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*"May his name endure forever; may it continue as long as the sun.
Then all nations will be blessed through him, and they will call him blessed." –Psalm 72:7*

ALL SCHOOL NEWS IT'S EAGLE FUND TIME!



100% Proceeds Support Faculty and Staff

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Dear MCS Families,

As we enter the holiday seasons, I want to take this opportunity to personally thank you for supporting Maranatha Christian Schools. Every year God's vision for our school comes to greater fruition because of your ongoing generosity. We are seeing not only a physical transformation on campus, but more importantly a spiritual, academic, athletic and artistic transformation in our students across all divisions as well.

In 2014, MCS conducted an analysis of regional salary comparisons that revealed a gap which placed MCS employees and teachers well below fair market compensation in the field of education within San Diego County. As part of our initial Strategic Plan in 2015, we implemented a 6-year plan to narrow the gap and since then, you have been making that happen!

Thanks to your financial gifts over the last four years, we have been able to fulfill our annual goals to give significant salary increases to ALL of our employees each and every year. We are making tremendous strides to compensate our faculty and staff on a respectable and competitive level, consistent with the surrounding school districts. With your support we will continue to retain and attract highly qualified Christian faculty and staff, and have a fully funded Salary Matrix by the year 2021.

I am thrilled to announce that, once again this year, 100% of the proceeds from our EAGLE FUND will go to MCS teacher and employee salary increases. The most important thing we see coming from this effort is an overwhelming partnership, fostering a genuine feeling of love and appreciation for our faculty and staff. As a parent of four MCS students and a former classroom teacher, I see how this beautiful partnership is having a positive impact on the future of MCS.

We want to provide an opportunity for you to give to our Annual Eagle Fund and to make an impact for our faculty and staff this holiday season. Our goal for the 2019-2020 school year is to raise \$220,000. My prayer is that everyone would contribute to this noble goal—whatever your level of participation.

When this plan was launched in 2015, we knew it was a big objective, but it is clear now that when our community works together, collectively we can make a tremendous difference! The salary gap is indeed closing and the finish-line is in sight! When the funds are raised, we will be at 90% of our targeted salary mark for faculty and staff!

Thank you for prayerfully considering Maranatha Christian Schools in your end-of-the-year giving. May God bless you and your family this holiday season.

"My children are blessed every day by the teachers at MCS! Our teachers are genuinely dedicated to providing a solid educational and spiritual foundation for their students. They consistently go above and beyond their classroom duties to create a loving and joy-filled school community that truly feels like family. You can just feel the love our teachers have for their calling and for our children!"

Sophia-Parent



Year-End Giving Goals

Year 1 – 2015-16 \$90k [Completed!]

Year 2 – 2016-17 \$110k [Completed!]

Year 3 – 2017-18 \$150k [Completed!]

Year 4 – 2018-19 \$180k [Completed!]

Year 5 – 2019-20 \$220k << Goal for this year!

Year 6 – 2020-21 \$250k = Final Year to close the salary gap

(\$470K remaining of \$1M 6-year goal)

Every dollar you donate is tax deductible! Maranatha Christian Schools is a ministry of Maranatha Chapel. Maranatha Christian Schools, Inc. is a qualifying 501(c)3 non-profit tax exempt religious organization.
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KOINONIA BREAKFAST AND CHRISTMAS CHAPEL – NEXT WEEK!

Our annual Christmas Chapel is Wednesday, December 11. Plan to join us for a special Koinonia tradition at 8am for fellowship and free breakfast burritos, hosted by PAC! Check out the video below for a glimpse into our Koinonia time!

PAC is looking for volunteer's, if you would like to serve, please sign up [HERE](#)

Koinonia Breakfast at **8am**
Christmas Chapel at **8:45am**

Koinonia



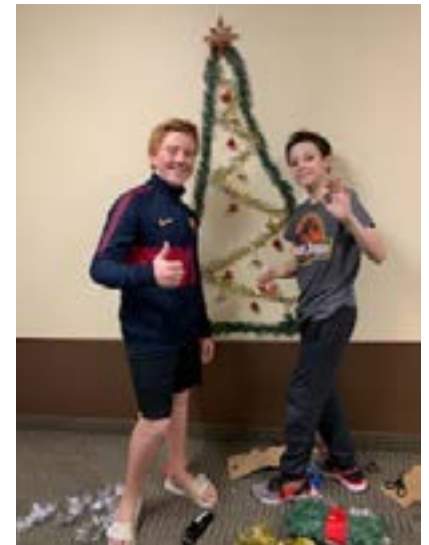
ATTN UPCOMING KINDERGARTEN PARENTS!



Interested in applying for TK or Kindergarten next year? The application process is now open! Kindergarten Assessments will be conducted on January 24. To be sure you are included, we encourage current MCS families and new families to submit their online application for Kindergarten as soon as possible.

THANK YOU ASB!

