

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

- Please check the online calendar for upcoming events (<http://www.siouxcenterchristian.com/calendar.cfm>).
- **Position Opening - School Store Manager:** Are you a visionary person who has advanced business and retail knowledge and skills? Do you have the internal drive to work both independently and as a member of a team? Are you passionate about Christian education and want to support its sustainability? Consider joining our team! Sioux Center Christian School is hiring for a school store manager, with this individual being responsible for the overall preparation and management of the new school store, which will be used as an alternate revenue source for SCCS. Working with the support of an advisory team, the store manager will manage and supervise all aspects and operations of the store, maintain accurate inventory and financial records and reports, define and implement all store policies and processes, order and display all products, promote the store, manage volunteers, and perform other tasks. This person will be key to the success of the store, the position comes with a competitive salary and benefits package, and the individual is considered an SCCS employee and must follow all school employee requirements. For a full job description, click [here](#). A review of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled. To apply, complete the SCCS Staff Application (including a resume), located on the SCCS website at <https://www.siouxcenterchristian.com/glance/employment.cfm>, and submit all materials to Josh Bowar, Head of School, at [jbowar@siouxcenterchristian.com](mailto:jbowar@siouxcenterchristian.com). Electronic submissions are required.
- **Paraprofessional Opening:** To meet the increasing needs being served through our tier 3 services as part of the inclusive education framework and as a result of available state funding, Sioux Center Christian School is seeking to hire a part-time paraprofessional. Duties include providing student support in both the tier 3 resource room and the general education classrooms as well as carrying out student support plans and collecting data. This is a 3 hours/day position, and hours would be either 8:30-11:30 AM or 9:00 AM-12:00 PM Monday-Friday when school is in session. A review of applicants will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. Please head to <https://www.siouxcenterchristian.com/glance/employment.cfm> and download and complete the Staff Application and, with a current resume, send to Josh Bowar, head of school, at [jbowar@siouxcenterchristian.com](mailto:jbowar@siouxcenterchristian.com).
- **Part-time Custodial Opening:** Part-time custodial help is needed for after school hours. Must be 16 years old and able to work 1-3 days per week.
- **SCCS is currently seeking individuals that would be interested in coaching basketball for the upcoming season.** We are currently seeking individuals with a passion for the sport that will provide an opportunity for our athletes to grow in their ability on the court, along with their walk with the Lord. The two positions we are looking to fill are a head coach for our 8<sup>th</sup> grade girls and a head coach for our 8<sup>th</sup> grade boys basketball teams. If you have any interest in either of these roles, please contact Jeremy Mills at [jmills@siouxcenterchristian.com](mailto:jmills@siouxcenterchristian.com).
- **SCCS is currently looking for individuals that would be interested in officiating middle school basketball games during the upcoming basketball seasons.** We are looking for anyone, college age and older, that would be interested in officiating SCCS home games. There are typically two games played each evening. Games begin at 4:00 PM, so officials need to be at school by 3:55 PM, and finish around 6:15 PM. This is a paid role. If you are interested in helping with officiating, please contact Jeremy Mills at [jmills@siouxcenterchristian.com](mailto:jmills@siouxcenterchristian.com) for more details.
- **Grandparents/Special Friend Day** will be Friday, October 19. We will dismiss at 11:30 on this day. Only Bus 2007 and 2014 will run at 11:30 on that day. Others will need to provide their own transportation.
- **Grandparents/Special Friends Day** - Invitations went home for Grandparents Day/Special Friends Day. Please deliver to grandparents: send in the mail, text a picture of the invite, or hand deliver! If grandparents are unable to attend, please encourage sending a note to grandkids to be opened on Grandparents/Special Friends Day.
- **The PACE Fall Soup Supper** will be Friday, Oct. 19, from 5:00-7:00 pm at school. Senior citizens are welcome to come at 4:45 pm. A variety of delicious soups, sandwiches, and desserts will be served. There will be an opportunity to give a free-will donation.
- **PACE Fall Soup Supper information has been sent out.** Make sure to look through the worker and food list for your name and/or your child's name. There are ice cream buckets in the office if you need one to bring your soup supper item to school. Thank you for your help!
- **Parent/Teacher Conferences** will take place on **Tuesday, October 23 (4-8 PM)** or **Thursday, October 25 (2-6 PM)**. An e-mail with a link to sign up for a time to meet with your child(ren)'s homeroom teacher was sent out. **Please sign up before Thursday (Oct. 18)**. If you have any questions, please contact Tracy in the office ([teekhoff@siouxcenterchristian.com](mailto:teekhoff@siouxcenterchristian.com)).

