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EAGLE'S VIEW WEEKLY

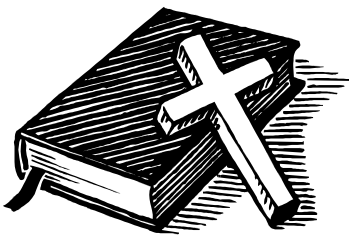
The *Eagle's View Weekly* is your primary means of receiving important information and forms for school activities and events and is issued each Thursday during the school year. You may request a copy be sent home each Thursday, pick up a copy at any school office, or visit www.ecaeagles.org/information/eaglesview to view each week's issue.

Look for your *Eagle's View Weekly* each week and help us to help you be informed!

Grace and peace to you from God our Father and from the Lord Jesus Christ. Romans 1:7

Next week's *Eagle's View Weekly* will be the last issue for this school year.

All families enrolled for the 2009-10 school year will receive a summer packet in July with forms, information, the *Eagle's View Weekly Summer Edition* (Secondary family only), and supply lists.



"If the Lord wills. . ."

In May of my senior year in high school, just days before graduation, a fatal accident occurred on our campus. Our school had a land-laboratory where students could examine growth in a natural Ohio forest. Students were in the "lab" on their hands and knees looking closely at small plants and moss when a dead branch fell from a tree striking Kent, a very well-liked fellow student who died instantly, just days before graduation.

For the past few months, our Board and staff have been planning feverishly for the next school year. Many questions have been dancing in our heads, like: How many students will we have? How many teachers will we need? How much money can we spend? As I have been considering one final message to encourage enrollment for next year, I was prompted by the Spirit to consider a passage in James 4:13: "Today or tomorrow, we shall go to such and such a city, and spend a year there and engage in business and make a profit." James goes on to remind us that "you don't know what your life will be like tomorrow." It was then that I was reminded of Kent.

While James warns us about this improper mindset, he goes on to give us direction – direction that we would be well advised to take: "Instead, you ought to say, 'if the Lord wills, we shall live and also do this or that.'"

We can all take comfort that God already knows who will attend ECA next year! Yet, there are some parents and students who are searching for the right school for their family. In a great number of cases ECA is that "right" school. While God knows who He will draw to the school, what remains unknown is how He might use you and me along the way. I pray that He will prepare each of us to recognize the opportunities to "grow the kingdom" that dovetail with the mission of ECA.

May God protect and bless you and your entire family as you complete this school year and enjoy the summer. As you encounter people during these upcoming months, ask yourself if it is the Lord's will for them to come and "do this or that" with us at ECA next year. If God wants them to be with us, His will cannot be stopped.

Praying God's blessings on our school,

Jim Johnson, Superintendent

Evangelical Christian Academy Mission Statement

The mission of Evangelical Christian Academy is to assist families in providing a Christ-centered education of high academic quality so that the students may be prepared to take an active, vital place in the home, the church, the state, and in their future vocations by applying Christian principles in a Biblical manner that is glorifying to God.

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It is good to praise the Lord and make music to Your name, O Most High..." Psalm 92:1


The ECA Praise Band ministers at Secondary Chapel each week with music and leading the praise singing. The Praise Band members, **Austin Crews**, leader; **Tyler Cuchiara**; **Carson Day**; **Justin Dearman**; **Andrew Edwards**; **Chris Kennedy**; **Genessa Moodie**; **Brian Watts** and Mrs. Devon Cuchiara, Sponsor, meet on Sunday afternoons at the Crews's home for practice and each Wednesday at 7:30am with Mrs. Lori Wolfe, Sponsor, to prepare for that day's Chapel. **Robbie Hart** prepares the visuals for Chapel; and **Tim Klopfenstein**, **Rob Kirkpatrick**, and **Simeon Kaan** run the soundboard. *Thank You* all for serving the Lord and everyone at the Secondary campus in this way!



ECA students and alumni are involved in a wide variety of community, service, and extracurricular activities. Please take a moment to send in information you have regarding our students' noteworthy activities, and we will gladly pass on the good news! Please call the Secondary office, 597-3675, or e-mail miverts@ecaeagles.org.

