



ZCS Blue Note March 27, 2019

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News

The ZCS Office will be **closed** over break(March 29-April 5). The doors will be locked and the phones will be off. We look forward to seeing you all again on Monday, April 8!

Lost and Found items have been placed on tables in the main hallway. Please come check to see if your student has lost items over the winter! All remaining items will be donated on April 12.

ZCS Bell: Extra copies of the ZCS Bell are available in the school office. If you would like to pick up a qty of the Bell for your place of business we are happy to provide those as well.

ZCS Employment Opportunities: We are excited to have more people join our school staff next year. We have a variety of openings for assistants next year in preschool, support services, and extended care. Positions can be as small as two half days a week or almost full time, sometimes with a combination of hours across programs. The pay is hourly, and positions follow the school year schedule. A background in education or another child-related field is desired, but it is not required. If you, or anyone you know, is interested, please send a resume to zcsinfo@zcs.org.

2019-2020 One Page Tuition Statements(OPTS) have been mailed. Please return your signed OPTS either via paper in the office or as an attachment when completing the [continuous enrollment opt-in form](#). **All forms need to be completed by Friday, March 29, 2019.**

The application window for [TUITION ASSISTANCE](#) for the 2019-2020 school year is now open. Go the ZCS homepage, click on ENROLLMENT, scroll down to FINANCIAL AID, and click on [TUITION ASSISTANCE](#). You will be directed to the FACTS website where you can sign in if you are a returning applicant or register if you are new to the system. You may apply through Monday, April 22. Questions? Contact Mike Arendsen, Director of Finance and Operations at marendsen@zcs.org or 879-0312.

Expand(ED): Registration for this summer's Expand(ED) programs is now available. You can find out what is being offered and register on this [website](#). Camps being offered this summer include: Destination Imagination, Mandarin, Spanish, art, fairy gardens, theater, coding, basketball, soccer, volleyball, golf, tutoring, math, and leveled-library check out.

Help support reading in our community! Please donate any gently used or new children's books, for babies to children age eight, to Give a Book a Home (GABAH), a project of Ottawa County's Great Start Parent Coalition. Bins for book collection will be near the preschool entrance and front office through March 28. GABAH places books at community agencies supporting our most at-risk children and families in Ottawa County. Thank you!

Joel Tanis' book *Lulu and the Long Walk* is available in the office for purchase for \$20. Book purchases benefit the Blood:Water Mission in Africa. Stop by and take a peek at this beautiful book.

Middle School Physicals: All middle school students who will be participating in Middle School Sports during the 2019-2020 school year must have an updated sports physical. Physicals **must be dated after April 15, 2019**. Form:

https://www.zcs.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/08/PPE_form_-_HC-ZC_MS_-_pdf.pdf

ZCS Physicals will be offered at City on a Hill \$10 on April 20: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0b4caeea22a64-zcssports>
Holland Christian will also be offering \$15 sports physicals on April 17

Auction: It is time for the Chicken & Pig Roast at Auction 2019! Join us on April 12 for dinner before the bidding begins. All proceeds from this dinner will benefit ZCS! Dinner will be served from 5:00 – 7:00 pm. Take-out dinners are available also.

Yamaha Golf Carts: Buy A Line(s) for a chance to win one of two Yamaha Golf Carts! The TWO winning lines will be randomly selected during the ZCS LIVE Auction on Friday, April 12, 2019. You DO NOT need to be present to win. The maximum number of lines that will be sold is 750. Good luck! Buy your lines [HERE](#)

Kindergarten, First and Second Grade Families: The ZCS Auction Food Committee is asking for your help by donating to the Auction 2019 dinner. Please use the Sign-Up Genius that was emailed to you. Please be sure to complete the form by Tuesday, March 26. Your generosity is appreciated! (If you did not receive the Sign-up Genius or need it re-sent, please contact Krissy DeKruyter at dekruyter@sbcglobal.net)

SAILING SEASON is almost here! 7th and 8th graders are invited to participate on the HCHS sailing team! The spring season is April 2, 2019 - May 30, 2019. No previous sailing or racing experience necessary! Practices are Tuesdays, Wednesdays,

Thursdays 3:30 - 6:30. (Feel free to begin the season after ZCS's spring break if you will be out of town.) Come get the boats ready for the season on March 28 from 3:30 - 6:30 at Macatawa Bay Yacht Club. Parent and sailor meeting to follow at 6:30. If you have any questions, please contact Coach Nick Hovland at nick@mbja.org or ZCS mom Carrie Traver at cktraver@gmail.com More information can be found at mbja.org

Yarn: The ART Department is in need of yarn in many colors! Please drop off near the Art Room.