A special thank you to our HS and JH ASB (and advisors too!) who creatively brought MCS into the festive Christmas season! Be sure you stop by campus to admire their work!



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ELEMENTARY NEWS

“ON THE FIRST DAY OF STEAM, MY TEACHER GAVE TO ME...”

First grade embarked on the 12 Days of STEAM! And this week they did the first five days which included a lot of MCS trees, jumping tinsel, slimy snowmen, gumdrop trees and jingle bells. STEAM encompasses five different areas of learning: Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics! We can't wait to see the Christmas fun they learn next week!



PRESCHOOL NEWS

A BLESSING IN A BOX!




We want to extend a sincere thank you to all who participated in the 'Blessing Box' project. You are a light to the San Diego community! Ms. Lessels' class stopped by the Preschool office to drop their boxes and their smiles boasted of their hard work. Overall, our Preschool families came together to fill 45 shoeboxes with presents for local families in need!

ATHLETICS






COME OUT AND SUPPORT VARSITY WINTER SPORTS!

The sports teams for basketball, soccer and wrestling have started their season, be sure to check out their schedules below! Come out and support our athletes!

GIRLS BASKETBALL

DEC 06	Point Loma 	Fri, 6:00 PM
DEC 12	Coronado - Tri City ... TOURNAMENT	Thu, 6:00 PM
DEC 13	Tri City Christian T... TOURNAMENT	Fri, TBD
DEC 14	Tri City Christian T... TOURNAMENT	Sat, TBD
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BOYS BASKETBALL

DEC 06	@ Calvin 	Fri, 5:30 PM
DEC 07	@ Kearny 	Sat, 6:00 PM
DEC 11	@ Monte Vista 	Wed, 7:00 PM
DEC 12	@ El Cajon Valley 	Thu, 6:00 PM
DEC 14	@ Olympian 	Sat, 7:30 PM






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GIRLS SOCCER

DEC 09	Mission Bay 	Mon, 3:15 PM
DEC 12	@ Preuss UCSD 	Thu, 3:15 PM
DEC 16	Tri-City 	Mon, 3:30 PM
DEC 17	@ Jewish Academy 	Tue, 3:00 PM
DEC 19	@ Lincoln	Thu, 4:15 PM

BOYS SOCCER

DEC 06	@ Calvin 	Fri, 5:30 PM
DEC 07	@ Kearny 	Sat, 6:00 PM
DEC 11	@ Monte Vista 	Wed, 7:00 PM
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GET THAT BUS – GOLF TOURNAMENT SPONSORS!

Our MCS Golf Tournament is looking to raise money to purchase a school bus to transport our sports teams, which is a very lofty goal. We're asking you to consider sponsoring our event at a giving level that's right for you. Please contact Wendy at: wendy.dewildt@maranathachristianschools.org for more info. We would be very grateful for your contribution and the impact it will have on our athletes!

COUNTRY CLUB OF RANCHO BERNARDO

MCS GOLF TOURNAMENT

MARCH 2, 2020

We need sponsors!

Contact Wendy DeWildt in the Athletic
Dept. 858-759-9737 x103

Proceeds will go toward the
purchase of an athletic bus





Dear Sir/Madam,

Maranatha Christian Schools is a rapidly growing, private school located in 4S serving over 700 children ages preschool through twelfth grade. The Athletic Department's Mission Statement is "To compete humbly, doing ALL THINGS to the glory of God". We want Maranatha athletes to compete at the highest possible level while setting an example for good sportsmanship and integrity. Athletics plays a vital role in teaching young men and women a strong work ethic and enables them to compete with high character. We strive to please God in ALL THINGS.

The Athletic Department will be hosting its annual Golf Tournament on March 2, 2020 at the Country Club of Rancho Bernardo. We would like you to consider sponsoring our event. We have several levels of sponsorship and benefits that you can choose from; see the attached Sponsorship Levels Document to find the giving level that's right for you. We would be grateful for your contribution and the impact it will have on our athletes.

I'd like to thank you in advance for your generosity. Please don't hesitate to contact me directly at 858-759-9737 X103 or wendy.dewildt@maranathachristianschools.org if you have any questions, I am here to help.

ALL THINGS,

Wendy DeWildt
Athletic Department



2020 GOLF TOURNAMENT SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

\$10,000 Sponsorship

- Tee signage at a hole during Golf Tournament
- Tee sign posted on fence during 2020/21 football and soccer seasons
- Season pass for two to all 2020/21 home football and basketball games, including playoffs
- Sponsor announced at all 2020/21 home football and basketball games
- Sponsor logo on programs for all 2020/21 home football and basketball games
- Sponsor logo on scorer's table for 2020/21 home volleyball and basketball games
- 2-foursomes for tournament
- 2 steel framed bleacher seats and blankets with Maranatha logos
- Maranatha Athletics Instagram and Facebook will post Sponsor logo including website link
- Sponsor logo on golf cart for tournament
- Sponsor logo on Maranatha Athletics RepU app 2020/21 school year

