



Dragon Tales

Walk in
.....the light.

But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus, His Son, purifies us from all sin. 1 John 1:7

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CHAPEL...Parents are invited to attend opening chapel at **8:30 a. m.** on **Wednesday, January 13, 2010** led by **Pastor Craver**. **Little Lambs Chapel** will also be **Wednesday, January 13 at 8:30 a.m. in Mrs. Linebrink room**. Second Quarter Chapel Offerings are going toward Jesus Is Lord.

ALL ARE WELCOME

to attend Sunday morning worship at Zion 8:00 a.m. or 10:45 a.m. services with Christian Education at 9:30 a.m..

CHAMPIONS FOR CHRIST

See the bulletin boards across from Mrs. Winkelman's room and Mr. Glandorf's office for our "Students of the Week" displays. This week's "champs" are Jolee Arce, Nicholas Bader, Elijah Folsom, Macey Heald, Sophia Matthew and Jack Tompkins. Our special staff is Mrs. Suzan Winkelman.

PRINCIPAL GLANDORF'S CORNER

Dear Families & Friends,

Happy New Year everyone! I'm sure the past couple of weeks have gone by very quickly for most, but hopefully it slowed down enough for all of you to appreciate the gift of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ and the gift of our families. We are truly blessed with our immediate families and also the family here at Zion Lutheran Church & School.

I have truly enjoyed getting to know the students and parents of our community over the first half of this school year. As we march into 2010, it is my prayer that we continue building and strengthening those relationships of trust with one another. I appreciate those of you who have come to me with questions, concerns or encouragement. Please know that my door is always open.

While learning more about each other, it is also important that we spend time to discover more about our awesome God. Spending time in daily prayer, devotions, or Bible studies are ways that we can focus on Him. Back in August, I encouraged the families at Zion to join me in reading through the Bible in one year. As we begin 2010, I once again would like to present this opportunity to our Zion community. If you haven't started yet, now is a perfect time! I truly believe that if we all get deeper into God's Word, He will continue to bless our relationships and the ministry taking place at our wonderful church and school.

There are many places you can find plans for reading the Bible in a Year. I've listed a couple websites below which can help you get started. I again encourage you to consider this way of daily spending time with our Lord.

www.christianity.com
www.oneyearbibleonline.com
www.bibleinayear.org
<http://wholesomewords.org/family/bibleread/truth.html>
www.youversion.com

Make it a great New Year with the Lord!

Serving Him,

Steve Glandorf
Principal

SPORTS NEWS...

1. Parents, please be sure to read the “Sports News” section of the Dragon Tales every Thursday for updates and changes regarding the sports schedule.
2. **CANCEL THE GAMES ON** January 19, with Immanuel, Giddings at Zion.
3. On Friday, January 8 Zion will host 3 games with Thorndale beginning at 3 pm. The games will be in this order: JV-BOYS, JV-GIRLS, V-BOYS. There will be NO varsity girls’ game. Concession Stand Duty: 3:00 p.m., Knippa and Johnson Families; 4:00 p.m., Bunte and Mersiosky Families; 5:00 p.m., Brown and Thiele Families
4. VARSITY PRESEASON TOURNAMENT IN AUSTIN HAS BEEN RESCHEDULED FOR **SATURDAY, JANUARY 9.** THE GIRLS’ FIRST GAME IS AT 8:00 AM AND THE BOYS’ AT 9:15 AM. BOTH ARE AT REDEEMER SCHOOL.
5. Zion will travel to Giddings on Thursday & Friday, January 14, 15. The VARSITY teams will play on the 14 (**and the boys will play first**) and the JV TEAMS on the 15th (**and girls play first**). We will leave from Zion at 1 pm. on both days and begin playing at 3 pm. Transportation notes will be sent home next week to car pool to Giddings on both days.
6. ALL 4 TEAMS will travel to Round Rock Christian and Friday, January 22 on the bus. We will leave Zion at 3pm.
7. Both JV teams will host Redeemer, Austin on Wednesday, January 27 beginning at 4:30 pm. Concession Stand Duty: 4:30 p.m., Lester and Deltz/Shell Families; 5:30 p.m., Cohen and Byrne Families
8. CANCEL GAMES WITH BRENHAM ON JANUARY 29!!
9. Both JV teams will travel to Granger for 2 games with SSCM on Tuesday, February 2 at 4 pm. **THE BOYS WILL PLAY FIRST!**
10. The final JV tournament will take place on February 5/6 in Giddings TBA.

11. Both Varsity teams will travel to St. Paul, Austin on Tuesday, February 9 for 2 games with St. Paul. The boys will play first.

