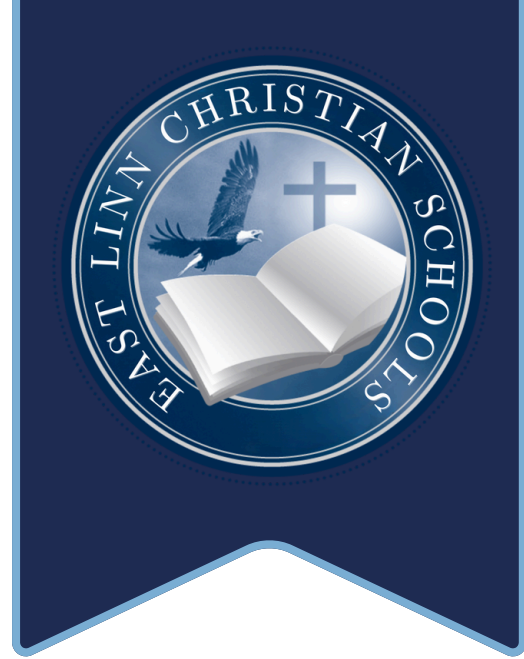


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EAGLE NEWS

EAST LINN CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS

Monthly Newsletter



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WELCOME WEEK 2024!

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Jon Bartlow
ELC Chaplain

WHAT IS TRUTH?

The stated goal of education is always to lead kids beyond the mere recalling of facts to the level of understanding of concepts and ultimately to discovering truth. As we start a new school year our annual theme is "Truth Seekers" and our secondary students are already working on a visual representation of this theme for the school hallways. The theme scripture comes from the Gospel of John: "So Jesus said to the Jews who had believed him, "If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples, 32 and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free." ([John 8](#)) Leading up to the year we encouraged students and families to immerse themselves in the ancient established wisdom found in Proverbs. This year many of our chapel messages will explore the truth and wisdom of Proverbs as well as passages related to salvation and Christian maturity so students are equipped to counter the absolute mocking of truth we see in our world. ([Continue reading here...](#))

2025 HIGH SCHOOL YEARBOOK

2025 High School Yearbooks now for sale for this school year. Reserve your copy NOW at jostensyearbooks.com, search for the HS yearbook.

Special Back to School Offer: Buy the yearbook for \$50 and for \$6.50 more get personalization/your name on the cover. When you order the personalization, you will get 4 free icons of your choice. You will pick these out on the website when you order. Back to School Offer ends at the end of September on the 30th.

An advertisement for Eagle Gear Store. At the top, it says "LET YOUR SCHOOL SPIRIT TAKE Flight!" with "Flight!" in a large, blue, cursive font. Below that, it says "ANNOUNCING AN ALL NEW EAGLE GEAR STORE!". The bottom half of the ad shows a collection of school spirit gear: a black backpack, a blue hoodie with "EAST LINN CHRISTIAN EAGLES ELC" on it, a white t-shirt with "ELC EAGLES", a grey zip-up jacket with "ELC" on the sleeve, a blue t-shirt with "EAGLES", a grey tumbler with "EAGLES" on it, and a white baseball cap with "EAGLES" on it.

Kickoff the school year with 20% OFF during the grand re-opening of EAST LINN CHRISTIAN store. Shop personalized tees, hoodies, backpacks, tumblers and more from all your favorite brands (Nike, Lululemon, Carhartt, Adidas, & more!) Save 20% with code GRAND20 now thru 9-18-24.

Orders Shipped Directly to Your Door!

<https://eastlinnchristian.org/eaglegear.cfm>

SAVE THE DATE!

Sept 2024

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH

ASVAB Career Aptitude Test -All Sophomores & Juniors

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25TH

All School Picture Day

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16TH

PSAT - Cost \$18 - Sophomores & Juniors

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13TH

Career/College Fair in the Gym from 9-11am

CARPOOL CONNECTION

Are you looking for someone to carpool with? Parents can use this spreadsheet to find other parents interested in carpooling from outside of the Lebanon area.

