



EAGLE'S VIEW MONTHLY

This monthly newsletter is issued as an source of vital information, forms, and updates on school activities and events. You may request a copy be sent home each month, pick one up at any school office, or access it at www.ecaeagles.org, News, or on RenWeb, Latest Newsletter.

ECA's Accreditation Journey

by Dr. Jim Johnson, ECA Superintendent

On May 1 and 2, an accreditation team from the Association of Classical Christian Schools (ACCS) will visit our campuses. Our Board, administrators, faculty, and staff have diligently prepared for this visit for several years. While most ACCS leaders would be quick to admit that “no school really ever achieves perfection” in the execution of this education methodology, most would agree that this accreditation assures that:

ECA will have allowed itself to come under the scrutiny of a like-minded, external agency;

ECA will have conducted many faculty development sessions and classroom visitations to assure that all aspects of the Trivium are evident in our school;

ECA will consistently include key aspects of each phase of the Trivium in its lessons;

ECA will continue to faithfully integrate the biblical concepts of wisdom and virtue in our classes with the objective of drawing each student closer to the execution of their purpose in Christ.

Even though ECA has been in existence since 1971, it wasn't until 2001 that we became accredited with the Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI); at that time the ECA Elementary school was accredited, and the Secondary school followed suit in 2010. ECA has maintained the ACSI accreditation since that time and plans to maintain dual-accreditation. By agreement, ACCS will take the lead role in our accreditation, and ACSI will examine only those items which are unique to ACSI.

While the ACCS accreditation is comprehensive, in my opinion it is only an eyelash away from being a type of franchise inspection, though it is declaredly not that. To explain, ACCS does serve a very unique niche market. There are numerous Christian schools and also Classical schools; however, those which choose to merge both methodologies are few, and the ACCS accreditors will be looking for solid execution of this merger in our classrooms. Although it has been challenging for us to understand and implement Classical Christian education effectively and consistently from bottom to top, I feel that the Lord has blessed us in this!

We harken back to the days before Christ to identify some of the historically-proven techniques we use today. I have been reading “Plato – The Last Days of Socrates” to become more familiar with some of the techniques we use with our high school Rhetoric students; and what amazes me is that many centuries before Christ, these people were in search of the basis for piety and impiety; good and evil. The methods used then are still the best to be used today to wrestle with lofty concepts that can shape the lives of students for a lifetime. Scripture gives evidence that even Jesus participated in the elements of Classical education: **...they found Him in the temple, sitting in the midst of the teachers, both listening to them, and asking them questions.** Luke 2:46b-47.

Here are several key advantages to Classical Christian Education (CCE):

CCE uses the live interaction between teacher and student to stimulate a child's mind in real time;

CCE leverages the merits of biblical integration in teaching God's truth in all subjects;

CCE teachers hear from each child regularly to validate that critical thinking and learning are taking place.

The Lord already knows the outcome of ECA's quest for ACCS accreditation, and we can rest in the fact that His will is best for each of us and our school. One thing we do know for certain: ECA continues to grow in its ability to stimulate many students' minds in the knowledge of each subject, the understanding of how things work in this world, and the wisdom of Christ as they pursue their purpose in Him. In all this, we covet your prayers. In this, we can rejoice!

Congratulations to our Junior High Matchwits **Levi Bundy, Noah Coddington, Garrison Counts, Myah DeJong, Jakov Jentink, Josie Kates, Joseph Mosley, Analí Muciño, Chase Wallace, and Vito Yacovoni**, and to Coach Karen Leidecker on a fine Black Forest League season! Our teams, who accrued 130 points each for the season (with only seven points separating 2nd and 6th Places!), celebrated after their final Black Forest League Meet on April 16 with an ice cream party at Rizuto's and are already looking forward to next year's season!

