



Eastern Christian Elementary School Home Bulletin

“Engaging the Mind, Nurturing the Spirit, Transforming the World!”

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Next Week at a Glance:

- Mon., May 23:** TRIP due at any school office by 9am sharp
ECES Field Day – 10-20am– 1:45pm
- Tues., May 24:** 8:30 am – Patriotic Chapel – Presented by Grade 4
- Wed., May 25:** Cookie Day - \$.25 or 25 Box Top for Education Coupons
Healthy Snack – Lightly Salted Popcorn
- Thurs., May 26:** **Spirit Day** – Wear your EC shirt or school colors
Grade 1 Field Trip
- Fri., May 27:** **No School** – No snow day

Message from the Principal, Mrs. Sandra Bottge:

It’s hard to believe how quickly this year has gone by. In these last 3½ weeks of school, students are often counting down the days until summer vacation. It’s important for us to continue to run with perseverance before we cross the finish line of this school year.

We have many special events planned for the end of the year. Please mark your calendars:

- May 30: No School – Memorial Day
- May 31: Violin Chapel
- June 2: Gr. 1 field trip
- June 2: 4th Grade visit to ECMS
- June 3: Preschool Picnic
- June 3: Kindergarten Grandfriends’ Day
- June 6: Gr. 4 Spring Lake Day
- June 7: Praise Chapel
- June 9: Healthbarn Assembly
- June 13: Kindergarten Splash Day
- June 14: 4th Grade Promotion Chapel
- June 14: Preschool Graduation
- June 16: Last day of school – ½ day

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PTO News:

- **Funds2Org:** Please look for the flyer being sent home in Friday folders!
- **2016-2017 PTO Openings:** The following positions will be open next year: President, Vice President, and Secretary. If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Michelle Lazor at lazormish@hotmail.com.

TRIP News:

TRIP Schedule: Monday orders will be accepted in any school office by 9 a.m. on the following dates: May 23, June 6. We **will** accept TRIP orders on Tuesday, May 31. The TRIP Store is open from 8 – noon every Friday at the former Eagle’s Learning Center, 569 High Mountain Road, North Haledon. **The TRIP Store will be at that location until further notice.**

Available for a limited time: We currently have \$5.00 Starbucks gift cards in our inventory. These make great end-of-year teacher gifts and graduation gifts. Stock up now before they are sold out.

New Business Spotlight: Rodan & Fields Dermatologists represented by Melissa Borduin. These uniquely effective skincare products are designed by two of the most respected dermatologists in the country with a legacy of delivering on what they promise. Dr. Rodan and Dr. Fields, who brought us ProActive Solutions, believe that achieving great skin care takes a multi-med approach to truly transform your skin. Along with the doctors, Melissa is committed to exceeding your expectations and is always here to help. Call her at **551-404-5865** or email her at melissamb925@gmail.com to set up an appointment. You will receive an 8% TRIP credit on all purchases.

Online Ordering: Interested in learning about ordering TRIP online? If you would like help enrolling in ShopwithScrip, call the TRIP office to set up your appointment. We will meet with you to set up your account and to guide you through the ordering process. You can also go to www.easternchristian.org for instructions on how to sign up. **Questions?** Call or text Sharon at the TRIP Office - (201) 650-7056.

Foundation Office News:

EC's Herald magazine: EC ALUMNI NEWS! The Foundation Office is gearing up for the next issue of EC's Herald publication. We would love to hear about college graduations, new jobs, marriages, births and any other updates! Please send your news to alumni@easternchristian.org by June 10th.

Interested in placing an ad in the next Herald? The next issue is the popular graduation issue which will be distributed in August. Call EC's Foundation Office at [973-427-9294](tel:973-427-9294) or email herald@easternchristian.org for rates. Call soon – limited space for ads.

Shopping Programs:

Thank you to all who participated in the following earning programs this school year:

- Shaklee earned \$1,106
- Stop & Shop A+ School Rewards earned \$1,454
- Target Redcard Take Charge of Education earned \$1,578. (Target has ended this program as of May 14, 2016.)

Requested Announcements:

Baseball Training Camps: Max Harvell, Head Varsity Baseball Coach of Eastern Christian, will be offering baseball training camps for boys entering 2nd through 10th grades. Brochure/Registration forms are available in the front office.