



CROSSROADS CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS CONNECTION

WEEK OF JANUARY 12TH, 2009

MASTER CALENDAR PRESCHOOL

January 2009

- 12 Special Activity
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- 14 Earthquake Drill
- 19 All Programs Closed - Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday
- 21 Kindergarten Information Meeting – 5pm
- 29 Half Day Closed – 4's & 5's Conferences
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February 2009

- 2 Yearbook Sale Begins
- 3 Fire Drill
- 9 Full Day Open
Half Day Closed – Lincoln's Birthday
- 12 Half Day TTh Valentine's Parties
- 13 Full Day & Half Day MWF Valentine's Parties
- 15 All Programs Closed – President's Day
- 27 Last Day – Yearbook Sale

MASTER CALENDAR K-8

January 2009

- 12 New Student Screening Begins
PSF General Meeting - CANCELLED
- 14 3rd Grade to Aquarium of the Pacific
Earthquake Drill
- 15 Earned Non-Uniform Dress Day
- 19 School Closed – Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday
- 20 Inauguration Day – Wear Red, white, blue
Middle School Missions Trip Info Meeting – 6pm
- 21 Kindergarten Information Meeting – 5pm
- 23 8th Grade Cotillion
- 28 Prayer Meeting for Crossroads Christian High School – 8:15am
Practice Spelling Bee – 1pm
- 29 Middle School Information Meeting
- 30 ACSI Spelling Bee
End 2nd Quarter

February 2009

- 3 Fire Drill
- 5 New Chapel Schedule –
2nd-4th at 8am / K-1st at 8:50am
- 6 New Chapel Schedule – 5th-8th at 10am
- 9 K-8th Closed / EDC may be offered
- 10 Honor Roll Assembly 3rd-8th – 1pm (Plex)
- 11 Minimum Day – Early Dismissal;
K & Middle School at 11:15am; 1st – 5th at 11:30am
- 13 Valentasia Dance
- 14 Middle School "Godspell" Carwash –
10am-2pm

A NOTE FROM BETH

I hope you had a wonderful time with your family over the holiday season. I sure did. I got to spend time with my grandchildren, which always brings me such joy. One of my most special moments was watching cartoons with my four year old grandson, Liam, while we were cuddled up on the sofa. One of the episodes was a little scary for him. With the modern technology of DVR...he asked if we could "rewind it and watch it again." I asked him why he would want to watch something again that scared him that way. "Because, Grandma," he replied, "I like the way it feels to sit close to you and hold your hand when I am afraid." Psalm 56: 3-4 says: ³ *When I am afraid, I will trust in you.* ⁴ *In God, whose word I praise, in God I trust; I will not be afraid. What can mortal man do to me?*

When I am afraid or unsure, I like the way it feels to trust in the Lord, to lean on Him and know that He is taking care of me. These are unsure times, but nothing is unsure in the context of God's love for us. Everything we need He will supply, if we only remember to depend on the ultimate resource available to us. It is an awesome thing to refer our children to the Lord for comfort and security. They are often afraid of things that are beyond even our control...but nothing is beyond the control of our Father in Heaven. He holds all things in His hands. As you pray with your children, teach them to trust the Lord with their fears and concerns. He will comfort them with the power of His Holy Spirit. He will hold their hand, and yours too. Have a great week. Love, Beth

CHECK LOST AND FOUND

We have mountains of lost and found items in Room 23 (next to the Elementary School office). Please stop by **BEFORE JANUARY 30TH**, and claim those missing sweatshirts, jackets, backpacks and lunch pails. Anything not claimed by January 30TH will be donated to the orphanage in Mexico.

CROSSROADS CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL
<http://www.crossroadsschool.org>

IMPORTANT CALENDAR ADDITIONS

- **Monday, January 20th, 6pm (Chapel).**
 - **Mexico Missions Trip** information meeting, for interested 7th-8th grade students and their parents.
 - **Inauguration Day.** Wear **red**, white, and **blue**.
- **Wednesday, January 21st, 5pm (Chapel).**
 - **Kindergarten information meeting.** We invite you to come meet our administrators and current kindergarten teachers. Learn about our wonderful program and visit the classrooms.
- **Wednesday, January 28th, 8:15am (Chapel).**
 - Join us for a time of **prayer**, specifically for **Crossroads Christian High School**.

SCRIP

Happy New Year! The scrip program has now resumed and we have stock back on hand. You may submit orders as usual on Tuesday mornings. Reminder: Scrip orders must be received by 9:00am on Tuesdays for processing that week. You are always welcome to stop by the elementary office during regular business hours to purchase scrip from our in-stock selection. Thanks for making our scrip program such a success!

COACH'S CORNER

MOUNTAIN VALLEY CHRISTIAN LEAGUE – Middle School Athletics Boys' Team Remains Undefeated Winning Third Game In A Row!

The Boys' baseball team currently sits atop of the Southwest division, 3 – 0. The start is the best ever for any middle school team. The team coached by Richard Knowles, defeated Bethel Christian 10-0 and 16-1. Their current biggest rival is Calvary Chapel Moreno Valley who they edged 1-0. The shut out game pitched by **Jacob P.** and **Richard J.**, ended with CCMV stealing home and being tagged out on a nice play by catcher **Jake B.** First half rainouts will be played this month. The team will face Hemet Baptist Christian next week for a double hitter. The first game begins at 2 p.m. Drivers will need to pick up at school at 12noon.
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CROSSROADS COFFEE BAR

Crossroads Coffee Bar is **now open**, serving Seattle's Best Coffee daily from 7:30-10:30 a.m. Stop by today for a Cougar Cappuccino or cup of cocoa or whatever you think sounds good.

YEARBOOK PICTURES – DEADLINE MARCH 1ST

If you have pictures of school events, field trips, friends, etc., please save them to a disc (only), label it with the classroom number, record the children's names in the pictures if possible, and send the disc to Heather Lasher in the elementary school office.

COACH'S CORNER (cont. from above)

First Girls' Softball Team

O.K., winning isn't everything. Although our girls are 0 – 3, this is a team of mostly "newbees" to softball, from the first day of tryouts to now, you have to say WOW...what a difference! The girls are full of spirit and encouragement for each other and almost made Coach Knowles cry at the first game because they had come so far. Game scores for the girls against Bethel were 1-3, and 7-8. The team lost to CCMV 18 to 4. The girls will travel next Thursday, January 15th, with the boys to Hemet Baptist.

INLAND EMPIRE CHRISTIAN LEAGUE – Elementary Athletics

Crossroads Cougar Soccer Team

Practice Tuesday & Friday after school until 4:00p.m. Head Coach – Davis.

Game Schedule

- Tuesday, January 20th - Redlands Christian (B team), HOME GAME at 3:15pm.
- Tuesday, January 27th - Bethel Christian, AWAY GAME at 3:15pm. (Leave class at 1:45pm. Leave parking lot at 2:00pm. Return approx. 4:45pm.)

INTRUMURALS – 2ND-6TH GRADES

Basketball

League begins this Thursday, January 15th. Meet at the basketball courts right after school. If you did not sign up yet and would like to play, we still have a few openings. Please turn in your registration by tomorrow, Tuesday, January 13th.

4-Square Tournament

Fee is \$25.00. Registration closes February 20th. The tournament is March 5th & 19th, from 2:45pm. to 4:15pm.

Kickball – Final Team Standings

DIVISION 1:	FIRST PLACE – STARBURSTS	SECOND PLACE – POP ROCKS
DIVISION 2:	FIRST PLACE – SKITTLES	SECOND PLACE – PEZ PLAYERS