



Oostburg Christian Sci

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Mr. Robert Adams, Administrator

"He is like a tree, planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in season..."
Psalm 1:3

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HOME BULLETIN

October 27, 2010

PRAYER REQUEST

Please pray for Mrs. Jill Haag (mother to Ashlea – grade 6 and Aiden - kindergarten) as she was diagnosed with Acute Leukemia last week. Mrs. Haag will be hospitalized at St. Luke's Hospital in Milwaukee for one month. Please pray for her husband, Bill, as well as her children. Also please pray for her parents and siblings as they help Bill with the children and schedules. Thank you.

O.C.S. SPEECH FESTIVAL

Our annual Speech Festival involving all students in grades 5 – 8 will be held tomorrow evening. Please come out and support our students. A schedule of performances was attached to last week's Blue Note.

NOVEMBER HOT LUNCH ORDERS

November hot lunch orders were due today. You may hand them in until 9:00 AM tomorrow (Thursday) morning. No orders will be accepted after that time.

PARENT / TEACHER CONFERNCES

Parent / Teacher Conferences will be held the evenings of November 15 and 16. Please reserve these future dates. A schedule was attached to last week's Blue Note. Please make every effort to attend at the time you are scheduled, as rescheduling can get very complicated. If you cannot make the time you are assigned, please call the school office at 564-2664 as soon as possible. Thank you.

O.C.S. CHRISTMAS CONCERT

While you are setting aside dates, please reserve the evening of Thursday, December 16, for our all-school Christmas concert. The concert will feature praises to our Savior being sung by all our students.

"GOD BLESS AMERICA"

O.C.S.'s Heart for Education Auction is approaching fast! Our theme this year is, "God Bless America." Donations are coming in daily. Check our website at www.oostburgchristian.com, and click on the word, "Auction." There is something for everyone – from gift certificates for everyday needs to vacation packages, to front row seats at O.C.S. school events. Start your Christmas shopping here. We hope to see you Saturday, November 6. Bring your friends.

YEARBOOK LUNCH

A junior high yearbook lunch will be held next Monday, Nov. 1. Hot dogs and/or noodle cups will be available for \$1.00 each.

OCTOBER OPPORTUNITY FOR GIVING

We've been blessed to be a blessing. Please bring your unneeded coats to school from October 8 to October 28. There will be a table in the entry hallway for your donations. Children's coats are especially needed, but coats of any size will be appreciated, as long as they are in good repair and clean. These coats will be given to Sheboygan County residents who otherwise would go without. Thanks for being a blessing. "The King will reply, 'I tell you the truth, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me.'" Matthew 25:40

The mission of Oostburg Christian School is to provide a distinctly Christian quality education which will equip God's children to function as Christians in society, church, and home.

GRANDPARENTS'/GRANDFRIENDS' DAY

Our annual Grandparents'/Grandfriends' Day event will be held on Wednesday, November 24. Invitations will be sent out in the next week. Students are invited to bring non-perishable food items that day for those less fortunate. Please see the flyer coming home with your child today regarding the 3rd Annual Food Drive in conjunction with Lakeland Chiropractic and The Healing Space.

TOUR OF HOMES

Oostburg Christian will be hosting a tour of homes this Christmas, to be held on December 8, 2010. The tour will run from 3:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. We already have some offers for homes, but if you would like to showcase your beautiful home decorated for the holidays, please call Joyce Eggebeen (564-2678) or e-mail at jeggebeen@wi.rr.com. We will be finalizing those in the next two weeks. Proceeds will go to our TAP fund.

DESSERTS

We still need desserts for the dessert auction. If you or someone you know can make us a lovely dessert (in a non-returnable pan/plate), we would be most appreciative. Decorated cakes, cupcakes, tortes, pies, etc. are all welcome. Please call Andrea DuMez (564-5102) or e-mail at andreadumez@yahoo.com. Desserts should be at school by 4:30 on Saturday, November 6.

