



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 16, 2009** led by **Mr. Menke**. Also **Little Lambs Chapel at 8:30 a.m. in Mrs. Linebrink's classroom**. 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 Brynna Bunte, Owen Dabney, Catherine Dittman, Mae Klein, Chase Petty and Olivia Unkle. Our special staff is Mrs. Darlene Zinsmeyer.

Change in Bus Stop

Starting on Monday, December 14, the bus stop will be Dawn Drive and Riverbend (the parking lot behind Lakeaire Shopping Center) instead of next to Pam's Play School.

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.

After School Care Information

AFTER SCHOOL CARE will be available on Friday, December 18 at 12:30 p.m. An additional fee does apply. Please inform the office or Ms. Hight if your child(ren) will be there ASAP.

Principal Glandorf's Corner

Dear Families & Friends,

The Lord is constantly blessing the ministry at Zion Lutheran Church & School. On Sunday, November 22nd, in an effort to continually improve the programs and facilities offered to our families at Zion, the Congregational Voter's Assembly authorized the spending of up to \$160,000.00 on a gymnasium renovation which includes: flooring, lighting, gypsum board, paint, insulation, backboards, wall pads, and misc.

The conditions of the approval are that \$50,000.00 be raised in donations and pledges before construction begins in the summer of 2010. The remodel should take approximately thirty to forty days to complete. We are asking that all families of Zion Lutheran Church & School prayerfully consider giving a financial pledge to this worthy improvement of our church and school.

We are so thankful of the support and prayers we receive on a daily basis. If you feel led to become a part of this effort, please contact the school office where you can pick up and drop off your pledge cards and/or financial gifts.

May the Lord richly bless you as we celebrate the birth of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Make it a great day with the Lord!

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. All 4 teams will host St. Paul, Serbin on Friday, December 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

3. 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)

4. **CANCEL THE GAMES ON** January 19, with Immanuel, Giddings at Zion.

5. Zion will host SSCM on Tuesday, January 5, at 4:00 pm. for 2 junior varsity games. The girls will play first. Concession Stand Duty: 4:00 p.m., Lange and Standifer Families; 5:00 p.m., Cruse and Heald Families.

6. 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

7. Zion will travel to Giddings on Thursday & Friday, January 14, 15. The VARSITY teams will play on the 14th (**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.

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

9. 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

Pep Rally Information

Pep Rally is scheduled for Thursday, December 17 at 8:30 a.m.

WALBURG TO WASHINGTON DC TRIPPERS INFORMATION

Hand Beaded Spiders...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. Contact wingedheartart@gmail.com or srgdec05@yahoo.com to purchase or reserve a spider. Price is **\$5.00 each, please note change in amount.** Make checks out to "D.C. TRIPPERS. **The Christmas Spiders will be available after 1st worship and before 2nd service worship on Sundays, December 13 and December 20. The table will be inside the covered double door entrance of the church/school building. Also you may purchase them in the school office.**

Do not forget to pick up your fruit on Sunday, December 13 or Monday, December 14.

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 peq7115@hotmail.com. **Please note email address correction.** This is a really great book and study for all moms of daughters. The study would start in January, 2010.

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, 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 14-20, 2009					
Menu	Monday 14	Tuesday 15	Wednesday 16	Thursday 17	Friday 18
	Hamburger with fixings Oven fries Fruit Milk	Chicken Patty/Chicken Fried Steak/Gravy Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Fruit Milk	Lasagna Fish Corn Dog Oven Fries Corn Salad Fruit/Milk	Tacos Frito Pie Rice Fresh Veggies Fruit Milk	Christmas Parties
Calendar	Monday 14	Tuesday 15	Wednesday 16	Thursday 17	Friday 18
	Faculty Devotions 7:40 a.m.; Board of Christian Education 3:30 p.m.; Girls Basketball Practice 3:30-5:00 p.m.	Band 7:30 a.m.; Faculty Devotions 7:40 a.m.; Basketball Games with Grace Academy 4:00 p.m.	Chapel 8:30 a.m. led by Mr. Menke; Little Lambs 8:30 a.m.; Advent Worship/Christmas Program 7:00 p.m.;	Band 7:30; Faculty Devotions 7:40 a.m.; Pep Rally 8:30 a.m.; Preschool, K3 and K5 Christmas Parties; Boys Basketball Practice 3:30-5:00 p.m.	Faculty Devotions 7:40 a.m.; 1 st -8 th Grade Christmas Parties; Early Dismissal 12:30 p.m.
	Saturday 19	Sunday 20	<p>Lunch, \$3.00 for students, \$3.25 for adults; 2nd Entrée \$1.25; 2nd 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</p>		
	Worship Services 8:00 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.; Christian Education 9:30 a.m.;				

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.

 **Ice and Snow Storms...**As winter approaches, 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. Fast Direct and/or email announcements will be given.