



HOME BULLETIN

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Reminder: Parents, remember to send a water bottle with your child(ren) to school since the drinking fountains have been turned off.

Chapel: This month's chapel will be hosted by the 4th and 8th grade classes and is scheduled for this Wednesday, October 28. At this time, we are not inviting parents and visitors to come to campus to join us. However, it is being recorded and will be found on a private Ebenezer YouTube channel. A link will be emailed to our families as soon as it is ready to view. **Please remember this is for our Ebenezer families only and is not to be shared beyond our families or on any social media platform.**

Report Cards: This Friday, October 30, marks the end of our first quarter of school. Report cards will be sent home with students next Wednesday, November 4. It's important to keep the lines of communication open, so please address any questions or concerns immediately at conferences.

Eagle Boosters: The next Eagle Boosters meeting is scheduled for next Monday, November 2, at 8:45a.m. in the gym. We extend a warm welcome and invitation to all parents. This is a great way to get acquainted with other supporters and help the school out at the same time! There is no nursery provided at this time. If you have any questions, please feel free to give Eagle Boosters president Karla Roorda a call at 360-815-2019.

Book Fair: **One week 'til Book Fair!!** Parents are invited to come to school to shop our Book Fair. Purchase books at school Monday - Wednesday, Nov. 2-4 from 3:15 - 4:00p.m. and on Thursday, Nov. 5 during conferences. You can shop our online Book Fair as well. The link for that is <https://www.scholastic.com/fair>. This will take you to shop online and earn rewards for our school! Our Online Fair is open from October 26 - November 7. Scholastic eWallet is available now!! Set up a safe, secure account for your kids today. Questions - Karla Roorda 360-815-2019 or Becky Henry 360-739-0175.

Fall Parent-Teacher Conferences: A reminder that conferences for grades K-8 will be held on Thursday, November 5, from 12:00p.m. to 8:00p.m. A schedule with your assigned time will be sent home with your student as soon as it is made. We will do our best to accommodate your family's need, but if your assigned time does not work, or you feel 10 minutes with your child's teacher is not enough, please contact the teacher. Again let us stress: **NO children** at conferences!

Reminder: There is no school on Thursday, November 5 for conferences or Friday, November 6.

No School: There will be **NO SCHOOL** on **Wednesday, November 11**, in observance of Veteran's Day.

School will also not be in session on **Thursday & Friday, November 12 & 13**, so our teachers may virtually attend the NWCSI convention. Teachers, administrators and board members from Washington, Alaska and British Columbia will be attending. Pray for the staff that they will be blessed with encouragement and new information that enables them to enrich our children's lives and education here at Ebenezer. Take time to enjoy this long weekend with your family.

Eagle Booster Needs Filled: Thanks to Jill Basart who volunteered to be the new Eagle Booster Secretary and to Amy Petree who is the new Box Top Coordinator. We are thankful for these ladies and their willingness to be part of the school in this way.

Greenery Needed for Wreath Making: We will once again be making wreaths this year to be sold! We need your greenery! We make about 70 wreaths and are looking for Douglas Fir, Noble Fir, and any specialty greenery. Text or call Tricia Heeringa (360-318-4490), Karla Roorda (360-815-2019), Katie Ryks (360-815-3523) or Jodi Tinklenberg (360-815-0083) if you have greenery that might be available for our use.

Moms-In-Prayer: Philippians 4:6 tells us "do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God." In this unprecedented time of change and uncertainty Ebenezer's students, staff and families need moms to be in prayer more than ever. Please join Moms-in-Prayer in the month of November on **November 9 and November 23** at 8:45a.m. - 9:30a.m. in the art room as we cover our school in prayer and bring our worries, needs and praises to our faithful and able God. No experience necessary, and little ones are welcome. Please contact Malia Frerichs at 360-319-7598 or maliafrerichs4@gmail.com for more information.

Collecting for Ebenezer: Remember you can support ECS by participating in on-going collection programs.

- **Amazon Smile** - If you already shop on Amazon, simply go to smile.amazon.com and choose Ebenezer as your non-profit organization to support. You will see "Eligible for AmazonSmile donation" on the product detail page if it qualifies. You are able to use your existing Amazon.com account
- **Fred Meyer:** If you are a Fred Meyer customer you can link your Rewards Card to Ebenezer Christian and you will help us earn a donation. You can do so by following the link on their website and choose ECS as your favorite nonprofit.
- **My Coke Rewards:** Help the school by bringing in the Coke rewards codes from Coke products. For Coke product bottles, just collect the bottle cap. For Coke product boxes (like 12-packs), send in the inside part of the box that includes the 14-digit code for "My Coke Rewards".

Scrip Now: Interested in the online version of SCRIP?? ScripNow is the electronic side of ECS's rebate program. It provides savings from national retailers and restaurants through an online program. Request via email the step by step signup process. After getting properly signed up you will be able to take full advantage of the website and do some SHOPPING! If you'd like to receive the tutorial document, **please sign up in the office by phone (providing us your name, email address, and phone number) or by email to Kaeli DeVries at onlinescrip@ebenezerchristianschool.org**. Thanks to Kaeli DeVries and Tessa Garcia on heading up this program!

Upcoming Calendar Reminders:

November 2: Eagle Boosters meeting, in the gym at 8:45a.m.

November 4: Report cards come home

November 5: Parent/Teacher Conferences; No School

November 6: No School

November 11: No School, Veteran's Day

November 12&13: Teacher's Convention, No School



“Thus far has the Lord helped us”

1 Samuel 7:12