



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, December 9, 2009** led by **Mrs. Linebrink**. Second Quarter Chapel Offerings are going toward Jesus Is Lord.



PULL TABS are again being collected for the Ronald McDonald House in Temple. Bring them with you to chapel or to the school office in zip-lock baggies.

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 Haley Boatright, Aaron Coy, Sterling Gattis, Evan Peterson, Erica Ranthum and Julie Thompson. Our special staff is Miss Stephanie Sauls.

Evening Circle

Thank you to all for supporting the Evening Circle Chili Supper. Over \$500 will be applied to the Zion bus fund.

411 Meeting

Parent information meeting with a question and answer session led by Mr. Glandorf will be Thursday, December 10 at 8:15 a.m. in the fellowship hall. There will be refreshments.

Christmas Program Information

Students arriving prior to 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, December 16, and 5:30 p.m. on Thursday, December 24, should meet in the gym. Students will go to the classrooms at 6:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. respectively when their teachers have arrived. To maintain an atmosphere of worship, photographs and videos are not permitted during the service. A video will be made (for each service) from the balcony and made available for purchase after the holidays. Photographs may be taken at rehearsals or after the services. Students should wear “Sunday Clothes”. Dresses or nice pant suits for girls, slacks, and dress shirts for boys are appropriate. Angels (1st Grade girls, costume provided) Star Holders (1st Grade boys, please wear white long sleeve shirts and dress pants) meet at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday night and Christmas Eve, 5:30 p.m. in Ms. Hight’s room.

Book Study Information

Paige Quinlivan will be leading a study on the book, “Your Girl, Raising a Godly Daughter in an Un Godly World” by Vicki Courtney. Anyone with questions or interested in joining the group can call her at 863-9802 or 635-9802 or email at peg7115@hotmail.com. This is a really great book and study for all moms of daughters. The study would start in January, 2010.

Principal Glandorf’s Corner

Dear Families & Friends,

The weather has changed and we are experiencing much cooler temperatures in central Texas. As we head into the winter season, the possibility of severe weather does exist. Please note that in all weather related decisions, Zion Lutheran Church & School will follow the same schedule as that of the Georgetown Independent School District. **In the event of the need for early school dismissal due to weather conditions, all school related activities (including After School Care) will be cancelled.**

Fast Direct and/or email announcements will be given, when possible, if our school will be closed or dismissed early due to ice or snow storms. Also, as a friendly reminder – in order to be aware of the latest information coming from Zion, please try to make it a practice of checking your email or Fast Direct on a daily basis.

The month of December is a very busy and exciting month. With the hustle and bustle of the Christmas season, it is my encouragement to you that we remind our children of the real reason why we celebrate this time of year. Two thousand years ago, our gracious Heavenly Father gave us the most incredible gift of all time, our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Please join me, along with the faculty and staff at Zion, as we stay focused on the real meaning of Christmas!

Educating for Eternity,

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. Both VARSITY teams will travel to Austin on December 4/5 for a preseason tournament at St. Paul & Redeemer Lutheran Schools. Girls and boys play at Redeemer on Friday. The girls play at 4:30 and the boys play at 5:30. Girls will leave from Zion at 3 pm. The boys need to arrive at Redeemer around 5 pm.
3. All 4 teams will host St. Paul, Serbin on Friday, Dec. 11 beginning at 2 pm. The games will be in this order: JV-G, JV-B, V-G, V-B. Concession Stand Duty: 2:00 p.m., Thiele and Folsom Families; 3:00 p.m., Cohen and Byrne Families; 4:00 p.m., Bruno/Ramthun and Davison/Bottom Families; 5:00 p.m., Bamsch and Horton Families

4. GAMES WITH GRACE, ACADEMY ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15 WILL BE AS FOLLOWS:

Concession Stand Duty: 4:00 p.m., Winkelman and Deltz/Shell Families; 4:45 p.m., Shires and Matthew Families; 5:30 p.m., Peppley Family; 6:15 p.m., Stephens and Moerbe Families

4:00 - 5/6th grade girls (5 minute quarters)

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4:45 - 5th grade boys (5 minute quarters)

5:30 - 6th grade boys (5 minute quarters)

6:30 - 7/8th grade boys (6 minute quarters)

5. ADD TO THE SCHEDULE: January 19, both JV teams will host Immanuel, Giddings at Zion at 3pm. Concession Stand Duty: 3:00 p.m., Henry Family; 4:00 p.m. Stewart/Land and Max Thompson Families

6. Zion will host SSCM on Tuesday, Jan. 5, at 4:00 pm. for 2 junior varsity games. The girls will play first.

7. 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, VAR.-BOYS. There will be NO varsity girls game.

