

## GLIMPSES OF LIFEGATE

### Tom G. Administrator

Ps. 96:4 "For great is the Lord and most worthy of Praise" As we continue a year dedicated toward praising the Lord, exciting things are stirring! I am **personally very encouraged**, the most I have ever been in my 7 years at Lifegate!



### Hot Lunches for November

11/1 Tues Ham & Cheese  
Scalloped Potatoes  
11/3 Thurs. Sub. Sandwiches  
  
11/8 Tues ?  
11/10 Thurs. Spaghetti  
  
11/15 Tues. Manager's Special  
11/17 Thurs. Chef's Choice

- The Share-a-thon on KORE Sat. Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> (12-3PM) has developed into a truly sharing enterprise, as we will feature many other Christian organizations on the program. It seems that it will develop into a Christian community program worth listening to! I just got off the phone with a representative of Children's Miracle Network who wants to come on the program and let listeners know that the Lifegate students have served their guest home in a spectacular way for the last several years.
- Last week Saul Patu was our speaker at dress chapel. Saul played for the Ducks and went on to professional football. He had an amazing testimony and message about worship and who sits on the throne of our hearts, for our students. Our student worship team under the direction of Joni Nortune does an incredible job leading worship. Each month we have outstanding guests who minister to our students during chapel.
- Our students and faculty are still talking about the film *Courageous*. If you haven't seen it, I strongly recommend it!
- We now have pictures of outdoor school on the **Web site**. Please check them out and see what fun we had!
- Please pray for our board retreat this Saturday October 29<sup>th</sup>. Don Anderson former superintendent of Junction City Schools (and a strong Christian) will give our board members some instruction on how to be effective in their service. Our board members are very active this year---so continue to pray for them.
- We need extra workers for this weekend's football game call Janice English at 541-954-6866 or e-mail her at [janicee@lifegatechristian.org](mailto:janicee@lifegatechristian.org).
- The Auction is just around the corner on December 3rd and this year we need it to be a team effort, because Dana can't dedicate one million hours to it as she has done in the past. We can do it as a team---**I believe in the family of Lifegate!** Call the office and see how you can help.

# School Happenings in November

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## RADIO-Share A-thon

Date to remember November 5<sup>th</sup> is the date for our Share-A-Thon. Mr. Gregersen has worked hard getting speakers and sponsors for this event. So far he has gotten representatives from the following places, Eugene Mission, Lane Pregnancy Support, Local Authors, Area Pastors, Speakers and other Christian Schools. However we still have slots to be filled so please drop by the Office and sign up. The Radio a-thon takes place **Saturday the 5<sup>th</sup> of November from 12-3pm** on radio station **KORE 1050 AM** on your dial. This is a fundraiser that is used for student scholarships fund to help students to attend our school, but could use some financial help and support. Let's get behind this fundraiser for our school and families in need.

## VETERANS DAY CELEBRATION

**This Veterans Day we will be attending the celebration at Eugene Christian School on Wednesday 11/9 at 1:00pm. We will be needing volunteers to help drive that day. If interested please sign up in the office or leave a message.**

**During Veterans Day week we will have a Hall of Fame here at school that will consist of pictures and names of family and friends that have served in the Military. If you have pictures that you would love to share with us please send with your student ASAP. These pictures will be returned. Remember those who have served and gave of themselves for our freedoms!**



## Our Thanksgiving Feast

LIFEGATE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL  
THANKSGIVING FEAST  
INFORMATION AND INVITATION  
Wednesday, November 23rd 2011

*Give thanks to the Lord, Call on his name; make known among the nations what he has done. 1 Chronicles 16:8*

As we "Give Thanks" and "Count our Blessings" we think of you-our families.

Please be our guest and join our students and staff for a morning full of fun, food, friends and fellowship. Come for the whole event or just the feast, whichever fits your busy schedule.

### ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE

8:25 am Arrive at School @ normal time  
8:30 am Fun and Games  
11:15 am Feast  
12:30 pm Clean up  
1:00 pm Dismissal to go home

**FOOD** - Students are asked to bring the item assigned to their class.  
PLEASE BRING FOOD **"TABLE READY"** (with your name on the dishes)

- 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grades Apple Juice(gallon) & Relish Tray Veggie (olives, pickles, carrot sticks, etc.)
- 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Veggies (corn, peas, salad)
- 10<sup>th</sup> Grade Rolls (two dozen)
- 11<sup>th</sup> Grade Mashed Potatoes (crock-pot, table ready)
- 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Pies or Desserts
- Staff Turkey, Gravy

**Important:** Please call the office to give us a head count so we can be sure to have an abundant feast. A feast this size will require many hands, please let the office know where you would like to help or if you would be willing to bring extra dishes.

