



Eagle Update

2017-18 Theme: Know God

August 16, 2017

August Theme Verse:

John 17:3

And this is eternal life, that they know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent.

Mr. Hearne's Recommended Resources:

Each week I recommend three parenting resources. My goal is to pass along the best information that I can to help equip you to be the best parent you can be. With school starting back, it's a good time to review the benefits and dangers of social media with your child (ren). Therefore, I've got two recommendations from Safe Smart Social. One is to help equip you with safety tips for social media usage and the other is to provide an understanding of a dangerous new app (Sarahah) that makes it very easy for students (and adults) to engage in cyber-bullying. As always, the Axis Cultural Translator is the third recommended resource, which allows us to better understand what is happening in our culture today.

- Back To School Safety For Students Online
- The Sarahah App Is Danger for Students
- Axis Cultural Translator

Devotional Thought

"And this is eternal life, that they know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent" (John 17:3). My earliest memory of eternal life was when the beloved custodian at my church passed away. I was just three years old and my parents explained to me that he was now alive in heaven with God. I remember thinking, "I want to do that one day, too!" I thought that eternal life was something to be gained after physical death – and only then. But as Jesus describes eternal life, it is defined as *knowing God*. That can happen both now, in my earthly life, and later as I am spiritually with God. The riches of eternal life: a living hope, a guaranteed inheritance (the Holy Spirit, Ephesians 1:13-14), grace, mercy, the power of God, unity with Christ – and so much more – are available to us now, by *knowing God*. Salvation through Jesus Christ adopts us into God's family and grants us a full life, an eternal life. And that reaches beyond the limits of time.

Grace and Peace,

Megan Sinisi, Elementary Vice Principal

Important Dates and Events August 16 – August 25

M	T	W	Th	F
14	15	16	17	18
			Booster Club Dessert 6:00pm MSHS Campus MSHS Parents-Athletic Director Meeting for All Sports 7:00pm MSHS Campus Parents-Coaches Meeting 7:30pm MSHS Campus	MSHS Back-to School BBQ MSHS Bus Evacuation and Fire Drill RCE Chapel 9:00am MSHS Picture Day 8:00am
21	22	23	24	25
	UC Berkeley Diagnostic Test Grades 6-12 MSHS Parent- Teacher Night 6:00pm	RCE Picture Day RCE Grades 4-5 Parent-Teacher Night 6:00pm	RCE Grades TK – 3 Parent-Teacher Night 6:00pm	RCE Chapel 9:00am – Mrs. Neal

HighLights

MSHS Picture Day	Click Here
RCE Picture Day	Click Here
2017-18 Parent – Teacher Nights	Click Here
Drone Video of Gym Construction	Click Here
MSHS Parking During Construction	Click Here
2017-18 Bus Information	Click Here
RCE Late Start Wednesdays	Click Here
Daily Prayer Guide	Click Here

RCS Stories

Meet the NEW Faculty Joining RCS
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Important Bus Information:

We have added a bus run for elementary students this year! If you are interested in your elementary student (s) riding the bus this year, please click **on the Bus link in the Highlights Section** for further information and **register by August 25th**.

We must have 7 elementary riders registered by August 25th in order to continue the elementary bus service.

Thank you

How Can My Family Support RCS?

Give to the RCS Annual Fund in 2017-18
Contact Mike Kady, Director of Advancement, at
mikekady@rcs.edu or 510-889-7526

SAVE THE DATE!

Redwood Christian Schools Annual Dinner
Monday, October 23, 2017
Canyon View
San Ramon
Doors Open at 5:30pm
More information coming soon!

SAVE THE DATE!

RCCHS Christian Ministry Pancake Breakfast and Auction
Saturday, September 16, 2017
8:00am – 11:00am

Do you need work done around your home or office?
Does your church need some extra helpers?

Nine groups of 6-10 RCCHS students will be available to serve you
from 12:00pm – 5:00pm on September 16th.

Tickets:

\$5.00 per person, \$20.00 for a family of 5.
Don't miss out on this great opportunity to support
RCCHS Christian Ministry!

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Eagle Athletics

MSHS Parents - Grades 6 thru 12

Booster Club Dessert



Thursday, August 17th
Dessert & Coffee at 6pm
Athletics Information Meeting at 7pm
Middle School & High School MPR



Upcoming Games:

HS Volleyball

8/23 vs. International

4:00pm Varsity Girls

8/25 vs. Salesian @ HOME

4:00pm JV Girls

5:15pm Varsity Girls

HS Soccer:

8/23 vs. Drew @ HOME

4:00pm JV Boys

8/23 at Drew (played at Crocker Amazon Park)

4:00pm Varsity Boys

8/25 vs. Stuart Hall @ HOME

4:00pm JV Boys

8/25 at Stuart Hall (played at Crocker Amazon Park)

4:00pm Varsity Boys

HS Tennis:

8/24 vs. Convent @ HOME (played at Mervin Morris
Tennis Courts)

3:30pm Varsity Girls

Attention MSHS Parents:

Please complete and return the *Redwood Christian Schools Athletic Participation Forms* in order for your child to participate in MSHS Athletics for the 2017-18 school year. Please [click here](#) to download and complete the forms. Email the completed forms to Jennifer Beck, Athletics at jenniferbeck@rcs.edu.