At the *Southern Colorado 2A-3A All-Star Classic* (Black Forest League 2A All-Stars and Tri-Peaks League 3A All-Stars) basketball games on Friday, April 6, at UCCS, Senior **Sarah Yacovoni** won the *2A Girls' 3-Point Contest*, and Senior **Cameron Rawlings** won the *2A Boys' 3-Point Contest*. Seniors **Elizabeth Bristow, Cameron, and Bradley Hartsock** also played in the All-Star Classic games (Senior **Justin Holt** was elected but unable to play due to injury). In addition, **Justin** was selected for the *Gazette All-Area 1-3A Team*, with **Cameron** and **Elizabeth** both receiving Honorable Mention. **Congratulations**, Eagles, on these fine awards!



ECA students and alumni are involved in a wide variety of community, service, and extracurricular activities. Please call the Secondary office, **597-3675**, or e-mail miverts@ecaeagles.org with information regarding our students' activities and achievements, and we will gladly share the good news!

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

Come stroll through the **Elementary Art Club Show** on **Wednesday, May 2**, in the Elementary Gym - our Art Club students have been learning and creating all year with Mrs. Marcie Anderson and are excited to share their art with you!

2017-18 Secondary Yearbook Signing Party! **Wednesday, May 16, 2:45pm in Room 115**

Stop in after school for your new Yearbooks, have fun with your friends signing them, and enjoy the popcorn, cookies, and lemonade provided by your ECA Yearbook staff!

The listing of **end-of-the-year procedures, events, and information** (also found on page 7 of e-copies of today's *Eagle's View Monthly*) is enclosed as a handy reference during the busy weeks ahead!

For your convenience, copies of the **Secondary Second Semester Final Exam Schedule and Guidelines** are enclosed with today's *Eagle's View Monthly* (also found on page 8 of e-copies).

ECA Lincoln-Douglas Debate Tournament

At the all-day Tournament on April 21, Mrs. Schwager's Rhetoric students vigorously debated the issue: ***When in conflict, privacy ought to be valued above security.***

After the preliminary rounds and closely contested final round that afternoon, **Brett Arnold** was awarded 1st Place; **Ben DeRuiter** 2nd Place, **Oscar Zhou** and **Samuel Douglas**, 3rd Place tie; and **Carson Burns**, Speaker Award. **Congratulations** to all of our Rhetoric students!

Junior-Senior Banquet "Yule Ball"

The Junior-Senior Banquet, sponsored each year by the Junior Class to honor the Senior Class, is **Friday, May 4, from 6:00-10:30pm at The Loft**. Dress is modest, semi-formal/formal (please check the guidelines in this year's Student-Parent Handbook).

Tickets are being sold through **Wednesday, May 2**, for \$40 which includes an awesome catered dinner, fabulous DJ and music, the Senior Walk presentation, and lots of fun! **Reminder: Guest Request forms are required and must be approved by Thursday, April 26.**

Isaiah Project Reminders

The goal of the Isaiah Project is to instill in our students a heart for service to others, and full information on the program is included in the Student-Parent Handbook. A summary of hours and projects is available on RenWeb, and you can check anytime to make sure you are current for each year's requirements.

For Seniors, the deadline for completion of IP requirements is **Friday, May 11**, in order to receive an IP medallion at the Commencement Exercises. All final transcripts, diplomas, and records will be held until the requirements are completed.

The deadline for Freshmen, Sophomores, and Juniors to turn in forms for credit this year is **Thursday, May 31**.

Questions? Please contact Mr. DeRuiter at **597-3675** or bderuiter@ecaeagles.org.

Serve wholeheartedly, as if you were serving the Lord, not men. . . Ephesians 6:7a



Your Year-end 2018 Eagle's View Monthly will be issued Thursday, May 17.
Items for print may be submitted by Thursday, May 10, to miverts@ecaeagles.org or 597-3675.

...we will tell the next generation the praiseworthy deeds of the Lord... Psalm 78:4a

Have you ever thought about hosting an exchange student, but could not commit for an entire school year?

What if the hosting commitment was only four weeks, or maybe six weeks?

If so, there are two amazing opportunities this summer for you to do just that!

