

# The Eagle Express Newsletter

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## Patience

*Waiting without getting upset.*

**I Will...**

**Wait my turn.**

**Not complain when I don't get my way.**

**Accept what cannot be changed.**

**Use my time wisely.**

**Try and try again.**

*Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and **patience**.  
(Galatians 5:22-23)*

## What's for Hot Lunch?

Thu: NO SCHOOL

Fri: NO SCHOOL

Mon: Chicken Patties

Tue: Sloppy Joes

Wed: Pizza



## Patience should be a virtue. . .

*"Cast not away your confidence because God defers his performances. That which does not come in your time, will be hastened in His time, which is always the more convenient season. God will work when He pleases, how He pleases, and by what means He pleases. He is not bound to keep our*

*time, but He will perform His word, honor our faith, and reward those who diligently seek Him." ~ Matthew Henry*

We have been waiting for the Church remodeling of the foyer to be completed for quite a while. At first this seemed to be a quick over the summer get in, get out, and were done type of a project. We anticipated all to be ready and complete before school started. We that didn't happen! Then, we held out for the "it should be done by Labor Day" proclamation, and that date came and went. I think I finally see light at the end of the "Foyer" so to speak.

The Bible defines patience as a fruit of the spirit. Webster's Dictionary says, "Waiting without getting upset." This is very hard to do, and we all fall short. How many times have you been in a grocery store check-out line of about three or four people, and you or the person in front of you, start saying, "don't they have anymore checkers around here." J Yes we all can identify with impatience!

A squash can be grown in about ninety days, but it takes up to a hundred-years to grow a mighty oak tree. Thomas Edison tried over a thousand times to get to the final invention of the light-bulb.

Patience is a divine attribute:

1. Character of God
  - ◆ Exod. 34:6 - "Lord God,...slow to anger"
  - ◆ I Pet. 3:20 - "the patience of God kept waiting in the days of Noah"
2. Exhibited in/by Jesus Christ
  - ◆ II Thess. 3:5 - "the steadfastness of Christ"

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**OCS Eagles**

Isaiah 40:31

*But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; They will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint. -- Isaiah 40:31*

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- ◆ I Pet. 2:23 - "while being reviled, He did not revile in return,...but kept entrusting Himself to Him who judges righteously"
- ◆ II Pet. 3:9 - "The Lord is patient toward you"
- ◆ II Pet. 3:15 - "the patience of our Lord... salvation"

3. Divine implementation in behavior of men

- ◆ a. "not a virtue achieved, but a character received"
  - ◆ Gal. 5:22 - "fruit of Spirit...patience"
  - ◆ Col. 1:11 - "strengthened with all power, for the attaining of all steadfastness and patience"

October's Character trait is Patience. Let's all consider how we can be more patient with one another, encouraging one another, and building up one another!

Dr. Keene

*A Prayer to help us stay connected...*

If you are struggling today to endure, here is a prayer to help you remember the crown of joy ahead of you:

Lord, I am weary and don't know when this "race" will end in my life. I feel like I've been running forever, trying to outrun this trial. Help me to stop trying to outrun my pain but rather run with endurance the race you have set before me. I know that because of you I am ultimately a victor over the trials in my life. I know that nothing in this world can separate me from your steadfast love. Please give me a measure of your love today; give me the strength to endure this trial. Thank you for your love for me that never ends! And thank you for the crown of joy that awaits me forever in your Kingdom! In Jesus' Name, Amen!

**Next PTPF Meeting:**

10/10 @ 6:00 pm  
@ Starbucks  
This is an event planning meeting.

**Next School Board Meeting:**

Thurs., Oct. 20, 2016  
@ 6:00 pm, Library

# SPORTS

Changes to Flag Football schedule in Red:



**Flag Football Schedule:**

**Game Location:** Martin Luther King Jr. Park (MLK) 2921 B Street, Oroville 95966

Date	Time	Away	Home
10/10	3:45 PM	Bangor 2	OCS
10/17	5:00 PM	OCS	Stream
10/17	6:15 PM	OCS	Sycamore
<del>10/24</del>	<del>5:00 PM</del>	<del>OCS</del>	<del>Stream</del>
<del>10/24</del>	<del>6:15 PM</del>	<del>OCS</del>	<del>Sycamore</del>

New Game added to the Volleyball schedule in Red:

**Girl's Volleyball Schedule:**



**Game Locations:**

Palermo: 7350 Bulldog Way Palermo, CA 95968

Bangor: 7549 Oroville Bangor Hwy, Oroville, CA 95966

Date	Time	Away	Home	Location
10/11	7:00 PM	OCS	Bangor	Palermo
10/20	5:00 PM	Stream 1	OCS	Palermo
10/25	5:00 PM	Manzanita B	OCS	Bangor



**WEDNESDAYS 5:45 - 7:45**

## Schedule of Upcoming Events

10/6 & 10/7 NO SCHOOL - Parent / Teacher Conferences

10/13 & 10/14 NO SCHOOL - Teacher Conferences off-site

10/21 Fall Festival @ 6:00 p.m.

10/21 Picture Retakes