



THE EAGLE

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Are You Ready For November?

Get your calendars out now before you start to read because November is a month full of important events you will not want to miss. Pencils ready? Here we go.

We start the month with Parent/Teacher Conferences and *Serve and Be Served* – the Work-a-thon. These are both great opportunities to partner with the school. Please take time to read through all the important information that has come home concerning these activities.

Only our second PTF meeting of the year will take place on Friday, Nov. 13 at 9:15, room 28. Childcare will be provided. Please make this meeting a priority as you will find out important information about upcoming events.

We are trying a new book fair approach this year as PTF will be partnering with Barnes and Noble on Friday, Nov. 20 from 9 a.m. – 11 p.m. The Book Fair will actually occur at the Barnes and Noble store at Crocker Park but anyone who shops at Barnes and Noble on Friday, Nov. 20, anywhere in the country and gives the cashier our Book Fair ID number will help earn money for WCA PTF. There will be fliers and information coming home that you can pass out to your friends and family. Please reserve the day because after school our choirs will be singing and chess club will be having a tournament. Shannon Dawson will be reading at storytime at 10:30 am and 7:30 pm.

You do not have to worry about dinner that night because Max and Erma's will also be partnering with us. 20% of lunch, dinner, and carryout sales will benefit WCA! There will be tickets sent home that you can pass out to friends that they must turn in so that we receive a portion of the sales.

The fun does not end there. Tuesday, Nov. 24 is our Thanksgiving Chapel at 10:30 a.m. This is a sweet time of praise where each class offers a brief presentation of thankfulness to the Lord. Kindergarten will be dismissed immediately after chapel.

So plan ahead. Keep your calendar updated. Post the Eagle in plain sight in your home. Read all the e-mails and paperwork that comes home. You will not want to miss out on all these great opportunities for your family and WCA!

Calendar Updates

Mon. Nov. 2 – Basketball practice begins, 6th-8th grade

Tues., Nov. 3 – **Early Dismissal, 2 p.m.**
Work-a-thon Permission slips due

Wed., Nov. 4 – Chapel, 8:45
Rev. Gene Sherman, St. Barnabas Anglican Church, Bay Village
Early Dismissal, 2 p.m.
Work-a-thon Pledge Sheet Turn in Day

Thurs., Nov. 5 – **Serve and Be Served – Work-a-thon!**

Fri., Nov. 6 – No School

Mon. Nov. 9 – Work-a-thon Rain Date

Wed., Nov. 11 – Chapel, 8:45
Pastor Andy Batten, Heaventrain

Thurs., Nov. 12 – Mom's In Touch, 9:30

Fri., Nov. 13 – **PTF Meeting, 9:15 a.m.**
3rd grade to Hale Farm
6th grade first Mohican Payment is due
Ski Club Registration and fees due

Wed., Nov. 18 – Chapel, 8:45
Val O'Brien, Providence Church Youth Ministry
7th grade Science Fair
K to Post Office

Thurs., Nov. 19 – 7th Grade to LENS

Fri., Nov. 20 – Barnes and Noble Book Fair

Tues., Nov. 24 – Thanksgiving Chapel, 10:30 a.m.
Kindergarten dismissed after chapel
1st- 8th early dismissal, 2:15 p.m.

Fri., Dec. 4 – 7:00 Christmas Program
Bay Presbyterian Church

Important Announcements

Please take time to read the Christian School Comment from ACSI that was sent home today. It is about Christian Worldview.

Thank you to all of our lunch and recess volunteers. We will need a new lunch volunteer on Tuesday's beginning in December as Karen Pattee will be having her baby. If you are willing to even work one day a month, please contact Grace York, tgyork@gmail.com.

The WCA Barnes and Noble Book Fair is Friday, Nov. 20. More information will be coming home soon. Anyone who shops at a Barnes and Noble anywhere in the country and uses our Book Fair ID number will be contributing to WCA. You will be able to pass out our book fair ID number to your friends and family!

Serve and Be Served is this Thursday, Nov. 5 with the rain date being Monday, Nov. 9, if it looks like the weather will not break at all. 3rd-8th grade students need to have their permissions slips turned in by tomorrow. They need to come prepared with the following:

- Packed lunch
- ***Serve and Be Served*** t-shirt and dress down clothes appropriate for weather; work gloves and/or warm gloves, warm socks, shoes that are durable and can get wet or muddy.
- Rake that is labeled with their name

It is never too late to begin collecting pledges. K-8th grade students should be collecting. Pledge sheet turn in dates are every Wednesday until Nov. 18.

Thank you to everyone who baked, bought, decorated, served, and cleaned for Grandparents'/Special Friends' Day. It was a huge success. Thank you for your gift of time and energy.

Basketball Announcements: Basketball fees and signed code of conduct forms are due this week. Basketball practice schedule for this week is:

Mon. – 3:20pm – 5:00 pm
Tues. – 2:05pm – 3:30pm
Wed. – 2:05 pm – 3:30 pm
Thurs. – 3:20 pm – 5:00 pm
Fri. – No practice

Ski Club registration and fees are due by Fri., Nov. 13.

Prayer Requests

Pray for the following:

1. We would glorify God in all that we do.
2. God would continue to bring new families to WCA
3. Please pray that God would provide for each of the WCA families
4. Pray for restored health and healing for students and parents who are ill.
5. God would give the staff wisdom to deal with every situation.
6. Safety throughout every part of the school day.
7. God would bless our fundraising efforts this year so we can continue to keep tuition affordable and help families in need.
8. God would enable each family to achieve the Work-a-thon goal.
9. **Serve and Be Served – Work-a-thon:**
 - we would not need rain date; great weather
 - teams would work well together
 - no detail would be forgotten
 - Students, adults and families we serve would all be blessed
10. Pray that staff would have necessary stamina for conference week. A bonding of teachers and parents together would take place.