Northwest International Student Exchange is looking for host families for French girls and boys for four weeks, June 10 to July 9; and the German students, all girls, will arrive June 24 and stay until August 5. The student you choose stays with you and does whatever you do, including vacation if you have that planned. This is a great way to follow the command of Jesus on hospitality (Matthew 25:31-44) and be salt and light (Matthew 5:14-15)! For more information on opening your heart and home to a student this summer, please contact Brenda Ford at rbford007@a.com or call 719-649-8450.

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Additionally, if you are interested in hosting an exchange student for the 2018-19 school year, there are numerous opportunities. For more information, please contact Mr. Bob DeRuiter at bderuiter@eca eagles.org or 597-3675, and he will put you in touch with those who facilitate home placements for exchange students.

We wish to extend our sincere gratitude to all of our volunteers for everything you do for the ministry of ECA throughout the year and for the love with which you do it!

Please join us at our Secondary Chapel & Reception at 9:30am next Wednesday, April 25, and our Elementary Volunteer Appreciation Chapel at 8:45am on Wednesday, May 2.

We give thanks to God always for you. 1 Thessalonians 1:2



Mark your calendars for these wonderful evenings of music and celebration!

Our 4th-6th Grade Band, Choir, and Bell Choir musicians will present a delightful evening of music at their **Spring Music Program** on **Tuesday, May 8, at 6:30pm in the Elementary Chapel.**

Come for an evening of wonderful music as our Secondary Bands & Choirs present their **Spring Concert** on **Monday, May 14 (please note date change), 7:00pm at Village Seven Presbyterian Church.**

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

Moving ahead toward the 2018-19 school year. . .



Invite your friends, family, neighbors, and coworkers to the:

“Discover ECA” Seminar - Tonight!

Thursday, April 19, 6:30pm, Room S3, Village Seven Presbyterian Church

At ECA, we offer Christian parents an excellent, biblically-integrated, educational opportunity for their children; and Dr. Jim Johnson, ECA Superintendent, will share the unique methodologies of Classical Christian education offered to both full-time (5 full days/week) and homeschool (3 mornings/week), Pre-K to 12th Grade students. We are now enrolling students for ECA's 48th school year, and we want those who attend to be fully informed about its effective and spiritual features and benefits. A free Chick-Fil-A dinner will be provided during this 90-minute seminar. Register today at www.ECAeagles.org/DiscoverECA and invite a friend (registration is not required, but your RSVP will help us plan).



Re-enrollment:

Please return your re-enrollment packet if you have not already done so. If you are paying your re-enrollment fee in three payments, the remaining payment will be due **Monday, April 30.**



Tell others about ECA!

We have a strong referral program in place which gives both you, as the referring family, and the new family each \$500 tuition credit for each new full-time* student enrolled by August 31! You can accumulate multiple tuition credits to the point of providing full tuition!

* Credits prorated for families with students less than full time. Per IRS regulations, a 1099 must be issued for the credit.

. . . and let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us. Hebrews 1:12c



Many Thank You's to our volunteers and everyone who donated to, supported, and made our 5th grade Pancake Breakfast & Garage Sale on April 7 a great fundraiser for the class's Santa Fe trip!

Thank You to Mrs. Diane Unger and family for the wonderful fruit and cookie platters everyone at the Secondary campus enjoyed on April 11—it was a blessing for everyone!

Sincere Thank You's to our volunteers, Mr. Don Steiner, and everyone who braved the elements to come and cheer on our Varsity Soccer Lady Eagles and Varsity Baseball Eagles at the annual ECA Tailgate Party on April 12!

Thank You to Mrs. Shaunna Holst, Mrs. Lauri Robinson, Mrs. Tresa Flanegin, Mr. Ken Garwood, and Mr. Tim Schwager; our former Rhetoric students for judging and timing; and special thanks to Kat Shumate for tournament/tabulations prep and Annelyse Garrison for tabulation help at the ECA Lincoln-Douglas Debate on April 13.

