

# Legacy Link



## General Announcements

- **School will be closed for Winter Break** on Friday, Feb. 16, and Monday, Feb. 19.
- **Please note** there will be **NO KENTWOOD BUSING** on Tuesday, Feb. 20.
- **Caberfae Ski Trip is this FRIDAY**, Feb. 16! Lift tickets and rentals will be available starting at 9:30 am in the Blackmer Lodge. We are still in need of some parents to help with food, wrap the BBQ and hotdogs, and keep the snack table stocked. Would you be willing to give an hour or two of your time? Sign up today: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0d44a8aa2ba13-caberfae2>. Please contact Kim Zwyghuizen if you have any questions, at 455-3860. See you Friday!
- **Hot lunch forms for March** were sent home yesterday. They are due back by Tuesday, Feb. 20!
- **Parent Teacher Conferences**—will be held Thursday, Feb. 15, from 5:00-7:30 pm. All conferences for elementary and west campus are held in the elementary.
- **Did you know the school skating party is a fundraiser?** From every paying participant, Legacy receives \$3! Come and enjoy a FUN night with friends and help raise money for our school! It's a win-win! See you there!
- **March is Reading Month!** 2018 Whitecaps Reading Club will be starting soon. This season marks the 25th Anniversary of the West Michigan Whitecaps. Lots of exciting giveaways are lined up for this season. Get your reading in and go see the Caps battle for another pennant! More information coming soon. Contact Kevin Novak if you have questions; 616-304-7390 or grthunder.gameday@gmail.com
- **Iowa Tests of Basic Skills will be administered** to students in grades 3-8 during testing periods on Feb. 26-March 9. 3V will be tested Feb. 26-March 9. 3/4H will be tested Feb. 26-March 2. 4VW will be tested March 5-9. 5th-6th will be tested Feb. 26-March 2 and 7th-8th will be tested March 5-9. During these testing days we encourage all students to be in school regularly, eat and sleep properly, and come to school ready to do their best. Parents are encouraged to not schedule medical/dental appointments for your children during the testing days. Students who are ill and miss school for a portion of the test will either be able to catch up when they return or complete the tests during a special testing session. Parent copies of all test results will be sent home with end-of-the-year report cards.

## JOB OPENINGS AT LEGACY!

**Long-Term Substitute Spanish Teacher:** Dutton Christian and Legacy Christian Schools are seeking a full-time substitute teacher in the area of elementary Spanish from April 9, 2018 to June 8, 2018. This shared time teaching position (Caledonia Community Schools) is split between our two schools. Qualified candidates will have current Michigan certification and the ability to teach elementary Spanish. Being EduStaff certified is strongly encouraged. Because it is a substitute position, a Spanish endorsement is not a requirement. Interested candidates seeking more information are encouraged to contact Mr. Dan Netz at [dnetz@duttonchristianschool.org](mailto:dnetz@duttonchristianschool.org) or Mr. Vince Bonnema at [vbonnema@legacycs.org](mailto:vbonnema@legacycs.org).

**Educational Support Services Teacher:** Legacy Christian School has an opening for a part-time (.5 fte) educational support services teacher for the 2018-2019 school year. Qualified applicants will have a B.A. or M.A. in Special Education and a current Michigan teaching certificate. Applicants are encouraged to access our teacher application form under the "contact us" tab at [www.legacycs.org](http://www.legacycs.org). Completed applications should be submitted to Vince Bonnema ([vbonnema@legacycs.org](mailto:vbonnema@legacycs.org)).

## UPCOMING DATES AND EVENTS

### FEBRUARY

15	Parent Teacher Conferences (5:00-7:30 pm)
16	Caberfae Ski Trip
16&19	<b>NO SCHOOL—MID WINTER BREAK</b>
20	School Resumes
<b>20</b>	<b>NO KENTWOOD BUSING</b>
20	Hot Lunch Forms Due
<b>22</b>	<b>Spanish Immersion Parent Info night</b>
26	Iowa Basic Testing

## SPANISH IMMERSION PARENT INFORMATION MEETING

Are you or someone you know interested in learning more about Legacy's Spanish Immersion Program? Please spread the news that LCS is hosting an information night about our wonderful Spanish Immersion Program on Thursday, Feb. 22, at 7:00 pm! Come join our fantastic Spanish Immersion teachers as they discuss the program and answer any questions that you may have! We hope to see you there!

