

Charlottesville Catholic School

Friday Newsletter

Kindergarten 2/11/22

Message from Kindergarten

If you have not already done so, please fill the gallon plastic bag sent home with 100 items. It can be noodles, cotton balls, or other small items that you have at your house. Please send in this bag on February 14. We will be celebrating 100 days of school.

Please send in a valentine for each classmate on February 14. You are welcome to send in treats according to the following guidelines. All food will be sent home and not eaten at school. Small toys and stickers are also permissible.

Peanut free

NO home baked goods

Individually wrapped for the whole class

Kindergarten has a red dye food allergy.

Class list for Valentines

Liam B.

Cal

Laela

Camila

Ally

Isabel

Oliver

Elise

Julia

Naomi

Hanorah

Sumner

Catherine

Rosie

Dakota

Liam R.

Hudson

Henry

Rebecca

Bowen

Alex

Reading Practice at Home

Please let your child read a decodable reader (word family focused), or leveled reader book to you each night. We'd also encourage you to read to your child each night as well. The effect size for both is great.

Please feel free to reach out with any questions or comments. The best way to contact me is by email.

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This Valentine's Day, CCS has a generous donor giving \$1 for each student and staff member that participates in Valentine's Day Tag Day to a local charity of our choice. CCS has chosen Habitat for Humanity which is a nonprofit organization that helps members of our community build or improve the place they call home. We appreciate this amazing gift. To participate, please follow the guidelines below.

JK-5 must be in uniform bottoms and uniform shoes. Middle school students may wear jeans, or uniform bottoms, with uniform shoes.

Participate by wearing Valentine themed:

- T-shirts, sweaters, or sweatshirts
- Socks
- Belts
- Earrings
- Necklace
- Ribbons
- Bracelets
- Headbands with stabilized decor (no flying objects)

NO:

- Hats
- Sunglasses
- Wigs
- Masks
- Headbands with flying or springy objects
- Anything that flashes

Annual CCS Mexican Fiesta

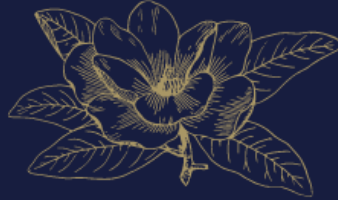
Please join us at the Annual CCS Mexican Fiesta on March 1 from 5-7pm for an evening of community, culture, crafts and amazing food! The fabulous Mexican fare and sangria will again be graciously provided by CCS's own Martinez family. Tickets are \$7 per person, or \$35 per family and can be purchased online. Families are encouraged to purchase advance tickets for their meals for planning purposes but tickets will also be available at the door.

The menu will include soft/hard shell tacos, ground beef and shredded chicken, cheese quesadillas, rice, beans and chips as well as buttered noodles. Only have a few moments between activities or need to eat & run plan to stop by and pick-up a great take-out meal for the whole family! Beer and Sangria will also be offered at \$3 each. Water & lemonade will be included with the meal.

2022 Gala Auction Corner

Registration is open! Head to <http://cvillecatholic.org/auction> to purchase your tickets for the 27th Annual Gala Auction now. Tickets are \$110 each and include your choice of meal.

JOIN CHARLOTTESVILLE CATHOLIC SCHOOL FOR
OUR 27TH ANNUAL GALA AUCTION



FEATURING PRE-DINNER MUSIC BY
MR. JOHN GARLAND, THE RETURN OF CENTRAL
VA'S FAVORITE DANCE BAND 180, AND OUR
FAVORITE AUCTIONEER, MR. DOUG TROUT!

SEMI-FORMAL ATTIRE REQUESTED
BLACK-TIE OPTIONAL

Sponsorships available, call 434-964-0400 x114 or email
c.smith@cvillecatholic.org

Announcements

Important Dates:

- February 14 Valentine's Day exchange and party, 100th Day of School
- February 17 School spirit night at Chick-fil-A
- February 18 School closed - Parent teacher conferences for those who have been notified or desire a conference.
- February 21 School closed- Presidents Day
- March 13 Daylight savings time
- March 20 First day of Spring
- March 25 11:30 Dismissal
- March 28 Teacher Workday
- April 13 Holy Thursday
- April 15-24 Easter Break
- May 30 School closed- Memorial Day

Just a few reminders...

- Please label everything that you want returned to your house.
- We go outside everyday with the exception of extreme temperatures or rain. Please send labeled hats, gloves, and warm coats in the colder months.
- Please send a labeled CCS fleece or sweater for the classroom in case your child is cold in the building.
- Please make sure that your child does not leave his or her coat in the car in the morning.
- Please make sure your child has his or her labeled water bottle each day.

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<https://editions.mydigitalpublication.com/publication/?i=670608>

[Raz-Kids](#)

Seesaw: [Where learning happens](#)

Epic: <https://www.getepic.com/sign-in>

STEAM Discovery Academy offers fun and educational programs to explore science. Please see the link if interested in participating. <https://www.steamda.com/school-year-programs>

Next Week

Our sight words this week were: four, saw, well, run, brown. Please practice sight words at home.

February: Groundhogs, Valentines, Presidents, Dental hygiene, Black History, 100th Day of School

March: Mardi Gras, Ash Wednesday, Dr. Seuss' birthday, Lent, Saint Patrick's Day, Spring, wind

We are into our unit on Time (first) and Money (second).

Please use everyday teachable moments to help reinforce these skills.

Week in Review

Religion

We read a Bible story each day, prayed, and learned about animals in the Bible. We read Psalm 23 each day. We have been listening to a worship song based on Psalm 23 and we plan to read the passage each day and discuss the meaning of the verses.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4cp478Gxs-0>

Several students are able to read and/or recite Psalm 23. Please allow your child to read and explain Psalm 23 to you.

Students made pop-up cards for their Faith Buddies.

Science and Social Studies

Students learned about the life cycle of a ladybug.

We watched a Mystery Science segment on the heart and tried to determine our pulse rate by placing our fingers on our wrist. We also used a pulse oximeter to measure our pulse rate.

Math


We began our unit on time, practiced time to the hour and half hour with clocks, listened to The Very Grouchy Ladybug, made a ladybug clock and played February themed math games.

Language Arts

The sight words were: brown, four, ran, saw, well. Please continue to practice these at home.

We are practicing short vowel word families. Please have your child read the fluency passages to you five or more times to build reading fluency.


Favorite Songs:

 I've Got So Much To Be Thankful For

Kids worship song Psalm 23: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4cp478Gxs-0>

Snow: Learning Station: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uY3w_v6Ua9U

Learning Station snowman freeze: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xUzPw7qhMlo>



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LIGHT SHINES
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JOHN 1:5

Be completely
humble and gentle;
be patient,
bearing with one another
in love.

Ephesians 4:2