[Carpool Connection](#)

SCHOOL SAFETY

I wanted to introduce our Standard Response Protocol (SRP) for our school. The benefits of SRP become quickly apparent. By standardizing the vocabulary, all stakeholders can understand the response and status of the event. For students, this provides continuity of expectations and actions throughout their educational career. For teachers, this becomes a simpler process to train and drill. For communities, it leverages the growing adoption of the protocols from residents of all ages. For first responders, the common vocabulary and protocols establish a greater predictability that persists through the duration of an incident. People easily understand the practices and can reinforce the protocol. Additionally, this protocol enables rapid response determination when an unforeseen event occurs. If you have any questions you can reach out to me at krandleman@eastlinnchristian.org

[Standard Response Protocol Info for Parents](#)

SafeOregon receives tips focused on school safety, including:

- Safety threats
- Violence or threats of violence
- Fights
- Drugs, alcohol, or weapons on campus
- Bullying, harassment, or intimidation
- Cyberbullying
- Friends or peers discussing self-harm or suicide

According to OSP all tips are immediately received by the tip line and are forwarded to designated school personnel or law enforcement to respond to reported incidents.

Tips may be submitted 24 hours per day, 7 days per week:

- Call or text: 844-472-3367
- Email: tip@safeoregon.com
- Website: safeoregon.com



Kyle Randleman

ELC Dean of Students

EAGLES CLASSIC TOURNAMENT

Girls Volleyball recently hosted the Eagles Classic Tournament on September 7th. After three sets in pool play, the eagles were ranked 1st in their pool and 2nd overall, trailing shortly behind North Lake who they met in the championship. After a dominated set by north lake, (13-25) the eagles came back strong in the 2nd set and won 27-25. The last set ended 10-15. League play begins September 24th.



CROSS COUNTRY RETREAT

This last weekend East Linn Christian's cross country team went away to a Rockaway beach for retreat. The team participated in devotions and testimonies, completed ultimate baker challenges, toured Tillamook Creamery, ran on the beach, and competed in The Ultimook 5k race for 1a-4a at beautiful Hydrangea Ranch. The whole team raced well and had fun at the challenging course and Daisy Lalonde won the 1a-4a girls division. The course was a 5k (3.2ish miles) including a run through beautiful hydrangea flowers, a 20 meter long mud pit, and 2 river crossings. The weekend concluded with a long car drive home with all athletes able to ride in the same van.

ELC STAFF SPOTLIGHT

This month we are featuring our new staff members for the 2024-2025 school year! Find out more about each of them by reading their [Bios HERE.](#)

- Amy Burns, 4th Grade Team Teacher
- Michelle Rieskamp - 2nd Grade Teacher
- Natalie Manner - Concessions Coordinator
- Ashton Kraft - MS/HS English & Art
- Megan Magnes - Admin Secretary
- Eric Sage - MS Teacher
- Machiel Greyling- Athletics Event Coordinator
- Monica Walesby- Elem. Secretary Assistant
- Jen Ketcham- Attendance Secretary
- Missy Beachy - Elementary Secretary

TECHNOLOGY TALKS

With Jen Dix & Michael Miller



Mr. Miller	Mrs. Dix
Monday: 9:00-10:15	Monday: 1:30-2:35
Tuesday: 8:00-8:45	Tuesday: 1:05-2:30
W-F: 8:00-9:40	W-F: 12:55-2:30

Mr. Miller = Network Administrator (makes sure the internet works)



Mrs. Dix = Technology Administrator (makes sure your technology works)





-New Happenings-

We have a new building! We have moved over to MOD 1. Bigger workspace and a dedicated technology classroom! Come check out our new space.

BARK monitoring has returned! Watch your email for account information!

<https://support.bark.us/hc/en-us>

