

February 7, 2024

Northwest Christian School

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Wednesday Weekly

Early Release Day

Thursday, February 8th, school will dismiss at 12:00 pm for a teacher in-service day. Aftercare will be available. Please send a sack lunch for your child if they will be staying.

Calendar at a Glance....

Feb 8 12:00 pm Dismissal for Teacher In-Service

Feb 13 Lock Down Drill Practice

Feb 13 Bake Sale

Feb 15 8th Grade Academy Day

Feb 19 NO SCHOOL - President's Day

Feb 20 NO SCHOOL - Teacher Inservice Day

Feb 29, Mar 7, Mar 14 5-8th PE Extension Days

Mar 1 7th & 8th Grade Music and Arts Fest

Mar 4 Parent/Teacher Conferences by Appt. NO CLASSES



8th Grade Bake Sale

The 8th grade class will be having a bake sale during lunch times on Tuesday, February 13th.

NCS has a family that is looking for carpooling. If anyone lives north of Auburn, please contact the front office so we can connect you!

Lahar Drill

Northwest Christian School will be participating in the district wide Lahar Drill happening on Thursday, March 21st.

Students and staff will practice evacuating the property under the guidance of the City of Puyallup Emergency Management Team and the Puyallup Police Department.

More details will be coming as we get closer to the event.

Principal's Perspectives

Dear Northwest Christian School Family,

Our world changes rapidly. If you are like me and many NCS students' parents, you are worried about the rapidly changing society that our kids will face. Can you believe that when I started my career in educational administration, most elementary school students were utterly ignorant of foul and sexually explicit language? This has been one of the most heartbreaking developments I have watched during my career. The free exposure to social media, unfiltered internet, and other media sources have provided an education to our children that none of us are excited about. During the past several weeks, I have been receiving reports that some of our NCS students are using inappropriate language in the halls, on the playground, and in after-school care. When I receive such reports, my response is immediate intervention and prayer. If the problem persists with a particular student, inviting parents to be involved and consulting our NCS discipline committee becomes a reality.

I have an appeal to make to the greater NCS family reading this. Please take the time to discuss with the children in your care the values that drive a Christian school. Northwest Christian School is a safe place for kids to learn and grow. An unfortunate part of this growth is learning to negotiate peer pressure, learning to apply choice to our words and actions, and learning to own our actions through our mistakes. One of the things I have loved about my many years in educational administration is watching students, many of whom struggle with some of life's tougher lessons, grow into God-fearing and trustworthy young adults.

The road through childhood is never straight. But the more that we can synchronize the values between home, school, and church, the more children we will be able to guide successfully through childhood's windy path.

Blessings,

Craig Mattson

EVERY MORNING THE
STAFF NORTHWEST
CHRISTIAN SCHOOL
GATHERS TOGETHER TO
WORSHIP AND PRAY
FOR YOUR CHILDREN!
JOIN US IN PRAYING
FOR EACH INDIVIDUAL
STUDENT THAT
ATTENDS!

MONDAY: VAIL
TUESDAY: CLAIRE K
WEDNESDAY: STEPHANIE
THURSDAY: LUKE
FRIDAY: LENNY



Sports Fridays



Next Sports Friday:
March 1st



Pathfinder Calendar

(Ages 10+) Wednesdays 6:15 - 7:45 pm

Feb 7 Field Uniform

Feb 14 NO PATHFINDERS



Adventurers

(Ages 5-9) Wednesdays 6:15 - 7:30 pm

Feb 7

Happy Birthday to all of our January students and staff!!!

Ms. Nicole 2/4

Alice 2/18

Adiel 2/9

Jovita 2/19

Kaimana 2/10

Kieran 2/20

Mr. Tom Mattson 2/11

Helena 2/24

Charlotte D 2/12

Christine 2/25

Hunter 2/15

Noah 2/25

Mr. Watson 2/16

Finnley 2/27

Cade 2/17

Alyssa M 2/28



Auburn Adventist Academy
Fine Arts Presents

Beauty
And The
Beast

March 16th, 2024 @ 7:45pm
March 17th, 2024 @ 1pm and 5pm

Tickets - \$10



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FEBRUARY 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Spaghetti Garlic Bread Salad Melon	Enchiladas Spanish Rice Corn Pears	Hot Dogs Macaroni Salad Chips Mandarin Oranges	Chik Nuggets Scalloped Potatoes Green Beans Grapes	12:00 pm Dismissal NO HOT LUNCH		
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Mac and Cheese Peas Salad Fruit	Haystacks Beans, Lettuce, Salsa, Cheese, Chips	Chik Nuggets Scalloped Potatoes Green Beans Grapes	Tortellini Garlic Bread Green Beans Grapes	Veggie Burger Chips Peaches Veggies		All lunches served with milk
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	NO SCHOOL			Bean Burrito Salad Spanish Rice Melon		Menu can change based on supply
25	26	27	28	29	1	2
Quick Pizza Peas Melon Salad	Chili Corn Bread Fruit Cottage Cheese	Pasta Alfredo Cheese Bread Salad Fruit	Waffles Sausage Red Potatoes Applesauce			availability

Homes made

Holidays and Observances: 14: Valentine's Day, 19: Presidents' Day

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PROJECT: PARENTING

Tools for building the next generation

Dr. Gretchen Gendreau, licensed psychologist and mom of five merges clinical research and practical experience to deliver insight for your most challenging and rewarding job--parenting.

February 24 @ 2:30PM

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