

November 2018

Give Thanks to the Lord

I love fall and Thanksgiving! When I was a teacher, I always loved having the kids talk about what they were thankful for. The most common answers I heard were: family, God, pets, sports, food, shelter, and favorite toys. Those are definitely all things we should be thankful for, but I love asking the follow up questions to those common answers! “What is it you love about your family?” “Tell me something very specific you love about your dog.” Maybe it is how it feels when someone you love gives you a great hug or the feel of comfort when a dog is in your lap. I believe that when we take time to ask our kids to really think about those specific things they love and are thankful for, we help children appreciate the small things and place value on the important things. I myself need to do this often because it truly is the little things that can bring me so much joy!

At NCA, some of the little things I am thankful for is the sound of children laughing in the hallways, watching children sing songs that make Jesus smile, watching a parent when their child has a chance to “shine,” seeing a student try a sport for the first time, watching students work together and problem solve, seeing the joy parents feel when their child has struggled and makes progress, laughing with staff members, watching teachers teach and seeing a child light up because they “get it!” So much joy can be found in these small moments.

I pray that as we move through this month of thanksgiving, that those small moments will shine bright to you and your children. At NCA, we truly are thankful for our amazing students, families, and staff, and all of those precious small moments we get to be a part of. We are thankful for YOU!

In His grip,

Kim DeLeon

NCA Fall Carnival - Friday, November 2nd, 5:30 - 8:00 pm

Carnival Tickets are available at the front desk or you can purchase at the door.

This year we will only be accepting cash and check only.

Carnival Tickets & Food Info:

Meal Tickets: \$5, Meal options are pizza or loaded baked potato

Game Tickets: \$5, 10 punches per ticket.



UPCOMING DATES:

November 2018:

Fall Carnival 5:30-8:00pm	11/2
Veterans Day Assembly 2pm	11/9
Spirit Day - Patriotic R/W/B	11/9
Veterans Day Observed	11/12
Box Top Competition	11/13 - 11/16
Thanksgiving Break	11/21 - 11/23
Passport Testing	11/29

December 2018:

Christmas Program 6:30pm	12/13
Passport Testing	12/13
Spirit Day - Christmas Spirit	12/14
Christmas Break - No School	12/17 - 1/2

NCS ADVISORY COMMITTEE SUGGESTION FORMS

Have some great suggestions for our Campus? Drop a message to our **NCS Advisory Committee**. The Advisory Committee suggestion form is now available on our website under the News & Information tab or you can find a printed form in the NCA Lobby. We look forward to hearing from you!

NEW! SUBMIT STEWARDSHIP HOURS ONLINE



You can now submit your stewardship hours through our website. Go to www.olympiachristianschool.org > Click on the News & Information tab > Click on NCA Family Stewardship Hours located in the Volunteer Opportunities section > Fill out the form and submit. Paper form are still available and may be turned in at the NCA office.

VETERAN'S DAY ASSEMBLY

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 9th @ 2:00pm

Please invite friends and family from our Armed Forces that are Veterans, Active Duty, Reservists, or Retirees so that we can honor them.



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD



We are excited to announce that our entire school will be participating in Operation Christmas Child this year.

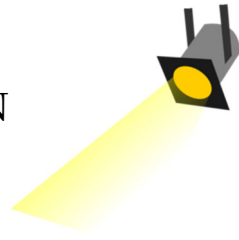
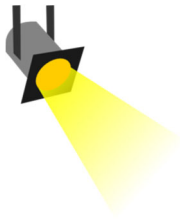
Kickoff begins October 17 for K-8th grades.

Boxes are due November 14th.

Information will be sent home on the day of kickoff.

CAMPUS CLOSED REMINDERS

Campus closed, Monday, November 12th in observance of Veteran's Day and Wednesday, November 21st - Friday, November 23rd for Thanksgiving break.



LIVE THEATER PRODUCTION

December 7th at 6:00pm

December 8th at 2:00pm

in the NCA Chapel

Please join us as we show our support and cheer on our theater program for a fully staged musical production of Annie Kids.

SCHOOL CLOSURE & DELAY INFORMATION

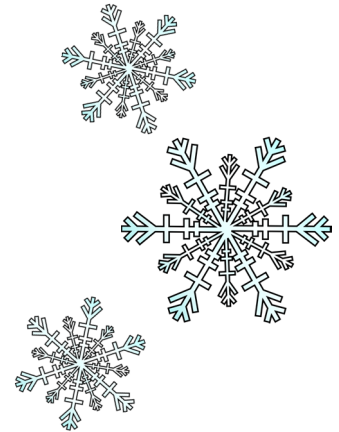
In case of ice, snow, or power outage, tune into:

Facebook: We will have information on our Facebook page, Community Christian Academy, so please “like” our page to stay informed.

Radio: KGY 1240 AM, KMAS 1030 AM, or MIXX 96 FM

TV: Komo TV channel 4, KING TV channel 5, or KIRO TV channel 7.

We will notify these stations if we are closed or have a late start. They usually start broadcasting information about 6:00am.



BOX TOP COMPETITION

NOVEMBER 13 - 16

Please put your child’s name and teacher on the bag and turn them in to their class. The winning class will receive an ice cream celebration.

NCA CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13th @ 6:30pm

Come and enjoy a beautiful performance by our NCA students! We ask that all students attend and wear their best attire. Girls should wear knee-length dresses, boys in dress shirts and ties, and everyone wear Christmas colors.

The Christmas program will be held in the NCA Gym. Students need to arrive at 6:15pm and sit with their teachers.



STATE EMPLOYEE COMBINED FUND DRIVE

Please consider selecting our campus as the organization to receive your Combined Fund Drive contribution.

Please go online to donate: www.cfd.wa.gov NCA’s Code is 0315631.

Thank you for the support!

