

## Annual ECS Society Meeting Scheduled For February 24, 2009

The annual spring Society meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, February 24, at 7:30pm in the school gymnasium. During the meeting voting for new Board members will take place and progress reports from various school groups and committees will be given. You'll also have a chance to hear and discuss some of the blessings and challenges facing our school.

The Ebenezer Christian School Society is made up of parents, faculty members, past parents, and others who have contributed to ECS. As a society member you have the privilege to attend these meetings and participate in the workings of your school. This is one of the best opportunities to hear how the Lord has blessed the school, aid in the direction of it, all the while being faithful to its mission and to the Lord. Plan now on coming and being a part of the process of working together to further our school's mission "to train children to advance God's kingdom in this world".



### Open House Set For Interested Parents



**March 19, 9am-12pm**

Ebenezer Christian School will be hosting a special open house for parents interested in enrolling their children for any grade on Thursday, March 19, from 9:00am to 12:00pm. A special section for Kindergartners and their parents will be at 10:00am in the Kindergarten room. Please contact the school at 354-2632 if you have any questions, plan on attending, or to request an informational packet.

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## Ebenezer Wreath and Bake Sale

It is a blessing to report this year's sale to be a successful one again. Despite the change of location to the Dutch Village Mall, our faithful customers came out



to enjoy the goodies and wreaths our Ebenezer families and extended society had put together. We would like to say thank-you to everyone who participated by making wreaths, baking and volunteering their time to help out. A special

thank-you goes to Landi Bratt and Kimberly Baker who headed up the baked goods and wreaths. With all of your efforts our sale brought in around \$5000.00 for our school!! Praise God from Whom all blessings flow!!  
Connie Plagerman and Susan Van Beek

"Be glad and rejoice:  
for the Lord will do great things."  
Joel 2:21

## Basketball & Archery Seasons Underway

The Jr. High boys' and girls' basketball season is well underway, and we're looking forward to some great games. We'd like to thank and acknowledge our returning volunteer coaches: Tonya Matter (girls), and Daren DeBoer (boys).

Our archery team is hard at work practicing and looking forward to another great season. Under the leadership of coaches Bill & Pam Stinson, they are busy preparing to defend their championship title in the Wolf Cup being held on March 21.

We greatly appreciate the many hours these volunteers spend coaching our kids! If you'd like to come out and support our teams, please call the school office for dates and times.

## Sub Sandwich Fundraiser

Ebenezer's annual sub sandwich sale will begin on January 30 and run through February 12. The sale of these handy, filling sandwiches was begun by our Granny's Club, and now continues through Eagle Boosters. Each individually wrapped buttered roll will be filled with ham, turkey, 2 kinds of 100% cheese slices, and sells for \$2.75. These are great for lunches & snacks on-the-go and are convenient to keep on hand in your freezer.

The subs will be made on Saturday, February 28, and will be ready for pickup between noon and 12:30 pm. Helpers are still needed for our assembly line, and Eagle Boosters would like to invite YOU to join us at school that Saturday morning. We begin at 8:30 and are usually done in a few hours. Refreshments are included!

If you would like to order subs but haven't been contacted by an ECS student during the sale, or are willing to help on Saturday, February 28<sup>th</sup> for a few hours, please call Landi Bratt @ 354-0205. On behalf of Eagle Boosters, THANK YOU for supporting our Ebenezer kids!

Landi Bratt and Dawn Honcoop



## Grandparents/Special Friends Day and Spring Program Coming

Thursday & Friday, March 26 & 27

ECS Gymnasium

Mark your calendars now for two upcoming Ebenezer Christian School events. If you are a grandparent or special friend of any of our students, plan on attending *your* special event on Thursday, March 26. At 1:30pm you will be treated to a performance of our Spring program performed by our K-4th graders. Afterwards you'll have the opportunity to visit your loved one's classroom to meet their teacher and have them share with you any special projects they may be working on.

A second performance of our Spring program will be held on Friday, March 27, at 7:30pm. This will be for Ebenezer families, supporters, and any grandparents who are unable to come on the 26th. Join us as we "*Worship Around The World*", discovering how cultures from other countries differ from ours. The students will be singing classic folk songs and dance folk dances from different countries, learning about how Christian children from all around the world celebrate their faith. More information about both events will be in our next Eagle Edition.

# The Final Note~



## Teacher Assistants from LCHS

Each semester during the school year we are privileged to have T.A.s (Teacher Assistants) come to help out in our classrooms. They are students from Gary Van Hulzen's Practical Christianity class at Lynden Christian High School. This past semester we welcomed (pictured left to right) Estelle Maassen, Rick Heerspink, and Kenzie DeBoer. They helped out by doing various tasks in the Kindergarten, First, and Fourth/Fifth Grade classrooms. The kids loved having them in their room and the teachers greatly appreciated the work they accomplished for them. They were a joy to have around and will be greatly missed!

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*1 Samuel 7:12*