Thank you,

Hope to see you there, please call 541-689-5847 with any questions.

# Scrip, Box Tops, Recycling, Autzen Games

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## BOTTLES AND CANS COLLECTION

Please continue to save your cans and plastic returnable bottles and ask your friends and neighbors to do the same. The dates we will be collecting them at school are Oct. 28th, Nov. 18th and Dec. 9<sup>th</sup>. Thank you all, you are doing a fabulous job!! Last month we collected about \$90 worth... good going!!

Heather Papendick  
Coordinator

## Oregon Duck Games

We still have at least 2 more games after Saturday's game with Washington State 10/29. The next games are **11/19 USC** and the **Big Civil War Game** on **11/26**. There may be one more game, if so it will be a Friday game the date and time will be announced at a later day. Please plan on joining us at one of these games **WE NEED YOU!** So please don't stop volunteering, we have almost completed this season and have raised over \$300 on most games. Sign up with Janice and mark the date!!! Thank you all for those who have worked hard to make this fundraiser a success!

Janice English  
Coordinator

## TRUST IN GOD FOR ALL THINGS

PROV.3:6

**"IN ALL THY WAYS ACKNOWLEDGE HIM,  
AND HE SHALL DIRECT YOUR PATH"**

## SCRIP NEWS.

**Next Scrip order Monday November 7th**

Harvest is in and we are headed into a season of Thanksgiving. A perfect time to add scrip such as Grocery Stores, Movie Theaters, Restaurants, Dutch Brothers and Department Stores. Consider when thinking about Christmas shopping next month to use scrip for gifts. I will be placing our next scrip order on Monday November 7th so **please get your orders into the office by the end of the school day Friday November 4th.**

The following order will probably be in before, or by November 28th.

Thank you for ordering scrip to support our school.

Frances Cline

Scrip Coordinator

## BOX TOPS

### Box Top Winners

The winners of the ice cream party for collecting the most Box Top coupons are the **students in the sophomore class**. Together they collected 35 coupons per class member for a total of 140 Box Tops. The middle school class collected 120 Box Tops for an average of 12 coupons per class member, and the freshman class brought in 21 Box Tops.

Additional Box Tops turned in before the contest started and those without names on them brought the total number of Box Tops to 787. We also have accumulated 200 coupons at Growing Local Learning that will be added to the total, and some of you registered at Box Tops for Education and earned Box Tops for watching Ford videos. Lifegate should receive a check for around one hundred dollars in December for all your hard work.

Keep clipping and collecting Box Tops and Campbell soup Labels for Education. I will be turning in Box Tops again in the spring and Labels for Education in the next couple weeks.

Also, students, watch for information on the next contest coming soon. Earn chances in a drawing for a coffee card of your choice by turning in Box Tops.

Thanks again, for everyone's help,  
Linda Rothauge, Coordinator

## Auction update

Lifegate Family,

We are nearing the biggest fundraiser of the year, our auction which is **just 5 weeks away, on December 3!** This is a critical key in covering the portion of our operating expenses that is over and above tuition. We are delighted to say that we have begun to receive some items, but many, many more are needed!

We need the help of the whole parent body in calling the merchants listed in the **packets that were handed out to each of you at back-to-school night**. It is **critical that these calls be made within this week** so that merchants have time to decide what they can give and we can get it in time for the event. The letters explaining this fundraiser are on **blue paper**, found in your packet, ready to give or mail to merchants. **Please attach a note with your name and phone number, and assure them you are available to pick up the merchandise whenever it is ready.**

Here is a sample of what you might say when making those phone calls IT'S BEST TO ASK FOR THE MANAGER!

"Hello, I'm a parent calling from Lifegate Christian Middle and High School. We really appreciate your generous support last year, donating to our Annual Scholarship Fund Auction. Our auction this year is on December 3, and we were wondering if you would like to contribute something again? You will receive a tax deductible receipt for any donation."

If you have not made calls OR sent/handed out letters, and feel for some reason that you absolutely cannot, please contact the auction team right away so we can reassign those names and not miss out on the donations those merchants could make.

This is going to be a delightful night. We would love to match or exceed our record of last year of \$38,000. With your help, we can do it!!

If you know of a business, ask if they would like to purchase a table for 8 for \$250. This will include advertising on the table and in the catalog, and they will bring guests to fill that table. We are also looking for businesses and individuals who will contribute to a matching fund. Last year we had a "Matching Fund" account that we started with \$10,000. Praise God!

With all of us working together I am sure this year will be a huge success. Look for further information about volunteers needed in a future email and newsletter.

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