SCRIP

- **SCRIP STORE IS OPEN**

Scrip is available every week day between 8:30 and 3:30. **It will also be available at the Speech and Spelling Contest to be held tomorrow night in our school.** If daytime hours don't work for you to pick it up, bring your checkbook along for this exciting Grade 5-8 event.

- **SCRIP WOULD LIKE YOU TO KNOW....**

that we carry Shear Imagination Scrip. Besides your hair care needs, they also offer tanning services. If your future includes a trip south this winter, be sure to take advantage of this opportunity.

- **AUCTION SCRIP NOW AVAILABLE**

When you are picking up your Scrip order, just add on a little extra for the Auction. This is a wonderful way to save TWICE: you help your Scrip account by buying ahead, and you get the full amount toward your purchases at the Auction!! Auction Scrip will be sold in the office until the Auction and on Preview Night before the auction. It comes in \$25 and \$100 denominations

HEART FOR EDUCATION AUCTION—NOVEMBER 6, 2010

"God Bless America"

Doors open at 4:00 p.m.

Buffet dinner served- 4:30-6:00 p.m.

Silent Auction starts to close 6:00 p.m.

Dessert Auction – 7:00 p.m.

Live Auction – 7:30 p.m.

PREVIEW NIGHT—Friday, November 5, 2010 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Snacks will be served and silent auction begins!

Scrip will be available as well!

DONATIONS

If you or someone you know is making a donation to the auction, please try to get it in this week! The auction is next week and we are ready to print the book. All items should be in—thanks so much!!

POSTCARDS

Please be sure that you pass out your postcards to family, friends, or neighbors who would enjoy our auction. We have over 130 items on the auction so far and many are still coming in. There will be wonderful food (\$10 pp at the door), music by 4 Praise, and fellowship galore!

CAN'T ATTEND THE AUCTION?

Here are some ways that you could support this important event:

- **Make a yummy dessert**—call Andrea DuMez—564-5102
- Purchase an extra Piggly Wiggly gift card when you buy your Scrip and donate it to the Auction for our groceries
- **Make a cash donation** to the Auction Committee (contact Joyce Eggebeen 564-2678)
- **Be a sponsor** for your business \$25, \$40 or \$80
- **Take your four postcards to your friends**, neighbors, and relatives who may enjoy the event and get \$5 off their purchases.
- **Make a donation to the auction**—it doesn't have to be an item to sell it can be a service that you provide—clean closets, bake for someone's family gathering—pies, cakes, bars, etc. Use your imagination!

ITEMS COMING IN

We've put many new items on display in the hallway—check it out when you stop in!

And keep checking our updated list at www.oostburgchristian.com, and click on Auction on the left side bar. Follow the link—see the total list!

Here are some highlights:

- A black lab puppy, male or female: buyer's choice, purebred with papers, great hunting dog!
- Kuiper's will donate their time share for a week, anywhere in the world!!
- Veldboom's will donate their Brewer's tickets, way down in front for the 2011 season with a parking pass.
- There will be some delicious homemade cookies—baker anonymous!
- WindMill has graciously donated all the pieces needed to get your garaged organized: Garage Organization kit
- Veldkamps have generously donated Four Adults Lifefest tickets
- Jim LeMahieu has made two gorgeous handmade pictures!
- Perk up your home with a Patriotic flower pot by the second grade!
- Hotel in Waupun for the Wisconsin Christian Schools BB tourney!
- A beautiful handmade baptismal gown!
- Picnic set with basket, dishes, and two quad chairs
- A picnic set with wheeled cooler, two lounge chairs and a small gas grill

And for those who like some new gizmos—they make great Christmas gifts too!

Garmin
Kindle
i-Pod Shuffle
Nintendo DSI

For the men:

Wet Dry Vac

Weed eater

Several framed sports figures: Bo Ryan, 2008 MVP Baseball, Aaron Rodgers, All time Packer greats, Ryan Braun.

Garage Organization kit

Other great Christmas ideas:

Child's pedal car

Razor Scooter

Youth Bowhunt with Jerry Pahl

Fishing trip to Pasha Lake

Weekend at Gabe's cottage or week at Dolfin's cottage!!

