

Northshore Christian Academy

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Dear Northshore Christian Academy Families,

Welcome to the 2011-12 school year! We hope that you and your family are being ‘renewed, refreshed, and rejuvenated’ this summer. In the 11 work days since school ended, we have been busy preparing for the fall! The summer project list includes carpet cleaning, wall painting, ordering textbooks, inventorying supplies, moving classrooms and developing schedules. Of course, the new Middle School Pavilion will be completed and occupied in 7 weeks!



Middle School Pavilion as of 6-29-11

Summer Mailings-

I want to keep you informed on summer ‘mailings’ that will be delivered via email. Also, you can find fall information on our website. Here is what you can expect in the next 8 weeks:

- July 7th- Welcome letter with important dates for orientation day and the first week of school. It will also include: Uniform list and vendor information, Uniform exchange dates and times, School supply list, School Calendar, NCA staff list, Sports registration forms.
- August 11th- Welcome letter with important dates, beverage order form, carpool form, arrival and dismissal maps, hot lunch information, immunization form, medication forms and auction letter
- August 18th- Teacher welcome letter

Going Green with Tuition Statements-

NCA is taking the step to go green, save printing costs and become more efficient with family tuition statements. Effective July 14 and thereafter, all family tuition statements will be sent exclusively by email. If you would like to continue receiving a paper tuition statement in addition to an emailed statement please contact Troy Howard by phone at 425-322-2330, or by email at thoward@northshorechristian.org.

June 30th deadline for School Kit orders-

There are three ways to obtain your school supplies:

- Order on line through Innisbrook. They will deliver it to the school if you order by June 30th.
- Order after June 30th and they will deliver the kits to your home.
- Shop for your own supplies using the school supply list. The supply list will be emailed next week.

Volunteer Opportunities-

God has been faithful by providing a “God appointed” staff again this year. We are overjoyed at the talented teachers at NCA who pour their hearts and lives into Christian education. We do have a few volunteer positions that we hope to fill:

- PTF (Parent-Teacher-Fellowship) Volunteer Treasurer-help with counting and tracking PTF funds working with our school financial assistant. Excel skills and flexible 2 hours per week commitment.
- Auction and Room Parent Volunteers
- Library Committee Volunteer- work with a team of volunteers to select, screen, shelve and catalog library books. Assist with reading incentive programs.

- Solid Ground Espresso Director- (\$2500 stipend) Lead the dedicated Espresso stand volunteer team every school day from 8:15-9:30. Position starts on September 7th and training is involved.

Pavilion Update-

In spite of the weather, solid progress continues as seen by the walls, roof, electrical and plumbing work. We are counting down the 7 weeks until completion!

The fundraising total for the past school year has met many needs to outfit the inside of the building! Here are the fundraising totals:

Income:

Auction	\$73,157.00
Concert offerings	7,485.00
Grandparent giving	15,266.51
Walk-a-thon	84,627.32
T-Shirt Sponsors	8,600.00
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Pavilion Furnishing Purchases and Costs:

- 130 student desks and tables
- 385 student chairs
- 16 white boards
- 8 bulletin boards
- 11 teacher desks
- 11 teacher chairs
- 16 bookshelves
- 6 science tables
- 24 science lab stools
- 6 science lab tables
- 22 lunchroom tables
- 10 computers
- Clocks, bell system, security and alarm system
- Wireless server, phone system
- Copy machine
- Refrigerator
- Food Warmer
- Lockers
- First aid kits

\$190,259.00

What a miracle! We are so excited to have our three 8th and 7th grade classrooms and two of our 6th grade classrooms in our new Middle School Pavilion! We are also looking forward to having more classrooms available for our elementary students in the main academy building.

We continue to pray for our school families over the summer. As the flurry of activity continues at school, we anticipate God working in miraculous ways as we dedicate the new school year, our school, our mission and our school families to Him!

Thank you!
Mrs. Holly Leach, Principal