

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

- Please check the online calendar for upcoming events (<http://www.siouxcenterchristian.com/calendar.cfm>).
- You are invited to **Sioux Center Christian School's 4th-8th grade Instrumental Concert on Thursday, Dec. 20 at 7:00 pm** in the BJ Haan Auditorium. Students in both band and orchestra should meet in the mezzanine at 6:30. Students only in band meet at the upper balcony at 6:40. Students only in orchestra meet in the mezzanine at 6:40. Guys attire: white collared shirt, black pants, black shoes; Girls attire: white 3/4 length or long sleeved blouse, black pants/skirt past the knees, black shoes.
- **A Christmas chapel will be on December 21, at 12:45 pm.** Parents are welcome to join us for this time of worship.
- We will **dismiss at 2:05 on December 21** for Christmas Break. **Classes will resume on January 7.**
- **Christmas Break Office Hours: The main office will be closed December 24 – January 4. The TRIP Office will only be open 8:00-1:00 on Dec. 27 and Jan. 3.** Regular hours for both the main office and TRIP office will resume on January 7.
- **From PACE:** Each year PACE collects money that is evenly divided and used to purchase a gift for each teacher and staff member who contribute to the growth of our children. We would like to encourage parents to generously donate to the donation box in the office so we can "pool our resources" to purchase chamber certificates for teachers/staff. Thank You!
- Check the **Lost and Found Table** located near the office. Items left will be donated to Melissa's Hope Chest over the break.
- **SOAR Club** will resume meeting on January 17.
- **The SCCS Board of Trustees is seeking nominations to fill two open board of trustee positions** to replace two retiring members. Please submit names of society members who you feel would be a good fit by filling out a paper form (copies are available at the school office) and mailing it to school or dropping it off by Friday, January 18, 2019. You can also electronically submit your nomination by going to <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc-x01T2hRzEIXgm8L5XM9wujfh0q9DdOR38NZwxvToZ9iUO/viewform>. We encourage you to speak with the person you are nominating prior to submitting their name. A current trustee will be contacting them to determine their willingness to serve and to answer any questions. Thanks for your help with this very important process!
- **The 3<sup>rd</sup> graders are looking for glass baby food jars.** If you have any to donate, please drop them off at school. Thank you!
- **Click here to see more info on all the Extended Learning Opportunities available to your kids!** Aftercare, Summer Camp, Kids Fit, and Summer School. More info on Summer Camp will be coming later! Scholarships are available for all opportunities both from school donors and All Kids Can. To learn more about scholarships, [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/>
- **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

- 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

On January 8, at Mom's in Prayer, we will be praying for the Nurse, Resource/Discover/Reading and Library teachers and their students. Sanctify \_\_\_\_\_ by the truth; Your word is truth. From John 17:17

## 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!