Thank You to all of the parents who sponsored the Elementary Luncheon for our teachers and staff on April 11—your thoughtfulness is a blessing!

Thank You to our Moms in Touch groups for your faithful prayers each week for our students, staff, and families.

...encourage each other and build one another up, just as in fact you are doing. 1 Thessalonians 5:11

Summer Piano and Voice Lessons: Mr. Rob Howard, our Elementary Music teacher, is offering private piano and voice lessons at the Elementary campus throughout the summer to all interested students (ECA enrollment is not required—feel free to pass this on to your neighbors and friends). For more info or to schedule lessons, contact Mr. Howard at rhoward@ecaeagles.org or call/text 719-201-0392.

Looking for new ways to market your business?

ECA Corporate Sponsors have the opportunity to market their products or services to over 200 families through the ECA website, RenWeb, Yearbook, Eagle's View Monthly, athletic programs and banners, school vans, as well as event sponsorships such as the annual Eagle Golf Classic, while supporting Classical Christian education at ECA! This may be a perfect fit for your business, employer, and companies with whom you do business; and remember, referrals count toward your fundraising commitment. Find out more at www.ecaeagles.org, **Advancement, Corporate Partners**, or contact Mrs. Mindy Sutton at mindysutton@gmail.com or Mrs. Sandi Geving at randysandi@msn.com.

Thank You to ECA Corporate Partners. . .

Edge Rehabilitation & Wellness offers a wide variety of health and wellness programs, including **physical and occupational therapy, home health, personal training, Silver Sneakers**, as well as **customized training programs** designed to help athletes **develop skills** specific to their sport as well as **prevent injuries**. Check out **Edge Rehab & Wellness** at www.edgerehab.com or give Matt or Maija Marchman a call at 599-5330.

Pulse Real Estate Group is a **full-service brokerage** working effectively with **local builders and developers**, managing **personal investments in real estate**, working with **bank-owned and short-sale properties**, working with **first-time buyers and sellers**, and **servicing military families**. If you are interested in selling your home or want to find out how much it has increased in value during the last year, give Scott and Janae Coddington a call at 238-3536.

BoxTops for Education!

Keep clipping and sending in your BoxTops - and - ask your coworkers, friends, and neighbors to save their BoxTops, too! Download the Bonus BoxTops app and help us double our donations!



Shoparoo Shoparoo is hassle-free fundraising made easy: turn pictures of your everyday shopping receipts into cash donations and sweepstakes entries for our school with this free app:

1. Download the free **Shoparoo** app from the Apple App Store or Google Play Store.
 2. Select our school from the list and start taking pictures of your receipts - shop anywhere, buy anything!
 3. Earn even more points by spreading the word and inviting others to join - the more supporters, the more we will raise!
- Check out shoparoo.com to learn more about this hassle-free program. Join using this referral code to add more dollars to the ECA account: SNUG8870 OR RIPT1875. Thank you for your support!

Turn in printer cartridges, laser toners, cell phones, laptops, ipods, and tower computers that you, your neighbors, and coworkers have for recycling and ECA will earn cash and products!



Questions on any of these programs? Contact Mrs. Tresa Flanegin at 719-232-1000 for more information.

And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus... Colossians 3:17a



EAGLE SPORTS

Black Forest League Baseball *From Coach DeRuiter.* . . The Eagles are 7-4, with wins over 3A St. Mary's and Swink and a wild week vs. Calhan, trading wins in late-inning comebacks capped by a two-run double by **Jacob Kim**. Recently the Eagles were victorious over 3A Manitou Springs, with the first homerun of the season by **Andrew DeRuiter** and a base-clearing triple by **Cameron Rawlings**. In addition, brothers **Zach** and **Daniel Perry** have been hitting well, **Jay Yoo** and **Ben DeRuiter** have come through on the mound, and **Kris Park** and **Charlie Schwinck** have made big plays in key situations. *JV* are 4-1 with wins over James Irwin and Calhan and a lone loss vs. 4A TCA. The Eagles have seen timely hitting from **Andrew Bronson**, **Brennan Schwamb**, **Spencer Hamilton**, and **Judah Alexander**. **Richie Hart** has shut down opponents from the mound while **Tyson Rawlings** shows veteran leadership in the field. The team finishes with seven games over the next two weeks.

