

"He only is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be shaken."

Psalm 62:6

#### **All-School News**

Parkview Parents - Re-enrollment for existing families of Parkview Christian Academy opened on February 2nd. You should have received an email last week with a link for re-enrollment. Be sure to follow the link. You DO NOT need to complete a new application. If you are planning to enroll your child for the 2015-2016 school year at Parkview Christian Academy, keep in mind that some grades will fill quickly, even prior to open enrollment, and you are advised to enroll as soon as it is open. This will ensure your child's spot.

**Legacy Banquet –** Save the date for our annual Legacy Banquet. It will be a great time to fellowship with other Parkview families while enjoying a great meal, a live and silent auction, and a wonderful program. Plan to join us on April 25<sup>th</sup> from 4:30-9:30 p.m. at Helmar Lutheran Church (our Jr/Sr High Campus) located at 11935 Lisbon Road, Newark, IL. If you know of any businesses that may want to donate items for our live or silent auction, please contact Manda Zappia at <a href="mailto:mzappia@parkivewchristian.net">mzappia@parkivewchristian.net</a>. PCA thanks you for your support.

**Geography Bee –** The Geography Bee was held on February 3<sup>rd</sup> for Parkview students. The champion of the Parkview Christian Academy's National Geographic Bee will advance to the next level of competition, a written examination to determine state competitors. All school champions are eligible to win the national championship and its first prize, a \$50,000 college scholarship, at the national championship May 11-13, 2015 in Washington D.C. Here are the results of the Parkview Christian Academy Geographic Bee: Second & Third Grade: Joanna Oudyn - winner, Natalia Munoz – runner up; Fourth – Eighth Grade: Zach Kaus – winner, Emilio Ramos – runner up. Zach has submitted a written test. The top scorers will proceed to the state competition In Springfield the end of March.

**Box Tops For Education Volunteers Needed-** Parkview Christian Academy is currently in need of two parent volunteers to be Box Top Coordinators for our school. We are also looking for one parent volunteer to be our Labels for Education Coordinator. Please contact Manda in the office at 630-553-5158 or by e-mail at mzappia@parkviewchristian.net if you are interested.

**Box Tops/100**<sup>th</sup> **Day of School -** The 100th day of school is coming up. Consider counting out Box Tops and tape or glue 10 to the attached sheet. Once you have completed the sheet, please turn in to your child's teachers. Please be sure to check expiration dates :-). Thank you for your support.

**Calendar for 2015-2016** – Please see important dates for 2015-2016 school year below.

**Health Policy** – Our Handbook states that children running a temperature of 100 degrees or more, vomiting or having diarrhea, and children who have "pink eye" must be free from the fever, vomiting, diarrhea or pink eye for 24 hours before returning to school.

Inclement Weather - BIG CHANGE at the Emergency Closing Center- There will no longer be a public phone number for employees/students etc. to call to check. Following are the ways to find out whether a facility has a delay or closure. Go to <a href="https://www.emergencyclosingcenter.com/complete.htm">www.emergencyclosingcenter.com/complete.htm</a> and search for the facility by Parkview Christian Academy and Yorkville or by our phone number which is 630-688-9773. You can receive an e-mail notification of a change made to our facility by signing up on the website at <a href="www.emergencyclosings.com">www.emergencyclosings.com</a>. Then listen to WGN Radio 720-AM, WBBM Radio 780-AM or watch CBS Ch. 2, NBC Ch. 5, ABC Ch. 7, FOX 32, WGN-TV Ch. 9 or CLTV cable for closing information.

## Jr/Sr High News

**Spelling Bee -** On Thursday and Friday of this week students participated in an in-class spelling bee. I would like to recognize our first and second place winners: 7th grade- Ethan Rowe, Hannah West; 8th grade- Courtney Schofield, Zach Kaus; 9th grade- Jonathan Klecka, Fulton Archbold; 10th grade- Jack Swenson, Ricky Rebollo; 11th and 12th- Christen Goeken, Mary Swenson

### **Athletic Dates**

February 6 <sup>th</sup> -	High School Team Pictures right after school High School Game at Helmar vs. Marquette Manor at 4:30
	Girls' Game at Families of Faith at 4:15
February 9 <sup>th</sup> -	Girls' Game at HSRC – Monee at 4:30
	High School Game at HSRC – Monee at 5:30
February 10 <sup>th</sup> -	Girls' Game at PCA vs. Covenant at 4:15
February 12 <sup>th</sup> -	Girls' Game at PCA vs. Crossroads at 4:15
-	High School Game at Helmar vs. Somonauk at 5:00
February 17 <sup>th</sup> -	Girls' Game at Newark at 4:15
February 19th -	Girls' Game at PCA vs. Rogers Magnet at 4:15
February 23 <sup>rd</sup> -	Girls' Game at PCA vs. Crossroads – A Game at 4:15
•	Girls' Game at PCA vs. Crossroads – B Game at 5:15
February 24 <sup>th</sup> -	Girls' Game at Trinity at 5:15

# February 26<sup>th</sup> - Girls' Game at PCA vs. Covenant at 4:15

### **Upcoming Dates**

February 13 - Kindergarten & 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Field Trip
 February 16 - NO SCHOOL - President's Day

• February 19 – Taste of at 6:00 p.m.

• February 26 – Open House from 6:00-7:30 p.m.

March 10 - Sports Banquet (Soccer, Basketball & Cheerleading)

March 13 - End of Quarter – 1:30 dismissal

## Important Dates for 2015-2016

August 25 – First Day of School

September 7 – NO SCHOOL - Labor Day October 12- NO SCHOOL – Columbus Day November 24 - 1:30 Dismissal – Thanksgiving

November 25-27 - Thanksgiving Break

December 18 - 1:30 Dismissal – Christmas

December 19-Jan. 3 Christmas Break

January 18 - NO SCHOOL – Martin Luther King Jr. Day

February 15 - NO SCHOOL – President's Day March 18 - 1:30 Dismissal – Easter Break

March 19-28 - Easter Break

May 27 - 1:30 Dismissal Last Day of School