



NO SCHOOL LABOR DAY SEPTEMBER 2

DID YOU GET IT?

If you did not receive the Parent Alert text yesterday and you expected to, please contact the office. We want to make sure everyone who wants to be contacted in this way is on the list!

PLEASE BE SAFE!

One more safety reminder. **AT NO TIME** should cars pass one another in the circle lane. As students will be exiting or entering on either side, this is a very dangerous practice. Please be patient and wait until the car in front of you pulls forward. With that in mind, also please be sure your students are ready to exit the car when you pull up in the morning.



HANDBOOK HIGHLIGHTS

Lunch Visitors

Parents or grandparents (*please no younger siblings*) are welcome to join their child(ren) for lunch. Other guests may be allowed to visit during designated lunch periods with prior administrative approval. Please sign in at the office and obtain a visitor's badge before going to the lunchroom. (Found on page 31 of the **Parent-Student Handbook** on our **website**.)



All Visitors

The office is open from 7:45AM to 3:45PM Monday through Friday. Parents or other visitors to CCA are required to obtain a visitor's badge in the school office upon arrival. (From page 33 of the Handbook.)

ALL-SCHOOL PICNIC



Our annual School Picnic is Thursday, September 12, from 5-6:30pm. It's free, but we need to know if you're coming! Sign up [here!](#)

PLEASE JOIN US!

It's been said prayer is the most important thing we do at Cornerstone. There are two very specific ways you can join us. First, join the parents that meet every Wednesday morning in the Conference Room at 8:15! This committed group prays for your children, the staff, and the needs of the school. Everyone is welcome! Can't make it in person? Then be sure to check the list of prayer requests and praises in [Pray Now!](#) under the [Support CCA](#) tab on the website! Updated monthly, this list will help you better know the needs of your school.



BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION IS CHANGING!

After purchasing any Box Tops product, rather than cutting out your box tops, you can simply scan your



receipt using the free Box Tops app.

The app will automatically add Box Tops to Cornerstone's total online.

Once you've created an account, scan your receipt, and CCA receives credit for your purchases! We will continue to take your clipped box tops until October 15th. Contact [Mrs. Corley](#) in the office if you have any questions.

ATHLETIC SCHEDULES

Be sure to check out the [Athletics Page](#) on the website for all athletic schedules!

CORNERSTONE APPAREL

New Cornerstone apparel is coming soon. Watch for details about ordering next week!

SCHOOL PICTURES SEPTEMBER 17 & 18.

Tuesday 9/17

- EE 3/4's Classes (Summers)
- 3rd-6th Grade
- 11th & 12th Grade

Wednesday 9/18

- EE 4/5's Classes (Farney, Ficks, & Smith)
- K-2 Grade
- 7th-10th Grade

CHAOS* PLANNING MEETING (6TH-8TH GRADE)

The first planning meeting of the year for 6th-8th grade parents that want to help with the totally-awesome activities of CHAOS are invited to come Thursday, September 5, at 8:00 AM to the Conference Room (near the front office). Want to help but can't make the meeting? Have questions? Contact **Angie Halvorsen** (309-824-5549).

*Choose Him Always Over Self

COMING UP.....

Friday (8/30) HS Boys Soccer Charger Classic @ Eastside Centre Peoria 4:00pm; JH Soccer vs. Holy Cross @ St. Thomas More HS Champaign 4:30pm

Monday (9/2) Labor Day **NO SCHOOL**; HS Boys Soccer vs. Olympia @ Home 4:30pm

Tuesday (9/3) HS Girls Volleyball vs. LeRoy @ Home 6:00pm

Wednesday (9/4) Prayer Circle 8:15am

Thursday (9/5) JH Soccer vs. Judah Christian @ Home 4:30pm

Friday (9/6) Freshman Retreat

Saturday (9/7) Freshman Retreat; HS Boys Soccer Herscher Shootout @ Herscher 8:00am; HS Coed Cross Country NCHS Invite @ Maxwell Park 9:45am

*Visit the **website calendar** for more details!

Doug Pavey, Head of School

Beth Sondgeroth, Upper School Principal
Sue Chambers, Lower School Principal
Alyssa Garvin, Early Education Director

Danielle Garey, Director of Advancement
John Schwartz, Athletic Director
Austin Parker, Spiritual Life Director