...let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven. Mt. 5:16

The **Evangelical Christian Academy Annual Report** will be published in July for distribution to our families and supporters. The Board and staff will write the reports and prepare the financial statements; however, we are looking for a volunteer to assemble the material and then design and prepare the report for printing and electronic distribution. If you have talent in this area and would consider helping us, please contact Mr. E.J. Nusbaum at 597-5100 or ej@ejnusbaum.com.



Secondary Combined Spring Concert
Thursday, May 21 - 7:00pm
Village Seven Presbyterian Church

Let us come before Him with thanksgiving
and extol Him with music and song. Psalm 95:2

Leonard ECA Foundation

Please see today's flyer on this year's Ezekiel Awards and important information on upcoming LECAF events.

There are international students who wish to attend ECA but need a host family!

Host families receive a generous room-and-board stipend, and the students pay for tuition and incidentals. The students go home for summer (host families commit to 10 months) and often Christmas. For complete information and a host-family application, contact Mrs. Sandy Graham at 531-6464 or skerpy@msn.com.

Groceries! Sporting Goods! Restaurants! Gas!

ECA Scrip is fundraising while you shop!!

Did you know that ECA families earned over \$7,000 toward their tuition?!? Every time you order, you earn 67% of the profits!

Order now at www.shopwithscrip.com!

Secondary Book Check Day:

The textbook check for all students at the Secondary campus is **tomorrow, Friday, May 15**. Teachers will inspect their students' books and give notice of any lost/damage fees due. The fees are to be paid to Mrs. Iverts in the school office prior to final exams.

Secondary Check-out Forms:

Secondary students received their check-out forms today, May 14. The completed form must be turned in before leaving for the summer, and students are encouraged to begin the process early and avoid last-minute rushes. All fees and fines must be paid before report cards and records will be released.

Secondary Book Return:

Books are to be turned in each exam morning for that day's exams **from 7:50-8:10am in Room 115**. Due to the large number of books being returned, students are urged to arrive early in order to complete the process.

Secondary Final Exams:

Final Exams are **Tuesday-Thursday, May 26-28, from 8:15-11:30am**, with **book turn-in from 7:50-8:10am**. Exam Make-ups/Overlaps are **Friday morning, May 29, by pre-arrangement with the teacher(s)**. Daily testing schedules and information were sent home May 7 and are also available in the office.

Tuesday, May 19, 1:00pm

Tuesday, May 26

Wednesday, May 27, 8:45am

Friday, May 29, 7:00pm

Tuesday, June 9

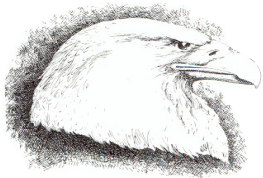
High School/Junior High Awards Assembly - Village Seven Presbyterian Church sanctuary

Elementary Specials Assembly at 8:45am - Elementary Chapel

Elementary Awards Assembly

Elementary 4th Quarter Report Cards sent home with standardized testing results

Secondary 4th Quarter Report Cards sent home with standardized testing results



EAGLE'S SPORTS REPORT

Tri-Peaks Soccer!

The Lady Eagles had an amazing season - key wins over Buena Vista, Lutheran Parker, Fountain Valley, and Ridgway and advancing to the "Sweet 16" in the State Tournament highlighted a breakthrough 11-4-1 season. **Elise Mann** and **Heidi Mann** each had close to a 20-goal season. **Elise** controlled midfield, and **Heidi** was named Athlete of the Week by the *Gazette*. **Evelyn Spees** had a balanced attack with 10 goals/10 assists. The defense was stingy, anchored by starters **Shauna Dekker**, **Nikki Sotelo**, **Claire Rice**, **Kim Schipper**, and **Alyssa Edwards**. In goal, **Hannah Goos** and **Kim Schipper** each averaged only 2 goals-allowed/game. Our reserves all played key roles, with several earning starting time, and all 19 *Varsity* players earned letters. *JV* had an impressive 6-2-2 record, including wins over Fountain Valley and CSCS, a tie with Sand Creek, and a 1-2 loss to 5A-powerhouse Air Academy "C" team. The Lady Eagles are a wonderful group of ladies representing ECA, their families, and the Lord. **Thanks** to Coach Kevin Goos, Assistants Vic Brown and Melissa Keown, and to all the families, friends, and fans for your support!

BFL Track & Field!

