



ZCS WEEKLY

May 18, 2018

Urgent News

Summer Office Hours

The school office will be open this summer on Wednesdays, from 9:00am to noon, starting **June 6**.

Save the Date—AUCTION

This fall, Zion's Auction will be on Saturday, **October 27**. Be sure to mark this date on your calendar and plan to join us for this fun event. Also, if you're interested in donating to the auction or purchasing an ad, see the attached form or contact Jesse Aukeman at jaukeman@zionchristian.net.

Last Day of School—Exams

During exam week, buses will leave school at 3:30pm everyday except Friday, **June 1**. On that day, the elementary grades will be dismissed at 12:00pm and buses will depart at 12:15pm. Please plan your transportation schedules accordingly. An exam schedule can be found on page 3.

Library Books

There are many library books missing from the shelves. Please check your nooks and crannies for any Zion books. All books must be returned or paid for by Friday, **June 1**. Report cards will be held until missing items are returned or paid for.

General News

Lost & Found

Zion's lost & found closet is quite full! Parents and students can look through the items next week to see if any items belong to them. We will donate all unclaimed items after Friday, **June 8**.

Used Lands' End Sale

Again this summer, Zion families will have the opportunity to buy and sell used Lands' End Zion apparel. Parents can stop by Zion on Wednesdays, from 9:00am to noon, starting **June 13**. We ask that you bring in cash to pay for these items.

Anyone who wishes to sell LANDS' END items must bring them to the office by **June 13**. To maintain anonymity, selling families will be assigned a number to be placed on the clothing item along with the seller's asking price. After the sale is complete in August, money and left over items will be available for pickup by the sellers.

Messiah's IRC Choir Camp

Messiah's IRC in Holland will hold a choir camp on **June 25-29** for students in grades 1-8. See the attached form for more information and to register. Registration closes on **May 21**.

Award Ceremony

Everyone is invited to attend the Academic Award Ceremony, which

will be held in Zion's gym on Friday, **May 25**, from 11:40am—12:15pm. Awards will be given to students in 7th-12th grades who have excelled in academics.

8th Grade Completion

The 8th Grade Completion Ceremony will be held on Wednesday, **May 23**, from 2:00-3:15pm, in the school gym.

Association Meeting

The Annual Association Meeting will be held on Thursday, **May 24**, at 7:00pm. All parents and supporters are welcome to attend the meeting. If you signed Parental Agreement A on your enrollment application, you are invited to participate in voting regarding the budget and board members. You may also vote for board members via an absentee ballot, which is now available in the office. A meeting invitation and agenda were mailed last week.

Parents Guild Meeting

Following the Association meeting on Thursday, **May 24**, there will be a Parents Guild Meeting. All Zion parents are welcome and encouraged to attend!

Elementary Field Day

The elementary grades are going to play away a day in May! Field Day is on Friday, **May 25**, and we need parent volunteers to make this day

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successful. If you are able to help from 12:30-2:30pm on Friday, May 25, please e-mail Mr. Hausler at jhausler@zionchristian.net.

High School Graduation

Zion's 19th Commencement Ceremony will take place on Friday, **June 1**, at 7:00pm, at 1st Byron CRC. Please join us for this event.

Final Day to Order TRIP

May 23 is the last day to order physical TRIP cards before summer break. The orders placed on May 23 will be available for pick up on Wednesday, May 30. There will be no orders placed in June or July. Please remember you have the reload and SCRIPNow options to order through the summer months. Weekly ordering will resume August 22. If you have any questions please contact Kelly K r i k k e a t kellykrikke83@gmail.com.

Mountaineer Sports

Uniforms

All members of spring sports teams should turn in their uniforms to Mr. Bont as soon as the season has ended. Report cards will be held until ALL PARTS of your uniform have been turned in.

Fall Sports

When planning your summer vacation, please keep these dates in mind: boys varsity soccer and girls JV and varsity volleyball will begin practice on **August 8**. Boys JH soccer and girls JH volleyball will begin practice the week of **August 20**. JH sports are for students in grades 6–8. **Coaches need players to attend practices on the first day** in order to assess playing ability, especially since some teams may require cuts.

Also, **all players MUST bring a completed MHSAA physical form by the first day of practice**. Players without physicals (dated after April 15, 2018) will not be allowed to practice.

