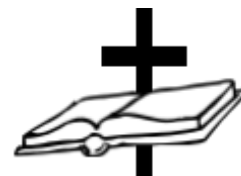


Sanborn Christian School Homenote

May 4, 2023



Dear Parents,

Attention: Parents please watch the calendar, emails and schedule of events closely these last few weeks of school (only 3 left!) as it is a very busy time of year. We will try to keep you aware of any changes as they occur. Thank You!

Job Opportunities: Sanborn Christian School is actively seeking applicants for the following vacancies for the upcoming 2023 – 2024 school year:

- Part-time school secretary/administrative assistant
- Part-time preschool aide

If you are interested in these positions, or would like more information, please contact Mr. Anthony Minderhoud, Principal at sanchr@sanbornchristian.com or call the office at 729-3288.

All-School Chapel: Our next All-School Chapel is scheduled for Thursday, May 11. Please have your student(s) wear their theme shirts that day.

Blessing Baskets Service Project: As a final service project for the 2022-2023 school year, we would like to create Blessing Baskets to bless some important people in our school. We will be collecting some fun snacks, drinks, or personal items and putting together baskets to share with our janitors, cooks, bus drivers, librarians, volunteer Grandmas, secretary, and school board members. We are asking SCS students and families to consider donating a small gift that students can bring to their disciple group until May 18 when we will be assembling the baskets. Each disciple group has a list of names that they will be bringing items in for, so make sure to ask your students about that! Help us thank these important members of our school by being a blessing and sharing the love of Christ. If you have any questions, please contact your students' disciple group teacher.

Monday, May 15 @ 7:00 pm @ SCS gym, we are planning on connecting with Rachel Wilcinot (mother of a 3rd and 1st grader at SCS, and family medicine physician in Sibley) regarding the rise of fentanyl in this geographical area. We are anticipating a 45 minute presentation and conversation (approximately) about fentanyl, candy fentanyl, how to keep people safe, and what to watch out for before summer vacation hits, as police keep seeing more and more of it in this area. This presentation is open to both parents and students of all ages.

Auxiliary Ladies - all moms of kindergarten through 8th grade! **DATE CHANGE!** Our final auxiliary meeting of the school year is scheduled for **Tuesday, May 9 at 7:30.** Please plan on attending...this is the meeting where we elect committee members and vote on fundraisers for the 2023-24 school year. Absentee ballots will be available in the school office for anyone who is unable to attend. Be looking for a separate email with all the Auxiliary information included soon!

Sioux Center Track Meet: The track meet hosted by Sioux Center is scheduled for **May 17 at Dordt University!** **School will be dismissed at 11:00 am that day. No lunch will be served and buses will run their normal routes.** **All track students (5th-8th) need to find their own driving arrangements to and from the event – there will be no bus going to the track meet.**

NICSTO Applications: For those who would like to send in an application for the NICSTO program, the applications will be due to the office no later than Thursday, June 1. These applications must be based upon tax information and must be accompanied with a copy of the 1040 to be considered. Families who have children in grades K through 8th are eligible for NICSTO. The application and income guidelines can be found in March's School Bell. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Minderhoud.

Last Day of School: The last day of school for the 2022-2023 school year will be **May 26 with an early dismissal at 11:30 am.** Buses will run regular routes – No Lunch.

Attention Kindergarten Parents: The last day of school is on Friday, May 26 which is not a normal kindergarten day, but Mrs. Alons would like them to join us that day! We will be having an all-school chapel that morning and will be dismissed at 11:30! If you have any questions please contact Mrs. Alons

Memorial Day Program: Sanborn Christian will be hosting the community Memorial Day program on Monday, May 29. The program will begin at 10:00 am and will last about an hour. The 4th-8th graders will be singing a vocal number and the 5th-8th grade band will also be performing two pieces. We are asking all 4th-8th graders to attend this event. Also, we would love to have high school and college alumni, parents, and community members join our band! Please let the school or Mrs. Schreur know if you would be interested in playing with us. We will practice that morning at 9:15 am.

Summer Cleaning Schedule: All parents with students currently in grades K-8 are assigned a night to help with cleaning. Preschool parents do not need to help with this. A copy of the cleaning schedule will be emailed and handed out soon. Please make sure to watch for that. Reminder: If you are unable to work your scheduled shift, please switch with another family. Thanks for your cooperation.

Lost and Found: Tables are set up by the cafeteria, please take some time during these last few weeks to look through them to see if anything is yours. Whatever is left at the end of the school year will be donated to Justice For All!

SCS Cookbooks!! Don't forget that there are still copies of the Signature Addition (2008/2009) SCS Cookbooks for sale in the office...2/\$5.00! Make sure to stock up on these, as they make great bridal/wedding gifts.

Class Trips: Friday, May 12, the students will be going on their class trips (preschool and kindergarten will be going on Thursday, May 11). Please have your student(s) wear their theme shirts that day! Make sure that they are dressed appropriate for the weather, since it may be cool in the morning and warmer in the afternoon. If you have any questions or have not received any information regarding their class trip, please contact his/her teacher. An email will be sent out before May 11 with a list of the drivers for each of the class trips, make sure to watch for that! Here is a list of where each class is going:

- Preschool (Thursday, May 11): Van Ess Dairy
- Kindergarten (Thursday, May 11): Sioux Falls Zoo
- 1st Grade: Launch Pad & Palmer Candy Co.
- 2nd Grade: Washington Pavilion
- 3rd Grade: Lake Pahoja
- 4th Grade: Pipestone
- 5th Grade: Oak Grove
- 6th Grade: Twin Lakes Christian Center
- 7th Grade: Sioux Falls
- 8th Grade: Des Moines

Tuition Reminder: As the school year draws to a close, please remember that tuition for the 2022-2023 school year is due before the fiscal year ends. Thank you for your prayerful attention to this matter. If you need to make arrangements to pay your tuition balance, please contact a finance committee member (Jon Hoogers, Jon Covey or Andy Prins).