Results from the Black Forest League Meet at Elbert HS on May 4 will be published as soon as they are available.

Next: Saturday, May 9 - Regional Track Meet at Limon High School at 8:00am.

Thursday-Saturday, May 14-16 - State Track Meet at Jefferson County Stadium.

Junior High & Elementary Track!

Our 5th through 8th grade Eagles participated in the CSAL Track Meet on May 11 at Grace Center:

GIRLS: *100m Dash*, **Jessica Mahan**, 2nd Place (15.13), 5th Grade. *200m Dash*, **Sarah Kohl** - 4th Place (32.6), 7th/8th Division. *800m Run*, **Sarah Warren** - 1st Place (3:29), 5th Grade; *1600m Run*, **Fritz Boyle** - 2nd Place (8:21), 5th Grade. *High Jump*, **Annie Bonner** 2nd (3-9), **Katie Boyle** 3rd (3-7), **Kayla Gaines** 4th Place (3-5), 7th/8th Division. *Long Jump*, **Jessica** - 1st Place (11-4). *Shot Put*, **Fritz** - 4th Place (17-3). *4x100m Relay* - 4th Place (1:13), 5th/6th Division; 2nd Place (1:05.47), 7th/8th Division. *4x200m Relay*, 2nd Place (2:40), 5th/6th Division; 2nd Place (2:17), 7th/8th Division. *Medley*, 1st Place (2:42.22), 5th/6th Division.

BOYS: *100m Dash*, **Ben Breier**, **Nathan Osborne** - 3rd Place and 4th Place (14.96 and 14.97), 6th Grade; **Andrew Bostrom** - 6th Place (13.4), 7th/8th Division. *200m Dash*, **Nik Poli** - 5th Place (37.44), 5th Grade; **Ben**, **Nathan**, **Logan Branch** - 2nd (32.47), 3rd (33.57), 4th Place (35.18), 6th Grade; **Nate Breier** - 6th Place (30.32), 7th/8th Division. *400m Dash*, **Ben** - 3rd Place (1:12.56). *800m Run*, **Luke Dekker**, **Nate** - 3rd (3:00), 4th Place (3:03), 7th/8th Division. *1600m Run*, **Jordan Farmer** - 2nd Place (6:54), 6th Grade; **Nic Branch**, **Eric Lefever** - 2nd, 3rd Place, (6:15.7 and 6:17), 7th/8th Division. *High Jump*, **Nic** - 2nd (4-6), **Ben Shaw** - 4th Place (4-0), 7th/8th Division. *Long Jump*, **Logan** - 1st Place (11-2); **Andrew** - 2nd, **Eric** - 4th Place, 7th/8th Division. *Shot Put*, **Nik** - 3rd Place (21-6); **David Schipper** (26-1), **Caleb Wolfe** (25-4) - 5th, 6th Place, 7th/8th Division. *4x100m Relay* - 1st Place (1:04.75), 5th/6th Division; 3rd Place (58.06), 7th/8th Division. *4x200m Relay* - 1st Place (2:17.06), 5th/6th Division; 5th Place (2:16.87), 7th/8th Division.

Congratulations to our CSAL *Junior High* Track members: **Annie Bonner**, **Andrew Bostrom**, **Katie Boyle**, **Nic Branch**, **Nate Breier**, **Luke Dekker**, **Kayla Gaines**, **Sarah Kohl**, **Eric Lefever**, **Gavin Mugele**, **David Schipper**, **Ben Shaw**, and **Caleb Wolfe** and **Hee Do Yu**; and **Thank You** to Coach Dawn Mugele, Managers Kayla Cantwell and Mark Bonner, and all of the parents and friends for your support!

Congratulations to our *Elementary* student-athletes who put in a fine effort running with the Landsharks Track Club this Spring: **Courtney Arrasmith**, **Logan Arrasmith**, **Ashley Barton**, **Brendan Bunker**, **Elizabeth Bunker**, **Landon Bunker**, **Katie Harrelson**, **Michael Harrelson**, **Braydan Hekkers**, **Skyler Korkowski**, **Lilli Manso**, **Seth Manso**, **Marcus Morgan**, **Nathan Tullberg**, and **Grace Watkins**; and **Thank You** to Coaches Kris Korkowski and Shelley Arrasmith, parents, and fans for a great season!