\$5000 Sponsorship

- Tee signage at a hole during Golf Tournament
- Tee sign posted on fence during 2020/21 football and soccer seasons
- Season pass for two to all 2020/21 home football and basketball games, including playoffs
- Sponsor announced at all 2020/21 home football and basketball games
- Sponsor logo on programs for all 2020/21 home football and basketball games
- Sponsor logo on scorer's table for 2020/21 home volleyball and basketball games
- 2-foursomes for tournament
- 1 steel framed bleacher seat and blanket with Maranatha logos
- Sponsor logo on golf cart for tournament

\$2500 Sponsorship

- Tee signage at a hole during Golf Tournament
- Tee sign posted on fence during 2020/21 football and soccer seasons
- Season pass for two to all 2020/21 home football and basketball games, including playoffs
- Sponsor announced at all 2020/21 home football and basketball games
- Sponsor logo on programs for all 2020/21 home football and basketball games
- 1-foursome for tournament

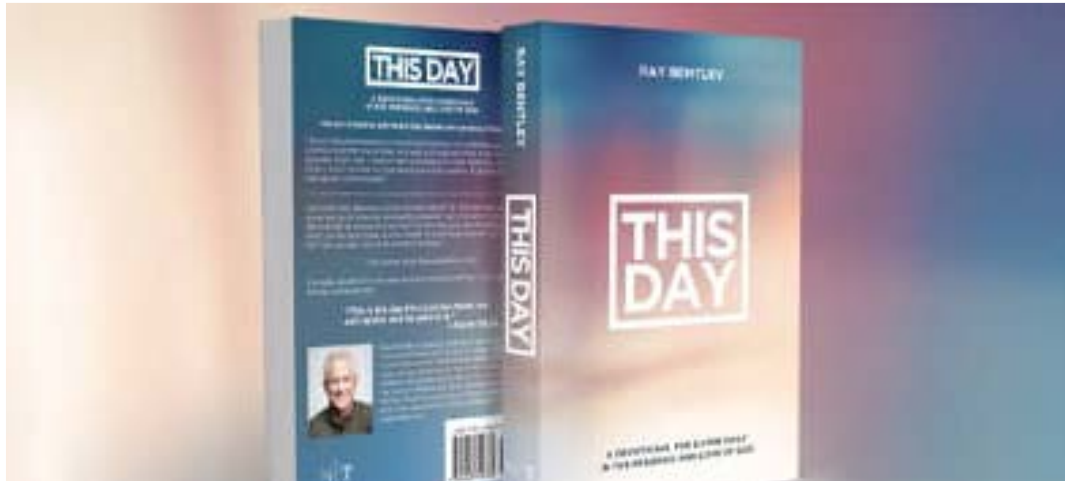
\$1000 Sponsorship

- Tee signage at a hole during Golf Tournament
- Tee sign posted on fence during 2020 football season
- Season pass for two to all 2020/21 home football and basketball games, including playoffs
- Sponsor announced at all 2020/21 home football and basketball games

\$500 Sponsorship

- Tee Signage at a hole during Golf Tournament

NEWS FROM THE CHAPEL



NEW DEVOTIONAL FROM PASTOR RAY — You are invited to join Pastor Ray Bentley on a journey of discovery. This daily devotional is an opportunity to discover and live in God's presence this day and every day. If you are looking for an awesome resource to cultivate a daily devotional life, this is a great place to start. This Day is now available for purchase [ONLINE](#) or in the Maranatha Bookstore.



REVIVE CHRISTMAS SING-A-LONG

Bring family and friends as we gather to sing carols and praises to the Light of the World, Jesus Christ on Wednesday, December 11. We will begin at 7pm. See you there!

IMPORTANT DATES FROM THE CHAPEL:

Dec 7&8 | Weekend Services

Dec 11 | Revive Christmas Sing-along (Bring the family!)

Dec 14 | Will Graham/music by Dennis Agajanian

Dec 15 | Weekend Service/Living Nativity

Dec 17 | Monday Night Study Christmas Party

Dec 21 | Hope in the Streets Christmas Outreach

Dec 21 & 22 | Weekend Services with MCS School Choir and Victorian Christmas Carolers on Dec 22

Dec 24 | Christmas Eve Services (4:00 & 5:30pm)

Dec 25 | No Revive Service

Dec 25-27 | Maranatha Chapel Office Closed

Dec 28&29 | Weekend Services

Dec 31 | No New Year's Eve Service

Dec 30-Jan 3 | Maranatha Chapel Office Closed

Jan 1 | No Revive Service

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P.S. DON'T FORGET

This section accommodates MCS information that isn't necessarily 'new' but convenient to have handy weekly!

MOMS IN PRAYER

Moms In Prayer International - Join the worldwide community of moms praying for children & schools. We meet Monday mornings 8:20-9:20am in 'The Makery'. Every Monday except half-days and holidays.



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