

Vision

To instill in our students a commitment to God's purpose in their lives and to equip them to impact their world for Christ.

Mission

To provide our students and their families with a Christ-centered, Biblically based, academically excellent education in a manner that glorifies God.



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Therefore we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares *us*, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of *our* faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God. Hebrews 12:1-2

March 15th at Northwest University. Additional information will be available during the first week of the new semester.

Homecoming 2008

Due to the December snowfall, we held our Homecoming Basketball games, Coronation and Dinner this past weekend. Both the Varsity girls and Varsity boy's teams were victorious in their games against Lopez on Friday night. After those games, we held the Coronation Ceremony.

Congratulations to our Royal Court:

Homecoming King and Queen:

Ian Watson and Victoria Patterson

Senior Prince and Princess:

Jeremy Waller and Kirsten Kehle

Junior Prince and Princess:

Justin Yoon and Adrienne Ton

Sophomore Prince and Princess:

Westin Patterson and Jenna Otis

Freshman Prince and Princess:

Seth Michels and Malorie Mahler

Jester: *Jakob Torres*

Sage: *Emily Wiederspan*

Knight: *Melissa Castor*

Homecoming Dinner was held at Echo Falls this past Saturday night. The location was decorated nicely, the food was great and the usnaps photo booth was a great addition to the event! Visit www.usnaps.com to download your pictures.

ACSI Musicale

This year's ACSI Musicale for high school will be an overnight trip on March 19 and 20th. Students are now preparing for this amazing event. The Command Performance will be at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, March 20th, at The Christian Faith Center in Federal Way. All students in high school choir have received their informational letter and permission slip. The permission slip is due Friday, January 30th along with their \$35 deposit.



Re-Enrollment Time

Re-enrollment packets are in the process of being made and will be ready for you to pick up starting on Thurs. Feb. 5th. Due to your confidential information, we need to release your student's re-enrollment packet to a parent in the family. We will only release it to someone other than a parent with a signed and dated note from a parent, giving us permission stating who we are allowed to release it to.

We will begin accepting completed re-enrollments starting at 7:00am Tuesday, Feb.17th. Please double check your child's immunization requirements and make sure that they are up to date.

We will begin accepting new students starting Tues. Feb 24th. Since the North Sound Campus will be closed for mid-Winter break that week, new families may choose to drop off their forms at our Bothell campus. Starting Mon. March 2nd, we will be accepting new enrollments at the Jr / Sr High campus.

Open House

Our Jr / Sr High campus will be holding an Open House for prospective families on Tuesday, Feb 9th, starting at 7:00 until 9:00. This is a time for new interested families as well as current 6th grade families to come and look at our campus and meet our teachers. Consider being an ambassador for North Sound and invite and accompany any new families that you know who would consider enrolling for next year.

Save The Date

Upcoming Events Happening at the Jr. / Sr. High

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| Jan. 22 | One Act Play @ 7:00 in The Den |
| Feb. 2 | Lynnwood 6 th Grade Visits during school Auction Meeting 6:45 @ Lynnwood |
| Feb. 5 | Lynnwood Open House 7:00 |
| Feb. X | Parent meeting with Mr. Russell 7:00 (in The Den) |

Feb. 9 *Mountlake Terrace Open House @ 7:00*

Feb. 14 *Basketball Tri Districts @ Home
(Tentative)*

Feb. 19 *Basketball Tri Districts @ Home
(Tentative)*

Feb. 21 *Basketball Tri Districts @ Home
(Tentative)*

Mar. 13 *Jr. High Musicale @ NW University*

Mar. 19 - 20 *Sr. High Musicale @ Tacoma*

Parents In Partnership (PIP) Forms Are IN

You may now pick up a PIP form for the volunteer work that you have done for at out campus. Fill it out and have the NSCS Faculty / Staff person who supervised your activity sign it and then turn it in to the front office. We will send it on to the Finance office. Due date for completed hours is April 1, 2009.

Ways To Help NSCS

There are several ways that you can help us here at North Sound, and many require no extra cost from you! Please read below and see how you can help us to keep quality Christian education affordable to families.

- As we mentioned in the last newsletter, we collect "Boxtops For Education" that you will find on the package of many items you now purchase. Please tear or cut off the little boxtop label, and send it into the school, and we send them in.
- We also collect specially marked "Labels for Education" from Campbell's products. No need to send the whole label anymore. Just clip the bright yellow designated area including the upc code.
- Send in your old cell phones, toner and ink cartridges, PDA's, laptops, iPods'. GPS. Maybe you have a contact at work for taking their used items and can bring them here.



Now Available – SCRIP

We are now offering the Scrip program here at NSCS! This program allows you to purchase gift cards at face value and then the vendor donates a certain percentage (varies by business) back directly to the school. Imagine the blessing you can have to North Sound Christian if 7% of your monthly Starbucks, 2% of your monthly gasoline and 4% of your monthly grocery expenses all went back to the school? Additionally, the program has a Tuition Assistance Program form for you to complete where each family that meets the minimum requirements can actually earn back a tuition credit based on the money donated back to the school from their scrip purchases. Want to find out more? Check it out on-line at <http://cpcsschools.com/getinvolved/scripinfo.php> .

Albertson Community Partners Card

Albertsons has been supporting us with their Community Partners program for many years, with their Shopping Card. At the end of February, due to many lost cards and for those who have moved away, they are asking all shoppers to relink their cards at www.Albertsonscp.com. The process takes three easy steps.

1. Log on to their site.

2. Enter the Preferred Card number (if you have lost your card, look for your Preferred number on top of your receipt, or call 877 932-7948 to retrieve it.
3. Enter our Community Partners ID# which is 49000103900

Remember that when you use your Preferred card that has been linked to North Sound Jr / Sr High, Albertsons will donate up to 4% of your shopping dollars to our school!

Please take the time to relink your card for NSCS.

Time to Renew a Magazine Subscription?

If it is time to renew any of your magazine subscriptions. QSP is the quality company that we work with each year here at our campus. Here is how to reorder your magazines easily.

Please log on to www.qsp.com, find the parents section and click on shop now. When asked for the school #, enter #425011883. Any purchases that you make after that will give North Sound 40% of your payment!

BLOOM Auction News

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Before and After School Policy

This is to refresh parents of our before and after school policy. North Sound is open 20 minutes before and 20 minutes after school. Students are allowed on campus at 7:35 each morning and at 3:00, we announce over the loud speaker that the campus is closed. The options we have for those students who do not leave at that time are the Library or Study Hall. The Library is open until 3:30 for those students who are working on Homework or reading quietly. This is a quiet zone. For those students who do not have homework to work on or want a more social time, we have Study Hall in Room 23. There is a **cost of \$5.00 per hour** (charged in increments of 15 minutes) and is open until 4:30. These fees will be added to your monthly statement. Athletes who remain on campus must stay in a supervised area and will not be charged. Students are not allowed to stay on campus in any other area. Once your child leaves campus, they are not to come back on campus until the next school day (unless they are coming for a campus event.) Students may come back 30 minutes before a game in the gym, but may not wait in the Lobby from school time until game time.

If your child does not have a specific reason to remain on campus, they need to leave by 3:00, when we close the campus.

Parents, we ask for your help in helping your child understand and follow our campus policy.

Sports Corner

