

## 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!

Happy Summer! Some families love to have updates about what is happening at PCSNW...and some new families are getting this newsletter for the first time – welcome! If you missed one or want to catch up, you can find all our Newsletters on our website (pcsnw.org) under the Newsletter tab!



We are officially open & available on Tuesdays from 9:00-12:00 weekly in July.

"Teach me your way, Lord, that I may rely on your faithfulness; give me an undivided heart, that I may fear your name. I will praise you, Lord my God, with all my heart; I will glorify your name forever." Psalms 86:11-12



To the families and students of PCSNW,

I have some good but sad news. I am moving to my home-town of Bremerton to start a new job as a Middle School Youth Pastor. This is a church my wife and I grew up in and care deeply about. This opportunity is a lot of answered prayers for our family. We have been praying about moving home to have children and this opportunity affords

us in many ways to begin that journey. However, I am deeply sad about leaving PCSNW and all the wonderful families and students.

This letter can hardly convey how much my time at PCSNW has meant to me. Many families at this school modeled to me a great example of Godly parents who love and disciple their children well. The staff at PCSNW are some of the most caring, kind people on this planet. I will miss praying with them every morning, joking with them, and collaborating with them. Most of all I will miss the students who I had the honor of teaching. Each student brought me so much joy. Their respect, willingness to learn, and humor brought life to me as a teacher. I am so thankful for their care, hard work, and humor. Each student is special to me at this school. It has been magical to spend the last two years at this little school playing soccer, capture the flag, football, etc.with them. I am certain each of these students have great potential.

I truly trust God will bring the right person to teach the Middle School this upcoming year! I want to encourage each student that God has a plan for their life and is faithful to guide them. Many of these student's I have spent countless hours with through teaching and playing at recess. I will remember them fondly and am praying and rooting for them. I want to urge them to Love God with all their heart and lean on Him in all their ways. I continue to pray that PCSNW has God's favor on it and flourishes.

I am also asking for your prayers and support in this new chapter for my family. Know that I will miss you deeply and continue to care deeply about you. I pray the 2022-2023 school year woul be full of many blessings, opportunities for growth, and lots of fun. Please feel free to reach out at my email <u>mattresswick@gmail.com</u> if you have any further goodbyes you'd like to share.



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Our **<u>Yearbook</u>**s have arrived! If you would like to pick up the copy that you ordered, please stop in during our summer office hours!





**2022-2023 Calendar** is available with some explanation – at this <u>link</u> or check out the update under Newsletters on the website: <u>https://pcsnw.org/newsletters/</u>

<u>Summer Projects</u> are needing volunteers – can you help

out? If you need to finish your Volunteer Hours for 2021-2022 or want to get a jump start on 2022-2023, we'd love to see some projects done throughout the summer as opposed to one day in mid-August. Thanks to Mr. Jon Taylor for offering to coordinate this!



Contact Scott via email (<u>svandenberg@pcsnw.org</u>) or phone (360-318-1347) if you are able to help!



**2021-2022 Tuition Payment and Volunteer Hours/Payment** are due! All families who haven't finished paying tuition or haven't finished their volunteer hours have been contacted. Please stop in the office during the summer office hours posted above to "settle up" – we appreciate it! Thank you!

Our classes are filling up! 2 classes are full...if you haven't finished your <u>re-enrollment</u> online & paid the registration fee – do secure your spot!



Dear families,

With the "News" from Mr. Matthew Wick, we are both sad and happy. Sad that we have lost a wonderful Middle School teacher who was on fire for the Lord. Happy that he can serve the Lord in his new position in Bremerton. We did not know about this until after school was out and so we were not able to celebrate him properly...Mr. Wick will definitely be missed!

We were amazed by God's provision in that within hours of hearing that Matthew Wick had accepted the Youth Pastor position in Bremerton, an administrator friend of mine asked if I was looking for a teacher as he had someone moving up to the area – looking to work in a Christian School! Stay tuned for the official announcement in the next newsletter for our newest hire.

On another note, many people ask if the whole staff takes a summer break – and to be honest, most don't. It's not necessarily because we are "workaholics" – but a new school year does not start off well if things aren't planned and organized...and that takes time and people to give their time. We do hope that you are able to offer some of your time to help us prepare for the 2022-2023 academic year as we would like to spread out over the next month and a half before school starts.

Blessings to you and we do hope you have opportunities to enjoy the sun and time with family and friends during this break.

-Scott Vandenberg (aka Mr. V.)