



DESERT CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS

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HIGHLIGHTS

FEBRUARY

- 1-5—Missions Week
- 11—Fire Drill
- 12—Lincoln's Birthday, School in Session
- 15—Presidents' Day, School in Session
- 16—Easter Candy Sales Begin
- 17—Power Prayer Lunch
- 20—Auction
- 24—Lock Down Drill

DCS 21ST ANNUAL AUCTION

Desert Christian Schools will be holding its 21st Annual Auction, "Reel in a Deal" on Sat., February 20 in the Gymnasium. Since this event is being sponsored by Calandri Farms, all proceeds from the night's auction will go directly to DCS. "Reel in a Deal" is for adults **18 years and older**. The cost is **\$15 per person** and includes a delicious meal catered by Outback Steakhouse. You may purchase tickets for this event at the main campus. If you would like to make a donation to this year's auction or have any **questions** please call **Cheryl Corlew at 948-5071, Ext. 233**. Items you might consider donating would be sporting goods, sports tickets, theatre tickets, puppies, household items, art, jewelry, gift certificates to restaurants, furniture, cash, and services such as haircuts, oil changes, and tutoring. Remember for any item that you donate over \$75 you will receive two complementary tickets to the auction and your donations are tax deductible. This is a fun event and one you won't want to miss!

CHEERBEARS & ES CHEER

CheerBears and Elementary Cheer payments are due the week of February 1 for session three. Payments may be made after practice or at the Gymnastic Center only.

SHOPPING 4 STUDENTS

We are in the final month of the "Shopping 4 Students" program, and as you can see, DCS is in third place! With the month of February left to go, I am confident that we still have a chance to move to 1st place! Remember, you can turn in any receipts dated October 2009—February 2010. Take your receipts to Guests Service at the A.V. Mall, or bring them to any one of our campuses and we will take care of it for you. Thank you to all the families that participated in this program. More information regarding the winners will be sent out in April. If you have any questions, please call Kimi Champagne at 948-5071, Ext. 256.

Points Through Jan. 5

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| 1 St. Mary's School 695,270 | 5 Quartz Hill 243,295 |
| 2 A.V. Christian 625,530 | 6 Bethel Christian School 233,135 |
| 3 DCS 605,265 | 7 Westpark 214,655 |
| 4 Esperanza 324,050 | 8 Ocotillo 186,280 |
| | 9 Palmdale Learning Plaza 182,550 |
| | 10 Valley View 126,280 |

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Dear Parents,

February is the month we focus on sharing and caring for others, our past presidents, Valentine's Day, and re-enrollment for the 2010-2011 school year. If you have any questions regarding the re-enrollment procedures, please feel free to call me at, Ext. 210.

Karen Allen
Preschool Director

MISSIONS WEEK

Focus: Caring and Sharing with Others around Us

Donations: Baby items (wipes, diapers, bottles, bibs, blankets food, clothing, etc.) Toiletries (toothbrushes, toothpaste, soap, shampoo, deodorant, combs, brushes, etc.)

Donations Given To: *Care Net* and *Grace Resource Center*

CONFERENCES

If you would like to meet with your child's teacher regarding your child's progress, please request a meeting. Lead Teachers are available to meet at your convenience.

VALENTINE PARTIES

Valentine parties will be held in each classroom. Please check your child's classroom newsletter for date and time.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

2010/2011 online pre-registration through RenWeb begins Friday, January 29. Please check your email for instructions.

SEE'S CANDY SALES EXTENDED

Due to the inclement weather, DCS has decided to extend the last day of the See's Candy Bar sale from Thurs., January 28 until Fri., Feb. 5. If you would like to sell additional candy bars, you may check them out at any DCS campus. Thank you for your participation in this fundraiser.

DISCOUNT CARDS

Are available for \$10 in the main office.

COMPUTERS

If you recently upgraded your computer at home and are looking to donate all or part of your computer system, DCS would be glad to accept that donation and offer you a letter for your taxes. Please contact David Pratt at dpratt@desertchristian.com and describe what you have to donate. Thanks.



FEBRUARY 2010

CARING FOR OTHERS — FRIENDLINESS: Love One Another—John 13:35

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2	3	4	5 See's Candy Sale Ends	6
Missions Week						
Curriculum: International Week Spiritual Emphasis: Helping						
7	8	9	10	11 Fire Drill	12 Lincoln's Birthday, School in Session	13
Curriculum: Valentine Fun Spiritual Emphasis: Friendliness						
14 Valentine's Day	15 Presidents' Day, School in Session	16 Easter Candy Sales Begin	17 Power Prayer Lunch	18	19	20 DCS Auction
Curriculum: Moods & Emotions Spiritual Emphasis: Honesty						
21	22 Washington's Birthday, School in Session	23	24 Lock Down Drill	25	26	27
Curriculum: Transportation Spiritual Emphasis: Helping						
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