



Northwest Christian Academy Newsletter

May/June 2022

Moving into May!

Throughout these final 6 weeks of the school year, students will be finishing their study of new concepts, reviewing what they've worked on this school year, and showing what they've learned through final quizzes, tests, and projects. It's an exciting time of the year as students near the end of their current grade level. As teachers and staff at the school, it's also an exciting time because we are able to reflect on and see the growth that each student has had as an individual.

Watching students grow as young people is one of the most rewarding parts of working at NCA. We see examples of this growth every day; the student who looks for ways to encourage their friends without prompting, the one who recognizes on their own when they're wrong and apologizes, or the classmate who takes the time to ensure their peers are included in a game. It is my hope for each one of our students that their growth doesn't end on the last day of school, but that they are able to find opportunities throughout the summer to continue their growth and development as young people. Thank you for your continued partnership with us throughout this school year!

"Learning's purest form is realized by the individual who continues a quest beyond the classroom, fueled by a passion to discern wisdom. Wisdom – genuine truth – holds the key to refining one's thinking." -- Andy Andrews

Best Regards,
James Hall
Principal



SUMMER CAMP

Welcoming students entering 1st - 7th grades

June 21 - August 26

Closed June 20 & July 4

All rates include childcare from 7:00am - 5:00pm

Lunch provided. Students need to bring snacks

Registration Fee: \$ 110

Weekly Rate: \$ 260/week

Pre-registration required - daily rates not available

More information and sign up forms are available at the front office or online at ncslacey.org/summer-camp



UPCOMING DATES:

May 2022:

PE Testing—Day 2	5/2-3
Teacher Appreciation Week	5/2-6
Spring Clean Up	5/6
No School	5/9
Last day to order Yearbook	5/11
NCS Family Skate Night	5/16
Spirit Day—Fancy Day	5/20
Spring Concert	5/20
JH Night 6-8pm	5/21
8th Grade Lock-In—8p-9:30a	5/21-22

Passport Testing K-4	5/26
Spelling Bee	5/26
Memorial Day—Campus Closed	5/30
<u>June 2022:</u>	
Spirit Day - “When I Grow Up” Day	6/3
Donuts for Dads	6/3
8th Grade Promotion	6/6
NCA Awards Assembly	6/7
Field Day - Last Day of School	6/8
1/2 Day Dismissal @ 12pm	

TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK

Teacher appreciation week is coming up on May 2-6. Teacher “My Favorite Things” have been added to an album on the [NCA Families](#) Facebook Page. Thank you to everyone who has signed up to bring food and treat items for our teachers, our Sign Up Genius is already full! If you would still like to bring something in, please feel free. You can reach out to Kayden Spithaler at kspithaler@ncslacey.org if you have any inquiries.



FIELD DAY—WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8

The front office is busy planning a fun last day of school and we would love your help! If you would like to volunteer, please watch for more information and a Sign Up Genius to come out soon. We will have many opportunities to help with stations and games!

SPRING MUSIC CONCERT—MAY 20

Save the Date for the NCA Spring Concert! The Spring Concert will be on Friday, May 20 at 6:00pm. Participating grades are Kindergarten, 3rd, 5th, and 7th. Watch your classroom newsletter and the Wolverine Weekly for more information!

PE TESTING—MAY 2 & 3

PE Physical Fitness Testing is coming up May 2 & 3. We test 5th-8th grades. There are different physical fitness tests: 1 mile run, PACER, curl-ups, pushups, sit and reach, and shoulder stretch. This is graded and it will be based on participation (must complete all 6 tests).

Boys will be testing on **Monday May 2**. Girls will be testing on **Tuesday May 3**. Students will have opportunities to redo tests or make up missed tests during their regular PE class period May 4-6.

SPELLING BEE—MAY 26

We are excited to have our Spelling Bee on Thursday, May 26! Study lists will go home in Friday Folders on May 6 and classes will hold their spelling bees to determine their grade representatives. Don't forget to encourage your students as the Spelling Bee approaches, and keep practicing your words!



NCA 2021-22 YEARBOOK

Yearbooks are on sale now. Yearbooks can be ordered through May 11 and are \$21.61 (after tax is \$23.64) each. If you haven't registered with tree ring, go to www.treering.com/validate and enter our school's personal passcode: 1014762067131718. Two personal customizable pages are free with purchase and will ONLY be in your student's yearbook. (You can also choose not to have custom pages.) **The deadline for custom pages to be finished is May 4th.** For questions, please contact sbreda@ncslacey.org. Need step by step instructions. Go online to ncslacey.org/nca-newsletters.

MEMORIAL DAY

Our campus will be closed on Monday, **Monday, May 30** in observance of Memorial Day.




DONUTS FOR DADS

We are looking forward to honoring our fathers during drop off on the morning of Friday, **June 3!**

EXTENDED CARE SIGN UP REMINDER

All families in need of extended care must pre-register, preferably 24 hours in advance, in order to properly staff our care hours. For May/June registration, you can register at www.ncslacey.org/extended-care. Registration links can always be found in the Wolverine Weekly and on our website under the parent tab. Care is offered from 6:30-7:45am and 3-6pm and is charged through FACTS at \$5.50/hour. A service fee of \$5.00 will be charged for each instance of an unregistered student attending ex-care, on top of the hourly rate.

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5 Muffins for Moms	6 Spring Clean Up	7
	Teacher Appreciation Week					
8	9 No School 	10	11 Last Day to Order Yearbook	12	13	14
15	16 NCS Family Skate Night 6-8pm @ Skateland	17	18	19	20 Spirit Day— Fancy Day Spring Concert 6pm	21 JH Night 6-8pm 8th Grade Lock-In
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8th Grade Lock-In						
29	30 Memorial Day Campus Closed 	31	June 1	2	3 Donuts for Dads	4
5	6 8th Grade Promotion	7 Awards Assembly	8 Last Day of School Field Day 	9	10	11