START OF BOOK STUDY

Paige Quinlivan (863-9802 or 635-9802 or email peq7115@hotmail.com) will be leading a study on the book, "Your Girl, Raising a Godly Daughter in an UnGodly World" by Vicki Courtney. This is a really great book and study for all moms of daughters. The study starts Thursday, 21 January, 2010 in the parlor.

MONEY MATTERS WORKSHOP

Every day, kids are forming concrete opinions and attitudes about life and the meaning of money in their lives. Thrivent Financial for Lutherans and Zion PTL will be hosting interactive workshops for parents and kids on teaching money values January 20-24, 2010. Called **Parents, Kids, and Money Matters**, the workshop helps parents explore the concepts of consumerism, values, stewardship, and money choices. Parents also receive hands-on resources to use at home with their kids. For students attending Zion Lutheran School, a kickoff event will be held in Chapel on Wednesday, January 20th, and workshops will be presented in classrooms the mornings of January 21st (Grades K-4) and 22nd (Grades 5-8). Parents are highly encouraged to attend these events. For all other families with children, a family workshop will be held on Sunday, January 24th. We look forward to seeing you!

PSIA NEWS

Attention All Parents!! If your student is signed up for PSIA you will be required to sign up to help at the District Meet in some capacity. This includes judging and/or grading. We are required to provide one adult to every three entries (not every three students) and we are almost completely full this year. If you did not sign up for a specific area of duty I will be sending an email giving you an option. I will try to get parents assigned around the time your student is testing. This might not always be possible. My request to all parents is that we help each other supervise our children on the campus to make this easier for each other!

Final Assignments will be coming home this week. Please note that PSIA organizers made some changes this year to the grouping of events. 13 events this year were changed from single grades event to grouping grade events. For example, Calculator Applications was normally an event for 6th, 7th and 8th graders. Which meant 3 students from each grade level could compete. This year PSIA grouped those three grade levels together which means only 3 students total between the three grades can compete.

PSIA organizers explained that more private schools across the state are wanting to be included in competition. Testing at the state level was already too large. So to allow these schools the opportunity, these groupings are the result. **HERE'S THE KICKER:** This means that your student might or might not be signed up for each event he/she originally wanted to compete. Eliminations and moves had to be made to allow each student that signed up an opportunity. In some of the lower grade levels complete eliminations from PSIA took place. My apologies to those students that will not be able to compete this year. If you have any questions, please contact me at 931-2133 or thiele777@earthlink.net.

Coaches should be contacting you about practice schedules. If you have not heard from a coach about your student's event, please contact me.

Tiffanee Thiele
PSIA Campus Coordinator

FALL MUSICAL AND CHRISTMAS DVD'S AVAILABLE

Orders are being taken for DVDs of the Fall musical and Christmas programs (Wednesday, December 16 and Christmas Eve). They are \$10.00 each and specify which date when ordering. You may order in the school office.

January 11-17, 2010					
Menu	Monday 11 Baked Potato with Fixings Veggies Fruit Cornbread/Rolls Milk	Tuesday 12 Pancakes Bacon Hashbrowns Fresh Fruit Bread Milk	Wednesday 13 Fish Tator Tots Green Peas Veggies Fruit Bread	Thursday 14 Hamburger with fixings Oven fries Fruit Milk	Friday 15 Build Your Breakfast Taco Sausage/Bacon Hashbrown Eggs Fruit Milk
Calendar	Monday 11 Faculty Devotions 7:40 a.m.; 3:30 p.m.; Board of Christian Education 3:30 p.m.; Girls Basketball Practice 3:30-5:00 p.m.	Tuesday 12 Band 7:30 a.m.; Faculty Devotions 7:40 a.m.; Boys Basketball Practice 3:30-5:00 p.m.	Wednesday 13 Chapel 8:30 a.m. led by Pastor Craver; Little Lambs Chapel 8:30 a.m.; Girls Basketball Practice 3:30-5:00 p.m.	Thursday 14 Band 7:30; Faculty Devotions 7:40 a.m.; V Boys and Girls Basketball at Immanuel, Giddings 3:00 p.m.	Friday 15 Faculty Devotions 7:40 a.m.; JV Boys and Girls Basketball Games Immanuel, Giddings 3:00 p.m.; End of 2 nd Quarter
	Saturday 16	Sunday 17 Worship Services 8:00 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.; Christian Education 9:30 a.m.;	Lunch, \$3.00 for students, \$3.25 for adults; 2 nd Entrée \$1.25; 2 nd Sides \$.25 each; Extra Milk \$.50 *** Lunch menu subject to change *** Zion Lutheran Church & School , 6101 FM 1105, Georgetown, TX 78626 Phone: 512-863-5345, Fax: 512-869-5659 Web Site: www.zionwalburg.org		