

Community Christian School

November 2, 2021

**PT Conferences next Tuesday/Thursday – 1:00 pm dismiss both days, Conferences 1:30p – 5:30p.
NO SCHOOL next Friday (Nov 5th) teacher comp day.**



Hello,
November

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME: Daylight savings time ends this Sunday, November 7th. Don't forget to set your clocks back 1-hour before you go to bed Saturday night.

TUITION: November tuition is due next Wednesday. Please make arrangements now.

TRANSPORTATION REIMBURSEMENT: Reimbursement for transportation to and from school is available to families living within the Fort Dodge School District who reside at least two miles or more from the CCS. If you reside in another school district, please call that school district's office and request a transportation reimbursement form. This reimbursement can be \$200-400 a year (dispersed over the summer). Please return the attached reimbursement form to the CCS office **BEFORE THANKSGIVING BREAK!!**

BREAST CANCER MONTH: Thank you to all who participated, donated or made cards for our Breast Cancer Awareness Pink Out. We raised \$400 in donations here at CCS. THANK YOU!!

OFF CAMPUS STUDENT APPOINTMENTS: We understand that students will have an occasional need to go to an off-campus appointment (optometrist, dentist, doctor, etc..). We highly encourage parents to schedule these appointments during after school hours or on days off. We experience a higher volume of students leaving during the day for these appointments, missing critical instruction and most times testing in class.

NOTIFY THE OFFICE: Please contact the office if your child will be late or absent. We will relay that to their teachers. We understand each teacher has a Remind group for open communication, but if the office doesn't know your child will be out, we spend time trying to track down your child only to find out the teacher was told.

CONFERENCES: Parent/Teacher conferences are scheduled for this Tuesday, November 2nd & Thursday, November 4th from 1:30-5:30pm each day (early dismiss both days at 1:00 pm).

ATHLETIC: Fall sports have started – attached is the November/December calendar.

CCS PTF MEMO ITEMS:

CURBSIDE BUTTER BRAID PICKUP: Butter braid orders (online & paper) will ARRIVE FROZEN for curbside pickup on the south side of school (regular pick up lane) TOMORROW, Wednesday, 11/3 after school until 4:00pm, gym pick up until 6:00pm. Products MUST BE KEPT FROZEN after pickup, they expand and explode within hours if not kept frozen.

ISO Silent Auction Items: The PTF Boosters are teaming up with the marketing and development committee to help collect and/or create unique silent auction items for the 2nd Annual Holiday online auction held December 9 @ 4PM - December 11 @ 4PM. We are hoping that each Crusader family can sign up for at least one item to collect/create for this fun Christmas fundraiser and event! (please sign up using the Google docs link below) https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/10sLe1athqg4WarML12iAQ6zVzyW75F_XXRArgpsSHQg/edit?usp=sharing

STUDENT CONTEST: The Marketing Committee is holding a competition for the cover of their winter end-of-the year giving letter. This competition is open to all CCS students. They need to create an original winter, Christmas or holiday scene on a 5X7 piece of cardstock. They can pick up the cardstock in the office from Mrs. Coble-Day and must be returned to the office by Monday November 8th. The winner will be selected by the Marketing Committee and used to promote CCS.

CACFP FORMS: Attached is a CACFP (Child and Adult Care Food Program) form. This is the program that reimburses CCS for all snacks served (Math Club, Maker Space, After School Program, days off childcare). We need to have a form on file for every student, so if you could please complete just the TOP SECTION of the form and return it with your student, we would appreciate your help in this effort.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Nov 2 & 4 1 pm Early Dismiss, Parent Teacher Conferences (1:30 – 5:30 pm)
Nov 5 No School – Conference Comp Day
Nov 8 CCS PTF Meeting – 7:00 pm – art room
Nov 9 CCS Marketing Meeting - noon
Nov 10 1 pm Early Dismiss – Staff Professional Development
Nov 15 SIT Committee Meeting – 6:30pm
Nov 16 CCS P&F Meeting – 6:30 pm
Nov 22 School Board Meeting – 6:30 pm
Nov 24 – 26 No School – Thanksgiving Break
Nov 30 2nd quarter midterms due (3rd-8th)

LOOKING AHEAD:

Dec 8 CCS Marketing Meeting - noon
Dec 9 Christmas Program (continued discussions on in-person)
Dec 22 – 31 No School – Christmas Break

CHAPEL: Chapel will be conducted similar to last year, classrooms will take turns leading Chapel.

BIBLE MEMORY VERSE FOR THE WEEK: **Proverbs 1:7** The fear of the LORD is the beginning of knowledge, but fools despise wisdom and instruction.

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CCS MISSION: “Serving God by providing families an academically-excellent, Biblically-integrated education, which encourages spiritual development and social responsibility in an environment where students can develop their God-given gifts and talents.”