Waterpark passes and hotel night at the newest Stoney Creek in Grand Lodge in Wausau!

Stoeger Air Pellet Rifle

Our schools are involved again!

2 All Sports Season Passes for SCCHS

2 "Director's Choice" seats to the Spring Play @ SCCHS

"A Night with the Varsity Boys' Basketball" @ SCCHS

"A Night with the Varsity Boys' soccer" - fall 2011 @ SCCHS

"A Night with the Flying Dutchmen boys" @ OHS

"A Night with the Flying Dutchmen girls" @ OHS

And the hottest item each year is the VIP parking space—a whole year's worth of parking close to the school door!!

NEW UNITY GROUP "FUN"D RAISER

Stop by on Preview night and/or come to the auction to get in on this **NEW** "fun"d raiser and bid on your child or grandchild's Unity Group. Yep, that's right--the highest total bid for a Unity Group this year will be a **day off of school!**

Each bidder will have an opportunity to bid on a Unity Group. The group that raises the most will be allowed a school day away. This will include a trip together for a hayride, snacks, and lunch.

Now because this is a total bid, whatever amount you bid, you will need to pay if your Unity Group raises the most! For example, if four bidders each bid \$25, then the total for that group would be \$100 and all four bidders would pay if it was the highest total.

This sounds like a lot of fun—see you there!

Watch for full listing next week.

Or better yet, check out the website at www.oostburgchristian.com, click on Auction and follow the link!

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

***FREE VISION SCREENINGS**

Badger Optical, 2631 Calumet Drive in Sheboygan, is offering free vision screenings for all school-aged children. The screening is done at no cost and parents will be notified if a more thorough exam is necessary. Free screenings are available daily with a licensed Optometrist on site available for complete eye exams. Parents can call to schedule an apt. at anytime during our business hours:

Monday – Friday	9:00 AM – 7:00 PM
Saturday	9:00 AM – 3:00 PM
Sunday	11:00 AM – 1:00 PM

***VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

SCCHS is looking for several individuals who are willing to remove the canopy off of the former "Dips 'n Sips" restaurant and install it to the front of the Good As New. Steve and Sue Hendrikse and Dan Wynveen have graciously donated the canopy to the Good As New and now we just need someone to move it! If interested please call Jeri Flipse at 564-2398.

***MOPS VENDOR FAIR**

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING: Support a great cause and local businesses by shopping at the Oostburg MOPS (Mothers of Pre-Schoolers) Extravaganza vendor fair this Saturday, October 30 from 9am to 1 pm here at Oostburg Christian School; free admission, food for purchase, unique gifts of all sorts!

SHEBOYGAN/ ESSLINGEN ,GERMANY MIDDLE SCHOOL SUMMER EXCHANGE –INFORMATION MEETING
Eighth grade students and their parents interested in the summer exchange program between Sheboygan County and Esslingen ,Germany, are invited to an Information Meeting, 7 p.m., Monday, Nov. 8, in the OCS student Center. Mrs. Hancock who was chaperone of the program, this past summer, will present a PowerPoint program about the experience. Families of two OCS students who participated (Allison Kappers and Jessie Walvoort) will also be available. Applications for the program, including letters of recommendations, are due December 15.

*** SHEBOYGAN COUNTY CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL DINNER THEATER TICKET SALES**

The SCCHS Drama Department will present UNCLE PHIL'S DINER 2: BADGER HOMECOMING 1957 on November 18, 19, & 20 at 7:00 p.m. – doors open at 6:45 p.m. Limited seating is available with advanced tickets sales only – please include payment with reservation. All tickets are \$10.00/each. No

Student Activity or other passes will be accepted. Tickets are available in the high school office only until Friday, November 5. Call Christian High for more information at 458-9981.

CALENDAR

October 28	V-Ball @ StD O.C.S. Speech Festival
November 1	Jr. High Yearbook Lunch
November 3	Nacho Lunch
November 5	Kdgn. to Plymouth Angel Hugs End of 1 st Quarter
November 6	Auction Preview Night Heart for Education Auction