November 7, 2014 Chesterbrook Academy – North Raleigh Dolphin Alert

Within a nurturing safe environment, Chesterbrook Academy, in partnership with our students, families, and community, is committed to providing an academically rigorous, standard based curriculum that teaches students to use creativity, critical thinking, problem solving and leadership skills to be successful in the 21^e century.

CBA CHORUS TO PERFORM IN THE RALEIGH VETERANS DAY PARADE TOMORROW

Our chorus students will be marching in the Veterans Day Parade tomorrow morning at 9:30 AM and we invite you to cheer and celebrate with us. The parade starts at 9:30 AM and will be downtown on Fayetteville Street. The parade ends at the Capital building where our students will then sing two songs from 10:30-11:00 AM. This is a great opportunity for our school and we are super excited about the experience. Hope to see many familiar faces in the crowd tomorrow morning!

ENROLLMENT SEASON CONTINUES

We had a nice meeting this morning with current intermediate parents. If you could not make the meeting, then please let me know if you would like to meet another time. Our next meeting is for our current preschool students moving to kindergarten. Please mark your calendar for next Tuesday morning. The meetings last about 30 minutes.

****Current Preschool students moving to Kindergarten**

during the 15-16 school year. 9:00 AM, Tuesday, November 11th

*Based on the number of tours this year already, we anticipate large numbers for kindergarten. We want to give our preschool families the first opportunity to enroll! <u>YOU HAVE OPTIONS</u> AND WE WOULD LIKE FOR YOU

TO CONSIDER OUR SCHOOL FOR ELEMENTARY!

 **Current Kindergarten students moving to First Grade during the 15-16 school year.
 9:00 AM, Tuesday, November 18th

**Current 1st grade students moving to Second Grade during the 15-16 school year.

9:00 AM, Tuesday, November 25th
**Current 2nd grade students moving to Third Grade during

the 15-16 school year. 9:00 AM, Tuesday, December 2nd

**Current 3rd grade students moving to Fourth Grade

during the 15-16 school year. 9:00 AM, Tuesday, December 9th

NO SCHOOL MONDAY

We will celebrate Veterans Day Monday. There is no school Monday for all students. Teachers will be in professional development during the day.

EYE SCREENING'S NEXT FRIDAY

GET READY--THE SANTA PANCAKE BREAKFAST IS COMING SOON

This year the PTO has arranged for Santa and Ms. Clause to come to CBA for breakfast. No need to wait in the very long mall lines to see Santa this year. We will be sending home a flyer next week with details regarding the Santa Pancake Breakfast. Here are a few details:

- **Saturday, December 13th** –with various seating times
- Yes, this is when Frozen is playing at the PNC Arena. If you have tickets to Frozen then you can still see Santa first thing in the morning during our first seating.
- Seating times to be announced next week
- Pancakes, fruit, and drinks
- \$5.00 per person and the money goes to CBA PTO
- \$20.00 max per family
- Take pictures with Santa and Ms. Clause and enjoy a great breakfast
- This is a picture of our Santa---he is the real thing! He is a friend of my families and he is a professional Santa! You will not want to miss this experience!



PRESCHOOL PERFORMS "THREE PIGGY OPERA"

ALL of our preschool students in Ms. Gardiner's, Ms. Brusca's, and Ms. Herron's classes will perform November 19th in our first musical of the year, the "Three Piggy Opera." The musical starts at 7:00 with a reception following right after the show.

CBA FOOD DRIVE STARTS TUESDAY

The kindergarten students are sponsoring the Food Drive this year and it starts November 11th. Please bring in lots of can goods so we can win the most pounds in the elementary division for the NC Food Bank. Start collecting now. You can bring in goods up until November 25th.