

Sunnyside Christian School Newsletter

May 16, 2019

Calendar

- Thursday, May 16 -K-8th Chapel- Elem. Gym- 8:45 a.m.
-5th-12th Band & Choir Concert- at S'side CRC- 7:00 p. m.
- Friday, May 17 -ELEM. HOT LUNCH- Cheese Pizza- \$1.50
-Transportation Committee Meeting- Elem. Fac. Rm.- 8:45 a.m.
-8th Grade Class Trip- Seattle
-7th Grade Field Trip- Planetarium, Pasco
-6th Grade Field Trip- McAllister Air Museum, Yakima
-4th/5th Grade Field Trip- Pioneer Museum, Quincy
- Saturday, May 18 -H.S. Baseball Regionals/State Round 1 vs. Pomeroy
-1:00 p.m. at Walla Walla High School (800 Abbott Rd.)
-8th Grade Class Trip- Seattle
- Monday, May 20 -5th-8th Choir Tour- Seattle Area
-Finance Committee Meeting- H.S. Home Ec. Rm.- 12:00 p.m.
- Tuesday, May 21 -ELEM. HOT LUNCH- Pepperoni Pizza- \$1.50
-5th-8th Choir Tour- Seattle Area
-Kindergarten- visits "Just Like Home"- 12:45 p.m.
-High School Awards Night- Gym- 7:00 p.m.- Bring dessert!
- Wednesday, May 22 -DADS' HOT LUNCH- Burgers, Chips, Ice Cream- donation
- Thursday, May 23 -Pre-K – 4th Spring Program- Elem. Gym- 7:00 p.m.
- Friday, May 24 -ELEM. HOT LUNCH- Cheese Pizza- \$1.50 (Last one!)

Advance Calendar

- May 27 -Memorial Day- NO SCHOOL
- May 30 -Track & Field Day- NOON DISMISSAL
-8th Grade Graduation
- May 31 -High School Graduation

2018-2019 School Theme – "We Are So Blessed"

May Theme – Blessed are those who suffer for doing right

"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God." Matthew 5:9 (NIV)

5th-12th Band & Choir Spring Concert

You are cordially invited to join us for an evening of music and fellowship!

TONIGHT, May 16

7:00 p.m.

at the Sunnyside Christian Reformed Church

High School State Baseball: The first Regional-State game for our boys will take place on Saturday, May 18, at 1:00 p.m. at **Walla Walla High School** (800 Abbott Rd.), versus Pomeroy. If they win, they will play again immediately following the first game. At this point in post-season, each game is a “winner advance, loser out” game.

Maintenance Opening: SCS is looking for a part time maintenance person to begin June 1. If you are interested or need more information please contact Mr. Van Beek at 837-3044.

Teacher Opening: SCS is looking to hire a part-time 4th grade teacher for the 2019-2020 school year. This position will most likely involve teaching Math and Language Arts in the mornings. If you are interested, please contact Mr. Van Beek at 837-3044 for more information and an application.

High School Awards Night: Tuesday, May 21, 7:00 p.m., at the high school gym. We will be recognizing all participants in extra-curricular activities. Each family is asked to bring a dessert to share as we celebrate a great year!

Dad's Day Hot Lunch: Next week Wednesday, May 22, dads will be serving grilled hamburgers, chips, and ice cream. Prep work begins at 9:00 a.m. with the bbq; serving begins at 12:00 p.m. Contact Tamera Smeenk at 830-3506 for details if you would like to help (or just show up ☺).

Annual Society Meeting—New Board Members: At Monday night's Society Meeting the following individuals were elected to the SCS Board: Chris Clapp, Jerrad Jech, and Brian Newhouse. We would also like to thank out-going board members Henry Bosma, Dan DeBoer, and Kelly Harrington for their dedication and service to SCS as Board members.

5th-8th Choir: will be performing at Sunnyside Christian Reformed Church on Sunday, May 19, at 10:30 a.m.

Thank you: Close-Up class of 2021 would like to say THANK YOU to everyone for supporting the Spring Flower Fundraiser!! Our small but mighty class did exceptionally well because of all your support, so thanks to everyone that purchased flowers or gave donations. Your support is very much appreciated!

A huge thank you: to all those who blessed our staff with homemade treats and notes of encouragement during Teacher Appreciation Week. We certainly felt appreciated! ☺

Library News: All library books are due back! Please take a few moments to look around at home for any library books you may have lost. Thank you!

