

# BLESSING BLAST

"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." Phil. 4:13

March 8, 2019

#### This Week:

-MAPS Testing

Feb. 25th-Mar. 22nd

**Board Meeting** 

-Mar 11th

**Book Fair** 

-Mar 11th-15th

Grandparents Day

-Mar 15th

Fellowship Desert/ Society Meeting

-Mar 14 6-8:00 p.m.

JH Bowling Event

-Mar 16th 6-8 p.m.

# Coming Up:

Parent Teacher Conferences

-Mar 22nd @ 8 a.m.-6 p.m.

SPRING BREAK

-Mar 25th-29th

"This is an amazing school and we're so excited to enroll our children as soon as possible. Where do we sign up?"

This was just one of several similar comments heard last evening as we opened our campus to the first ever NCCS Open House. Roughly twenty new families showed up from all over the tri-city area to take a tour of our campus, visit with students and teachers, and make inquiries at one of several information booths. It was standing room only in the library as parents listened to Mr. Tutty and Mr. Rice give a short presentation of our school history and all we have to offer. Overall, it was an outstanding success, and one that will hopefully bring new families to our wonderful NCCS community next fall.

A special thanks goes out to all of the wonderful high school students and parents who cleaned up around campus Wednesday and Thursday afternoon, ran the information booths in the gym, and conducted tours that evening. Our students, especially, won the hearts and minds of those who were looking to enroll their children next fall.

### Fellowship Desert/Society Meeting – March 14th

Due to inclement weather, the Fellowship Desert/Society Meeting has been rescheduled for Thursday, March 14<sup>th</sup> @ 6:00 p.m. A delicious desert will begin in the gymnasium, followed by a brief, but important Society meeting, which will include new information on tuition, re-enrollment, and what's current and new for next year at NCCS. All NCCS parents are encouraged to attend.

The annual Spring Book Fair will also be taking place at the same time in our new library. Parents are encouraged to stop by after the Society meeting and look over the many new children's books available for purchase from Scholastic.

### Grandparent's Day

You are invited to attend this year's Grandparent's Day happening on Friday, March 15th from 12:15-2:30 p.m. Please join us for an afternoon of fun with your grandchild! There will be a music program, followed by projects in classrooms and fun activities and refreshments in the gym. If you have a grandparent or special person in your life who you'd like to attend, please extend the invitation!

## Library Closed After School – March 11-15

Due to the Book Fair being set up in the library during the week of March 11<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup>, the library will be closed to all students after school. Thank you for your flexibility and for making different arrangements ahead of time!

#### Financial Aid 2019-20

Those returning families interested in applying for Financial Aid for the 2019-20 school year, may do so in conjunction with the Re-enrollment process. Once you have completed re-enrollment for your child(ren), and a payment plan is in place, you may apply for financial aid if you wish through FACTS. The application process is open to all returning families from 2/25/19 through 4/19/19. Then all awards decisions will be made and communicated back to families by 5/1/19. If you have any questions or need assistance with the process, please reach out to our Business Manager, Emily Clark.

### NCCS Students Shine at Regional Skills Competition

Congratulations to the following NCCS students who placed in the 2019 Clackamas Regional Skills Competition at Clackamas Community College recently. They competed against students from 30 high schools in 10 subject areas and placed in 8 of them. All NCCS place winners will receive tuition waivers for any term at CCC.

Computer Science - Cryptography

1st Place: Marissa VanSickle 2nd Place: Luke VanSickle

**Education** 

1st Place: Esmaya Hendrickson

<u>Journalism – Photography</u> 1<sup>st</sup> Place: **Tyler Burch** 

Journalism – Writing

1st Place: **Henry Waxenfelter** 

3rd Place: **Kira Burch** 

Music – Solo Performance

3rd Place: Ethan Banister

<u>Theatre – Monologue</u>

1st Place: **Megan Hankland** 

World Languages – Spanish Level 1

1st Place: **Megan Hankland** 

World Languages – Spanish Level 3

1st Place: Marissa VanSickle





#### **Auction Tickets On Sale**

Families can now purchase tickets for the annual Spring Auction, which will take place at NCCS on Saturday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Tickets are \$30 each, with a \$5 ticket discount if purchased before March 22<sup>nd</sup>. Purchase a table of 10 for \$250 or become a Sponsor.

#### The DINO-MITE Book Fair is NEXT WEEK!!!

Our Scholastic Book Fair is a fun reading event that brings the books kids want to read right into the school. It's a wonderful selection of engaging and affordable books for every reading level. So, make plans to visit our Book Fair and be involved in shaping your child's reading habits.

Book Fair dates: Monday, March 11 - Friday,

March 15, 2019

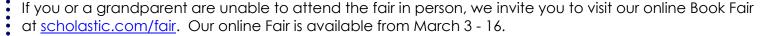
Shopping hours: Open Monday from 2:00 to 4:00, Tuesday - Friday from 8:00 to 4:00

Special activities:

DINO-MITE Parent Day is March 13 from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm



Come enjoy shopping at the Book Fair before or after this event!





We look forward to seeing you and your family at our Book Fair! Remember, all purchases benefit our school.

