



EUGENE CHRISTIAN —— school——

February 2025 Quarterly Newsletter

Hello ECS Friends and Families,

It is hard to believe that this week puts us more than halfway through this school year already! So much has happened since our last newsletter came out in October. We were able to celebrate Veterans Day and Christmas with some wonderful programs in November and December. Additionally, we had a super successful Operation Christmas Child campaign this year as well as our Eugene Mission Clothing Drive.

In the new year, we have also been able to get right back to pursuing service to others with the launch of a new partnership this year. This year we will be supporting 1st Way Pregnancy Center with a diaper drive at the end of February. Our partnership is at the very heart of what we're about here at ECS, showing the love of Jesus through service to others.

As we move through the Winter Term we are looking forward to another ECS Family Skating Day on February 21st and our second ECS Family Worship Night on March 7th. Our annual Spring Open House will be on Thursday, March 13th.

There are a lot of exciting things happening here at ECS and I know I speak for the entire ECS Staff when I say what a blessing it is to be a part of this Kingdom work. God is moving in and through our school. Father, let your Kingdom come, let your will be done!



ECS WORSHIP BAND

FEATURING

A.J. SWOBODA & JOSH BIDWELL



FRIDAY, MARCH 7TH 6:30-8PM

Would you like to support the mission of ECS financially?
Consider one of these convenient ways to give and help us in Develping Kingdom Leaders



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FRIDAY, MAY 2ND

A BENEFIT FOR OUR TUITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

DINNER | MINGLE | AUCTION

\$500 TABLE FOR 8 | \$100 SINGLE



This fun evening brings our community together to raise money for our Tuition Assistance Program. Every year, ECS provides over \$612,000 (nearly 18% of our annual budget) in tuition assistance and discount programs. This fund is an integral part of our ability to provide Christ-based education to many of our ECS families. The Celebrate event includes a meal, along with an array of raffle and auction items. All proceeds go directly to the Tuition Assistance Program and straight to the heart of ECS. Our goal is to continue to expand these offerings in order to provide our high quality of education to as many students as possible, regardless of financial ability. Your support makes this possible!

- Tickets available now on our website - www.eugenechristianschool.com

STAFF STAFF SPOTLIGHT -Angelique Hinds-



How long have you been here at ECS?

I have been at ECS for 6 wonderful years! But I've been in this building long before as my uncle and dad worked here when it was My Little Salesman.

Where did you teach before ECS?

This was my first teaching job out of my masters program but I worked in a preschool prior to that for two years.

Why do you love teaching here at ECS?

I love getting to see the growth of our students throughout the years, seeing both current and past students at recognition chapel shine is amazing, I love when they find their 'thing'. Reading may be hard but maybe they cruise at an instrument!

Who inspired you growing up?

My mom was my favorite person, she was full of grace, love and wisdom and showed my brother and I how to navigate when we felt unsure. She grew up with 4 brothers so she can be a real tomboy and push my non-competitive self;) She's still my go to speed dial.

What is something about you that people may not know?

My husband works as an engineer on the ferry system in Alaska so we get 28 days together and then 28 days apart. However my brother lives with us (and our two dogs), so I'm not alone when he's gone.

What church do you attend?

I go to First Baptist of Eugene.

What is your favorite classroom activity?

I love a good flower power, its Hangman but with numbers and a flower. If the kids win they get called Kings and Queens but if they don't get the number before the flower is full they have to call the teachers Queens. It's always a good laugh.

What scripture really resonates with you right now?

Right now my verse is Psalm 106:1 "Praise the Lord, Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his love endures forever." What is your favorite hobby?

I am a voracious reader but also love to bake, pumpkin zucchini chocolate chip muffins are my jam and I'm always sad when pumpkin season is over.

What is the perfect Saturday?

The perfect Saturday for me is a lazy start to my morning, puppy cuddles and nowhere to go for the day. A movie that night with good popcorn and chocolate!

Upcoming Events

3/7 - Family Worship Night 3/13 - Spring Open House 3/24-3/28 - Spring Break 4/16 - K-1st Easter Program 5/2 - Celebrate ECS Auction 6/12 - Last Day of School