8. Zion will travel to Giddings on Thursday & Friday, Jan. 14, 15. The VARSITY teams will play on the 14th and the JV TEAMS on the 15th. We will leave from Zion at 1 pm. on both days and begin playing at 3 pm. The girls will play first both days.

9. ALL 4 TEAMS will travel to Round Rock Christian and Friday, January 22 on the bus. We will leave Zion at 3pm.



Walk for Diabetes donations are due to the school by Wednesday, December 9.

WALBURG TO WASHINGTON DC TRIPPERS INFORMATION

Hand Beaded Spiders...Price is one for \$7.00 or two for \$12.00. Make checks out to “D.C. TRIPPERS.” The Story of the Christmas Spider ornament! Boxed and ready to give to friends, family, coworkers and loved ones. Choose from an assortment of pretty colors. Look for our beautiful booth at the Christmas Stroll, contact wingedheartart@gmail.com or srgdec05@yahoo.com to purchase or reserve a spider.

Citrus fruit order is due on Tuesday, December 8. Bring form (which was handed out at the beginning of the week or you may find the form on the web site) and money to the school office.

Baked Potato Supper, Wednesday, December 9 from 3:30-6:30 p.m. sponsored by the DC Trippers. Join us after the supper for Advent Worship with Cantata, 7:00 p.m.

PSIA NEWS

CALLING ALL AVAILABLE PARENTS: It is time to get started with Coaching for PSIA. Mrs. Thiele is looking for coaches for the following events: Maps/Graphs & Charts, Storytelling, Spelling, and Ready Writing for 5-8 grade. If you can spare one day a week to help coach any of these events, please contact her at 931-2133 or 750-9761 or by email at thiele777@earthlink.net. All study materials provided!

ATTENTION ALL CLASSROOM PARENT PHOTOGRAPHERS!! If you are the classroom photographer for your child's class please remember that we would appreciate all photos be submitted in digital format (c.d.). These submissions must be labeled with class, date and event. Don't forget to include your name on your submission if you want it returned! Please place in the yearbook mailbox located in Mrs. Hall's office.

Photo Suggestion: Contact your child's teacher to find out if they are doing anything special in their class. Great photo opportunities are available not just on field trips or class parties. How about a science project, leading chapel service or art project? Check with your child's teacher today! Mrs. Hall will appreciate pictures also for the bulletin board across from the lunchroom.

DON'T WAIT TO THE LAST MINUTE!! If you have pictures that you would like to submit for the Sports Banquet Video for next spring, please drop them off in the yearbook mailbox located in Mrs. Hall's office. We are currently accepting pictures from JV/V Flag Football and Volleyball. Remember that we need these submissions to be in digital format! Contact Tiffanee Thiele with questions or comments

December 7-13, 2009					
Menu	Monday 7 Broccoli & Cheese Soup Turkey & Cheese Sandwich Fresh Veggies Fruit Milk	Tuesday 8 Pancakes Bacon Hashbrown Fresh Fruit Bread Milk	Wednesday 9 Chicken Fried Steak Mashed Potatoes Country Gravy Green Beans Rolls Fruit/Milk	Thursday 10 Nachos Refried Beans Veggies Fruit Milk	Friday 11 Homemade Cinnamon Roll Sausage Fresh Fruit Hashbrown Milk
	Calendar	Monday 7 Faculty Devotions 7:40 a.m.; Girls Basketball Practice 3:30-5:00 p.m.	Tuesday 8 Band 7:30 a.m.; Faculty Devotions 7:40 a.m.; Boys Basketball Practice	Wednesday 9 BoxTop Deadline; Chapel 8:30 a.m. led by Mrs. Linebrink; Faculty Meeting 3:30 p.m.; Girls Basketball Practice 3:30-5:00 p.m.; Baked Potato Supper; Advent Worship 7:00 p.m.; Diabetes Donations Due	Thursday 10 Band 7:30; Faculty Devotions 7:40 a.m.; 411 Meeting 8:15 a.m.; Boys Basketball Practice 3:30-5:00 p.m.; Poinsettias Arrive
		Saturday 12 CrossTrainers, 5:00-8:00 p.m.	Sunday 13 Worship Services 8:00 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.; Christian Education 9:30 a.m.; Meal and Band Concert	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	

LUNCH TIMES...Preschool 10:45 a.m.; F and 1H 10:50 a.m.; K3 and K5 11:00 a.m.; 2nd 11:25 a.m.; 3rd 11: 35 a.m.; 4th 11:40 a.m.; 5th 11:20 a.m.; 6th 11:20 a.m.; 7th and 8th 12:05 p.m.