

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

- Please check the online calendar for upcoming events (<http://www.siouxcenterchristian.com/calendar.cfm>).
- Here is the link for **Easter chapel** which will be at 1:30 today: <https://youtu.be/UggJlXNfyXA>
- There will be **no school April 18, 19 and 22**. Enjoy the Easter Break with your family and friends!
- Please check the **overflowing Lost and Found table** to see if anything belongs to your kiddos. It will be donated to Melissa's Hope Chest during the Easter break.
- **Parents of TK-5<sup>th</sup> Graders: Have you registered for Tales and Trails 2019 Summer Camp?** Students will participate in a variety of theme-related experiences each week, plus enjoy times for outdoor play. This camp provides a cost friendly option for supervision during the summer months. A flyer was sent home with camp options and registration information. Or you can go to the following link: [https://www.siouxcenterchristian.com/editoruploads/files/TalesTrailsSummerCamp\\_2019.pdf](https://www.siouxcenterchristian.com/editoruploads/files/TalesTrailsSummerCamp_2019.pdf). Sign up for one week, all ten weeks or anything in-between. Please contact Mr. Bowar ([jbowar@siouxcenterchristian.com](mailto:jbowar@siouxcenterchristian.com)) for information about funding that is available from All Kids Can. We hope your child can join this fun summer camp opportunity!
- **Plan to attend the annual PACE (Parents in Action for Christian Education) Business Meeting** in the orchestra room on April 25 at 7:00 pm. We will review all the activities from the past year, propose the new special projects list for 2019-2020, choose new PACE vice president and secretary, and also have our committee sign-up list available. Remember, any remaining committee openings will be assigned after June 1 to those who have not signed up!
- **Special Lunch Time on April 30 for Grades K-8:** We will be serving a Brown Bag Grab and Go Lunch which will include a Ham-Turkey and Cheese Sub Sandwich on a bun, chips, carrots, clementine and milk. **We will assume you will take the brown bag lunch unless we hear from you. Please notify Nancy Bonnema ([nbonnema@siouxcenterchristian.com](mailto:nbonnema@siouxcenterchristian.com)) no later than April 23 if you do not plan to have your child take this school lunch. NOTE: For those who normally take a lunch from home, you will also need to let Nancy know that they DO NOT plan to take the school sack lunch. If you do not notify her, you will be charged for a lunch on this day.** This is our lunch verification for the day. If you have questions, contact Nancy. Thank you!
- **Trail'Raiser Night 2019** – We first want to **praise God** for the beautiful day He provided for Trail'Raiser Night and for **His amazing and generous provision through ALL of you!!**  
We are still working on final numbers, but are thrilled to report that **OVER \$149,245 (the total value of Price is Right prizes)** was raised to reduce our debt on the building expansion!!  
**SO MANY people worked to make each element of Trail'Raiser Night a success and we just want to thank them for their energy, ideas and hours of work!!**  
**The Price is Right Team:** Vern Eekhoff, Renae Calkhoven, Tracy Eekhoff, Amy Ross, Lorilyn Van Dyke, and Amy Vander Berg  
**Our AMAZING Host & Announcer:** Piet Westerbeek and Ryan De Groot  
**Sound effects, Sound operator, video:** Shauna Vander Kooi, Matt Van Roekel, Marty Vander Plaats. Thanks to Jeremy Mills & Dan Tinklenberg for getting it all set up and to Mark Buss for gathering sound effects.  
**The Price is Right "pre-chosen" Contestants, who together raised \$6,821, which was doubled by the match!** Ted Altena, Jon De Groot, Becca De Vries, Lisa Mouw, Luke Van Den Berg, Sherry Visser. Congrats to Lisa Mouw, who can now cross "WIN The Price is Right" off her lifetime bucket list! :)  
**The Price is Right "models":** Samantha De Weerd, Jessica Walvoort, Kyle Brummel, Peter Kuipers, **and assistants:** Dawn Clemens, Tami Kraayenbrink, Kelli Van Roekel (plus stage decorators Ang Van Essen and Jenn Bullock)  
**All those who donated and interviewed to be a contestant and the 3 who "came on down"!** Glenda Kraayenbrink, Melissa Punt, and Brent Van Maanen.  
**Freewill Supper Team:** Missy Driesen, Janey Boogerd, Melissa Klein, plus all the faculty, staff, and students who served!  
**Thanks also to Sioux County Pork Producers, Purdue, Sioux County Dairy Farmers for your food donations.**  
**Gourmet Cupcakes, Bars & Snack Mixes:** Libby Van Bruggen, Rhonda Van Donge, and Tracy Eekhoff, plus all who took the time to bake the amazing cupcakes, bars, and snack mixes! Everything sold out in 3 hours! **Thanks to Casey's Bakery for donating the containers.**  
**Truth T-shirts:** Angie Jansma, Emily Mulder and Kelli Van Roekel  
**Cherished Chip Clips:** Marg Fedders and Cheryl Haan  
**Trailblazer Treats Concession Stand:** Josh & Christina Johnson, Matt & Karen Van Schouwen  
**Thanks to Mouw Motor for hosting the Ford Drive 4UR School event for us!**