Save the date! Get ready for some fun! The 8th grade class will be hosting fun night this year on May 3. Once again we will be having dinner, games, and prizes! More information coming soon!

Looking Forward

March 29-April 5: Spring Break

April 12: ZCS Auction

April 18: SHC Information Meeting *Prospective Families*

April 20: [Middle School Sports Physicals at City on a Hill \(\\$10\)](#)

April 19: NO PM Busing *Hot Lunch will be served*

April 22: Spring Parade of Bands

May 3: Fun Night

May 8: ½ Day *Tulip Time* Busing available AM and PM

May 9: NO PM Busing *Hot Lunch will be served*

May 10: NO PM Busing *Hot Lunch will be served*

May 18: ZCS Zip

May 20: Middle School Spring Choral Concert

[ZCS Google Calendar:](#) Stay up to date by subscribing to the ZCS Google Calendar!

2019-2020 Calendar

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

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

Electronic Guest/Parent sign in and out is now up and running in the front office. All parents and guests need to go through a one-time registration process to be recognized in the sign in system. Please allow a few extra minutes to register when you come to school next. We are excited for all our parents and guest to use this new system!

TRIP News

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

Quality car wash certificates are now \$7

TRIP has added OK Tire. It is available in \$5 increments, but you will get one certificate for the entire amount. The rebate is 5%.

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>

NO Instant TRIP on March 29 or April 5.

Summer TRIP

The Summer TRIP dates are June 11 & 25, July 9 & 23 and August 6 & 20.

All online orders are due by 11:00 on the above dates.

They will be available on the next TRIP Tuesday.

(Remember if you pay with PrestoPay that the money is deducted from your account the day you place your order)

There will be TRIP on June 4 with orders available on June 11.

Instant TRIP during the summer will be available on the above **Tuesdays** in the TRIP office from **9:00-10:30**.

Regular weekly TRIP will resume September 3, and Instant TRIP will move back to Friday on September 6.

ZCS Shopper

- Kirk Cousins Middle School Football Camp: Kirk is excited to be running his middle school camp again this summer! Kirk has designed his camp to be about building character and having fun while enjoying the game of football. The camp will be held at Hope College on June 28 & 29. Kirk and his dad will also be speaking at a dad's/guardian lunch on June 29. You can register at kirkcousins.org.
- Join Living Threads on a day trip to Shipshewana on Monday, May 6. Cardinal Coach leaves City On A Hill at 7:30 am and returns at 7:30 pm. Cost is \$80 (includes 2 meals). Contact: barb@livingthreadsministry.org (or call 748-6515) to register.
- Beaverdam CRC would like to invite you to our GEMS skating party on Tuesday, April 9 at Tarry Hall in Grandville. 6:30-8:30 PM. Admission is \$5.00 and skate rental in \$2.00. We would love to see you there!
- **CHOIR CAMP** is open for **REGISTRATION!** June 10-14 9:00am–12:00pm Messiah's Independent Reformed Church 4528 48th St. Holland 49423 This is a fantastic, fun, free, opportunity for kids having *completed* 1st-8th grades in the 2018-19 school year to learn choral skills as they sing scripture based songs to our Lord. Each morning consists of group singing sessions, exciting theme-related scripture talks and object lessons during chapel time, Bible memory, appropriate grade level practical classroom instruction, recreational activities, refreshments, and other surprises which all culminate in a program on Friday night for family and friends. Further details and registration at www.messiahs-irc.org Questions? Email choircampinquiries@gmail.com
- **JOB POSTING: West Coast Eyecare** 855 Washington Ave Holland MI 49423 P: 616-395-2020
F: 616-396-8628 Contact name: Dr. Kate Mulder DeJonge email drm Mulder@wcec.pro
Front desk/Receptionist: Part-time 20-35 hours/week 2-4 days. Duties include greeting patients, answer telephone calls, making appointments, check in/out patients, insurance authorizations, filing, maintain charts, miscellaneous light clerical and administrative duties.
Optical Sales: 20-35 hours/week 2-4 days. Duties include sales and styling of glasses frames and lenses, adjusting and repairing glasses as needed, greeting customers, processing sales transactions and vision insurance benefits, miscellaneous light clerical and administrative duties.