



Our Mission: Calvary Episcopal School is dedicated to developing the whole child by building a foundation for excellence within a Christian environment.

January 4, 2005

What's Up at Calvary?

Happy New Year!

The CES faculty and staff hope that you and your family had a wonderful Christmas and New Year break. As we begin the third quarter of the school year, it is obvious that our school calendar is filling with many exciting activities for the spring. The first major event of the new semester will be the CPTO annual Dinner and Auction. You will certainly want to mark your calendar for Feb. 4 and join everyone for the fun at Safari Texas!



Prospective Student Open House

You may know friends and neighbors who are looking for a different school setting in the fall, 2005 for their child. Our evening Prospective Student Open House will be on January 27, 2005 at 7pm in the church. There will also be a school day Open House on February 3, 2005, 8am-3pm. This is a great time to hear about our school, meet teachers, review programs and curriculum and have an opportunity to register early. One of our grade levels is full this year, and it is very likely that some grade levels next year will have limited spaces. And, just so you know...the Lamar, Fort Bend and Katy school districts all dropped in the Texas Education Administration rating system from "Recognized" to "Acceptable." As you know...at CES, acceptable...isn't!

Honor Roll Chapel

As the new quarter begins, it is time to recognize those students who earned eligibility to the second quarter honor roll. Report Cards will be distributed (and mailed to middle school students)

on Tuesday, Jan.

11. Our Honor Roll Chapel will be on

Friday, Jan. 14. All

students are

required to wear

Dress Uniforms.



Early Dismissals and Parent Conferences

There will be two early dismissals in January: Jan. 14 and Jan. 28.

Students will be released at 11:30.

These early dismissals are for parent conferences. Teachers are contacting parents to set up a conference during one of these early dismissal times, or at a time of convenience.

Spelling Bee

It is almost time for the annual CES Spelling Bee. The winner from this bee advances to the Fort Bend County Bee. The Spelling Bee will be after chapel on Thursday, Jan. 13. Parents and friends are invited. Congratulations to the following classroom winners



who will be competing: 2nd Gr., **Adrian Wiedenfeld** and **Chris Bruer**; 3rd Gr.; **Isaiah Blair** and **Christina Clark**; 4th

Gr. **Taylor Burke** and **Chandler Warren**; 5th Gr. **Doug Webb** and **Jeffery Peck**; 6th Gr. **Gabriella Pawelek** and **Rachel Gonzales**; 7th Gr. **Dan Pepin** and **Justin Jones**; 8th Gr. **Andrew Bronkhorst** and **Denys Herfort**.

Looking For Extended Day Workers

The extended day program has openings for a program supervisor and workers. The supervisor must be at least twenty-one, and have previous successful experience working with youth (ages 4-14). Both positions require that applicants submit to background checks and complete "Safeguarding God's Children" training. Director hours are from 11:30am-6:00pm except on Wednesdays, with hours of 3:00pm-6:00pm. Worker hours are 3:00pm-6:00pm daily. Anyone interested should contact Malcolm Smith at 281-342-3161.

From Calvary Church...Faith Alive Weekend

A note from Terrie Joiner...As you know, Calvary Church is holding its Faith Alive weekend this Friday through Sunday. It is a very important weekend for all of us attending. In order for the parishioners to be able to participate in all the activities, we are looking for some volunteers to help out with serving meals (about 5 people per meal) and assistance with the little ones. The meals will be done for the most part, but we need help in serving and preparing those last minute items. If you have a friend or a teen who can help, please feel free to bring them along as well. As for the children, we'll need someone to provide assistance Friday evening from approx. 8 - 9:30 PM and then Saturday from 9:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. and again 6:00 - 9:30 PM. Also, on Sunday we could use someone to watch the kids while we have the follow-up meeting from 12:30 until approx. 2:30 or 3:00. Those helping with the children will

need to have gone through the "Safeguarding God's Children" program.

I know how precious time is, especially weekend time, but if you can help, please, please let me know. This is an excellent opportunity for our school to work hand in hand with our church. Thank you, in advance, for taking the time to consider helping. If you can help we would greatly appreciate it, and I for one will be there for you when you need help. To receive a schedule, please email Terrie Joiner at tjoiner@ces-richmond.org. You will need to be here an hour before serving time.

COMING UP AT CALVARY

(Our Official School Calendar can be found on our website at www.ces-richmond.org.)

Tuesday, Jan. 4-Quarter 3 begins.

Wednesday, Jan. 5-National Geographic Bee Prelims, Middle School.

Thursday, Jan. 6- National Geographic Bee Finals, Middle School.

Tuesday, Jan. 11-Report Cards; Boys Basketball, HCYA @ CES (home school)

Friday, Jan. 14-Honor Roll Chapel; Dress Uniforms Required; Early Dismissal, 11:30 (No lunches served); Extended Day begins at 11:30.