

FOURTH BAPTIST CHRISTIAN SCHOOL WARRIORS

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Dear VIP:

We are now in the fourth quarter of the 2012-2013 school year and it hardly seems possible. April and May bring a plethora of events and we are working on Friday's hard deadline for all accreditation materials to be sent out to our visiting team members. The team will be coming to Fourth on May 6-8 to evaluate our school program.

This year, on April 8-12, we will be hosting the Academy of the Arts as they put on a drama seminar for our high school students. The week is designated for drama preparation, scene practice and academics throughout each day. The students will present the play on Friday night, April 12, at 7:00 p.m. at Fourth Baptist Church's auditorium.

The name of the play is "April Morning" and the drama is set during the Civil War and tells the story of a young farm boy named Jeb Stockton who tries to run away from God and the realities of his life by going off to the war. Four different people challenge Jeb in different areas of his life until, faced with the horrors of death itself, he makes a decision that changes his life for eternity. This exciting and moving play is one you will not want to miss! More than 40 of our high school students will employ professional stage-lighting, full costumes and make-up to tell this story.

If you live in the Twin Cities area, we would like to invite you to come and see "April Morning." Tickets may be purchased at the door or you may call the school office at (763) 417-8240. Ticket prices are \$10 for adults (ages 15 and up). For children 14 and under, tickets are \$6 each.

We are through our reenrollment period and had 31 students and their families attend our kindergarten open house last week. Budget planning is also under way for next year. Your continued prayers are always appreciated.

Praises:

1. Near completion of our self-study and curriculum guide.
2. A good response to our reenrollment and kindergarten open house.
3. A strong year, so far, with the collection of tuition. God is providing the needs of our families.

Prayer Requests:

1. That we would surpass this year's enrollment numbers for next year.
2. Drama seminar week and the play performance preparations. That we would have a sizeable crowd attend our drama presentation.
3. Budget planning for next year.

Thanks for praying.

For Christian Education in Plymouth,

Mr. Alan J. Hodak, *FBCS Administrator*