



ZCS Blue Note January 16, 2019

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News

All School Showcase: Thursday, January 17. Preschool, Kindergarten, Elementary and Middle School. More info at www.zcs.org/showcase

Spelling Bee: Congratulations to 2019 Spelling Bee Winner- Sam Knot and Runner up Eviney VanderZwaag. Both spellers advance to the regional competition on February 12.

Enrollment News: We are excited to announce TWO major updates regarding our yearly re-enrollment process. #1: Enrollment will be almost entirely online! #2 Zeeland Christian School is moving to Continuous Enrollment!! This is the "Set it and Forget it" model of re-enrollment that seeks to simplify life for the majority of ZCS families who re-enroll every year. Once you sign a Continuous Enrollment Contract this year, you'll never have to go through the re-enrollment process again! Visit www.zcs.org/continuousenrollment to learn more.

Are you are a foster, adoptive, or kinship family who is interested in connecting with other ZCS foster, adoptive, or kinship families? Have you been considering adoption or foster care and want to gain more information from other families who have fostered or adopted children? Or, are you just wanting to grow closer, learn from, empower, laugh with, and support other families? Then ZCS School Mosaic Group is the group for you! We would love to get some more information about: your family, children, areas you would like more support, and what type of social gatherings you would like to participate in. To submit this information, please go to <https://goo.gl/forms/CKrDw5b1RG9MvZ682> and fill out our brief survey. Or, if you would like some more information on School Mosaic email Kara Koster and Jill Emmick at zcschoolmosaic@gmail.com

Busing Alert: NO AM Middle School Busing on January 16 & 17. NO PM Busing Elementary & Middle School on January 18

8th Grade Families: Join us at the HOLLAND CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL SHOWCASE 2019 – JANUARY 28. You and your soon-to-be high schooler are invited to explore Holland Christian High School on January 28 at 7 pm. Come meet our teachers, students, and learn more about this special place, where kids are discovering every day who God created them to be! No RSVP necessary. Any questions? Please contact Courtney Lampen at clampen@hollandchristian.org or (616) 820-2804.

Items for the Philippines: Over the next two weeks, we will be collecting Band-Aids, antibiotic cream, vitamins, and pain relievers (like Ibuprofen) for our friends in the Philippines. If you would like to donate any of these items, or other health/hygiene items, please place them on the tables in the front hallway of school by the end of the day on Wednesday, January 23rd. Thanks so much!

Looking Forward

January 16 & 17: NO AM Middle School Busing

January 17: [All School Showcase](http://www.zcs.org/showcase)

January 18: NO PM Busing Elementary and Middle School

January 21: NO School

January 31: Open Registration for Preschool

February 15-18: NO School *Winter Break*

March 7-9: 8th Grade Play

ZCS Google Calendar: Stay up to date by subscribing to the ZCS Google Calendar!

Caberfae SKI Day January 21. Always a great time with friends, a warm fire and a potluck lunch with our own part of the lodge. Jan 21 - \$15 for the lift ticket with complimentary ski rental and lesson. Snowboards are \$8 more and helmets are \$3. Feb 18 - \$18 for the lift ticket with complimentary ski rental and lesson. Snowboards are \$8 more and helmets are \$3. To purchase tickets please use [this link](#) and **drop off at the school office with payment by Friday, January 18th**. Contact Rebecca Grant with questions rebgrant@charter.net

On Going

Pig in a Blanket: Traditional and flaky Pig options are available for \$10 per dozen. Purchase your pigs in the office and pick up in the hallway freezer.

Yearbooks: There is still time to order a yearbook! Order online today!

Drop Off/Parking: Please be aware of the marked drop off spots in the front of the school during drop off and pick up. These spots are for drop off only. These are NO Parking zones. [LINK](#) to parking/drop off

Notice: [Asbestos Letter](#)

TRIP News

Macatawa Bank is no longer be distributing TRIP orders. TRIP may be sent home with a K-8th student (6th-8th grade pick up orders in the main office) or picked up in the main office on Tuesday from 10:30-4:00. If there is a snow day on Tuesday TRIP orders continue as usual, with pickup available the following day.

If you have a TRIP order to pick up you may come in on Friday between 11:00am -1:00pm as well as on Tuesday from 10:30-4:00.

Instant TRIP Fridays 11:00-1:00 in the main office. If the school is not in session/snow day on Friday, there is no Instant TRIP. If you are having TRIP sent home with an elementary student, please update your profile to show the classroom teacher of your child. <https://shop.shopwithscrip.com/Account/Profile>

ZCS Shopper

- **Spring Break Rental:** 3 Bedroom Condo for Rent in Orlando, Florida. March 29- April 5, 2019. \$1200.00. Call Al at 616-499-4228
- **For Sale by Owner:** 9228 Bluff Lake St. Zeeland. See Zillow for video, pictures, and contact info. Paved walkway across the street to Woodbridge Elementary where the bus takes kids to and from ZCS.
- **HAIR STYLIST:** Seeking an experienced hair stylist with a client base to rent-a-chair in a full service, trendy and charming salon in Zeeland (Drenthe area). If you or someone you know would be interested, we'd love to chat! Please contact Jeff @ (616) 212-8788 or vquestproperties@gmail.com.
- **[GVSU Girls STEM STEPS Camp:](#)** For girls ages 11-13 who are currently in sixth grade and entering seventh grade in the fall of 2019. Application: https://www.gvsu.edu/cms4/asset/84121ECC-B7E0-024B-C851F564B9DE7D47/70934_gvsu_steps_2019_003.pdf
Online Application: <https://www.gvsu.edu/steps/cms-form-edit.htm?formId=4AB7A18E-9A3B-E4B9-A111870F77FE87E2>
Application Deadline is March 15, 2019
- **Golf carts** for sale \$1700. Call Winding Creek Golf Course 616-396-4516
- **"Forever After"** Ridge Point Community Church Father/Daughter Dance February 9 6:30-8 PM or February 9 6:30-8PM \$25 per couple \$7 additional daughter. Laketown Conference Center, Saugatuck. RSVP: ridgepointff.org