Track and Field Day: Each year, the last day, we have a track and field day for the students. It is a great time to enjoy some healthy competition and to end the school year. **IF YOUR CHILD IS NOT GOING TO BE THERE PLEASE SEND A NOTE TO SCHOOL BY FRIDAY, MAY 10.** This is important so that fair races can be scheduled prior to the Track and Field Day. The K-5th students will participate in track and field events, 6th graders will compete in a soccer game, and the 7th graders will be running a concession stand. We expect Field Day events to be over between 10:30-11:00 a.m. **Please do not take your child(ren) home until ALL their races are complete. There is no bus service following track and field events.** Parents, grandparents, you are welcome to join us- put the date on your calendar!

Summer Cleaning: Initial plans are being made for school cleaning this summer. Dave Van Dyke has agreed to supervise the cleaning again, but would like an assistant. *High school age students are welcome to inquire!* If you are interested in helping with this project, please contact Mr. Van Beek at 837-3044.

School Cleaning: Lists are being compiled for publication in the **May 23** newsletter. If you do not return a sign-up form or pay **\$200**, your name will be listed as “not signed up” as a reminder to please do so. Thank you!

School Service Hours: Just a reminder that service hours are due prior to the beginning of next school year. Service hours from 2018-2019 that are not completed at that time will be billed \$10/hour on your September tuition statement.

Hot Lunches: Please note that Friday, May 24, is the last day for elementary students to purchase hot lunch from the Juniors. Tuesday, May 28th & Wednesday, May 29th students will need to bring a sack lunch or purchase limited lunch items from the school store.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE FOR 2019-20 (next year!) We are currently working on many things for the upcoming 2019-20 school year. *Accurate information is extremely important as we make plans.* IF you, or anyone else you know, has a child who does not currently attend SCS but who may or will attend next year, PLEASE LET THE SCHOOL KNOW AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. ALSO, if you plan to move or leave SCS for any reason, please let us know now so that we can plan accordingly. We appreciate your communication with us.

2019-2020 Registration Registration packets will be mailed next week following the Society meeting. Please keep in mind that Thursday, June 6th will be the deadline for registration paperwork and Building Use Fee payment to hold your child’s spot in next year’s classes. **A verbal commitment will not hold a spot—we must have the required paperwork and Building Use Fee payment.**

Summer Office Hours: During the month of June, office hours will be Monday thru Thursday, 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., and closed on Fridays. If you need assistance during the month of July, please contact Mr. VanBeek via e-mail at brad.vanbeek@sunnysidechristianschool.org.

Year End Festivities Wednesday, May 29

Grade K-1st will be going to the Prosser City Park for lunch and games. They will leave school at 11:15 a.m. and return at approximately 2:30 p.m.

Grades 2nd-4th will be going to Skateland in Yakima. They will leave school approximately 11:15 a.m. and return by the end of the school day. Each student is asked to bring \$3.00 to help defray the cost. The remainder of the cost will be paid from the Student Activity Fund. Students will eat their lunch at school before leaving for the skating rink.

Grades 5th-8th will be going to Hallett Cinemas in Sunnyside to watch “A Dog’s Life”. They will leave school approximately 8:45 a.m. and return to school for lunch. 5th-8th Students are asked to bring \$5.00 to help defray the cost. This will include pop and popcorn, and the remainder of the cost will be paid from the Student Activity Fund.

“Knight Banner Boosters”

The following businesses have supported Sunnyside Christian this school year by purchasing advertising banners that hang on the High School gym wall. Their support funds various activities and programs throughout our schools, including agriculture, athletics, business, music, yearbook, and others.

Every year there may be openings for new businesses or names to hang on the gym wall! If you or someone you know is interested in advertising and supporting our school next school year, contact either school office.

We encourage all of you to patronize and thank these businesses whenever possible.

Ace Hardware
Ag Health Laboratories
Ag Pro Repair & Fabrication
Animal Health International
Banner Bank
Beltman Construction
Bleyhl Farm Service
Bos Refrigeration
C. Speck Motors
Cargill Animal Nutrition
Columbia Bank
Davis Pump & Electric
DeLaval Dairy Service

Excel Dairy Service, Inc.
Greene's Point S Tire
Halverson NW Law Group
Hiway Fruit
HUB Insurance Services
Jeffery E. Matson, CPA
Kinter Electric, Inc.
Long & Son
Lower Valley Credit Union
Lower Valley Machine Shop
Mid-Valley Community Clinic
Newhouse Dairy Custom Bagging
Orange Dairy Service

RDO Equipment Co.
Simplot Western Stockmens
Smith Funeral Homes
Sunny Smile Orthodontics
SunnySpot Carwash
Swofford & Halma Clinic
Tolman Electric
Toppenish Livestock, Inc.
Valley Hills Funeral Home
Valley Lanes
White & Company, CPA
Wilbur-Ellis
Yakima Valley Chiropractic