

# Fairview Christian School & Child Center "Eagle News"

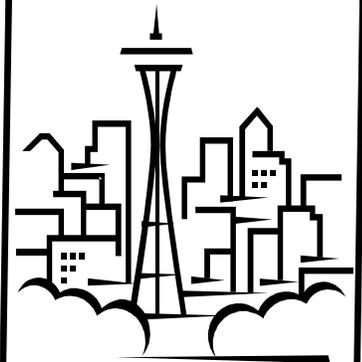
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2010-2011 School Year Theme Verse:

*"The name of the Lord is a strong tower; the righteous run to it and are safe."*

*Proverbs 18:10 (NIV)*



## Calendar Highlights

3/17—Elementary Spring Program K-4  
3/17—Spirit Day St. Patrick's Day, wear green  
3/18—ACSI Speech Meet  
3/31—Science Fair and Spaghetti Dinner  
4/1—End of Third Quarter, noon dismissal (no foolin')  
4/4-4/8—Spring Break/No School—Child Center Open



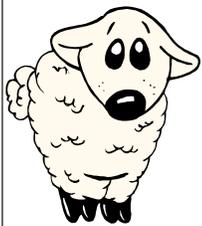
## SCRIP COMING SOON TO FCS...

A great way to support your school without spending an additional penny!



...keep watching your Wednesday packets for more information. Come to the Science Fair Spaghetti Dinner for a Scrip presentation and info session. We will roll out our program soon! (questions? Email [kksandelin@gmail.com](mailto:kksandelin@gmail.com))

## Spring Program



Our Kindergarten—4th grade Spring Program will be held on March 17 at 7p in our Auditorium. This year the students will be presenting a program entitled *"The Lost Sheep."* Please be sure to mark this date on your calendar. (Parents of K—4th grade children: please be sure to have your child in their classroom by 6:45p the evening of the performance, and please bring a plate of cookies to share. Thank you!)

## PTF News / Parent Reminders

- Spring Plant Sale! PTF is planning a plant sale for later this spring. We are going to have the kids plant sunflowers, and then we'll have them available for sale at the end of April/beginning of May. Save some room in your garden! We have a crate at the top of the stairs to collect your extra 4" pots, and we will also gladly accept donations of potting soil. If you have any questions, you can email Tori at [torir2@juno.com](mailto:torir2@juno.com) or Jennifer at [jenlaible@gmail.com](mailto:jenlaible@gmail.com). Thank you!
- The K-4 Spring Program is only weeks away! Please remember to bring a plate of cookies to share at the reception after the performance!
- Coming during Science Fair week: WINDY SCIENCE! Details will blow in as the month goes on!
- The next PTF meeting will be April 12! We hope to see some new faces!
- We are looking for donations of plastic spoons and forks for the lunch room.
- Save the date—On Saturday, May 14, we will have our FCS 25th Anniversary Celebration. More details to come.
- Parents: don't forget to keep track of your School Support hours. You can log hours a few different ways the blue folder in the office, keep track at home then turn them in before the end of June, or email us at [fcs@fcsseattle.org](mailto:fcs@fcsseattle.org). School Support hours requirement—Early childhood, 15 hours; K-8th grade, 30 hours. (per year/per family)

## Training Camp Lock-In 2011

All 6th—8th graders are invited to attend the youth Lock-in event at the Edmonds Church of God, a sister church to Fairview. The pastor is Bob McGuire (husband to Kindergarten teacher Mrs. McGuire)! This will be a fun all-night party with music, games, tons of food and a surprise destination. This event begins Friday, March 11, at 7p and ends Saturday, March 12 at 7a. Cost is \$30 or register and pay by March 10th and the cost will be only \$25. Registration forms are available in the office.

## Eagle of the Month



February

## Eagles of the Week



March 4



## Newsletter Submittal

All items submitted for publication must be in writing. You may email the editor at [eagle\\_news@fcsseattle.org](mailto:eagle_news@fcsseattle.org) or bring your item to the office. Please note that submissions will be reviewed for spelling and grammar. FCS reserves the right to edit any or all items submitted for publication.

## Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser

We are working on the final details for the annual spaghetti dinner. Watch for an email and posters with more details. We still need volunteers who can help with cooking, set-up, serving and clean up. If you would be willing to help, please call the office at 206.526.0762 or email us at [fcs@fcsseattle.org](mailto:fcs@fcsseattle.org). This a great way to earn support hours. Another great way to earn hours and help out is to bake a cake for this event. Cake mixes and frosting will be available in the office starting Monday, March 21. Pick up a mix and frosting, bake a cake and deliver it back to the school by Thursday (3/31).



## AquaSox Reading Program

We are starting the AquaSox reading program soon. Students will have an opportunity to earn prizes and a ticket to a pre-determined game in June. On Wednesday, March 16, at 9:30a we will have a kick-off assembly. Webby the Aquasox mascot will be here to visit!



## from the West Wing

"Therefore, whether we live or die, we are the Lord's." Romans 14: 8b New King James Version

One of my nieces passed away recently, and I was privileged to attend her memorial service this past weekend. Cindy was a remarkable young woman with a passion for Jesus Christ. Although her time on this planet was short - she was just 37 years old and for 20 of those years she was quite ill - she lived her life to make it count for eternity. One sentence written in the memorial folder stated: "Throughout her life, Cindy's purpose has been to know God and serve Him." What a wonderful legacy to leave. And even though she suffered much pain, she had written in one of her many journals "Don't ask God 'Why?' but ask, 'Who is God?' in this situation." Pretty amazing insight for one so young and with, what many would contend, the right to ask "WHY?"

But I believe it was the statement next to a picture of Cindy and given to everyone at the service that has touched my heart and caused me to think deeply about my own commitment to Christ. The statement, in Cindy's own words, is "We can't understand who we are until we understand Whose we are." I truly believe that Cindy understood better than most Whose she was. She knew beyond a shadow of a doubt that she belonged to God and that He was the one she served. It was said during the service that when meeting someone for the first time, Cindy would often say, "I don't need to know who you are, I just need to know whose you are." It was important to Cindy that everyone she met had the opportunity to

meet Jesus Christ and enter into a relationship with Him.

Personally, I also understand Whose I am. I too belong to God and He is the one I serve. How about you? Do you ever wonder who you are? Do you ever ask why? If you have ever found yourself asking those important questions, let me challenge you to consider finding out whose you are. If you have never entered into a relationship with God through His only Son Jesus Christ, I would encourage you to do so today; and by doing so you will be able to say with confidence, "I belong to God and it is He that I serve." Don't put it off; because once you know whose you are, you will know who you are.

Knowing Whose I am,  
Mrs. West