



# 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, February 3, 2010** led by **Mr. Niebuhr**. Third Quarter Chapel Offerings are going toward Church Under the Bridge.

**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. Ministry Fair this Sunday, January 31 in the gym from 9:15 a.m.-10:30 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. The following students and faculty member are "Champions for Christ" this week. They were given a certificate in chapel yesterday, Wednesday, January 27. They are Nicolas Arellano, Angela Brown, James Hardt, Katie Miller, Aaron Schirmer, Tyler Waggoner. Faculty person is Mrs. Matthew.



## ICE AND SNOW STORMS

With winter upon us, the possibility of severe weather exists. In all weather related decisions, Zion will follow the same schedule as that of the Georgetown Independent School District. E-mail announcements will also be shared when possible if school is closing for an ice or snow storm.

## Congratulations to Mrs. Zinsmeyer!

Back in December, the team at FastDirect ran a Christmas contest to recognize school staff members across the country who were maximizing FastDirect Communications among their faculty and staffs. Mrs. Zinsmeyer from Zion was nominated and was one of fifteen professionals throughout the United States who won \$100.

Mrs. Zinsmeyer was honored and very gracious in receiving this prize. Because of her loving and caring heart, she has donated these funds back to Zion Lutheran School. Please be sure to thank Mrs. Zinsmeyer for her generosity and years of dedicated service at Zion. She makes our school very special!

## PRINCIPAL GLANDORF'S CORNER

Dear Zion Families,

The month of January quickly flew by and February is already upon us next Monday. A couple of weeks ago we opened up our re-enrollment process for the 2010-11 school. Please take this as a friendly reminder to submit your re-enrollment paperwork before January 31<sup>st</sup> so you don't lose your priority status. Below you will find the established enrollment time period:

### ENROLLMENT TIMETABLE

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| ▪ January 1 <sup>st</sup> to January 31 <sup>st</sup>   | Existing school families     |
| ▪ February 1 <sup>st</sup> to February 15 <sup>th</sup> | Zion Lutheran Church members |
| ▪ After February 15 <sup>th</sup>                       | Open Enrollment              |

If you need additional information, please refer to the **Enrollment Policies & Procedures** we emailed to all families a couple of weeks ago.

When submitting your re-enrollment paperwork, please be sure to attach the non-refundable \$100 enrollment fee. This \$100 is applied to your registration fee. Note also that next year's registration fee is **\$350 if paid in full before April 1, \$400 if paid in full from April 1 to June 30, and \$450 if paid in full after June 30.**

Finally, it is very helpful and important that we know your enrollment plans early so the Administration and Board of Education can take the necessary steps in planning for the 2010-11 school year. We certainly appreciate your promptness in this matter.

Blessings to you all and make it a great day with the Lord!

*Steve Glandorf*  
Principal

**SPORTS NEWS**<sup>1</sup>. 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 GAMES WITH BRENHAM ON JANUARY 29!!

3. Both JV teams will travel to Granger for 2 games with SSCM on Tuesday, February 2 at 4 pm. THE BOYS WILL PLAY FIRST! Transportation notes will go home on Thursday, January 28. We will car pool to Granger.

4. The final TALLS JV-BB tournament will take place on February 6 ONLY in Giddings-- TBA.

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

6. The final TALLS Varsity BB tournament will take place on February 13 ONLY in Thorndale---TBA.

7. The final state Varsity BB tourney will occur in Austin on February 19/20/21 --TBA.

## **Faculty/Staff Appreciation**

Faculty/Staff Appreciation Luncheon on Monday, February 15<sup>th</sup> at noon. PTL is collecting donations for the Faculty/Staff Gift Exchange –there will be a box in the workroom and the donations may be placed in there. When giving your donation if you would please consider items for our male faculty/staff. PTL appreciates your help with this.

## **HAITI HELP**

In response to the earthquake in Haiti, the school is going to send much needed health kits through Lutheran World Relief. We are asking families make donations. You can provide individual items from the list below, or complete "kits," or money to purchase the items. The seventh grade class will be organizing the kits. Any extra money donations will be used to ship the items or to purchase material to make and send quilts that have also been requested. Donation boxes will be placed in the hallways or you can send money to the school office and mark it "Haiti donation." **Please send your items or money by TOMORROW, Friday, January 29.**

- One hand towel, dark color recommended
  - One washcloth, dark color recommended
  - One bath-size bar (4 to 5 oz.) of soap, any brand, in its original wrapping
  - One adult-size toothbrush in its original packaging
  - One sturdy comb, remove packaging
  - One metal nail file or nail clippers with file attached, remove packaging (do not substitute cardboard emery boards for the file)
  - Six Band-Aids® (or similar brand), preferably 1/2" to 3/4"; secure together with a rubber band
- Instructions for organizing a complete kit :* Do not add other items or leave out any of the items listed. All items should be new and in good condition. Wrap smaller items in the washcloth; wrap washcloth and remaining items in the towel and tie securely with ribbons or yarn. Do not enclose the kit or any of its contents in plastic bags.