This Week in Zion Sports

Support the Mountaineers! In the coming week, Zion's baseball and soccer teams will compete on the following days:

TODAY:

4:30–V BB @ Fennville HS (DH)

TUESDAY, MAY 22:

4:15–V BB vs. WMAA (DH)

4:30–V SOC @ WMAA

THURSDAY, MAY 24:

4:00–V SOC @ HBR

FRIDAY, MAY 25:

4:30–V BB vs. Crossroads (DH)

5:45–V SOC @ Ravenna HS

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
13	14 Senior Class Trip 6th Grade Class Trip	15 Senior Class Trip 10th Grade Class Trip 8th Grade Class Trip 6th Grade Class Trip Field trip—1st grade	16 Senior Class Trip 10th Grade Class Trip 8th Grade Class Trip	17 Senior Class Trip Field trip—Preschool	18 Senior Class Trip Chapel: Rev. Brian Najapfour	19
20	21	22 Field trip—5th grade	23 Final Day of Pre-K Final day to order TRIP	24 Final Day of Preschool Association Meeting 7:00 Parents Guild Meeting 8:00	25 Award Ceremony 11:40 Elementary Field Day	26
27	28 Memorial Day—No School	29 Exams Field trip—3rd grade	30 Exams Field trip—2nd grade	31 Exams	June 1 Exams Last day of school—Half Day (all school) HS Graduation 7:00	June 2

**Zion Christian School
First Semester Exam Schedule**

Tuesday, May 29		
Time	Class	If no ride home, report to Study Hall
8:15 - 8:30	Devotions	Room 207, Miss VanderJagt
8:30 - 10:30	Period 3	
10:30 - 11:00	Break	Room 204, Mr. Bosma
11:00 - 1:00	Period 4	
1:00 - 3:15	Study Hall	Room 215, Dr. Tjapkes

Wednesday, May 30		
Time	Exam Class	If no exam, report to Study Hall
8:15 - 8:30	Devotions	Room 213, Mrs. Edouard
8:30 - 10:30	Period 1	
10:30 - 11:00	Break	Room 204, Mr. Bosma
11:00 - 1:00	Period 5	
1:00 - 3:15	Study Hall	Room 215, Dr. Tjapkes

Thursday, May 31		
Time	Exam Class	If no exam, report to Study Hall
8:15 - 8:30	Devotions	Room 207, Miss VanderJagt
8:30 - 10:30	Period 2	
10:30 - 11:00	Break	Room 201, Mr. Hughes
11:00 - 1:00	Period 6	
1:00 - 3:15	Study Hall	Room 215, Dr. Tjapkes

Friday, June 1		
Time	Exam Class	If no exam, report to Study Hall
8:15 - 8:30	Devotions	Room 215, Mr. Bosma
8:30 - 10:30	Period 7	
10:30 - 11:00	Break	Room 203, Mr. Smith
11:00 - 1:00**	Period 8**	

Note: All junior high or high school students who ride the bus in the afternoon or provide rides to elementary students, must wait in the study hall room until the end of the school day. The elementary will also have a half day on Friday, June 1. Dismissal will be at 12:00. Buses will leave at 3:30 every day except Friday, when they will leave at 12:15. Please plan your transportation accordingly.

**The 8th hour exam slot (Friday, June 1, from 11:00-1:00) extends past the end of that school day. Students who need to wait for a ride with a student testing during this slot will be supervised by the elementary teachers.

Exam Rules:

1. Students will take exams in the room in which the class meets.
2. No student will be excused from exams.
3. If a student cannot take an exam at the scheduled time because of an emergency, the student must have the absence excused by the teacher and the principal. The exam must then be taken at the earliest possible time.
4. Students that have an exam scheduled during the first and second time slot of the day, must stay for the entire first exam time.
5. Students are required to be present at school only during their scheduled exam times. Students who are on campus and do not have a scheduled exam should report to the study hall room listed above. Students are not to be in the hallways during exam times or between the last exam of the day and their ride home.
6. Once the exam has been handed out, no one is allowed to leave the classroom until he or she has handed in his or her finished exam and one hour has elapsed.
7. When a student has finished his or her exam, he or she may spend the remaining time in the exam room studying or if that is their last exam of the day, he or she may leave campus immediately.
8. Students who are staying at school until 3:15 should report to their study hall room to eat their lunch.
9. All school rules, including dress code and food in the classrooms, are in effect during exams.