

ZCS Blue Note April 25, 2018

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Smart Tuition 2018-2019: Parents, if you have not received your Smart Tuition enrollment email or need it resent, please contact Mike Arendsen or Linda Keen in the Finance Office to confirm your email address. If you have questions, please contact Mike Arendsen, Director of Finance and Operations at 879-0312.

New Staff: We are thrilled to welcome Lisa Fredricks as the new Communication and Enrollment Assistant and Lois Gerritsma as the new Development Assistant.

Expand(ED): Does your child love basketball or wish they had a chance to learn more about it? Sign him/her up for basketball camp this summer! Sign up for this or other summer Expand(ED) programs here.

The Week Ahead

April 27: 7th and 8th Grade Band Trip

April 28: Totally FREE Car Wash: Saturday, April 28 from 9am-noon (rain or shine) in the parking lot by Dollar General and The Foundry. Yes, it is free! We will not take donations at the car wash. 7th grade students are collecting pledges for each car washed, so we need you to drive through! The pledges will be used to support Grace Community Christian School in the Philippines. Tell your neighbors!

May 4: FUN NIGHT is Friday, May 4. Food will be served from 5:30-7:00 PM and games will be from 5:15-8:00 PM. Tickets will be sold **Thursday, May 3 and Friday May 4 during lunch hours**. Come for a FUN NIGHT of food, games and prizes!

The Month Ahead

May 9: ½ Day (Tulip Time) PM Busing

May 10 & 11: FULL DAY OF SCHOOL NO PM Busing and NO Hot Lunch

May 15: 5th & 6th Grade Band and Choir Concert 7PM

May 19: ZCS Zip: Registration is open! https://www.webscorer.com/register?raceid=131941

May 29: 8th Grade class trip

Looking Forward

June 1: 8th Grade Banquet
June 4: Family Games

June 6: NO AM Busing for Middle School June 7: 6th and 7th Grade Class Trips

June 7: Last Day of School NO AM Middle School Busing. NO PM Elementary Busing

On-Going

New! 2018-2019 ZCS School Calendar

2017-218 Calendar

2017-2018 ZCS Parent Handbook: The ZCS Parent Handbook contains information such as school start times, cancellations and delays, calendar, dress code, hot lunch information, etc. It can be found on the ZCS Parents page.

Hot Lunch

School Delays/Cancellations: When Zeeland Public is delayed or canceled due to weather or other circumstances, Zeeland Christian is canceled as well. Delay/Cancellation information is available on most local tv and radio stations. You may also choose to receive text alerts via stations such as wzzm or woodtv. Sign up for alerts from ZPS at http://www.zps.org/z-for-me/

Infinite Campus: To access your student's grades parents must have a login to the Infinite Campus Parent Portal. If you do not have a login please complete the acceptable use policy, and return it to the ZCS office to receive your login credentials.

Attendance: Please report your child absent or tardy at attendance@zcs.org or 616-741-0051. Please list your student's name, teacher and the reason for absence.

ditto upscale resale: Spring is in the air and that means spring flowers, house cleaning, and garage sales. Please consider donating your used furniture, household items, and clothing to **ditto upscale resale** in support of our mission of reducing the costs of Christian Education for our families in the Zeeland and Holland area.

TRIP News

All orders must be placed online! www.shopwithscrip.com. Tuesday TRIP runs as usual on a snow day. If you pay by check and think there may be a snow day, drop off your check early. Instant TRIP is on Friday from 11-1PM in the Main Office. Summer TRIP dates: June 12, June 26, July 10, July 24, August 7 & 21. Online orders are due by 11:00 AM on TRIP dates. Order will be available for pick up on the next TRIP Tuesday. There will be TRIP on June 5 with orders available on June 12. Summer Instant TRIP Dates: June 12, June 26, July 10, July 24, August 7 & 21 9:00-10:30 AM.

ZCS \$hopper

- Silver Lake, Mears, MI Condo for sale by owner on beautiful Silver Lake. Two bedrooms, one bath, 550 sq. feet. Please call 616-886-8810or email ritadvv@gmail.com for more information.
- Royal Atrium Inn Assisted Living: Now hiring for a part-time nurse (LPN/RN) to work in our Care Office. Please call 772-2935 if interested.
- National Day of Prayer Gathering: May 3, 2018 at Noon on the steps of City Hall in Zeeland. 21 S. Elm
- Career Camp for Current 6th-9th Students: Check out the amazing summer <u>Career Camp</u> opportunities offered by the OAISD for our students! The registration link will open May 1st.
- Which team is better: Minnesota Vikings QB Kirk Cousins and the Holland Christian Alumni or the West Ottawa Alumni All-Stars, led by Tyler VanTubergen? Come on out to Holland Christian HS on Friday, May 18 as we look to settle the score at Game On 2018. Our community event kicks off at 4:30 as members of the Greater Holland Community with cognitive and/or physical impairments team up with football players and cheerleaders from WO and HC and their bands to participate in a modified football event called Victory Day. In addition to Game On and Victory Day, your ticket gets you a BBQ Dinner and access to yard games and other entertainment that runs from 5 to 6:30. Tickets for the entire event are only \$5 on or before May 11, \$7 after. Registration opens noon on Friday, April 27, and the first 100 online registrants will get an autograph opportunity with Kirk Cousins during the event. Register at https://hcs.ticketspice.com/game-on or buy tickets at the Holland Christian HS Main Office or Administrative Office.