

# **Educating World Changers**

#### PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCE SIGNUPS

Emails went out earlier this week regarding Parent/ Teacher Conferences Thursday, November 7th and Friday, November 8th. If you haven't signed up yet, below are the links and corresponding passwords.

**Early Education** 

access code: ccaee

Lower School

access code: ccals

**Electives and Specials** 

access code: ccaelect

Upper School (A-J)

access code: ccaus1

Upper School (K-Z) access code: ccaus2

Academic Support/Speech

access code: ccaaso

### COMBINED CHAPEL/COFFEE CONNECTIONS

Combined Chapel/Coffee Connections is THIS Monday, October 28th! Coffee Connections starts at 8:00 AM in the Forum Room. Drop off the kids, and



come down for some coffee, light refreshments, and a great time to meet new friends and catch up with the old ones!

Combined Chapel (all school) begins at 9:20 AM in the gym. Join us as we worship together as a school in this once-a-month Combined Chapel! Also, don't forget our "Ends of the Earth" offering is taken during our monthly Combined Chapel. This offering is used toward our Acts 1:8 program which equips students to serve locally and abroad.

# CHAOS\* (6TH-8TH GRADE)

All 6th-8th grade students are invited tomorrow, October 26th 5:50-7:50 PM at the Pepsi Ice Center! Emails with details went out last week, and flyers went home with students this week. Cash only will be accepted at the door. Questions? Contact Angie Halvorsen.

\*Choose Him Always Over Self

#### WINTERIM INFO

Information regarding our January mini-semester for high school students was emailed Thursday, October 16th. Registration forms are due today, October 25th. Courses fill up quickly, so get yours in soon! Questions? Contact Mrs. Sondgeroth.

#### **BOOK FAIR NEWS**



This fall's book fair (November 22nd-December 3rd) theme is "Arctic Adventure." Before the fun begins, we would like to build a reading igloo! Please bring your empty, well-rinsed gallon milk jugs to the library. We need at least one per student.

Thank you very much!

Also, it takes many volunteers to provide a great book fair. Mrs. Barnes could use your help! Please see what you can do (no experience necessary) on this SignUp Genius.

Questions? Contact Mrs. Barnes.

Finally, reserve your copy of Jeff Kinney's newest



book, Diary of a Wimpy Kid Wrecking Ball, NOW!!! Our Scholastic Book Fair is offering a specially-priced paperback edition for \$9.99. Order forms are available in the library and must be returned with payment

by October 31st. Students will receive their new books on the release date, November 5th. Each purchase benefits the literacy efforts of our school.

#### **CREATORS CLUB**

The Creators Club will meet Friday, November 1st from 3:30-5:30 PM in room 319. This event is open



to all 5th-8th graders. The activity will be jewelry making (to keep or for gift giving!). Please sign up with Mrs. Weller by Wednesday, October 30th. This is a

free event, but reservations are required.

### **PICTURE RETAKES**

Wednesday, November 6th is picture day for those who missed Picture Days in September or want a retake. Order packets are available in the office. Students wanting retakes must bring their original picture packet with them that day. Questions? Contact Interstate Studio at 217-422-7607.

#### **FOOD FOR CONFERENCES**



Once again our parents want to take good care of our teachers during the conferences! Many teachers don't have a long meal break, so having food ready

will nourish them and keep them going! If you would like to be part of blessing the teachers in this way, please use this link to sign up. Questions? Contact Debbie Stilwell.

## **SNOW? SAY IT ISN'T SO!**

# Cancellation/Early Dismissal

In the event of an unplanned cancellation or schoolwide early dismissal due to inclement weather or other reasons, parents will be notified in three ways:

- ParentAlert (via email, text message, and/or voice message)
- Alert notice on school website (www.cornerstonechristian.com)
- •WJBC 1230 AM radio live broadcast and wjbc.com (Cancellations page)

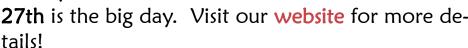


In most cases, if Unit 5 or Tri-Valley schools cancel due to weather, CCA will also cancel. We will make every attempt to make any such decisions by 6:30 AM. If school is cancelled, games and practices maybe cancelled or postponed at the discretion of the Athletic Director.

(for more information, see page 27 of the Parent/Student Handbook on the website.

# **WE LOVE OUR GRANDPARENTS!**

Grandparents Day is coming soon! Mark your calendars. November





Please join us for a great family night of entertainment as Cornerstone's Upper School (6th-12th grade) bands and choirs present a concert full of Patriotic

music and American composers. The music starts at 6:00 PM Monday, November 4th, in the gym! During this

concert, we want to honor all veterans and active duty military. Please provide the following information to Mrs. Hagberg by Friday, November 1st if you would like to have your loved one included in the tribute displayed during the concert.

Name
Military Branch
Your relationship to the service member
Active duty or veteran?
MOS (Military Occupational Specialty—aka their job)

#### SAVE THE DATE!

Our high school fall play will be December 5th & 6th!

#### YEARBOOKS

Ordering for the 2019-2020 Cornerstone yearbook is now available online at Jostens.

This yearbook will include pictures and information about ALL our students (Early Ed through high school). Order yours now before you forget!



#### **FCA**

All high school students (not just athletes) are invited to the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. This studentled group meets every Wednesday morning from 7:20-7:50 AM in room 325. Get trained on how to share the Gospel. Oh, and there are free donuts each week also! Questions? Contact Jason Damkoehler.



### COMING UP.....

Friday (10/25) Josten's Rep visit 9:55-10:25am; Kindergarten Field Trip; HS Girls Volleyball ECIC Tournament vs Uni-High 4:00pm @ Deland-Weldon Saturday (10/26) HS Coed Cross Country IHSA Regional 10:00am @ Olympia HS; JH CHAOS event @ Pepsi Ice Center 5:50pm

Monday (10/28) Coffee Connections 8:00am; Combined Chapel 9:20am

Tuesday (10/29) JH Girls Basketball vs Heyworth @ Heyworth 6:00pm; HS Girls Volleyball Regional vs LeRoy @ LeRoy 6:30pm

Wednesday (10/30) Prayer Circle 8:15am (Everyone is invited!); HS FCA 7:20-7:50am

Monday (11/4) Upper School Band/Choir Concert 6:00pm

<u>Tuesday 11/5</u>) HS Art Field Trip; Early Ed Story Hour (2-year-olds) 9:30am; 2nd Grade Field Trip; 5th Grade Faithful Few 1:45pm

Wednesday (11/6) Picture Retake Day

\*Visit the website calendar for more details!