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**Upcoming Calendar Dates**

**2020-2021 Calendar: Find the 2020-2021 calendar** [**HERE**](https://www.zcs.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/08/2020-2021-ZCS-Calendar-Grid-Public-Revised-8_28_20.pdf)

February 23: ½ Day of School NO PM Busing

February 25: NO PM Elementary Busing

February 26: NO PM Elementary Busing. NO MS Busing

March 27**:** 3-on-3 Canceled

April 16: Auction rescheduled

May 15**:** ZCS Zip 5K - Happening!

May 21**:** Auction - Virtual format similar to last year, no food, no kids program

**News**

**Board Nominations:** Typically around this time of year, we ask our society for Board member nominations. This year, there are no board member terms ending. Our school board can always be reached at schoolboard@zcs.org.

**SKI CLUB** will be going to Bittersweet this Friday!

**TRIP: ThankScriping Day!** Check out the RaiseRight app or shopwithscrip.com to see over 60+ bonuses on February 18 and 19 only!

**Girls Soccer Coach Needed:** We are looking for a 7-8th grade girls soccer coach for the spring season (March 29 - May 17). It is recommended that this person has High School playing and enjoys being around middle schoolers. Practices can start as early as 2:30pm but can be flexible based on the coaches availability. Contact Joel Nagelkirk jnagelkirk@zcs.org for more information.

**URGENT NEED in the Philippines:** As we prepare to celebrate 100 days of in-person learning, our sister-school in the Philippines is in desperate need of financial help. *For only $40/mo. a child in the Philippines can receive a Christian education for an entire year.* If you are interested in a full sponsorship or a partial sponsorship, please contact Maria Klompmaker (mklompmaker@zcs.org) or give at [www.zcs.org/give](http://www.zcs.org/give).

**SAILING SEASON** is almost here! 7th and 8th graders are invited to participate on the HCHS sailing team! The spring season is April 6, 2021 - May 27, 2021. No previous sailing or racing experience necessary! Practices are Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays 3:30 - 6:30. (Feel free to begin the season after HC's spring break if you will be out of town.) If you have any questions, please contact Coach Nick Hovland at nick@mbja.org or HC mom Carrie Traver at cktraver@gmail.com More information and registration can be found at [mbja.org](http://mbja.org/) under Scholastic Sailing.

**Don’t miss out on the 2020-2021 Yearbook! If you need to order a yearbook please use this link:** [**www.geskusphoto.com/?YB=766**](http://www.geskusphoto.com/?YB=766)

**Commercial Washing Machine Needed:** ZCS is in need of a commercial washing machine to replace our current machine. Do you have one you would be willing to donate? Contact Bryce Huffman for more information bhuffman@zcs.org

**School Delays/Cancellations**

* Zeeland Christian operates on the same schedule as Zeeland Public Schools when there are **weather** delays and cancellations. [**Subscribe to Z for Me**](https://www.zps.org/parents/z-for-me/) to receive email alerts from ZPS regarding school closings.
* Delays:
	+ When school is delayed for two hours, it means that all buses will run two hours later than scheduled. School start times will be exactly two hours later as well.
	+ ***Hot lunch*** will be provided as scheduled on delay days.
	+ ***Morning Preschool*** *-* No School on delay days.
	+ ***Morning Young Fives*** - No School on delay days.
	+ ***Morning Only Kindergarten*** - No School on delay days.
	+ ***Before School Care*** is available on delay days for students who were already scheduled for that morning. (Before School Care is not available for students not on the schedule for that morning.)

**Art Room Needs** "Margarine-like" plastic tubs, Pizza cardboard circles, and cardboard egg cartons. Recycle with us! Drop off your donations in the school office or have your student deliver them to the art room. Thanks!

**Attendance:** Whenever your student is going to be absent or late to school, please notify the school office. To notify the office, you may email attendance@zcs.org or leave a message on the attendance line **616-741-0051**. When reporting your absence, please list your student’s name, grade, the reason for absence, and teacher.

**We would love to add more potential subs to our list for English, Spanish, and Mandarin!**

* Subs are able to choose which jobs they accept, which grade levels they are interested in, etc.
* We are looking for adults who love God, love kids, love learning, and have completed at least 90 college credit hours.
* Time commitment is roughly 7:15-2:45 for middle school and roughly 8:15-3:45 for elementary.
* Pre-tax payment is $106.50 for a full day
* To ask questions or move forward with being added to the list, contact Maria Klompmaker (mklompmaker@zcs.org) to fill out an application and get details about fingerprinting.

**ZCS Apparel: New winter items have been added!** <https://stores.goodink.com/zcs/shop/home>

**Parent Points:** If you need to sign up for a new parent points assignment, please sign up [HERE](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508084aaba72a1-parent7)

**February Hot Lunch Menu**: [**HERE**](https://www.zcs.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/01/ZCSFebruaryHotLunch.pdf)

**Thursday Moms In Prayer** meeting is over Zoom at 9 AM. Text or email Erica Boerman for link details: 202-313-5123 or boerman.erica@gmail.com

**TRIP**

* All online orders are due by 11:00 on Tuesdays
* Instant Trip is 11 AM - 1PM each Friday when school is in session.
* Check out the new app! www.RaiseRight.com
* If parents of Y-5s-5th grade want their children to take home their TRIP they need to update their profiles on [shopwithscrip.com](http://shopwithscrip.com/) to put in the new teacher's name for this year. Middle schoolers may pick up TRIP for their parents in the front office.
* Ship to Home: RaiseRight App exclusive: Families can get gift cards from 250+ brands delivered right to their homes or delivered right to friends and family as holiday gifts. It’s convenient and contactless. Families must pay with a bank account or credit card. A small shipping fee applies
* Culvers is **NEW** to Instant TRIP!

**ZCS Shopper**

* Job Posting: West Coast Eyecare 855 Washington Ave Holland MI 49423P: 616-395-2020 F: 616-396-8628 Contact Name: Dr Kate Mulder DeJonge email drmulder@wcec.pro
	+ Front Desk/Receptionist/Optometric Technician
	+ Part time 20-32 hours/week 2-4 days
	+ Front Desk/Receptionist duties include greeting patients, answer telephone calls, making appointments, check in/out patient, insurance authorizations, filing, maintain charts, miscellaneous light clerical and administration duties.
	+ Technician Duties include pretesting of patients, ready exam rooms, clean ocular equipment, contact lens training classes, contact lens ordering, prepare exam schedules, assist in repairing and adjusting eyeglasses.
* Vacation Rental: 6 bed/5 bath vacation home for rent near Orlando. Sleeps 14. Backyard pool/spa. Located in a gated resort with a large pool, slide, lazy river, tennis, playground. Email kateklamer@gmail.com, or call 616-772-3182.
* TRY HOCKEY FOR FREE - This Saturday, Feb. 20, 10:00 am at Griffs West (Holland). Totally free, no-obligation, FUN! Visit [westmichiganicedogs.org](http://westmichiganicedogs.org/) or contact Ben Kapenga.