JMC: We encourage parents to continue to log in to JMC throughout the 2022-2023 school year to stay up to date with your student's progress. Parents who have students in grades 5-8 are encouraged to set missing work and/or grade alerts for their students, if that would be a potential concern for you. If you have any questions about JMC or need help with your login, please contact the office.

Lunch: Just a heads up that menus are subject to change due to weather or product availability. Also, if you wish to eat lunch with your child at school, please contact the school by 9:00 am that morning. Thank You!

SCS Apparel Donation Bin: Do you have some Sanborn Christian Apparel that is just sitting in your kid's drawers or hanging in their closets that no longer fit and have NO idea what to do with them?? Bring

them into our new SCS Apparel Donation Bin! This is a great way for families to hand down their gently used SCS apparel to other students - free of charge! And don't forget to take a look through the bin to see if there's anything that would work for your family!

Summer Fundraisers - Save the Dates: Sanborn Christian's Golf/Steak is scheduled for Saturday, June 24 (the registration form is attached to this week's homenote email) and the 5K is scheduled for Saturday, July 22. Make sure to mark these on your calendars!

NEXT WEEK'S LUNCH MENU:

Monday: Hot Ham & Cheese, French Fries, Pears
Tuesday: Crisпитos, Spanish Rice, Corn, Pineapple
Wednesday: Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes, Dinner Roll, Applesauce
Thursday: Hamburger/Brat, Chips, Potato Salad, Banana
Friday: Field Trip Day - No Lunch

Scrip News:

Orders will be ready for pick up after 9 am Friday and going home with students!
Next order May 8



Shop and earn BIG with eGift card bonuses

Stock up on eGift cards and reloaded gift cards now and earn on all your upcoming projects and plans.

Things to know:

- Limited-time bonuses, May 4 - 5 only
- Bonuses apply exclusively to eGift cards and reloaded gift cards
- Participants must have an online account to participate

Graduation is right around the corner!

Check out these brands with gift cards available for \$10 and under.

McDonald's, Amazon, Starbucks, Walmart, Bath & Body, Target, Subway, Barnes & Noble, Pizza Hut, Dairy Queen, Pizza Ranch.

For a complete list, check RaiseRight.com or the app!

Email Order Form- Our email order is still not working from a web browser. Orders may work from a mobile device. We are still working on figuring out why it is not working from the web browsers.

You can email orders directly to scrip@sanbornchristian.com with your name and family # in the subject. Thank you for your patience while we figure this out!

Changes to Kohl's- Kohl's physical gift cards and eGift cards are temporarily unavailable from RaiseRight, effective immediately. You can continue to use all Kohl's gift cards and eGift cards previously purchased from RaiseRight in Kohl's stores and on Kohl's.com. Kohl's physical gift cards and eGift cards should be available to order from RaiseRight later this week. **THESE NEW CARDS CANNOT BE APPLIED TO KOHL'S CHARGE CARD ACCOUNT BALANCES.** If you have any questions about Kohl's Charge Card account balances, please contact Kohl's Customer Service at 800-564-5740.

Reminder: Online orders must be **submitted by 5pm on Monday's**, and **payment** must be dropped off by **9am on Tuesday!**

Reminder: Please double check your orders as soon as you receive them to make sure everything is correct. If you find an error with your order, please notify me immediately so I can do my best to get it corrected for you!

Scrip Order Dates: (Dates may change, watch email.)

- May 8, 15, 22, 29 (*Orders placed on May 29, will need to be put in the drop box at School!*)
- June 12, 19, 26 (*No order June 5*)
- July 10, 17, 24, 31 (*No order July 3*)
- Aug 7, 14, 21, 28

Bonuses

Home Depot- 8% (4%)
Starbucks- 6.5% (4.5%)
Ulta- 9% (7%)
Old Navy/Gap- 18% (14%)
Panera- 13% (8%)
Airbnb- 8% (5%)
Bath & Body- 19% (12%)
Buffalo Wild Wings- 12% (8%)
TJ Maxx/Marshalls- 9% (7%)
Subway- 7.5% (4.5%)
Kwik Star- 7% (4%)
Texas Roadhouse- 10% (8%)
Arby's- 12% (8%)
Shutterfly- 16% (9%)
Pizza Ranch- 11% (8%)

Don't forget the ship to home option that is available for some gift cards!
Check out Raiseright.com or the RaiseRight app for a complete listing of bonuses!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

May 8	G/B Soccer vs. Hull @ Miller Park - 4:00 pm
May 8	3rd Grade to Hospital (12:45-3:15)
May 11	Preschool/Kindergarten Field Trip Day
May 11	All-School Chapel - wear theme shirts
May 12	Field Trip Day
May 15	Fentanyl Presentation in gym @ 7:00 pm
May 15	G/B Soccer vs. RVCS @ Miller Park - 4:00 pm

May 17	Track Meet (SCCS/Dordt) - All-School Dismissal @ 11:00 am
May 19	G/B Soccer @ Hull PR - 4:00 pm
May 24	8th Grade Graduation @ Sanborn CRC - 7:00 pm
May 26	Last Day of School - Dismiss @ 11:30 am
May 26	Last All-School Chapel for 22.23 School Year - wear theme shirts
May 29	Memorial Day Program @ SCS. We need students to attend.
June 24	Golf/Steak Supper
July 22	5K Race

Sincerely,

Anthony Minderhoud, Administrator