



Wednesday Words

For our Russian Speaking Families: Уважаемые родители, если вам нужна помощь в переводе этого информационного бюллетеня, у вас есть какие-либо вопросы, проблемы или вам нужна дополнительная информация о PCSNW, у вас есть возможность сделать это, связавшись с нашим секретарем Дианой Лозовик (360)318-1347 или, Надя Горун (360) 201-5292. Большое спасибо за то, что вы есть частью нашей школы!

These past few weeks, I have been struck by how some of our parents serve and how some see volunteering as a transaction. The old adage: Many hands make light work – comes to mind. Imagine our school where every parent would serve and find ways to bless students, other families, and the community...oh, the impact we would have in this part of Whatcom County.

One might read this and say, “I’m really busy!” To that, I share – I don’t think that there are many people who are not busy. Finding a balance in our time with God, home, church, work, school, and community does take effort and I know that I continue to work at this as a Christ follower, husband & dad, worshipper & volunteer, Principal & colleague, volunteer and behind the scenes guy.

In our final 3 weeks of school, contemplate how you might be able to serve at PCSNW (even for a little time) and as we continue to plan the 2022-2023 academic year, how you can take part next year! Thank you!

“Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward. You are serving the Lord Christ.” Colossians 3:23-24

Auction & Dinner – THIS Friday (in 2 days!) at Bellingham Christ the King

Check out our social media (Facebook & Instagram) for sneak peaks of items. See you there!



Mission Trip to the Dominican Republic 2023

Plans are in the works to resume our mission trips to the “DR” with our high school students. For some info: <https://www.smore.com/8mzk91>
If your high school student is interested in going – please let Scott know.



Vander Pol Retirement Celebrations

Kathy & Stan have led PCSNW for more than a decade and as they shared in their email earlier this year, they are retiring. We have 4 opportunities for you to wish them well: A Meet & Greet from 4:30-5:30 p.m. before the Auction at Bellingham CTK, at the Elementary & MS/HS End of the Year Programs, and at a Dessert evening on June 2nd at 6:30! We have RSVPs in the office so that we know how many people to anticipate, thanks!



Other Calendar Dates

- ✓ May 30th – Memorial Day (no school)
- ✓ May 31st – Field Day (help needed!)
- ✓ June 1st – Last day of classes, End of the Year Celebrations: PreK-4th (2:30 @ PCSNW) & 5th-12th (6:30 @ Good News Fellowship)
- ✓ June 2nd - Vander Pol Retirement Celebration (6:30 @ PCSNW)

End of the Year reminders:

- Tuition payments are usually spread over 10 months...that means you either pay August 1 to May 1 or September 1 to June 1 – check with office as to what amount you may still owe for the remainder of this academic year.
- Your child(ren)’s enrollment for next year requires you complete re-enrollment forms online and pay the registration fee – please take care of this before June so we can plan accordingly!
- Volunteer Hours are required and if you have not reached your 30 hours yet, please consider helping at the end of the year activities, help teachers do inventory in the classrooms before June 2, do a dump run, mow the grass, help shift nursery items to office/resource room, clear gutters, leaf-blow astroturf and roofs of buildings, fix benches, sell some furniture and items that are no longer needed, fill potholes/weed/level parking area, other “grounds improvement” projects, coordinate summer maintenance projects, etc. (talk to Scott for details)