

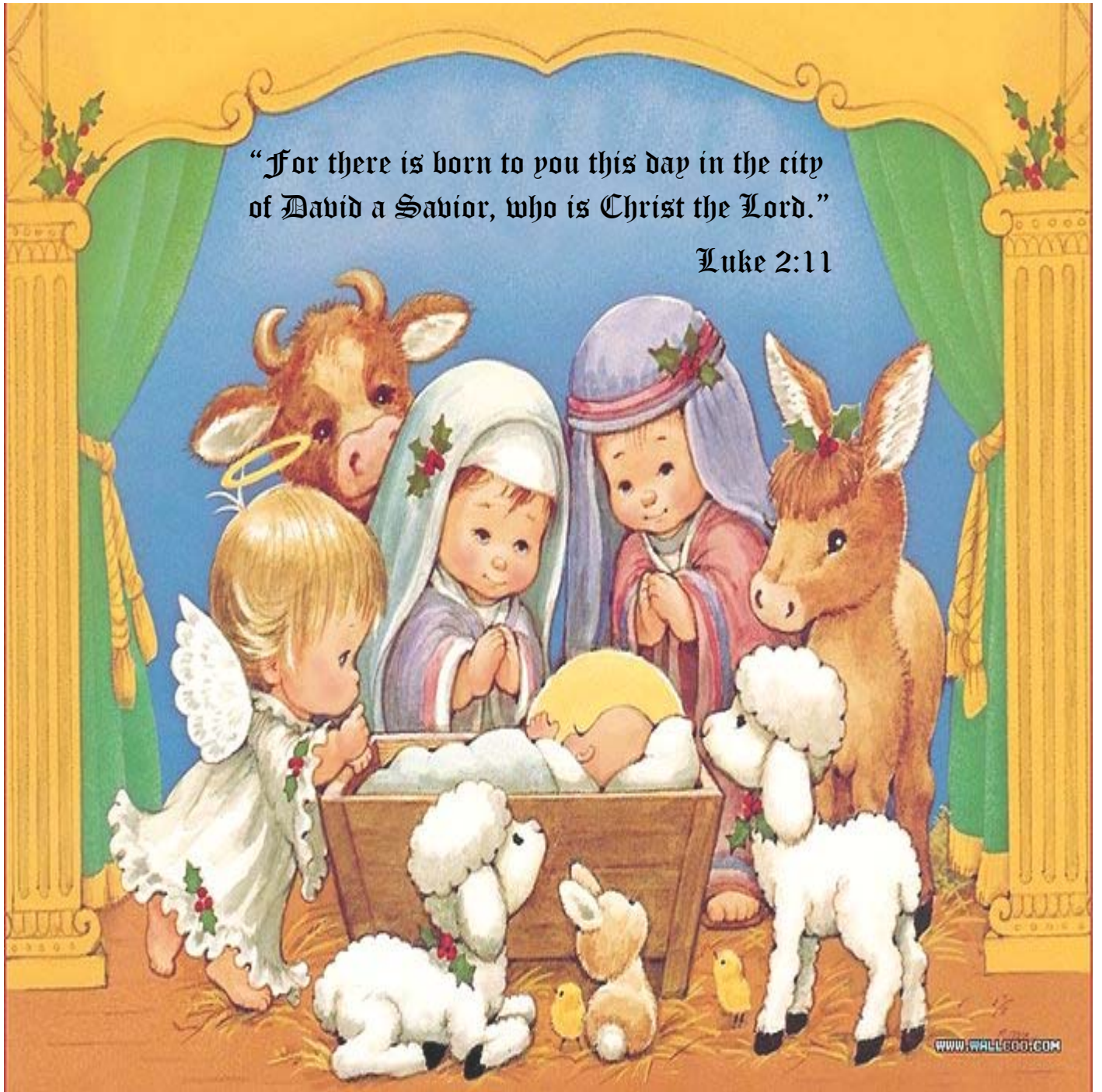
Omaha Christian Academy

News & Notes

December 18, 2009

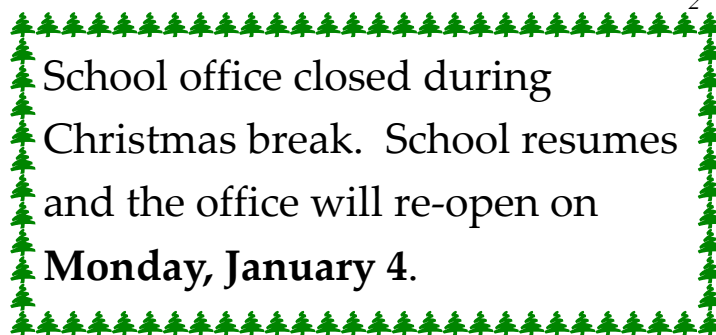
“For there is born to you this day in the city
of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord.”

