

Orcas Christian School

K-8 News * October 2, 2009



"Anyone who belongs to Christ has become a new person. The old life is gone; a new life has begun!" 2 Corinthians 5:17

HOT LUNCH

10/7

Baked Potato
Bar, Chili
Salad, Fruit
Drink



Happy Birthday To
You....!!

October Birthdays

Darek Slavens 10/5

Alicia Susol 10/14

Roo Smith 10/15

Satine Tyree 10/19

Elliot Claus 10/29

LOST:

A student is missing a sleeping bag after our Cascade Lake campout. Would you please check the sleeping bag that you picked up from school and make sure that you took your sleeping bag. If you happen to discover it, please turn it into the school office. Thanks for checking on this.

ITBS TESTING

Next week, October 5-9, we will be doing a majority of the ITBS (Iowa Test of Basic Skills) testing in grades 3-12. Give your student a boost by providing early bedtimes and *healthy food. Unless emergencies or illnesses occur, please make sure students come to school. When they miss the regular testing times, they need to make up the missed test(s). That means missing other classes and falling behind or coming in on a Sunday.

FREE BREAKFAST WEEK

*OCS will provide a warm breakfast each morning next week to ensure a great start to the student's day! Breakfast will be served at 8:00am each morning.

P.I.E. Hour Opportunities

Here are some great ways to earn your pie hours this month:

- Help with set-up, cooking, or clean-up during ITBS Breakfasts.
- Help sort clothing for the Fall Clothing Bank.

Please call 4595, Dawn Parnell for more information on each of these great opportunities.

ISLAND BOAT TRIP

We're on the look out for the next sunny, calm seas school day for our trip out to Patos Island. It looks promising for a day next week. Stay tuned for which day. We will send a note or call each family to make sure that you know when it is happening. Make sure that you send along a hearty lunch for the day, a water bottle, and warm clothes.

FALL CLOTHING BANK AND GARAGE SALE

It is that time of the year again to clean out our closets! Starting the week of Oct. 19, we will be taking clothing and household items that you wish to donate to the Annual OCS Fall Clothing Bank. Donations can be brought to the OCS Gym during school hours that week to be sorted. If you would like to bring something for the Mission Trip Fundraiser Garage Sale, that will be held the following week in the gymnasium. We will be selling any items that were not picked up at the Clothing Bank and any other items that you would like to donate. The funds raised will help defray the cost of the Mission Trip to Costa Rica happening this Spring. If you have any questions about either of these events, please call the office at 376-6683.

SCHOOL CALENDARS

We have a supply of school calendars for the 2009 - 2010 school year. If you have not picked your copy up, please get one from Sandi Harris or Anna Vedder in the high school office.