Tri-Peaks League HS Soccer *From Coach Morton.* . . Deep in our season, our Lady Eagles soccer program is experiencing a lot of growth and development. Captains **Liz Bristow** and **Hannah Crosley** are instilling good practices into our young team; and while we are taking some hard losses to the normal 2A/3A power houses, we are finding a way to be competitive in most of our games. In 2A League play, the ladies defeated Ellicott 8-0 with seven different scorers! Special congratulations to rookie scorers **Maddie Castro**, **Roxie Dynes**, and **Cayleigh Morton**! **Amy Antes** leads the team in goal scoring with her ability to perform under pressure. Tremendous defensive efforts continue from **Lindsey Schaap** in goal, **Ella Kim**, **Sequoia Pauls**, **Sarah Yacovoni**, and **Karoline Garwood** who have been keeping us "in" many of our close games. We also have been thankful to add several JV games which bring game-time opportunities to everyone in the program. Having only played one 2A League game, we look forward to the rest of our 2A schedule vs. Colorado Springs School, Fountain Valley School, and Delores Huerta which will determine the path forward post-season. Many thanks to our staff, John Bristow, Maggie Kirkpatrick, Paul Karlstrum, and Chad DeKam, and to our many player-parents and supporters!

Black Forest League HS Track *Elbert Invitational:* **Hannah Crosley** 6th Place, 100m Hurdles (20.36); **Maddie Castro** 3rd, 100m (14.31), 2nd, 400m (1:07.39); **Ella Kim** 8th, 300m Hurdles (59.13); **Liz Bristow** 9th, 100m (15.49); **Maddie, Liz, Ella, Hannah** 4x100 Relay (5:00.87); **Grace Arnold** Triple Jump (21'10"). **Joseph Wilcox** 2nd, 200m (24.47), 1st, 400m (53.63); **Cameron Rawlings** 2nd, 100m (12.56); **Joseph, Cameron, Braydan Hekkers, Oscar Zhou** 2nd, 4x200 Relay (1:39.62); **Ben DeRuiter** 6th, 110m Hurdles (22.12) and 6th, 300m Hurdles (52.19); **Josiah Murphy** High Jump (5'0"); Triple Jump: **Josh Knehans** (30'11.75"), **Chance Beyers** (27'9.5"); **Will Trumble** Shot Put (30'6.5"). *Warren Mitchell Invitational:* **Grace** won the 3200m (16:35.74)! **Joseph** 4th, 800m (2:09.74); **Joseph, Oscar, Braydan, Cameron** 3rd 4x200m Relay (1:37.81); **Ben** PR, 300m Hurdles (50.31); **Will** PR, Shot Put (32'6"); Triple Jump: **Chance** (27'7"), **Josh** (29'9"); **Oscar** High Jump (5'0"); **Josiah** PR, Long Jump (14'7.25"). *El Paso County JV Meets:* **Grace** PR, Triple Jump (23'7"), 1600m (7:24); **Bradley Hartsock** 200m (25.4); **Braydan, Bradley, Josh, Cameron** 4x100 Relay (49.3); **Ben** PR, 110 Hurdle (20.2); Triple Jump: **Chance** PR, by .5" (27'10"), **Josh** PR, (33'6"), **Oscar** (36'2"); **Will** matched PR, Shot Put (32'6"); Long Jump: **Braydan** (18'7"), **Cameron** (19'1.5"), **Josiah** repeat PR, (16'6", then 17'1").