### AUCTION NEWS!

Many Legacy families are self-employed or work for wonderful family minded companies. Do you have a product or service that your company provides that you may be able to donate to the Legacy auction? This is a wonderful way to promote your company and support our great school. Donation forms and donation letters are available in both offices.

### RUNNING CLUB

The Legacy Running Club is in need of volunteers to lead it this year. This wonderful program for boys and girls in 3rd-5th grades runs for about 9 weeks leading up to the Calvin 5k. The whole program is laid out and was shared with us by Byron Christian. It includes long runs with maps for routes and games for strength and speed. If you would be interested in helping to continue this program, please contact Marci Woodfield or Robyn Arp.

### "Lookin' At Legacy" Preview Days are coming soon!

Do you want your child to SHINE? At Legacy Christian we will teach your child to SHINE socially, academically and most importantly, spiritually. We invite you to consider Legacy Christian School! We will be offering a Preview day one day per month in March, April and May. This is a "walk-in" type preview where you and your child may come to see our Preschool, Developmental Kindergarten, Traditional Kindergarten and Spanish Immersion Kindergarten "in action". You will have the opportunity to meet the teachers, observe the classroom and learn more about what Legacy has to offer for your child's first experiences in school. Mark these dates on your calendar and explore what Legacy has to offer for your child's first experiences in school! Join us on Tuesday, March 6, from 9:30-10:30 am, Friday, April 13, from 9:00-10:00 am (come and experience our Worship at 8:15, too!) or Wednesday, May 9, from 9:30-10:30 am. Questions? Please contact Kim Zwyghuizen at 616-455-3860 or email her at kimz@legacycs.org.

### ELEMENTARY NEWS AND NOTES

- **Weekly Worship**—(Fridays 8:15) **Feb. 16—No School/Winter Break NEXT: Feb. 23—All School Small Groups**
- **Legacy Christian is STILL ACCEPTING REGISTRATIONS** for Preschool, Developmental Kindergarten, Kindergarten and Spanish Immersion Kindergarten for the fall of 2018! We offer preschool for 3 & 4 year olds, a 1/2 day morning DK program for "young" fives, a 5-day full-day kindergarten and a 5-day full-day Spanish Immersion kindergarten. Days and class times vary for each class. Call the office today for more information, to schedule a visit, or with any questions you may have. We look forward to exploring God's world with your child and celebrating their God given talents!

### WEST CAMPUS NEWS AND NOTES

- **IPOD Worship: Feb.14—Mrs. Hoekzema NEXT: Feb. 23—All school small groups**
- **West Campus Worship: Feb. 14—Large Group Next: Feb. 23—All school small groups**
- **SKI CLUB (6th, 7th, & 8th graders):** We will be heading to Bittersweet on March 1. If you are interested in going with us, make sure that you sign up on the Signup Genius site no later than the Monday before we go (so we can make sure we have enough drivers). Here is the link to sign up: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0d44a8ab22a64-lcsski2>. You can also sign up by contacting Pam Schumaker through text or e-mail: 616-788-9910; theschu-crew@comcast.net.
- **Legacy is looking for a track coach for the 2018** season, for the 6th-8th grades. Please pass the word to anyone who would be interested. All inquiries should contact Elly TerBeek at eterbeek@legacycs.org.

### MIDDLE SCHOOL SPORTS SCHEDULE

#### 7TH GRADE GIRLS BASKETBALL

FEB. 14	BYRON CHR	HOME (4:00)
FEB. 15	ADAMS CHR	AWAY (4:00)

#### 8TH GRADE GIRLS BASKETBALL

FEB. 14	HOPE	AWAY (4:00)
FEB. 21	HUDSONVILLE	AWAY (4:00)

### **TRASH FOR CASH**

Turn in all your labels. The deadline is fast approaching! BoxTops do expire. We don't want to miss out on the cash for LCS!

Please remember the collection bins by either office are for Trash for Cash labels only. The little labels get lost when put in with the larger terracycle items!

A check for almost \$200 was received from the Coke Give program! Keep those codes coming in!

