



Northwest Christian Academy Newsletter Summer 2024



Hello NCA Families-

I hope your summer has been full of adventure and that you're soaking up the beautiful sunny days. The weeks are flying by quickly and we are looking forward to the upcoming 2024-2025 school year. It will be a blessing to have the kids back in our classrooms.

This mailing is full of information to answer your questions and prepare you for the start of school. Please take a moment to read through the newsletter and the included information.

School Year Forms & Information included in this newsletter and packet:

- Upcoming events list
- Information on extra-curricular activities
- Class supply lists
- Lunch program information and menu
- September calendar
- Extended care information
- Emergency kit order form
- Spirit wear information

Hot Lunch Program: We will continue to offer our hot lunch program four days a week. Hot lunch will be served Tuesdays through Fridays. Teachers will take a hot lunch count, in the morning, on hot lunch days. Charges will be invoiced via your FACTS accounts, lunches are \$5.25 each.

Security Cards: Cards are used by families whose students attend before/after school care. Security cards do not work during office hours (7:30-3:30). If you plan to utilize our extended care program, and feel you would benefit from a security card, please fill out the online form found on our website. Requested cards can be picked up at the front office, during our Back to School BBQ.

We look forward to seeing you all at our Back to School BBQ, from 5:00-7:00 pm, on August 29. In the meantime, feel free to contact me (abell@ncslacey.org) or our office anytime with your questions. Thank you for being a part of all the excitement that is ahead!

Sincerely,
Ann Bell
Principal



Spirit Wear

Families can order from our online spirit store anytime and have it shipped directly to their home! Choose from a variety of colors and logos in Men's, Women's, and Youth sizes. Our store is open year-round. Order online at ncslacey.org/spirt-store

Athletics

If your student will be participating in a sport during the upcoming school year, please fill out the one time Required Athletic Permission Form, now online, and make sure your student's sports physical is up to date (sports physicals are good for two years).

NCA offers after-school athletic opportunities for our students in the 5th-8th grade. We participate in the Tri-County Athletic Association (TCAA) and compete with a variety of private and public schools in our area. Sports are offered to 5th-8th grade students.

We are still looking for football coaches! If you are interested, please reach out to Mr. Ferner at jferner@ncslacey.org

Fall Sports: Cross Country, Flag Football, and Girls Volleyball. For start dates and times, please see the sign up form online by visiting the link below, or scanning the QR code.

SCAN ME



Back to School Night

When: Thursday, August 29

Time: 5:00-7:00pm

Visit classrooms and meet with teachers and other NCS families. Supplies may be dropped off at this time. Picnic dinner will be provided.

NCA Picture Day

NCA Picture Day is **Tuesday, September 17.**

NCS Auction

Save the Date—Auction will be held on Saturday, March 15, 2025

Group Music Lessons

NCA is excited to offer group lessons for students.

Register online and Mr. Jimmie Myers will reach out to you. Deadline to register: September 4.

Session: September 9 - November 26 (no lessons on non-school days or half-days)

Rock Band: Tuesdays from 3:00-4:30 for 4th-8th Grades (open to 2-3 Graders by audition only)

Orchestra: Thursdays from 3:00-4:30 for 4th-8th Grades (open to 2-3 Graders by audition only)

Cost: \$255 per month; invoiced via your FACTS account monthly in three installments. (*International students, please bring payment to the front office.*)

For more information, and to register for after school activities, visit our website at

ncslacey.org/back2school2024

Extended Care

Our Extended Care Program is for NCA families only.

It is available on school days from September 4, 2024 through June 4, 2025.

Non-school days throughout the year are TBD.

Pre-registration is required.

Cost: \$6 per hour; invoiced via your FACTS account each month.

Times: 6:30-7:45am & 3:00-5:30pm

Throughout the year, registration links for each month will be sent out through our Wolverine Weekly Newsletter and added to our extended care website page, located at ncslacey.org/extended-care



Theater

Our program teaches skills such as teamwork, public speaking, memorization, emotional maturity, confidence, and so much more. Not only do kids gain these life long skills, they have fun doing it!

Info about our upcoming Fall Production of *Disney's Moana Jr.*

Ages: 2nd—8th grade students

Registration Fee: \$20 per student—Registration Deadline: September 10

Cost: \$270 per student (payment will be invoiced through FACTS in three installments of \$90)

Auditions: Sept 11 & 12

Rehearsals: 3:00-5:00pm on Mondays, some Wednesdays, and Thursdays

Performances: Dec 6 & 7

NCA productions are an after school program that is charged separately through FACTS. If you have any questions, contact Haley Beers at hbeers@ncslacey.org

2024-25 Yearbook

Order your yearbook early through TreeRing.com beginning August 1 to receive to following discounts:

August 1—September 30 = 10% off; October 1—31 = 5% off. Regular Price: \$28.06+ tax

Go to: www.treering.com/validate. **Enter our school's passcode:** 1014762067131718. If you already have an account, go to Treering.com and log in with your account.


With each yearbook purchase, receive 2 free customizable pages: upload your own photos, answer memory questions to help remember the year, and send friend messages. Each additional 2 pages is \$0.99.

Throughout the year you can submit photos to manderson@ncslacey.org and your photo might be used in the yearbook!

Authorization for Medication

As mandated by state law, we cannot give your child prescription or over-the-counter medications (including cough drops and vitamins) unless we have an **Authorization for Medication** form in the office. The Authorization for Medication form must be completed and signed by a licensed health professional. Oral medication, topical medication, eye drops or ear drops and life-saving medications can be administered. Forms are available at the school office or from your doctor's office. Medicine must be in its ORIGINAL CONTAINER and LABELED with child's name. **Students are not allowed to carry medication of any kind.** *If your child has a life-threatening allergy or other serious condition, please let the office know as there may be additional emergency forms needed.* *See office for exceptions.

September 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
25	26 1st Wolverine Weekly Newsletter (email) Cross Country Begins	27	28	29 Back to School Night 5-7pm Athletics forms Due	30	31
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8	9 Flag Football Begins Volleyball Practice Begins	10 Athletics Parent Meeting 5-5:30p	11 Theater Auditions	12 Theater Auditions	13	14
15	16 Theater Rehearsals Begin	17 School Picture Day	18	19 MOD Pizza Spirit Night 10am-10pm	20 Spirit Day - Sports Day Spirit Assembly @ 2pm	21
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