Discounted Sports Physicals for ECA students in grades 6-11 are being offered **next Tuesday, May 19**, in the Secondary gym - \$15 each. Reservations are required - contact Mr. Don Steiner at **597-3675** or **dsteiner@ecaeagles.org**.
Please Note: A physical form, completed and signed by a parent, *must* be brought to the exam if a parent cannot be present.
The forms are available in the Secondary office.



EAGLE'S EVENT CALENDAR

<u>Day/Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event</u>
Thu, May 14	TBD	Track: State Track Meet at Jefferson County
Fri, May 15	*	Book Check Day at the Secondary Campus Reminder: Pick-up <i>ECA SCRIP</i> orders - thank you for your participation!
	11:00am	
	TBD	Track: State Track Meet at Jefferson County
Sat, May 16	8:00/9:30am	Track: Elementary Grades 1-2/3-4 Track Day at Grace Center
	TBD	Track: State Track Meet at Jefferson County
Mon, May 18	9:00am	Elementary Band Mini-Concert & 4th Grade Demonstration
	3:00pm	Deadline to order <i>ECA SCRIP</i>: www.shopwithscrip.com (#9789794611325) for May 22 pick-up
Tue, May 19	1:00pm	High School/Junior High Awards Assembly at 1:00pm at Village Seven Presbyterian Church
	After school	Discounted Sports Physicals in the Secondary gym - reservation required
Wed-Fri, May 20-22		Fifth Grade Santa Fe Trip
Wed, May 20	8:45am	Elementary Chapel: Mr. Jim Ross
	9:31am	Secondary Chapel: Class of 2009
Thu, May 21	*	Senior Check-out Day (if not taking final exams)
	7:00pm	Secondary Combined Spring Concert at Village Seven Presbyterian Church
Fri, May 22	*	Locker Check-out Day at the Secondary Campus
	11:00am	Reminder: Pick-up <i>ECA SCRIP</i> orders - thank you for your participation!
Mon, May 25	*	NO SCHOOL: Memorial Day
	3:00pm	Deadline to order <i>ECA SCRIP</i>: www.shopwithscrip.com (#9789794611325) for May 29 pick-up
Tue-Thu, May 26-28	7:50-8:10am	Book Turn-in in Room 115 for that day's final exams
	8:15-11:30am	Secondary Final Exams in Leonard Hall - Secondary student dismissal at 11:30am
Tue, May 26	8:45am	Elementary Specials Awards Assembly in the Elementary Chapel
	6:30pm	Sixth Grade Promotion at Grace Presbyterian Church
Wed, May 27	8:45am	Elementary Awards Assembly
Thu, May 28	11:30am	All-student dismissal
	7:00pm	Class of 2009 Baccalaureate Service at Grace Presbyterian Church
Fri, May 29	8:30-11:30am	Elementary Field Day
	8:15-11:30am	Secondary Final Exam Make-up/Overlap Day (by pre-arrangement)
	11:00am	Reminder: Pick-up <i>ECA SCRIP</i> orders - thank you for your participation!
<p><i>ECA SCRIP</i> will continue weekly throughout the summer! Place your order as usual at www.shopwithscrip.com by 3:00pm on Monday for pick up between 9:00am-1:00pm the following Monday. Plan now for Father's Day, weddings, and summer vacation!</p>		
	11:30am	All-student Dismissal: Final Day of Classes - End of 4th Quarter
	9:00/10:00am	Senior Breakfast/Commencement Rehearsal
	7:00pm	Class of 2009 Commencement Exercises at Village Seven Presbyterian Church
Mon & Tue, Jun 1 & 2		Teacher Workdays
Sat, Jun 6	8:00am	College SAT Testing at various locations
Tue, Jun 9	*	Secondary Report Cards mailed home with Standardized Testing results



ECA Summer Camps, Clinics, & Fun Activities: The listing of ECA summer activities is being sent home today and will also be posted on www.ecaeagles.org. Copies are also available in all school offices.

*Praise, O servants of the LORD, praise the name of the LORD.
Let the name of the LORD be praised, both now and forevermore.
From the rising of the sun to the place where it sets,
the name of the LORD is to be praised. Psalm 113:1-3*