

Quisqueya Eagles Newsletter

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Wednesday, November 26, 2008 A.D.

The Most Excellent Way

Gratitude

This is the last week of November. We will be celebrating the American Thanksgiving this week. God is good. God is great. We thank Him for our daily food. We celebrated the Canadian Thanksgiving on the second Monday in October and now this Thursday we celebrate the American Thanksgiving. I thank God for giving these 'memory stones' on the calendar, because we need His reminders each and every day to be grateful for all that we have and what He has done for us.

Manners are a good thing. Even today, when the students ask to go to see the nurse because they have a headache because of lack of water, or to go to the washroom, I wait for the magic word, please. And when the magic word does not come, I tell them that I can't hear them, so they speak all the louder each time until I hear the magic word of please. I am no different as a grandparent, showing how pleased I am when my grandchildren say the magic words of please and thank you. However, between the young generation and the generation my age, we lose those magic words.

When I approach my Father, how often do I say thank You Lord for all His gifts to me. My prayer life is more often a list of petitions than items of praise. I focus on the present needs rather on His faithfulness in the days past. I petition more than I praise. I know that God desires I to come to Him with all our needs, but he also urges us to have an attitude of gratitude.

God's word tells us in Colossians 3, *Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom, and as you sing psalms, hymns and spiritual songs with gratitude in your hearts to God. And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.*

Help us Lord to develop an attitude of gratitude each and every day in all we do and say in our living for Jesus.

T. DeKoter

School Calendar

- Thurs/Fri, Nov 27th /28th - Days of Thanksgiving
 - no school
- Saturday, Dec 6th - Christmas Bazaar
- Tuesday, Dec 9th - Georgiana Methodist Church Choir
- Friday, Dec 12th - Start of the HS exams
- Mon/Wed, Dec 15-17 - HS exams continue in the mornings
 - school in the AM only
- Friday, Dec 19th - report cards may be picked up

Plan now to attend the QCS annual Christmas Bazaar!

Saturday, December 6th

1 - 6 pm



The QCS Senior class will benefit from the sale of vendor tables this year. Do you or someone you know, desire to have a booth to sell items? For applications, contact a senior or a member of PAC, go to the QCS front office or log onto our website at www.quisqueya.org

PAC is looking for volunteers to work a 1 or 2 hour shift the day of the event. If you would like to help and have not yet been contacted, please leave your name at the QCS front desk or ask for a PAC member.

A poster for the Christmas Bazaar featuring a lit Christmas tree against a blue sky with stars. The text is overlaid on the image.

You are invited to
Quisqueya Christian School
Delmas 75
Christmas Bazaar!
December 6th, 2008
1-6 p.m.
Shopping, Food & Fun Activities

Entrance =100 GDS

children under 6 are free

Dear Parents,

As you all are aware, the Christmas Bazaar is coming soon - December 6 from 1 – 6 PM. The seniors are planning to help the Parent Action Committee (PAC) by selling desserts at the dessert table. As a gift, PAC has said that all the proceeds from the dessert table will go towards the Senior Class Trip in April.

We will need volunteers who will be willing to donate desserts such as pies, cookies, cakes, cinnamon rolls to the table. The more desserts we have, the better. If you are willing to donate any deserts, please contact us or send us a letter via your son or daughter.



Thank you in advance,

Sarah Dartiguenave,

Senior Class Secretary



_____ Yes, I will be willing to bring _____ and will drop
it off on Friday, December 5th .

_____ Yes, I will be willing to bring _____ and will bring
it on December 6th when I come with my family.

_____ No, not this year.

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Please return this form to Sarah Dartiguenave