



**Board News:**

- The Board is looking forward to having our ECS families in attendance for the Society Meeting next Tuesday, February 28 at 7:00p.m., in the school gym. A draft budget will be presented, new Board members will be elected, and reports from various school committees including the New Gym Committee will be given. Plan now to attend!
  - The Agenda was sent home on February 10
  - Absentee Ballots will be available at the office, if you are unable to attend the meeting. These ballots are to affirm the new Board Member nominations of Josh Dyck and Courtney Polinder.
- The following committees are seeking volunteers; please consider volunteering your time and talents. Long Range Fundraising Committee, Endowment Committee and New Gym Finance Committee. For more information, please contact the office.
- The calendar for the 2022-2023 school year is soon to be approved. When it is, it will be available on request and added on the school's website on the Parents page.
- Teachers will have their contracts soon. Be in prayer for them as they seek the Lord's will for the coming school year.

**Mark your calendars!**

The K - 4 Musical "*Where in the World is Mr. Buss*" is coming on **Friday, March 17 at 7pm** at the Lynden Christian High School Worship and Fine Arts Center. You're not going to want to miss this special performance!

**Sub Making Day: Reminder this Saturday!**

February 25 remember to come help make subs. See the attached last page for more information!

**Recess Duty:**

We are a little over half way through the school year and we know schedules change. We have had a couple volunteer spots open up. If you are able to fill this spot or would like to be added to any of our recess spots please contact the office. Thank you in advance!

Thursday noon recess 12:00pm to 12:40pm.  
Thursday afternoon recess 1:45pm to 2:15pm.  
Friday afternoon recess 1:45pm to 2:30pm.

**Mid-Winter Break:**

There will be no school next Thursday and Friday, March 2 and 3 for Mid-Winter break. Enjoy spending quality time with your kids!

**ITBS:**

The Iowa Test of Basic Skills for grades 3-8 are scheduled for March 6-10. We encourage you to help your kids prepare for the tests by getting good rest and a healthy breakfast.

**Archery:**

Ebenezer's archery team has been practicing since November and are gearing up for the state Wolf Cup tournament on Saturday, March 11, in Darrington, WA. We are thankful for the opportunity to continue this event for our kids! We appreciate Coaches Bill Stinson and Alan Scott for all their time and work with the team. Go Eagles!

**Online SCRIP:****IMPORTANT: \$25 SAFEWAY RELOAD CARDS ARE NOW AVAILABLE!**

To order, please fill out a SCRIP order form, found on the school website or outside the office in the hallway. As a reminder, SCRIP orders and payment need to be turned into the office by end of day on Wednesdays and they will be ready for pick up in the office by noon on Thursdays or sent home with your child.

**Inclement Weather:**

If weather dictates we close school, please listen to local radio station KWPZ (106.5 FM) or go to [www.kgmi.com](http://www.kgmi.com) for listings of school closures. KGMI does not consistently broadcast school closures for smaller private schools in the county due to the sheer number of them. We will also have updates posted on our school website's home page, [www.ebenezerchristianschool.org](http://www.ebenezerchristianschool.org) prior to any announcements made over the radio. Emails will also be sent to ECS families. If you check our webpage often, don't forget to hit the "refresh" button on your browser to make sure you're getting the most updated information!

**Upcoming Calendar Reminders:**

- **February 25:** Sub Making Day in the Gym starting at 8:00 a.m.
- **February 28:** Society Meeting @ 7:00p.m.
- **March 2&3:** No School; Mid-Winter Break
- **March 6-10:** ITBS testing for grades 3-8
- **March 11:** Archery Wolf Cup in Darrington
- **March 17:** K-4 Musical, 7:00 pm @ LC

*"A HAPPY HEART MAKES THE FACE CHEERFUL..." PROVERBS 15:13A*

## Sub Sandwich Sale Update:

### **URGENT! WE NEED YOU!**

A big thank you to many of you who have already signed up, but we need about **15 more adults (or high school students)** to help out this Saturday, February 25 at our big sub sandwich assembly day. We have almost 15,000 subs to make between 8:15am and 1:15pm so it will be an exciting morning at ECS! Please use the Signup.com link that was e-mailed out to sign up or contact Ashton Beanblossom ASAP at 360-815-2961 or e-mail [ashtonbeanblossom@hotmail.com](mailto:ashtonbeanblossom@hotmail.com). Grandparents, friends, alumni, or high school students needing service hours are all more than welcome! Refreshments, fellowship, and fun are included. Please join us in praying for a smooth Sub Making Day!

**NOTE:** please dress in layers on assembly day - the gym will not be heated to keep ingredients cold.

### **ORDER PICK UP:**

Parents, you are responsible for picking up your orders between 12:30 and 1:00pm unless otherwise arranged. **If you are NOT working at assembly, please pick up your order by 10:30am.** If you are working and would like your order ready for someone else to pick up earlier, contact Renee DeJong at 360-410-6097 or [thedejongfam@gmail.com](mailto:thedejongfam@gmail.com) ASAP with those requests. Space is limited, so getting orders out the door in a timely manner is helpful.

### **LAST CHANCE:**

We should have some surplus sub sandwiches to sell. If you are interested in buying any of those, please let Renee know and we will put you on a list and set them aside for you if they are available at the end.