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WEEK OF FEBRUARY 1-12, 2010

MAX McGRATH WINS DCS SPELLING BEE

Sixth grader Max McGrath won the DCS Spelling Bee in the 11th round by correctly spelling the word "luxury." Max will compete in the City Spelling Bee on February 9 hosted by Delaware Christian School. Also qualifying for the City Bee: Kaylie Awbrey, Keenan Siebert, 4th graders; Armand Rosario, 6th grader; Dylan Quist, Joshua Sauder, 7th graders; Bethany Buchanan, Brock Carmichael, Matthew Gessner, Matthew Gray, 8th graders; Alternates for the City Bee are Nicholas Neuhart, 4th grader and Beth Ann Tobin, 8th grader.

QUARTER 2 HONOR & MERIT ROLL POSTED ON DCS WEB SITE

ARRIVAL & DISMISSAL PROCEDURES

The goal of DCS is to provide a safe, efficient method of dropping off and picking up your child(ren). In order for arrival and dismissal to run smoothly and safely we depend on the cooperation and support of students and parents. If everyone follows these guidelines, arrival and dismissal will be safe and efficient.

- Cars move in a double lane for arrival and dismissal. Please use the inner, right lane for loading and unloading. Do not unload from the outer, left lane. The outer left lane is a continuous lane for vehicles that are parking.
- Children are to load and unload from the curb side of the vehicle. Do not stop and get out of your car to load and unload your child as this is dangerous and slows the movement of traffic. If your child must be seated on the driver's side he/she is to walk in front of your car not behind into oncoming traffic.
- If your child is delayed in loading during arrival, you need to pull into a parking space, unload, and walk your child to the door. This is so traffic can continue to flow quickly and smoothly.
- During afternoon pickup your child's car-tag should be visibly displayed in your car.
- Having your child's back pack and other items ready and saying good bye quickly will make unloading easier and it will allow the traffic to continue flowing in a steady, progressive manner.

ATHLETIC BOOSTER MEETING ~ FEBRUARY 8

There will be an Athletic Booster meeting on Monday, February 8, at 6:30 p.m. in the gymnasium lobby. Please plan on attending if you are interested in participating in the annual spring auction. We need as much assistance as can be provided for a successful auction, and there is a job for everyone.

TEACHER/STAFF APPRECIATION WEEK

Aren't our DCS teachers and staff the best?! Let's show them how much we love them for all that they do. Teacher/Staff Appreciation week is coming March 8-12. Similar to last year, each day is themed and students will receive a schedule of events. We need parent and student volunteers to help. Please e-mail Judy Gruenbaum at judy.gruenbaum@yahoo.com or call 740-881-1919 if you are interested. Students should watch for notices of meetings and sign-up sheets. Get involved and let's have a great week!

IMPORTANT CHANGE TO EDLINE NEWS

In an effort to streamline information, DCS is moving the news. **February 15 is the last day that news will be published on Edline.** All information listed under Edline News will be only found on the school web site. Very soon, the only item under news will be a link to the school web site at www.dcschool.org. Don't miss out!

LEGACY KIDS SERVATHON FUNDS RECEIVED AS OF JANUARY 28, 2010 ~ \$80,574.00

H&S CITRUS RETURNS

The citrus truck will be back to the former Ponderosa parking lot on Saturday, February 6, from 8:30-10:00 a.m. This is not a school fund raiser but a good opportunity to buy fresh oranges and grapefruit from Florida. You can log onto www.hscitrus.com for pricing information. The company prefers checks or money orders made payable to H&S Citrus.

PRE-KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Please stop by the school office to request your application packet for the 2010-2011 pre-kindergarten class. Your child must be age 5 by December 31 of the enrollment year or age four by August 1 of the enrollment year. The pre-kindergarten program is intended for children who do not attend kindergarten due to mandated birthday deadlines or for children who have summer birthdays and are optionally waiting a year to enroll in a kindergarten program. Please notify your friends and neighbors that we are now accepting enrollment. If you have any questions, call Joyce Johnson at 363-8425 or email joyce.johnson@dcschool.org.

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

If you have not done so already, please call the school office to register your child for kindergarten next year. If you have any questions, call Joyce Johnson at 363-8425 or email joyce.johnson@dcschool.org.

ACT TEST PREP REVIEW

DeVry University is offering an excellent preparation class on March 27 and May 29 from 9:00-3:30 p.m. at Polaris branch campus. The class is free but reservations must be made in advance. Any 10th and 11th grade student taking the test in 2010 should seriously consider this review class. DCS highly recommends that our students take the ACT. This is a great opportunity to optimize student scores. See Mr. McDonald or the poster on our bulletin board for more details.

LUNCH SCHEDULE

ITEMS AVAILABLE EACH DAY:

Snack Cake.....50	Yogurt 4 oz.....50
String Cheese.....50	Applesauce.....50
Pkg. of Donuts.....75	Chips.....35
Milk/Orange Juice.....35	Bottled Water..50
Switch or Fruit Juice.....75	Carrots & Dip..50

MONDAY – February 1 2nd – 12TH GRADES
Hotdog...75

TUESDAY – February 2 2nd – 12th GRADES
Chicken Alfredo...2.00

WEDNESDAY – February 3 K – 12TH GRADES
Donato’s Pizza...1.00
Cheese/Pepperoni/Mushroom/Sausage
Soda (4th-12th graders)...50
Salad.....35

THURSDAY – February 4 2nd – 12TH GRADES
Beef Soft Taco...1.00

FRIDAY – February 5 K – 12TH GRADES
Sloppy Joe & Tater Tots...2.00
Triple Chocolate Dessert...50

MONDAY – February 8 2nd – 12TH GRADES
Potato & Cheese Soup...1.75

TUESDAY – February 9 2nd – 12th GRADES
Salsa Joe...1.75

WEDNESDAY – February 10 K – 12TH GRADES
Donato’s Pizza...1.00
Cheese/Pepperoni/Mushroom/Sausage
Soda (4th-12th graders)...50
Salad...35

THURSDAY – February 11 2nd – 12TH GRADES
Chili...1.75

FRIDAY – February 12 K – 12TH GRADES
Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes, and Corn...2.00

SCHOOL CALENDAR

February 6	ACT
February 9	City Spelling Bee at DCS 7:00 p.m.
February 15	No School – President’s Day
March 8-12	Teacher Appreciation Week
March 9	ASVAB Testing 8:40 – 11:40 a.m.
March 12	District Speech Meet 1:00 / Dismiss at 11:30
March 13	SAT
March 15-19	OGT Testing for Grade 10
March 16	Grades 6-8 Math Olympics 9:00
March 18	Grades 3-5 Math Olympics 9:00
March 20	ACSI Music Festival for Band and Choir
March 26	No School – Teacher Work Day
Mar 24-Apr 3	Spanish Trip
Mar 25-Apr 5	Navajo Mission Trip
Mar 29-Apr 2	Spring Break
April 5	School Resumes