

Sunnyside Christian School Newsletter

January 9, 2025

Calendar

- Thursday, January 9 - PTF Family Fun Night – Elem. Gym – 5:30-7:30 p.m.
- Friday, January 10 - ELEM. HOT LUNCH – Cheese Pizza - **\$2.00/slice**
- H.S. Basketball vs. Riverside Christian – Yakima
- JV Boys 4:00, V. Girls 5:30, & V. Boys 7:00 p.m.
- Saturday, January 11 - H.S. Basketball vs. Yakama Tribal – Toppenish
- JV Boys 3:30, V. Girls 5:00, & V. Boys 6:30 p.m.
- Monday, January 13 - Building & Grounds Committee Mtg. – Elem. Rm. #12 – 5:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, January 14 - ELEM. HOT LUNCH – Pepperoni Pizza - **\$2.00/slice**
- PTF Meeting – Multipurpose Room – 8:30 – 9:15 a.m.
- Promotion Committee Meeting – Elem. Rm. #12 – 5:30 p.m.
- Wednesday, Jan. 15 - ELEM. HOT LUNCH- Hot dogs, Nachos, Nuggets- **\$2.00 each**
- H.S. Exams – See schedule attached
- Thursday, January 16 - H.S. Exams – See schedule attached
- Education Committee Mtg. – Elem. Rm. #12 – 7:00 p.m.
- Friday, January 17 - ELEM. HOT LUNCH – Cheese Pizza - **\$2.00/slice**
- H.S. Exams – See schedule attached
- Transportation Committee Mtg. – Upstairs Faculty Rm. – 12:00 p.m.
- End of 2nd Quarter/1st Semester
- H.S. Basketball vs. Touchet – Home
- JV Boys 5:00 (2 quarters), V. Girls 6:00, & V. Boys 7:30 p.m.
- Dinner: Pulled Pork Sandwich, Chips, Dessert, Water \$7.00

Advance Calendar

- January 20 - No School – Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- January 24 - Report Cards Go Home
- January 30 - K-8th Grade Chapel – Elem. Gym – 8:45 a.m.
- January 30 - Mom’s Hot Lunch – Lasagna Bake, Salad, Garlic Bread, Dessert – by donation

2024-2025 School Theme – “Experiencing the Heart of Jesus”

January/February Theme – Experience the Grace of Jesus

“For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is a gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast.” Ephesians 2:8-9

The SCS December Fruit of the Spirit Award Winners were: Reagan Tudor (2nd) and Ella Koopmans(6th). December’s celebrated fruit was Patience. We will be celebrating the fruit of Kindness in January. Thank you, students, for showing patience and thank you teachers for nominating.

PTF FAMILY FUN NIGHT: Join us for a K-8 all school family fun night on Thursday, January 9, from 5:30-7:30 pm! This is a great way to fellowship and have fun with our school families. This FREE event will feature many inflatable games, a giant obstacle course, and corn hole. The inflatable games have a recommended age for participation of 5 years or older. Pre-K children can take part, but they need adult supervision during the activities. The 8th grade class will be selling concessions. Little Caesar's Pizza is available by the slice or whole pizza.

If you would like to earn service hours and volunteer to help at this event Contact PTF at ptf@sunnysidechristianschool.org or call/text 509-643-8825.

WINTER WEATHER CONDITIONS: It is the time of year to be ready for fog, snow, and ice. **The best place to check for school delays and cancellations due to weather is the school website: www.sunnysidechristianschool.org or the school Facebook page.** You will also be notified through the SCS weather alert text, email and calling system. If you would prefer to opt out of this notification process, let the elementary office know. Bus drivers may call a snow route for their area only- you will be notified by your bus driver if that situation develops. Also, **if you are NOT planning to ride the bus, PLEASE CALL or TEXT YOUR DRIVER by 6:45 AM. When roads are slick and travel is slower, they appreciate knowing that information ahead of time so they can plan accordingly.** We are thankful for the dedication and commitment of our bus drivers and ask for your continual prayers for them and our students as they travel the roads each day.

Annual Fall Drive: Praise God for His faithfulness! Through our SCS community, God has blessed our school with a successful Fall Drive! As of December 31, we have **exceeded** our \$100,000 goal for the Fall Drive portion of the campaign. We are overwhelmed with the giving of \$107,333! The other part of the campaign was focused on raising capital for our long-range goal to consolidate our campuses by building an elementary school near the high school. We are also overwhelmed with the giving towards this project, **exceeding** our goal of \$100,000 for it. If you would like to donate to this, it is not too late. However, we want to **thank everyone** for the generosity shown to SCS.

SCHS Home Basketball Games will be broadcast on our YouTube channel. The link is... <https://bit.ly/3BvCHWs>

Booster Club Auction: The Auction committee is looking for people to join our procurement team. We have had a few people retire off the procurement team and need new volunteers to step up. We will have a list of businesses that need people to contact them starting late winter/early spring. This is a great service hour opportunity, procuring from 5 different businesses can count for at least 1 service hour. If you would be willing to help out, please contact Fransisca VanderMeulen 509-439-2538.

Dutch goodies for sale!!

Almond Sticks (Banket) \$20 each

Stroopwafels \$20 for 1 dozen (Currently sold out of stroopwafels but if interested please still order because if we have enough interest we will make more)

Ollie Bollen \$15 per dozen or \$8 for 1/2 dozen

- plain
- apple
- apple with raisin

Preorders highly recommended as some items have limited quantities for sale. Pickup will be at the January 31 high school basketball game. Proceeds go to help fund the trip for chaperones to attend the DC trip with the junior class.

If interested contact Jody Andringa (509-439-9603), Anita Van de Graaf (509-391-5805) or Fransisca Vandermeulen (509-439-2538)