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A Message From Mr. Pattison

Republished in case you didn't see it in last week's newsletter....

Dear Parents,

The teachers have been told that they are not to accept or answer texts, email or messages on Facebook or En-Grade during off school hours. If you have something to discuss with a teacher, please call the school and make an appointment to see the teacher in person. You might also text or message a teacher during a school day. However, teachers are NOT permitted to be using cell phones during class time. You can leave a voice message on our phone system and the teacher will get back to you at the earliest time.

Thank you for consideration on this topic.

On another note, when bringing or sending money to the school for tuition or fundraisers, please don't send cash. Use a money order or check. The money sometimes must remain in the office and it just isn't safe even in a Christian school.

Again, thank you for your consideration.

Mr. Tom Pattison



Cambria County
Christian School

January 15 , 2015

Upcoming Events:

- ☺ January 19—No school
 - ☺ January 21 - the end of the grading period
 - ☺ January 23—Report cards go home
 - ☺ January 30—Easter Candy sale begins
 - ☺ February 7—Mother-Daughter scrapbooking crop
 - ☺ February 11—End of Easter Candy Sale
 - ☺ February 27—Spring Pictures
 - ☺ March 2-6—Scholastic Book Fair
 - ☺ March—Grades 9-12 to Holocaust Museum in Washington, D.C.
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Scrapbooking Extravaganza

Our next Scrapbooking event will be held on March 27 & 28. There are brochures at the school. If you are interested in attending, please request a brochure.

Each family is asked to donate \$5 to help with the cost of food for this fundraiser. An envelope will be sent home at a later date. Please do your best to send in this donation.

Spring Festival

I know it seems early, but we need to begin thinking about our Spring Festival. It will be held on Saturday, May 16 this year.

We NEED every family to help in order to make this event successful.

Here is what we expect of each family:

- ☺ Commit to work at least 2 hours the day of the Festival
- ☺ Bake for the bake sale
- ☺ Donate items for the flea market
- ☺ Optional..Auction donation
- ☺ Be willing to hang a couple flyers advertising the festival in area businesses

Each classroom will be donating an auction item also, so be watching for information on that at a later date.

The areas that will need assistance are: (in order of amount of help needed)

- ⇒ Kid's Korner
- ⇒ Food
- ⇒ Flea market
- ⇒ Clean up
- ⇒ Bake Sale
- ⇒ Car show
- ⇒ Chicken BBQ
- ⇒ Tractor show

Schedules will be sent home at a later date. When they are sent home, I would suggest you get your paper returned quickly. Spots will be filled on a first come, first served basis.

One area that takes a lot of time and effort is obtaining donations for our auction. If you would be willing to help in this area, please contact Mrs. Johnson. There are letters available to give to the business owner/manager.

We have tried to break these areas down so it isn't such a large job. Suggested areas are:

- ◆ Cresson/Ebensburg
- ◆ Nanty Glo/Mundy's Corner/Vinco/Parkhill/Conemaugh
- ◆ Armagh/Seward
- ◆ Johnstown's West End plus Coopersdale & Cambria City
- ◆ Downtown Johnstown
- ◆ Moxham/Geistown & Scalp Avenue
- ◆ Elton Road businesses (includes Wal Mart plaza) plus College Park Plaza
- ◆ Galleria and surrounding businesses (includes Lowes & Home Depot)
- ◆ Westwood, Westmont & Franklin Street businesses
- ◆ Any other areas I may have missed

We would like to get these donation requests started as soon as possible, so if this is something you'd be willing to do, please let us know right away.

As soon as the weather breaks, we will begin accepting flea market items.

Thanks in advance for helping us make this the best festival ever.



Cambria County Christian School Mother/ Daughter Crop

When - February 7, 2014

10:00-5:00

Where- Pike Grace Family Center

Cost- \$20 per mother/daughter duo - \$14 per additional daughter

What to bring - A covered dish to share and your cropping supplies!

Questions - call CCCS (814)-749-7406 or Laura (814)-242-2009



This event is a fun filled day for school-aged girls and their mothers (or grandmothers) to share together with the focus being on the girls. The event includes make and takes as well as a goodie bag, door prizes and games for the girls! This is not a fund raiser.

Please register by

January 30, 2014.



Name_____

Daughter's Name_____

Additional daughters_____

Phone_____

Has your daughter scrapbooked previously?_____

Please send registration and payment to:

CCCS
561Pike Road
Johnstown, PA 15909

COMING SOON!

Change For Change Contest

This year we are offering a challenge to all of the teachers, classes and families of Cambria County Christian School. We are planning a "Change for Change" campaign- In which we pray our CCCS community can raise money to support the global community through World Vision; a non-profit Global Outreach. The homeroom class that raises the most money for their chosen ministry will get muffins and doughnuts, chocolate milk and juice one morning for breakfast. So look for the cartons to be coming home soon!

Here is how it works:

- 1) Each homeroom chooses a specific ministry on the World Vision website.
- 2) Students will bring home at least 2 milk cartons to fill with spare change over the month of February. (Keep one in your car, put one near the laundry, or give one to someone you know- or wherever you find spare change accumulating.)
- 3) Staple filled containers and bring them in as they are filled. The deadline for coins will be Friday, February 27th
- 4) Once the coins are counted for each class the winner will be announced and morning goodies will be delivered by Mrs. Ferrari.



That's My Pan!®

The "That's My Pan" sale went very well and the PTF would like to thank you for your orders. We did well with the sale.

After people saw the quality of the products, they were interested to know if orders could still be placed. The answer is YES. There are a limited number of brochures available in the office.

If you are interested in placing an order, let Mrs. Johnson know and we will get you a brochure.

Orders along with payment must be received no later than Wednesday, January 28. Checks should be made payable to CCCS P.T.F.

These make great bridal shower, wedding or house warming gifts.

Exchange Students

It's not too early to be praying and thinking about hosting an exchange student for the 2015-2016 school year.

CCCS has had the privilege of having 12 international students over the years. Some experiences have been great, some not so great.

The current families who have graciously opened their homes to these kids are Berkebile, Urban, Kestermont, McMullen. If you have questions about this program, I'm sure any of these parents will gladly answer your questions. Also, Mrs. Johnson is the are representative for International Student Exchange. They have a website also. It's www.iseusa.com Check it out.

If you feel led to host a student, contact Mrs. Johnson and we can get the process started.

It's Time to send in Boxtops & Labels

The deadlines are quickly approaching for us to turn in Labels for Education and Boxtops for Education. Please gather them and send them to the school at your earliest convenience.

The school receives educational merchandise with the labels and we get cash (\$.10 per label) for the box tops.

We also collect Sunny Delight labels, old cell phones, ink cartridges, laser cartridges and outdated electronics (MP3 players, etc.)