

Community Christian School

November 6, 2018



Character Trait	Thoroughness
Missionary	Brother Andrew

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD: The Kindergarten, 5th and 6th grade 'Reading Buddies' exceeded their goal!! They filled and delivered 23 shoe boxes with items for Operation Christmas Child yesterday. Thank you all for your generous donations!!

TUITION: Reminder, November tuition is due Saturday the 10th, so please make your payment by Friday, Nov 9th or pay online at <http://www.ccsfd.org/parent-portal/>

BUTTERBRAID PICK UP NEXT WEEK: Plan ahead now, Butterbraid pick up is next Thursday, November 15th. You can get them at either curbside grab-n-go during early dismiss pick-up or in the CCS gym anytime between 12-3pm. **REMINDER**, these must stay frozen after you pick them up, so make arrangements for transport now. Unfrozen Butterbraids will explode in your car if they are left out too long.

KJYL SHARE-A-THON: Ron & Bernita Norine will be sharing great things about Community Christian this Thursday morning at 8 a.m. on KJYL 100.7. Tune in to enjoy what they have to share about how great we are!

CONFERENCES: Parent/Teacher Conferences are scheduled for next Tuesday, November 13th & Thursday, November 15th from 1:30-5:30 each day. Your conference schedule is in your child's bag today.

AFTER SCHOOL/LUNCH \$: Lunch slips and after school invoices have been sent home with your child.

FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN M&M TUBES: Students are doing great filling their classroom buckets with change for Feed My Starving Children. This friendly classroom competition is going on until November 16th to see which class can raise the most money. There will be 2 winning classes, one for total amount collected by a class and one for total percentage per child collected in each class. This will help even out the odds for the smaller class sizes. Winning classes will choose between a pizza or ice cream party. Current totals are below!!

FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN CLASSROOM FUNDRAISING:

Kindergarten	\$15.30	
1 st Grade	\$51.79	
2 nd Grade	\$76.91	\$255.39 total so far!!
3 rd /4 th Grade	\$69.44	
5 th /6 th Grade	\$10.05	
7 th /8 th Grade	\$31.90	

CCS FOOD DRIVE: CCS will be hosting a food drive November 6-19th. Please bring cans of food to school to be donated to the homeless shelter. There will also be 2 fun dress up days in November to support the cause. Friday, November 9th dress up as your favorite movie character and Monday, November 19th, dress up as something Thanksgiving related. If you want to dress up, you must bring 5 cans of food each week to be able to participate in the dress up days.

PTF MEETING: Next PTF meeting is Monday, November 12th at 7 pm. Please join us, there is lots to discuss!

ATHLETICS: Boys and girls basketball **starts this Thursday**. The gym will be split and both boys & girls will practice from 3:30-5pm. There is also a parent meeting this Thursday at 5 pm immediately following our first practice. Other November practices will be Nov. 8th, 12, 19, 20, 26th from 3:30-5pm. A calendar of practices and games, game maps & the handbook will be handed out at the parent meeting this Thursday. See you then!

CHEERLEADING AND PEP SQUAD: Cheerleading and pep squad will start practice next week. Both groups will practice on Monday and Wednesdays during lunch recess.

40TH ANNIVERSARY PHOTOS: Did you capture any great moments during the 40th Anniversary Weekend? If so, Suzanne Welch is looking for your photos. Please e-mail a copy of them to her at suzw129@gmail.com

FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN: CCS is hosting the Feed My Starving Children Fort Dodge Mobile Pack on Saturday, December 1st. We would love for CCS families to be a part of this ministry by volunteering time to pack meals with others from our community. This is a huge event and a lot of fun. There are sign-up sheets in the office to help come pack meals for a shift. Shift 1 is 9:00-11:00am, Shift 2 is 12:00-2:00pm and Shift 3 is 2:30-4:30 pm. Call or stop in the office to sign up now, online registration starts Nov 1 at www.FMSC.org

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Nov 1-19	CCS Food Drive (ongoing)
Nov 8	Marketing Meeting - noon
Nov 12	PTF Meeting – 7 pm CCS library
Nov 13	1 pm Dismissal/Parent-Teacher Conferences (1:30-5:30)
Nov 15	ButterBraid pick up (12-3pm)
Nov 15	1 pm Dismissal/Parent-Teacher Conferences (1:30-5:30)
Nov 16	No School/Comp Day
Nov 19	1 st /2 nd grade monthly fieldtrip to Friendship Haven (12:30-2:00)
Nov 21-23	Thanksgiving Break (No School)

LOOKING AHEAD:

Dec 1	Feed My Starving Children Mobile Pack (CCS gym)
Dec 3-17	Pennies for Pets (more info to follow)
Dec 4	2 nd Quarter mid-terms go home (3 rd -8 th)
Dec 6	Christmas Program (PS-8) 1 pm & 6 pm
Dec 12	Early Dismiss 1 pm (Professional Development)
Dec 21	Early Dismiss 1 pm (Christmas break)
Dec 24-Jan1	No School (Christmas Break)
Jan 2	School Resumes

CHAPEL: Marsha Halbach – 5th/6th teacher

BIBLE MEMORY VERSE FOR THE WEEK: Review verses

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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."