Black Forest League JH Track Our Eagles had their first Meet at Vanguard on April 11: **Elana Sutton** placed 2nd in *Shot Put* with 24'2.5"; **Ellie Poli** 3rd in the *200m* at 31.45; **Myah DeJong** 4th in *Long Jump* at 11'5" feet; **Anna Castro** 5th in both *800m* and *1600m* at 2.57 and 6.39 respectively. In Girls' Relays, both our teams placed 6th: *4x100* **Myah, Analí Muciño, Elana**, and **Ellie** 1:02.06; *800 Medley* **Ashley Bell, Hailey Botkin, Emily Mann**, and **Anna** 2:24.11. The Eagles' next Meet is **this Saturday, April 21, at Manitou Springs, 8:30 start.**

CSAL 1st-4th Grade & 5th-6th Grade Track Registration for *Grades 5-6 Track* is **due Friday, April 27**; the CSAL *Meet* is **Wednesday, May 9, 3:30-8:00pm at Grace Center**. Registration for *Grades 1-4 Track* is **due Friday, May 4**; the CSAL *Grades 1-4 Meet* is **Saturday, May 19, 9:00am-12:00noon at Grace Center**. More info and registration forms are available at www.ecaeagles.org, **Athletics, Elementary Athletics**, or call the school office, **634-7024**.

CSAL 1st-6th Grade Wrestling Our Eagles capped their season on March 22 with several outstanding medals at the *CSAL Tournament* : **Merrak Jagers**, Silver; **Carson Johannsen**, Bronze; **Matthias Wilson**, Bronze; **Judah Mosley**, Copper; **Braxton Bergen**, Copper; **Makiah Parker**, Copper; **Colton Jagers**, Silver; **Tommy Hightower**, Silver; **Logan Lints**, great season but unavailable for the Tournament; and **Jaiden Sutton**, undefeated season and Gold at the Tournament. **Congratulations**, Eagles, on a great season, and many thanks to Coaches Ross Jagers, Chris Hightower, and Rob Sutton!



EAGLE UPCOMING EVENTS

Unless otherwise noted on the calendar below:

- * Mondays 8:00/8:30am Moms in Touch: Secondary, Room 220/Elementary campus
3:00pm ECAP orders at www.shopwithscrip.com for Friday pick-up
- * Wednesdays 8:45/9:30am Elementary Chapel/Secondary Chapel, Leonard Hall

<u>Day/Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event</u>
Thu, Apr 19	*	Elementary Mid-Quarter Progress Reports sent home
	4:30pm	Baseball: <i>Varsity</i> vs. Ellicott Thunderhawks at El Pomar-5
	6:30pm	Discover ECA! Seminar & free Chick-fil-A dinner, V7PC Room S3
	7:00pm-12:00am	Junior High Pizza & Games Party, sponsored by Student Council, Secondary Gym
Fri, Apr 20	*	NO SCHOOL: Alternate Snow Day (unused)
Sat, Apr 21	8:30am	Track: <i>Junior High</i> Meet at Manitou Springs HS
	12:00/2:00pm	Baseball: <i>Varsity</i> double-header vs. Rocky Mountain Lutheran Eagles/Cornerstone Christian Bulldogs at Northwest Open Space, Northglenn
	12:30/1:00pm	Track (Field/Running): <i>HS</i> Kiowa Klassic Meet at Elbert HS
	1:00/2:45pm	Soccer: <i>Varsity/JV</i> vs. Buena Vista Lady Demons at El Pomar-Olin
Mon, Apr 23	9:00-10:30am	Love & Logic Seminar, Elementary campus
	4:30pm	Baseball: <i>Varsity</i> vs. Simla Cubs at El Pomar-5
Tue, Apr 24	*	Secondary Mid-Quarter Progress Reports sent home
	4:00pm	Soccer: <i>Varsity</i> vs. CSCS Lady Lions at UCCS Mountain Lions Stadium
	4:30pm	Baseball: <i>JV</i> vs. Manitou Springs Mustangs at Roger Maestas Field
Wed-Fri, Apr 25-27		Sixth Grade & Counselors to Camp Id-Ra-Ha-Je
Wed, Apr 25	9:30am	Secondary Volunteer Appreciation Chapel & Reception, Leonard Hall
Thu, Apr 26	1:00pm	Track: <i>Junior High</i> Peyton Meet at Elbert HS (11:15am dismissal)
	4:30pm	Baseball: <i>Varsity</i> vs. Simla Cubs at El Pomar-5 (2:15 dismissal)
Fri, April 27	*	Track: CSAL 5th/6th Grade Registration due

For sports events after April 27: www.ecaeagles.org, Athletics, Secondary or Elementary; or, RenWeb, Calendar.