**THANK YOU to the Matching Donors** of Chip Clips (\$14,000 match) and the \$50,000 challenge!

**Also thanks to Howard Rus, Eileen Buiters, Nancy Bonnema and Anita Rens** ...for all the extra work this event adds to their lives!

**Thanks to the board of trustees and to the support of admin and office** ... it is virtually impossible to list every person who helped in some way, but know that we APPRECIATE YOU and THANK YOU!!!

- **Pella Corporation Staff Member of the Month:** There is only a couple of months left for you or your child to nominate a teacher or staff member. Enter your nomination at the following link: [https://www.siuoxcenterchristian.com/editoruploads/files/SXC\\_STAFF\\_OF\\_THE\\_MONTH.pdf](https://www.siuoxcenterchristian.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.
- **Support Staff Openings:** Paraprofessional (full-time for grades 5-8), Paraprofessional (part time for grades 5-8), Paraprofessional (part-time one-to-one support for a kindergarten student. To apply, complete and submit the SCCS Staff Application (located on the SCCS website at <https://www.siuoxcenterchristian.com/glance/employment.cfm>) with all required materials to Josh Bowar, Head of School, at [jbowar@siuoxcenterchristian.com](mailto:jbowar@siuoxcenterchristian.com).
- **Music Teacher Opening:** We are excited to share that Sioux Center Christian School has been selected to participate in a pilot program with Faith Formation Ministries of the Christian Reformed Church. Next year, Mrs. Jill Friend will be spending part of her time focused on growing and implementing our school storyline, chapel, and connection group activities and will also be working on helping the school make stronger connections with homes and churches. This pilot is being partially financially supported through the CRC denomination.

As a result, SCCS is seeking to fill a part-time music teacher position that will cover some of Mrs. Friend's responsibilities. This position would involve teaching vocal music, music appreciation, and music exploratory classes to grades 5-8 for approximately 4-6 hours (6 periods and some practice times) each week. The person hired will assist with the choirs, teach music fundamentals, and instruct classroom instrument ensembles such as drumming, ukulele, and guitar. To apply, complete and submit the SCCS Faculty Application (located on the SCCS website at <https://www.siuoxcenterchristian.com/glance/employment.cfm>) with all required materials to Josh Bowar, Head of School, at [jbowar@siuoxcenterchristian.com](mailto:jbowar@siuoxcenterchristian.com).

- **Looking for a summer job?** Are you 15 or older? Come join us on the summer crew at SCCS. Summer crew will start June 3 and work through August 9. Hours are Monday thru Thursday 8 am – 4 pm and Friday 8 am – noon. We need guys and girls who are willing to work hard. Contact Eileen Buiters 712-578-8624 for more information. Job applications are available on the school website.
- **Outlet 75** is open **weekly on Wednesdays from 11am – 8pm and Thursdays from 11am – 3pm**. We're **looking for volunteers** to help with the "fun work" of hanging & inspecting new clothing and working as cashiers. If you are interested in helping, please complete this form: <https://goo.gl/forms/AIH58hbrKPFdZ1nF3> or contact Kristi Van Wyk, volunteer coordinator, at 712-449-5365 or [info@shopoutlet75.com](mailto:info@shopoutlet75.com)

#### **MOMS IN PRAYER**

This coming Tuesday at Mom's in Prayer, we will be praying for Mrs. Vander Werf and her students. Please join us in covering them in prayer: May \_\_\_\_\_ put aside the deeds of darkness and put on the armor of light. From Romans 13:12b

#### **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.siuoxcenterchristian.com/parents/lunch.cfm](http://www.siuoxcenterchristian.com/parents/lunch.cfm).

#### **REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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