## **MORE HAITI HELP—SHOES4SOULS OF HAITI**

Over the next week (until Feb. 5<sup>th</sup>), there are many members of the Georgetown community who are participating in a shoe collection drive through “Soles4Souls” program to benefit the victims in Haiti.

**Beginning Monday, February 1<sup>st</sup>**, and in our continued support of the Haitian people, we would like to ask our Zion school families and congregational members to please consider donating at least one pair of shoes. The people of Haiti are in great need of work boots, tennis shoes and children shoes. However, “Soles4Souls” accepts all types of shoes: athletic, running, dress, sandals, pumps, heels, work boots, cleats, dance, flip flops, just as long as they are new or gently worn.

These shoes will be shipped to Haiti A.S.A.P. All of next week (Feb. 1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>), please leave your donated shoes in the shoe collection box outside the church office.

Thank you for your support!

## February 1-7, 2010

	Monday <b>1</b>	Tuesday <b>2</b>	Wednesday <b>3</b>	Thursday <b>4</b>	Friday <b>5</b>
<b>Menu</b>	Hamburger with fixings Oven fries Fruit Milk	Spaghetti /Meat Sauce Green Beans Fruit Bread Milk	Chicken Patty/Gravy Mashed Potato Green Beans Fruit Bread Milk	Nachos Refried Beans Veggies Fruit Milk	Build Your Breakfast Taco Sausage/Bacon Hashbrowns Eggs Fruit Milk
<b>Calendar</b>	<b>Monday 1</b> Faculty Devotions 7:40 a.m.; Girls Basketball Practice 3:30-5:00 p.m.	<b>Tuesday 2</b> Band 7:30 a.m.; Faculty Devotions 7:40 a.m.; JV Boys and Girls Basketball with SSCM at 4:00 p.m.	<b>Wednesday 3</b> Chapel 8:30 a.m. led by Mr. Niebuhr; Girls Basketball Practice 3:30-5:00 p.m.	<b>Thursday 4</b> Band 7:30; Faculty Devotions 7:40 a.m.; Boys Basketball Practice 3:30-5:00 p.m.	<b>Friday 5</b> Faculty Devotions 7:40 a.m.; JV TALLS Tournament at Immanuel, Giddings TBA
	<b>Saturday 6</b> JV TALLS Tournament at Immanuel, Giddings TBA	<b>Sunday 7</b> Worship Services 8:00 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.; Christian Education 9:30 a.m.	<p>Lunch, \$3.00 for students, \$3.25 for adults; 2<sup>nd</sup> Entrée \$1.25; 2<sup>nd</sup> Sides \$.25 each; Extra Milk \$.50 *** Lunch menu subject to change *** <b>Zion Lutheran Church &amp; School</b>, 6101 FM 1105, Georgetown, TX 78626 <b>Phone:</b> 512-863-5345, <b>Fax:</b> 512-869-5659 <b>Web Site:</b> <a href="http://www.zionwalburg.org">www.zionwalburg.org</a></p>		

### PSIA NEWS

COMING MONDAY, February 1: You will be receiving forms for payment of your child(ren) registrations fees. The fee will be \$3 per child per event. ZLS must pay \$5 per child per event. The remaining \$2 will be paid by ZLS PTL. Thank you PTL for your continued support of the PSIA program!!

A BIG THANK YOU to all the volunteers who are helping to coach our students this year. If you see them, please give them a little praise or words of encouragement. Coaches this year are: Tiffanee Thiele, Alicia Knippa, Shane Baylor, Jean Mersiovsky, Jill Dabney, Betzi Kelton, Suzan Winkelman, Mariann Brown, Melonie Martinez, Lynn Breckenridge, Rory Tyson, Heather Ullmann, Stephanie Sauls, Misha Lee and Dena Ebeling.

### P.E. CLASS, SOUPER BOWL

During the rest of this week and next week (January 25-February 5) please bring 2 cans (NO GLASS) of soup to P. E. Class. The students will be using the soup cans as weights. The cans of soup will then be donated to The Caring Place. Mrs. Bonnie McNemar, our representative here at Zion will be picking up the soup cans and delivering them to The Caring Place.