or email **as soon as possible**; thanks!

Also, please note that we anticipate the day ending early; the **buses will be leaving at approximately 2:00 p.m.** If you pick up your child(ren), please pick them up before 2:00. Thank you.

### **Reminder: Port Lambton Bus Run Parents**

For the next two weeks, please use the bus call list for any pick up changes in the morning. The driver will be Mrs. Nicolina Benn; her cell phone number is 519-350-4739. Thank you. Arlene Feddes

### **Newsline / Office Hours**

Due to the holiday on Monday and Field Day on Tuesday, there will be no Newsline next week. Anything that needs to be sent home will be done via email.

Also, Laurie's hours will be on Tuesday and Wednesday, for **next week only**. They will return to Mondays and Thursdays after that.

**The Magician's Nephew:**

DVD's will be available by the end of this week. If you wish to purchase one, please let the office know; the cost is \$20.

**TRIP News:**

The amounts earned for tuition reduction for the 2009-10 school year have been calculated. Here are our top 5!

- #1 \$589.97
- #2 \$349.88
- #3 \$348.68
- #4 \$334.17
- #5 \$255.89

Plus 7 families raised over \$200 toward their tuition. It is a great and easy way to save money off your tuition and raise money for our school at the same time. Consider using gift cards for your weekly grocery purchases, drugstore purchases, coffee, gas, restaurants; we try to offer a wide range of in-stock gift cards that can be used for your weekly shopping in town. If there is a retailer that we don't offer but you would like to use, just let us know and we can see if we can get it in stock for you. **Keep using the gift cards; it pays off!!**

**April Total Sales:**

Cara cards	.....	\$200
Crabby Joes	.....	50
Canadian Tire	.....	1600
Country Style	.....	318
Sobeys	.....	2975
No Frills	.....	13,315
Shoppers	.....	1005
Tim Hortons	.....	815
Winners	.....	250
Gospel Text	.....	50
Home Hardware	.....	50
M&M's	.....	275
Marks	.....	125



<p><b>UPCOMING EVENTS:</b>          Thursday, May 14          Tuesday, May 19          Thursday, May 28          Friday, June 5          Friday, June 19</p>	<p><b>Hot Meal Day – Harvey's</b>  <b>WCS Track &amp; Field Day</b> (rain date May 22)  <b>CDCS Track &amp; Field Day</b> (rain date May 29)  <b>Annual BBQ</b>  <b>Graduation</b></p>
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**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.

<p><b>May 15</b>          ANDERSON          ARNOLD          BENN          CARRON          DEPOOTER</p>	<p><b>May 22</b>          FOSTER          GELLNER          GOODREAU          HAVEMAN          HIGHFIELD</p>	<p><b>May 29</b>          HILL          KRAAYENBRINK, Bernard          KRAAYENBRINK, Brian          KRAAYENBRINK, F &amp; V          KRAAYENBRINK, H &amp; J</p>
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# CLASSROOM NEWS:

## Junior Kindergarten

Today we celebrated our mothers with a Mother's Day Tea. We also welcomed Anneka Hoogerburgge to our class for the rest of the year. Her father is a summer intern pastor at Wallaceburg CRC. We also had a chance to meet Sydney Goodreau's new little sister, Madeline.

The next two days of class we will be talking about caterpillars and butterflies. We are in need of egg cartons to paint, so if you have some please send with your child on Wednesday.

Look for more daily notes in your child's mailbag every day.

9 more days of school for JK!

## Kindergarten:

The letter this week is **Zz**. The Bible verse is "Zion hears and is glad." Psalm 97:8 The Bible character is Zaccheus. The alphabet pal is Zelda Zebra. Please pray for the people in Zimbabwe. Snack will be provided by Adam.

The Kindergarten newsletter for the month of May will be handed out on Tuesday.

A **BIG THANK YOU** to those who helped clean up after Friday night's performance. It was very much appreciated!

## Grade 1 and 2:

### 1. **Spelling Tests this Friday:**

**Word Wall Words** (*these are on both spelling tests*)

pulled            wanted            more    then

**Grade One** Spelling (words with -ew)

few            drew            crew    new  
stew            flew            dew    blew

*Bonus Word:* sewing

**Grade Two** Spelling (*words with f, ff, and ough*)

flip    flop    flew            muffin  
five    four    far            cliff  
stuff    off    family

*Bonus Word:* cough

### 2. **Memory Verse** (due May 15)

Psalm 145: 17 - 18, "The Lord is righteous in all His ways and loving toward all He has made. The Lord is near to all who call on Him, to all who call on Him in truth."

### 3. **Math P.O.W.** sheets are due by next Monday!

## Grade 3 and 4:

Spelling: List 22 - Test on Friday.

track  
back  
sack  
deck  
trick  
crew  
crawl  
coming  
packed  
click  
turkey  
spark  
darkest  
coolest  
cave  
chicken  
freckles  
quit  
quiet  
quick  
cucumber(Bonus Word)

Memory Work: Isaiah 1:16-20 - due Wednesday, May 20.

Bible Test: The Rulers and Prophets of Judah - **test on Wednesday, May 20.** Watch for a review sheet this week. The Memory Work will be incorporated in the test.

## Grade 5 and 6:

**Congratulations go out to all of our actors in the Magician's Nephew. All your hard work paid off and created a wonderful production. Great job!**

**Novel Study** - Final questions for "Two against the North" are due **Wednesday, May 20**. Make sure you have finished reading the book and start working on your writing assignment.

**Bible** - Extra assignment is due **Friday, May 15**.

**Math** - Grade 6 has a math test this week that covers our measurement unit. Part 1 will be on Thursday. Part 2 will be on Friday.

**Memory Work - Due Friday, May 22**

For I received from the Lord what I also passed on to you: The Lord Jesus, on the night he was betrayed, took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, "This is my body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of me." In the same way, after supper he took the cup, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood; do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me." For whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes. 1 Corinthians 11:23-26

**Track and Field** - We will be practising all this week for our track and field day next **Tuesday, May 19**. Please wear appropriate gym clothes and shoes for practice every day this week, weather permitting.

**Spelling Unit 29**

**Grade Five**

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|--------------|--------------------|
| 1. promised  | 2. sixth           |
| 3. dumb      | 4. aren't          |
| 5. products  | 6. kidnappers      |
| 7. slid      | 8. potatoes        |
| 9. shore     | 10. sentence       |
| 11. serves   | 12. sheets         |
| 13. hiking   | 14. police officer |
| 15. springs  | 16. olden          |
| 17. problem  | 18. you're         |
| 19. sounded  | 20. bride          |
| 21. algae    | 22. naturally      |
| 23. error    | 24. currently      |
| 25. normally |                    |

**Grade Six**

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|-----------------|------------------|
| 1. couple       | 2. covenant      |
| 3. regularly    | 4. health        |
| 5. cook         | 6. correct       |
| 7. educated     | 8. recorded      |
| 9. heels        | 10. persecute    |
| 11. colourful   | 12. fifteen      |
| 13. yourselves  | 14. single       |
| 15. stable      | 16. subtraction  |
| 17. swiftly     | 18. silver       |
| 19. salute      | 20. Savior       |
| 21. sword       | 22. puck         |
| 23. predatory   | 24. boulevard    |
| 25. expressway  | 26. encyclopedia |
| 27. continental |                  |