- **SCCS Family Game Night**- Join us for our first SCCS Family Game Night! Friday, November 2, from 6:30-8:00 in the music rooms. Experienced players will lead groups in playing *Race for the Treasure*, *Qwixx*, *Dutch Blitz*, *Set*, and *Ticket to Ride* or bring a favorite game of your own. Childcare will be available for younger siblings. Popcorn and beverages will also be provided. Don't miss the fun!
- **From Nurse Stacy:** Guiding Star Orange City is proud to launch the My Fertility Matters - MFM Project Cycle Show in October! The Cycle Show is a 5 hour workshop for 10-13 year old girls to learn about their reproductive health with a parent presentation the evening before. We would like to invite all of the area 5th and 6th grade girls to register for the program. There are 2 opportunities to join us during the week of October 27th through November 3rd. Visit our webpage [www.guidingstarorangecity.org/cycleshow](http://www.guidingstarorangecity.org/cycleshow) for more information, registration and videos. You may contact Kari Beadner [kari@guidingstarorangecity.org](mailto:kari@guidingstarorangecity.org) if you have further questions. Please see attached flier.
- **Click here to see more info on all the Extended Learning Opportunities available to your kids!** Aftercare, Kindercare, Summer Camp, Kids Fit, Jazz Band, Destination Imagination, Spanish Club, SOAR Club, Art Club, Middle School Show, and Summer School.
  - **Spanish Club** is a new club for **2nd - 5th graders**. Find out more at the link above and **sign up by Thursday, Oct. 18!**
  - **Art Club** is also new for **5th - 8th graders** and that will begin **Wednesday, November 7.**
 More info on Summer Camp will be coming later in October! Scholarships are available for all opportunities both from school donors and All Kids Can. To learn more about scholarships, [contact Josh Bowar](mailto:contact_Josh_Bowar), head of school. Parents may also go to the **All Kids Can** website to request aid: <http://www.sc-akc.com/en/request-aid/>
- **5-8 Parents:** We are preparing for our focus on adolescent development in grades 5-8. The students will be learning about anatomy/biology during the school day in a same-gender classroom setting, with Stacy Schaap leading the girl discussions and Al Bandstra leading the boy discussions. In the evening, we invite you and your middle schoolers to join us for a discussion about God's design for our development. Aaron and Niki Baart will lead the evening conversations. We will all meet in the gym, sitting in family clusters- each student with their parents. **All parents are encouraged to attend.** Childcare will be available in the orchestra room. It is our deep hope that this opportunity will provide a structure for parents and students to discuss these important topics. Thank you for your partnership as we support our kids through this stage in their development.
 

**Grade 5- Tuesday, Oct. 30 7:00 PM    Grade 6- Tuesday, Nov. 6 7:00 PM    Grades 7&8- Tuesday, Nov. 13 7:00 PM**
- If you would like to **contribute to NICSTO**, go to <https://www.siouxcenterchristian.com/support/nicsto.cfm> for more information. As of Oct. 15, we have received \$205,286 of our goal of \$297,789. We encourage you to contribute to this cause and also enjoy the tax benefits.
- **SAVE THE DATE!** Attention - Members of Carmel and New Life Churches - Save December 15, 2018, for the 4th Annual Trailblazers Girls Basketball Tourney! EVERY families' help will be needed! Thank you!
- **Kids Fit** is a fun filled boot camp style fitness class. Class starts with prayer, warm up, exercise to music, cool down, and a short presentation on something related to healthy lifestyle choices; nutrition, sleep, stress reduction, exercise benefits. More information and a waiver form can be found at the following link: <https://www.siouxcenterchristian.com/parents/kidsfit.cfm>. **Here is the October schedule for Kids Fit: Oct. 19 - NO KIDS FIT (11:30 dismissal); Oct. 26 - NO KIDS FIT (SCCS no school).** Please contact Tina Kroeze ([tinakroeze@hotmail.com](mailto:tinakroeze@hotmail.com)) if you have any questions. Thank you!
- **Staff Member of the Month:** Nominate a teacher or staff member to become the Pella Corporation Staff member of the month. Pella Corporation will award one monthly recipient \$250.00 to use towards school approved items and a certificate of recognition. A nomination form can be found at [https://www.siouxcenterchristian.com/editoruploads/files/SXC\\_STAFF\\_OF\\_THE\\_MONTH.pdf](https://www.siouxcenterchristian.com/editoruploads/files/SXC_STAFF_OF_THE_MONTH.pdf). Submissions need to be received no later than the 25<sup>th</sup> of each month. Submissions can be returned to the school office, or mailed to the following address: Pella Corporation, Staff Member of the Month, 1800 North Main, Sioux Center, IA 51250.
- **Did you know you can book your next hotel stay** through Stay to Help and a portion of your booking price will go to SCCS? Go to [sccs.staytohelp.com](http://sccs.staytohelp.com) next time you need a hotel!

## FOOD SERVICE NEWS

- We still need one more dishwasher for next Wednesday, Oct. 24. If you are able to help, please text or email Cheryl at 441-4729 or [chaan@siouxcenterchristian.com](mailto:chaan@siouxcenterchristian.com). Thank you so much!
- Parents and visitors, please call at least 24 hours ahead of time in you would like to eat a school lunch.
- Menu and dishwasher schedules can be found at [www.siouxcenterchristian.com/parents/lunch.cfm](http://www.siouxcenterchristian.com/parents/lunch.cfm).

## MOMS IN PRAYER

This coming Tuesday at Mom's in Prayer, we will be praying for Mrs. De Weerd and her students. May \_\_\_\_\_ know that the Lord is God. It is He who made \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_ is His; one of His people, the sheep of His pasture. From Psalm 100:3

## REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The Office Handouts (<http://www.siouxcenterchristian.com/parents/officehandouts.cfm>) is the place to check regularly for camp information, registration forms, and more!