Mon, Apr 30	8:00am	Secondary 2018-19 Class Officer elections
	9:00-10:30am	Love & Logic Seminar, Elementary campus
Tue, May 1	Periods 1-4	British Literature/AP Literature <i>English Tea</i> , Leonard Hall
Wed, May 2	8:45am	Elementary Volunteer Appreciation Chapel
	*	Elementary Art Club Show, Elementary Gym
Thu, May 3	Lunch A&B	Cinco de Mayo Fiesta, sponsored by Spanish I & II classes
Fri, May 4	11:30am	Student Dismissal: Teacher In-service
	6:00-10:30pm	Junior-Senior Banquet, "Yule Ball," at The Loft
Tue, May 8	6:30pm	Elementary 4th-6th Grade Music Program, Elementary Chapel
Thu, May 10	*	Last Elementary Hot Lunch served
	*	Secondary Book Check Day
Fri, May 11	*	Senior Isaiah Projects due for program recognition and medallions
Mon, May 14	1:30pm	High School/Junior High Awards Assembly, Village Seven Presbyterian Church
	7:00pm	Secondary Spring Concert, Village Seven Presbyterian Church
Wed-Fri, May 16-18		Fifth Grade Santa Fe-Taos Trip
Wed, May 16	2:45pm	Secondary 2017-18 Yearbook Signing Party, Room 115
Thu, May 18	*	Year-end 2018 <i>Eagle's View Monthly</i> issued
Mon, May 21	*	Last Secondary Hot Lunch served

Looking ahead . . .

Tue-Thu, May 22-24	8:00 & 10:00am	Secondary Final Exams
Tue, May 22	8:45am	Elementary Specials Awards
	6:30pm	Sixth Grade Promotion
Wed, May 23	8:45am	Elementary Awards Chapel
Thu, May 24	7:00pm	Class of 2018 Baccalaureate Service, Elementary Chapel
Fri, May 25	11:30am	Student Dismissal: Elementary Field Day/Secondary Exam Make-ups/Last Day of School
	7:00pm	Class of 2018 Commencement Exercises, Village Seven Presbyterian Church

In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He will make your paths straight. Proverbs 3:6

Sixth Grade Promotion: Tuesday, May 22, 6:30pm in the Elementary Chapel
Class of 2018 Baccalaureate Service: Thursday, May 24, 7:00pm in the Elementary Chapel
Class of 2018 Commencement Exercises: Friday, May 25, 7:00pm at Village Seven Presbyterian Church
Graduation Reception to follow in Leonard Hall

Upcoming student-recognition events. . .

High School/Junior High Awards Assembly: Monday, May 14, 1:30pm, Village Seven Presbyterian Church.

Elementary Specials Assembly: Tuesday, May 22, 8:45am, Elementary Chapel.

Elementary Awards Assembly: Wednesday, May 23, 8:45am, Elementary Chapel.

Upcoming end-of-the-year procedures. . .

Secondary Student Check-out Forms:

Students in grades 7-11 will receive their forms on **Wednesday, May 9**; and the process is to be completed and after completion the form turned in to Mrs. Rohrer for her signature ***no later than Friday, May 25***. All fees and fines must be paid and materials returned before report cards and records will be released.

Secondary Book-Check Day & Book Return:

Teachers will check their students' books on **Thursday, May 10**, and give notice of any loss/damage fees due. Fees are paid to Mrs. Iverts in the office (damaged book and Check-out form brought along) ***no later than Friday, May 18***.