Luke 2:11



Merry Christmas

School Calendar	
Dec. 18	JV/V G&B BB vs Cedar Bluffs @ Grace U. - 4:00/4:45/6:15/8:00 pm Note: JV Girls will play 2 Quarters
Dec. 21	G JV/V vs Walthill @ Grace - 6:15 pm
Dec. 21- Jan. 3	Christmas Break
Dec. 29	Mead Holiday Tournament V B BB @ Mead - 4:30 pm
Dec. 30	V G BB @ Mead - 1:00 pm
Dec. 30	Mead Holiday Tournament V B BB @ Mead - TBA Consolation Game @ 2:45 pm Championship Game @ 4:30 pm
Jan. 4	Classes Resume 2nd Semester Begins
Jan. 4	JV/V G BB vs Boystown - TBA
Jan. 6	Limo Lunch - 11:30am - 1:30 pm
Jan. 7	JV/V B BB vs Fremont Bergan - 6:00/7:30 pm
Jan. 9	Quiz Bowl @ Elkhorn HS - 9:00 am
Jan. 9	JV/V G&B BB vs Lewiston - 4:30 pm
Jan. 11	3rd Grade Math Party - 6:30pm in the 3rd Grade Classroom
Jan. 15	JV B/V G&B BB @ Brownell-Talbot 4:30/6:00/7:30 pm
Jan. 16	JV/V G&B BB @ NE Lutheran - TBA
Jan. 18	NO SCHOOL Martin Luther King Day
Jan. 21	JV/V G BB @ Boystown
Jan. 22	Enrollment Rally - 6:30 pm
Jan. 23	NFC V B BB @ Lincoln
Jan. 25	NFC V G BB @ Lincoln
Jan. 26	NFC V B BB @ Lincoln
Jan. 28	V G BB @ Lincoln



 School office closed during
 Christmas break. School resumes
 and the office will re-open on
Monday, January 4.

Congratulations

Congratulations to the winners of the OCA Spelling Bee.

1st Grade: Jacob Hawk
 2nd Grade: Addison Dunbar
 3rd Grade: Abby Butler
 4th Grade: Joanna James
 5th Grade: Maddie Schmidt
 6th Grade: Jeremy James
 7th Grade: Kaitlyn Dick
 8th Grade: Erin Clifton

The 3rd-8th grade winners will go on to compete at the District Spelling Bee Friday, February 5th. Congratulations!

NSAA ACADEMIC ALL-STATE HONORS

Congratulations to the following OCA students received NSAA Academic All-State Honors:

Volleyball
 Kathryn White
 Czarina Lim

Football
 Ben Deaver
 Sean West

CANNED FOOD DRIVE

Thank you to everyone who donated canned food items and winter coats to our canned food and coat drive.

The class winners are second grade, seventh grade and twelfth grade. These three classes will have a class party. Congratulations!

Christmas Challenge Could Generate \$100,000 by December 31st!



Exciting News!

An anonymous donor has pledged to match every gift made to Omaha Christian Academy in the month of December, dollar for dollar up to \$50,000, which could result in \$100,000 by December 31st.

This is a tremendous opportunity for OCA parents, grandparents, alumni and friends to double their gifts! The scope and size of this amazing challenge will make an incredible impact on our school. We are very grateful for this opportunity as this helps OCA finish the year well and make a strong start in 2010.

Any gift will be doubled and here are some ways to participate...

- Write a tax-deductible check to Omaha Christian Academy in any amount (tuition payments excluded).
- Make a gift to honor or in memory of someone special (perhaps an OCA teacher).
- Make a secure credit card donation via PayPal at www.omahachristianacademy.org
- Call Kathy (402) 614-5716 to make a credit card donation over the phone.
- Cash donations may be left at the OCA front desk.
- All payments made on building fund pledges will count towards the match.
- Donate all or a portion of your OCA Building Fund Bond.
- Make a gift of stocks.

Please prayerfully consider how you can help us meet this exciting Christmas Match Challenge. We dare not lose a single dollar being offered. Each tax-deductible gift must be made or postmarked by December 31st.

Thank you for making your best possible gift. God bless you and please call me if you have questions or need assistance.

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Excellence in Christ-centered Education

Gate/Concessions/Clean-up

Friday, December 18 at Grace University


Gate: Kimber McLean

Concessions: Gary & Sally Kruse and Jim Sly

BOOSTER CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS

Although we will be taking a break from classes for Christmas, OCA's basketball teams will still be working hard. Be sure to wear your navy blue as you come out and support our JV and Varsity girls and boys teams at Grace University tonight, and the girls teams again on Monday, December 21.

Looking ahead, mark your calendars for Thursday, February 4, which will be both Senior night and Grandparents night. Then get ready for the Booster Club's annual "Bucks for Baskets" on Friday, February 12. Last year you helped us raise \$20,000 for our new building. This year we will be working toward something special! Watch News & Notes and your email for details.



*"Oh, give thanks to the Lord,
for He is good! For His
mercy endures forever".*

Psalm 136:1

School Lunch Menu		
	Entree	Sides/Dessert
Jan 4	HOT— Corn Dog	French Fries Apple Wedges Chocolate Chip Cookie
Jan 5	HOT— Cheesy Enchilada Casserole	Corn Cherries Cinnamon Crumb Cake
Jan 6	HOT— Pizza Hut Pizza COLD—Cottage Cheese & Fruit	Lettuce Salad Applesauce Shortbread Cookie
Jan 7	HOT— Macaroni & Cheese COLD—Soybutter & Jelly Sandwich	Green Beans Orange Wedges Soft Pretzel White Cake with Pink Frosting
Jan 8	HOT— Creamed Turkey over Mashed Potatoes COLD—Chef Salad	Berry Cup Dinner Roll Pumpkin Bar with Whipped Topping

Students may choose yogurt & cheese stick as a main dish alternative.

Milk will be served with all meals.

Cost: \$2.60(Pre-K-5); \$2.75 (5-12); \$1.00 Extra Entrees

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.



Cub Scout Corner

Cub Scouts will not meet until the next pack meeting held on January 4 at 6:30 pm.

Merry Christmas!

If school is cancelled due to inclement weather, Den/Pack Meetings will not be held.