

SHORT STUFF

November 30, 2018



Principal's Message

A word from Mrs. Bryant

We've all watched with dismay the news reports we've seen about the Camp fire in California. Many of us have family and friends who have been affected by these fires and we want to help.

The UCC Education Department is doing a fundraiser to raise money for student tuition at Paradise Adventist Academy.

PAA started back to school on Monday and are located in the Chico Adventist School and Church.

They have portables coming. They had 175 students before the fire and lost 17 due to families moving for jobs. They are now at 153. When asked what other schools could do to help, the principal immediately said what would really help is **funds for student tuition**. The families are still there and want their children in school but no longer have the income for tuition. Monthly tuition is \$500 for K-8, \$768 for grades 9-12.

Can we help? Many of our classrooms have already taken on projects for the people affected by the fires - everything from making blankets to forgoing their own Christmas gift exchanges in lieu of donations to the school. I love seeing this beautiful generosity.

If you would like to donate to PAA, Cindy M. has an envelope at the front desk for check or cash. Please make the checks out to RAS and we will send one check directly to the school. Or donate online the [UCC website](#).

Coming up

Nov. 30-Dec. 1: Bells Tour
Junior High to Leavenworth

Dec. 2: 3-4/Honors Choirs
Cordiner Hall Feast of Carols

Dec. 3: 7-8 Basketball
4 pm at Liberty Walla Walla

Dec. 4: 5-8 Basketball
Touchet and Garrison

Dec. 5: Christmas Program
Grades 3-8 musical groups

Dec. 6: Wessman/Cosaert
Visit Brookdale

Dec. 6: 5-8 Basketball
Home game

This week in photos

Christmas Tree Vespers



Christmas Program Info:

Sunday, December 2 at Cordiner Hall

- Rehearsal - arrive at 12:45
- Performance - arrive at 2:30
- Participants: Treble Choir (all 3rd/4th graders), Honor Choir (select 5th-8th graders), select strings, select bells
- Dress: White on top, black on bottom for 3rd/4th graders. All black for Honors Choir, strings, and bells.
- If your child is unable to attend, please email Ms. Short at patti.short@rogersschool.org

Wednesday, December 5 at WWVA Auditorium

- Band arrive at 6:15 p.m. All other groups arrive at 6:30 p.m. for a 7 p.m. performance
- Participants: Treble Choir (all 3rd/4th graders), Honor Choir (select 5th-8th graders), Beginning, Intermediate, and Advanced (Con Brio) Orchestras, Beginning and Advanced Band, 5th-8th Handbells, 5th-8th Steel Drums
- Dress: White on top, black on bottom for 3rd/4th graders, band and steel band. All black for Honors Choir, strings, and bells.

Thursday, December 13 at WWVA Auditorium

- Arrive at 6:00 p.m. for a 6:30 p.m. performance
- Participants: All Kindergarten-4th graders
- Dress info to come

Ski Bluewood Dates - 2019

February 15, 22, March 1, 8

Ski paperwork is available in the front office for our RAS Ski Bluewood program. Visit our [Ski Days page](#) on the RAS website for more information. See below for pricing and [pay online](#):

- Full Package (lift, rental, lesson) Before 12/14 \$205; After 12/14 \$230
- Lift/Lesson: Before 12/14 \$165 After 12/14 \$190
- Rental/Lesson: Before 12/14 \$165; After 12/14 \$190
- Lesson only: Before 12/14 \$105; After 12/14 \$130
- Bus: \$40

Register and pay before December 14 to save \$25 per student.



Happy Birthday!

Keegan C.	Nov. 30	Arielle C.	Dec. 6
Andrew T.	Dec. 5	Chiara D.	Dec. 7
Valerie M.	Dec. 5	JP D.	Dec. 7
Ruvimbo T.	Dec. 5	Bradley T.	Dec. 7
Liam G.	Dec. 5		

The Quest, a Christmas Musical

- **When:** December 8 at 6 pm and 8:30 pm and December 9 at 1 pm and 5 pm
- **Where:** Village Hall at Walla Walla University, 204 S. College Ave. College Place
- **Cost:** \$10 General Admission, \$5 Students and children
- Reserve tickets early by emailing Jennifer.rau@wallawalla.edu
- All original music and script by Jennifer and Rogers student Sarena Rau

Library needs Nativity Sets

It's time for holiday decorating. The library has a large display case ready to showcase different Nativity sets. If you have a Nativity set of any kind that you would be willing to share with the Rogers students for a couple of weeks, we would love to display it in our case. Bring your Nativity set to the library. You are welcome to pick it up before the Christmas vacation begins.