



ZCS Blue Note January 30, 2019

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News

Board News: Join us in celebrating God's faithfulness and the generosity of our community shown in our year-end giving. The Board is encouraged by the quality and commitment of Board nominees that are interested in serving. Look for more information about the candidates as we prepare to approve new members prior to the ZCS Society meeting on March 14, 2019, at 7 pm. The Board reviewed the preliminary budget for the 2019-20 school year. Upon approval in February, the budget will be voted on by society in March. We continue to hear updates on the Nature-Rich Initiative. It is exciting to explore how getting students (of all ages!) outside, can enhance learning, worship, and play.

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.

Ski Club plans on going to Bittersweet this Friday (February 1). Please have your student sign the bus list outside Mr. Fischer's office. Round trip bus cost is \$3. Bus leaves at 3pm outside the middle school doors. Bus arrives back home at approximately 9:15pm.

8th Grade Families: Join us at the HOLLAND CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL SHOWCASE 2019. You and your soon-to-be high schooler are invited to explore Holland Christian High School on February 4 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. If you are unable to attend on the 4th please contact please contact Courtney Lampen at clampen@hollandchristian.org or (616) 820-2804.

ZCS School Mosaic Kick-Off Valentine's Day Party will be held Tuesday, February 12, from 6-8 in the ZCS gym. Please join us for pizza, games, crafts, and a chance to get to know other ZCS families who have children who are adopted, fostered, or part of kinship family. Please RSVP by February 10. You can RSVP by clicking [here](#)! If you have any questions please email us at zcschoolmosaic@gmail.com

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/>

Interactive Lunch Menu: Use the interactive lunch menu site to keep up to date on hot lunch changes.
http://cdn.myschoolmenus.com/instance/2039289/district/21.html?school_id=45&menu_id=8819

Looking Forward

January 31: [Open Registration for Preschool](#). No password is needed after 7pm

February 1: NO PM Busing

February 13: All School Chapel 9am

February 15-18: NO School *Winter Break*

March 7-9: 8th Grade Play

March 23: [Basket Breakers 3 on 3 Tournament](#). Registration will open soon!

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

Caberfae SKI Day February 18. Always a great time with friends, a warm fire and a potluck lunch with our own part of the lodge. Feb 18 - \$18 for the lift ticket with complimentary ski rental and lesson. Snowboards are \$8 more and helmets are \$3. Form needed for sign up will be posted in early February. Contact Rebecca Grant with questions rebgrant@charter.net

On Going

Pig in a Blanket: FRESHLY MADE! 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

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 sleeps 8-10. Orlando area, Disney and shopping nearby. March 29-April 5. \$900.00. Call AI at 616-291-4435.
- [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