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Welcome to the 34th Year at CCCS

Welcome to the 34th year of educating children for the future.

The first few days have gone very well. The weather has been beautiful, the children have been cooperative and the new teachers are settling in.

As a Christian school we attempt to follow biblical principals in the classrooms, on

the soccer field, on the basketball court, playground, etc. We try to instill these principles in the students.

We would ask that you as parents follow those principles also.

Matthew 18 is one of the principles that we are going to try to apply to our everyday lives and would like you to do the same.

If you have a problem

or concern with a teacher or staff member, go to that person. Please don't get on the phone or computer and complain to someone that can't "fix" the issue. Go directly to that person.

A positive climate of our school depends on all of us. If we work together, with the Lord's help, we can attain much.

**Cambria County
Christian School**

August 30, 2013

Upcoming Events:

- ☺ September 2 - No School
- ☺ September 26 - End of the Mid-quarter
- ☺ September 26 - See You At The Pole
- ☺ September 27 - Officer Phil program for Kindergarten through 4th grade

Let's Welcome our 3 new teachers

Mr. Tom Pattison has joined the CCCS family as part time administrator. Mr. Pattison has many years of teaching experience and will be a genuine asset to CCCS.

Ms. Ann Petrunak is our kindergarten teacher. Ann has her early childhood degree and has many years experience with children. She owned and operated a day

care for many years. And last but certainly not least, we have Mrs. Megan McKeever. Mrs. McKeever will be teaching some subjects to the 7th &

8th grade along with instructing elementary music and phys. ed. Megan has worked at New Day and has a genuine love of Jesus & kids. Welcome aboard!

Lots of Forms & information

Enclosed in the newsletter you will find the following forms:

- ☺ Family information sheet (if you haven't already completed yours)
- ☺ Fluoride forms (Kindergarten-5th grade only)
- ☺ Textbook loan forms (1 per family)
- ☺ Permission to ride (1 per

student, please)

- ☺ Newsletter email format survey
- ☺ Handbook form
- ☺ Free/reduced lunch form
- ☺ What we save

Please return these forms at your earliest convenience.



Please return your forms as soon as possible.

Soccer Season Begins Soon

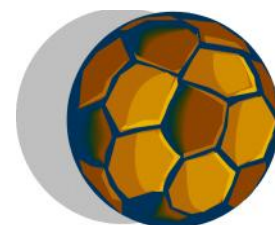
The CCCS Panthers will be starting with their regular season on Tuesday with a girls game.

A copy of the September soccer schedule is included in this newsletter.

If you can, come to the games and support these teams. They have been working hard and would appreciate your support.

Our home field is in Vintondale. If you need directions, call the school.

The concession stand will be open for business during the home games.



Library news

We are excited to have a new library/media room. During the summer Mrs. Lloyd and many others worked very hard to move to the new location. Thank you.

Because of this move, some books may be on the shelf

that haven't been screened. If your child happens to take a book that may have different views than your, please let Mrs. Lloyd know immediately. Also, if your child's name is the last name on the card, they are responsible for that

book.

We are working hard to make sure that books do not leave the library without an adult checking out the books.

Come see our new room.

Lunch Money

Blacklick Valley supplies our lunches. The menus are usually sent to CCCS the end of each month.

In the past we have had a second choice or a salad on the menu. This has been suspended temporarily. The item

on the menu is the ONLY choice until further notice.

When sending lunch money, it MUST be in an envelope with your child's name and grade.

It may be easier to get on the website

(www.compass.state.pa.us) and you can pay your child's account on line. If you need their account number, call the school.

Community Lab Blood Screening

CCCS in conjunction with Windber Medical Center will be having a blood screening on Saturday, September 21 from 7:00-10:00 a.m. in the Pike Grace Family Center.

The cost of the screening is \$30. The items listed for the screening are: CBC

(hematocrit, Hemoglobin, MCV, MPV, Platelets, RBC, WBC Differential), Albumin, Alk. Phosphatase, Bilirubin, Direct & Total BUN, Calcium, Chloride, Cholesterol, CO₂, Creatinine, Free T₄, GFR, GGT, Glucose, HDL, Iron, LDH, LDL, Phosphorus, Potassium, ALT, AST, Sodium, total Protein, Triglyceride, TSH,

Uric Acid) As you can see, It's quite extensive. For an additional fee of \$20 each, they will check PSA & Hemoglobin A1C.

