



# Head...lines

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## Pre-Vacation Week Update

**Special Thanks** We have reached a needed rest point in our busy schedule with Spring Vacation Week. With one busy graduation quarter to go we want to make you aware of a number of exciting things remaining for this school year...and coming for next. Thanks for your support of Dayspring. Thanks also to all who are supporting our special efforts such as UNO night, Script, etc.

**Re-Enrollment Report** Thanks to all the families that are re-enrolled in response to our requests. We have yet to hear from about 25% of you...understanding from some that a bit more time is needed for registration \$'s, especially in these 'special' times (you have until May 1<sup>st</sup>). There's room. To date we see significant changes in the demographics with fewer Pre School students (likely due to parent choices), but a solid commitment to our elementary and MS programs. This gives chance to improving our middle school program and looking at starting our high school program with a 9<sup>th</sup> grade. Notices have been mailed to current G8 families. We are looking for a class of 10 to 12 students. If you know of anyone looking for a faith-based high school program...please send them. Also...take advantage of the \$300- referral bonus by bringing new students to Dayspring.

**Preliminary Teacher Line-up for the Fall** We will have a very strong faculty line-up for 2009-10! K - Mrs. Bushway, Mrs. Sheppard; G1 - Mr. Landry, Mrs. Golembowski, Mrs. Bergio; G2 - Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Hill; G3 - Miss Wilson; G4- Mrs. McCarthy, Miss King; G5 to G8 (9) - Mrs. Udall, Mrs. Gallo; Mrs. Gilbert, Mrs. Salois; Mrs. Binkiwitz, Mr. Lavallee; Specialists - all current teachers. Early childcare, Pre School, and Extended/Aftercare faculty & staff will be announced.

**Plans** We expect to extend aftercare to 6 PM in response to requests, add a 9<sup>th</sup> grade with enough interest, and improve our extended/aftercare programs.

**Families Helping Families Fund** We are approaching the \$10k mark....thanks, thanks, thanks. However, we need ALL families to contribute something by August 31<sup>st</sup>...please do it TODAY!



### PAC Information and Fundraisers

Box Tops for Education-Place clippings in the box in the lobby. See the following link for eligible products:

<http://www.boxtops4education.com/Downloads/Global/products.pdf>



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found at: <http://www.labelsforeducation.com/eligibleproductsEN.aspx>

Check out the back of this notice for special PAC requests and notices.

**Traffic Rules – Drop-off and Pick-up** We appreciate your cooperation and patience with the traffic on campus at arrival and dismissal. HOWEVER!!!! Some parents are very impatient with the lines...and believe it or not, break the rules. Could that be you? Please follow the procedures to stay in line, not park in the church parking rows near the office building, and cut across the in-coming lines to exit. Also...to Pre School parents at pick-up: Only one row of parking is permitted on the street between the church and school. NO PARKING on both sides is permitted, only school-side parking is permitted. Fire lanes and safety must be maintained...per order of the FIRE DEPARTMENT.

**PAC Meeting Notice:** Be advised that PAC meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month at 3 PM, at the school. For May and June, both afternoon (at 3 PM) and evening meetings (at 7 PM) will be held, for more parents to attend.



Dayspring Christian Academy  
"Cereal Night"  
Non-perishable Food Drive



For the month of May make one night a week "cereal night". Then, take the money you would have spent on dinner and buy non-perishable food items to bring to school. The food will be donated to Assembly of God's Garments of Love, which is also a food pantry. We will be tracking our progress for everyone to see. There will be a bin in the lobby for collection. Our goal is to help feed the local community and show Dayspring's true Christian hearts.

**Proverbs 28:27**

<sup>27</sup> He who gives to the poor will lack nothing,  
but he who closes his eyes to them receives many curses.

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We are in need of volunteers for the kindergarten graduations. As you know, there are 4 kindergartens and 4 graduations this year!

The areas we need help are:

- Greeting and passing out programs.
- Assisting in the kitchen setting up and restocking snacks.
- Clean up.

The times will be:

- Greeting & passing out programs- 4pm and 6pm
- Assisting in kitchen: 4pm and 6pm
- Clean up: remain until all is clean, most likely by 9:30pm

These times are for both Monday & Tuesday evening.

If you are able to help at all or you have any questions, please contact Lauren Gannon at [lgannon@marykay.com](mailto:lgannon@marykay.com). Please include the day, time and position you would like to volunteer for. If you are able to volunteer for both graduations in the same night please be sure to put that too.

Thank you!

**Have a great week of rest and fun...be ready for a great finish to the school year!**