

# What's New on **The Horizon** at Green



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*From Mrs. Paredes*



## *Gratitude*

Already I am **LOVING** our theme of gratitude! 1 Thessalonians 5:18 instructs us to, *“Give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.”* I am excited to watch the attitudes of our students soften and become more thankful as they walk with the Lord this year. I am already witnessing a change in my own life as I think about everything I have to be grateful for! I was searching the word gratitude on the internet the other day and I came across this story. It reminded me about how precious gifts from the heart really are. Especially the innocent gifts from our children and students! Enjoy!

According to legend, a young man while roaming the desert came across a spring of delicious crystal-clear water. The water was so sweet he filled his leather canteen so he could bring some back to a tribal elder who had been his teacher.

After a four-day journey he presented the water to the old man who took a deep drink, smiled warmly and thanked his student lavishly for the sweet water. The young man returned to his village with a happy heart.

Later, the teacher let another student taste the water. He spat it out, saying it was awful. It apparently had become stale because of the old leather container.

The student challenged his teacher: "Master, the water was foul. Why did you pretend to like it?"

The teacher replied, "You only tasted the water. I tasted the gift. The water was simply the container for an act of loving-kindness and nothing could be sweeter."

## **Verse of the Week**

**“Always give thanks to God the Father  
for everything.”  
~ Eph. 5:20 ~**



## **Did you Know? by Mr. McAbee**

The Green campus is piloting a new math program called Saxon math for Kindergarten and 1st grade! All new concepts are developed through hands-on activities and rich mathematical conversations that actively engage students in the learning process. Concepts are developed, reviewed, and practiced over time. Students move from the concrete to the pictorial to the abstract.

## **This Week in Chapel**

Please join us for Chapel  
on Friday at 9:15 a.m.  
Mr. McAbee, the school  
Administrator will be  
leading Chapel this week.  
Hope to see you there.



## Character Trait of the Week

~ OBEDIENCE ~  
Doing exactly what I am told, immediately, with a right heart attitude.

Hebrews 13:17

## Picture Day

Picture Day will be on Tuesday, October 12<sup>th</sup>. More details coming soon!



MARK YOUR CALENDAR



### September Events

- 6 – Labor Day – No School
- 7 – PTF Meeting - 9:00 a.m.
- 10 – Get Acquainted Night at Boettler Park 6-8 p.m.
- 15 – New Parent Breakfast

### October Events

- 12 -Picture Day–Uniforms Required



## Help us Close the Gap!

Entertainment Book Sale begins Friday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>.

More detailed information will be coming home soon.



Basketball permission slips must be turned in no later than Friday, Sept. 3<sup>rd</sup> by 10:00 a.m.

## Join Us For PTF!

**Tuesday, Sept. 7<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 a.m. in the cafeteria. Hope to see you there!**



### No Sillybandz!

Parents, please help us as we focus on academics by keeping all sillybandz at home.

Thank you!

## Out of the Mouth of Babes

“I have to go to the dentist because my two bones are loose!”

Faith Varga  
Kindergarten



## Market Day



On Friday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>, pick your orders up in the Cafeteria between 3 and 4 p.m.



## CHCS Green Campus Get Acquainted Night

Friday, September 10<sup>th</sup>

6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Boettler Park

5300 Madison Road

Start off the new school year with an evening of fun

and fellowship! This will be a great opportunity to

reconnect with old friends and to meet our new families!

Pizza will be provided if your last name begins with A-I, please

bring a side dish, bring fruit, veggies, salad, bring dessert!

Hope we see you there!