Reference sheets can be found in either office. Questions? Feel free to contact me, Sheri Albrecht, by email (kuip13@hotmail.com) or via the Facebook parent page.

### **MOMS IN PRAYER**

Friday morning we will meet at 8:45 am, in the conference room at the elementary to pray for our kids, our school and the staff and board members.

We are going back to meeting EVERY Friday for the rest of the school year. Come when you can. You're always welcome. Our faithful Monday evening few will still be praying so if you want to join them, Gina Huizingh or Heidi Vanderlaan can get you in touch with them. Matthew 18:20 "For where two or three gather in my name, there I am with them."

### **TERRACYCLE**

TerraCycle is offering lots of ways to earn BONUS money in February and March. Every shipment of CEREAL/CRACKER bags earns extra money! (We already sent in one box.) The FEBREZE Air Care Brigade and the CLEANING Brigade are having a contest and awarding \$50 bonuses to top collectors. (Last time they ran this contest we were a top earner - We can do this!) We can also earn bonus money for sending in our first FLONASE shipment. This is extra money they will send us, in addition to the money that they already pay us for our trash!

Brigade Spotlight: Cleaning Brigade. This brigade accepts: pumps, caps, triggers, pouches and flexible cleaner product packaging of ALL brands and ALL types of CLEANING products. (Please note: The actual bottle CANNOT be TerraCycled. This brigade only collects the top or trigger.) So the next time you empty your dish washing liquid, clothes detergent, window cleaner, bathroom cleaner or use the last disinfecting wipe, make sure to TerraCycle the top! We are all cleaning and disinfecting our houses right now - when you use up your wipes, Lysol and other cleaners, be sure to TerraCycle the top.

### **TRIP**

We are back to our normal schedule with TRIP!

- Thursday Cash and Carry, from 7:45-10:00 am, at the west campus TRIP office.
- Thursday orders—Your TRIP order form and check need to be in one of the TRIP boxes by 10:00 am on Thursdays. You can pick up your order the following Thursday, after 9:30 am, at the school office you have designated on your registration form.

If you want information on how TRIP works or how to sign up for TRIP, please contact Melody Newhouse (243-6472) or email legacytrip@sbcglobal.net. You can find a copy of the TRIP order form on the Legacy website under "Current Parents" heading, then click on "TRIP".

## REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **SCHS Summer Football Camp (Grades K-8):** The SCHS football camp will take place this summer on June 11-14. This camp is perfect for those who already play football and would like to improve their skills or for those who have never played before. Regardless of your experience level, we would love to see you there. Contact Josh Rozema with any questions. His email is jrozema@schs.org and his cell number is 616-405-8277.
- **St. Paul the Apostle School** is hosting a 3:3 basketball tournament on Sunday, March 11, at Catholic Central's Athletic Complex, 2770 Knapp St. NE, Grand Rapids. This event is for girls and boys grades 4th - 8th Grade. Click here for the registration <http://www.stpaulhoopstourney.com> or contact Sean Trudeau at strudeau84@gmail.com. Applications and payment must be submitted online no later than March 2, 2018.
- **Byron Center Christian** will be holding their 9th annual 3 on 3 tournament on Saturday, March 24, at South Christian High School. The event is for girls and boys grades 3rd-8th grade. Click here for the [registration form](#) or contact tournament director Carla Fles at carla.fles@gmail.com. Deadline to register is March 8.
- **Baton twirling classes available** for ages 4-16 starting Feb. 15. Students can earn ribbons, medals, and trophies! Students will also have the opportunity to march in parades. Call (616) 460-1747, e-mail athleticens@aol.com, or visit us on our website at [www.athleticsensations.com](http://www.athleticsensations.com) for more information.
- **Electronics Recycling Day for Comprenew**—Saturday, Feb. 24, from 9:00-11:00 am, at Princeton CRC. Any office or household electronics which contain a cord are accepted. Suggested items: Cell phones, microwaves, radios, VCRs, small kitchen appliances, laptops, PCs, and modems.
- **Kentwood Baseball League**—Player registration is going on for the 2018 Season. Boys and girls ages 5-15 are eligible to play. Register online at [www.kentwoodbaseballleague.net](http://www.kentwoodbaseballleague.net). Registration ends March 1.