All textbooks are to be returned in each Final Exam morning from 7:45-8:00am in Room 115 for that day's exams.

Due to the large number of books being turned in, students are urged to arrive early in order to allow sufficient time.

Secondary Locker Day:

All student lockers will be inspected on **Friday, May 18**.

Students are to thoroughly clean both the inside and outside of their lockers, remove any tape, gunk, magnets, etc.

Hot Lunches:

The last *Elementary* Hot Lunch will be **Thursday, May 10**; the last *Secondary* Hot Lunch will be **Monday, May 21**.

Secondary Final Exams:

Tuesday, May 22 (8:00am: Mathematics) (10:00: Ancient History/Bible; Medieval History/Literature/Bible; Modern History/Literature; History);

Wednesday, May 23 (8:00am: Science); (10:00 Bible);

Thursday, May 24 (8:00am: Language Arts; Logic 8) (10:00 French I & II; Latin 7 & 8); and,

Friday, May 25, is Exam Make-up Day (by pre-arrangement only).

Book turn-in for each day's exams takes place each morning in Room 115, 7:45-8:00am, and students will be excused at 11:30am each day. The Final Exam Schedule & Guidelines can also be accessed on **RenWeb**, "Latest Newsletter," or at **www.ecaeagles.org**, Information, Calendars & Newsletter.

Lost & Found:

All items, including lunch/kitchen items, not claimed by **Thursday, May 24**, will be donated to charity or discarded.

Business Office:

All fees and tuition must be current before the last day of school. For questions regarding your account, please contact Mrs. Jennifer Gaines in the Business Office, **574-0920**.

Report Cards:

Elementary Report Cards will be **sent home Friday, May 25**.

Secondary Report Cards, CTP-4 Comprehensive Testing results, and Isaiah Project information will be **mailed home Tuesday, June 12**.

. . . I press on to take hold of that for which Christ Jesus took hold of me. Philippians 3:12b

Evangelical Christian Academy Secondary Campus

2017-2018 2nd Semester Final Exams - Schedule

Tuesday, May 22

8:00 - 9:45	Students report to exam rooms for Math exams.
9:45 - 10:00	Break.
10:00 - 11:30	Students report to exam rooms for Ancient History/Bible; Medieval History/Literature/Bible; Modern History/Literature; History exams.
11:30	School will be dismissed, and students must be picked up no later than 11:45am.

Wednesday, May 23

8:00 - 9:45	Students report to exam rooms for Science exams.
9:45 - 10:00	Break.
10:00 - 11:30	Students report to exam rooms for Bible exams.
11:30	School will be dismissed, and students must be picked up no later than 11:45am.

Thursday, May 24

8:00 - 9:45	Students report to exam rooms for Language Arts; Logic 8 exams.
9:45 - 10:00	Break.
10:00 - 11:30	Students report to exam rooms for French I & II; Latin 7 & Latin 8 exams.
11:30	School is dismissed, and students must be picked up no later than 11:45am.

PLEASE NOTE: **Make-up/Overlap Day** is scheduled for **Friday, May 25**; however, other arrangements may be made in advance by the student and teacher with the Principal's final approval.

Guidelines

1. Seventh Grade students test in Rooms 117/118. Eighth – Twelfth Grade students test in Leonard Hall.
2. Final exams are designed to test the materials covered during the entire semester.
3. Students who are tardy will not be admitted to their exam rooms if the exams have already been given out.
4. Students completing their exams before the exam period is over *may not* leave their exam rooms. Students may study for their next exam during the last 30 minutes of the exam period.
5. *All* students on school property (including parking lot areas) must be in their exam rooms or study hall.
6. Normal school dress code is in effect throughout the duration of the exams.
7. Exams may not be rescheduled without *prior approval* of the administration.
8. Students with exam conflicts must make arrangements with the administration *prior* to the exam period.
9. A \$15 proctor fee for any exam not taken during scheduled exam periods (per *2017-2018 Student-Parent Handbook*, Exams - Secondary) may be incurred.

as of 4/6/18