Also offered will be free lung screening and blood pressure checks will be offered.

If you'd like to schedule an appointment, call 814-467-3961. Appointments are NOT necessary.

There needs to be a 12-14 hour fast for this blood work.

This is a fundraiser for our athletic department. For each person that has the screening, \$5 profit goes to

CCCS.

We will also have a contest to see which class has the most people participate in the screening. The winning class will be awarded a prize that has yet to be determined.

Please come and take advantage of this service.



A Few More Ways to Help

We collect the following:

- ☺ Lazer print cartridges
- ☺ Ink jet cartridges
- ☺ Old cell phones
- ☺ Old digital cameras
- ☺ Old Ipods
- ☺ Old MP3 players
- ☺ GPS
- ☺ Laptops

We can send these to a company and we can get cash or

credit for these items.

Just send them to the office and we do the rest.

We also collect Capri Sun pouches. All you need to do is remove the straw and make sure they are not sticky.



Thanks for Coming

For those that came to the Back to School picnic. Thank you.

We had a nice attendance and the Lord blessed us with a beautiful day. The kids were able to swim, play and just get reacquainted with their

friends.

Many of our new families were in attendance and got to meet teachers, staff and other parents.

Mark your calendar now and plan to attend next year's pic-

nic. It will be the Saturday before school starts in August 2014.



No School

Cambria County Christian School will not have classes on Monday, September 2 in observance of Labor Day.

Enjoy this time with your family.



Enjoy this day off because our next day of no classes isn't until October 17 & 18.

What To Expect

Throughout the school year we will have several fundraisers and we will also request items or money from our families.

This is a partial list of what you can expect for the 2013-2014 school year:

- ☺ We ask for an \$8 donation from each family to help offset the cost for food for the Scrapbooking Extravaganza that is held in the fall and spring
- ☺ Great American cookie dough sale will begin in October. We ask each family to attempt to sell at least 3 tubs of cookie dough.
- ☺ Operation Christmas Child. This is the program through Samaritan's Purse where we pack shoe boxes to be sent to children that are much less fortunate than our children. The boxes will be available at the school in September and October if you'd like to pack a box.
- ☺ Fall Party will be held in November. Parents will be asked to help and to donate snacks and/or drinks
- ☺ At Christmas there will be a project to be decided.

- ☺ On Superbowl Sunday the school hosts a ham pot pie dinner. Proceeds will be used for a specific project to be determined.
- ☺ February we will be selling Gardner's Easter Candy
- ☺ March we hope to move our Race for Education to the Spring. More information will be sent home concerning this fundraiser.
- ☺ Late March or early April we will have our annual Spring Banquet. It's our fundraising banquet. Families are invited to attend.
- ☺ In the spring our Drama students will be performing a play and have a dinner theatre. Families are encouraged to attend.
- ☺ May 17 is our annual Spring Festival. Each family is asked to donate a bake sale item and work for at least 2 hours. Auction donations are gladly accepted also.
- ☺ There will be various field trips throughout the school year. Teachers will be in touch with details on trips.

This is not everything, but it will help you know ahead of

time what is expected of you.



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**Educating today's child for
tomorrow's work**



Soccer Schedule

- Sept. 3—Home Calvary Huntington—girls only 4:00
- Sept. 6—@ Blair County—Girls 3:30 & boys 5:10
- Sept. 9—@ Champion—4:30
- Sept. 10—Home Dubois—Girls 3:30 & boys 5:10
- Sept. 13- Home Grace Prep—Girls 3:30 & boys 5:10
- Sept 17—Home Great Commission—Girls 3:30 & boys 5:10
- Sept. 20—@ Centre County—Girls 3:30 & boys 5:10
- Sept. 23—@ Calvary Clymer—boys only 4:40

October schedule will be sent home at a later date.

