

Los Altos Brethren School Newsletter

April 2015

April Focus ... A believer will pray.

“Be careful for nothing; but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God.” Philippians 4:6

Character Trait: Perseverance



Dear Parents,

We are “as busy as bees!” We began the month with our Los Altos Brethren School Speech Meet and discovered some inspiring speakers in each grade. The Choir and Singers went to the ACSI Choral Festival, who represented our school very well finishing the evening by joining all the choirs, about 200 kids from area schools, in a combined choir to sing music that filled the church with joy. Our students have sailed the bay, explored sea creatures, investigated mammals, reptiles and amphibians, walked through California, participated in Math Olympics (bringing home many awards), refined ourselves with art at the Getty Villa, entertained friends and families at the Choir Showcase “A Day At the Zoo,” kicked up some heels at the 3rd and 4th grade Hoedown and rejoiced in the Resurrection of our Savior!

There’s more to come this month so enjoy your Easter Break! I can’t wait for the next installment of activities. Come and join in the fun!



TERRA NOVA TESTING. Students in grades 3-6 will have testing April 15-22. Please make sure your student arrives to school on time. It’s also important that they are rested and eat a good breakfast.

PSG...

Next Meeting, Monday, April 13th, 7:00-8:00pm. We will be discussing events through the rest of the year including our Open House Basket Raffle. Free child care is available. See you Monday.

LOST & FOUND ... The office lost & found basket is getting larger every day. Please stop in and find your child’s jacket, sweater, lunch pail, head band, etc.

2015 A.C.S.I. Math Olympics Ribbon Winners

3rd Grade

2nd Place in Reasoning - Killian Murray

4th Grade

1st Place in Reasoning - Logan Greene

5th Grade

2nd Place in Computation - Sam DeCarlo

2nd Place in Reasoning - Hana Wei

6th Grade

5th Place in Reasoning - Sarah Fritch

2nd Place in Reasoning - David Benson

2nd Place in Computation - Danielle Sonntag

Congratulations to our other students who competed in the ACSI Math Olympics:
Kam Barnes, Andrew Justice, Matthew Pappas,
Ryan Butler, Blake Herring, Julia Reiser,
Francis Domingo, Samuel Reeves,
Cameron Roberts

Important Calendar Dates:

Apr 3 - Good Friday, 12 noon dismissal. No day care

Apr 6-10 - Easter Vacation

Apr 13 - PSG Meeting, 7pm

Apr 14 - Early Dismissal, 1:50pm

April 15-22 - Terra Nova Testing

April 16 - 5th & 6th Grade Camp Meetings, 7pm

April 18-19 - E-Waste Recycling @ Cerritos Mall

Apr 24 - PSG Lunch, TBD

Apr 30 - ACSI Band Festival @ CC Santa Ana

May 1 - Open House, 5:30 - 7:30pm

Early Dismissal at 1:50pm, Tuesday, April 14

SCHOOLCENTS

E-WASTE RECYCLING EVENT

Cerritos Mall, April 18 & 19, 9am - 4pm (parking lot

South of Allen Tire; Lakewood Center, April 25 & 26, 9am - 4pm (near JC Penney);

Stonewood Center, May 2 & 3, 9am - 4pm, (near Sears).

Each center will host an electronic waste recycling event where you can pull up into the parking lot and drop off electronic waste items (such as computers, monitors and TV's) to earn bonus points. All electronic waste will be accepted for recycling but only items with screens (monitors, laptops and T.V.'s) will earn 2,000 points each. All other qualified electronic waste will be accepted for safe disposal, but no additional points will be given. A form is required to accompany any e-waste. Form will be emailed.

THE SCHOOL CENTS PROGRAM ENDS MAY 15. Please gather up all your receipts from Lakewood, Cerritos, and Stonewood Centers and turn them in to the school office or log them at Guest Services at the malls. Receipts must be dated September 15, 2014 to May 11, 2015.

AMERICAN EXPRESS GIFT CARDS make great gifts for graduations, Mother's Day, Father's Day, and weddings. Buy them at Guest Services at one of the three malls and we receive 1,000 School Cents pts. for each card \$25 denominations or higher.



