



**Charlottesville  
Catholic School**  
*Christ Community Scholars*

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## Friday Newsletter

3-17-2023

### 4th Grade

Good afternoon, 4th grade families! We had a wonderful week in 4th grade and hope you did as well! Thank you so much for your support and we hope you have a wonderful weekend!

#### **Announcements**

- Please make sure that your child's uniforms fit properly and guidelines regarding hair, makeup, and jewelry are being followed. Additionally, it is imperative that your child comes to school in proper outerwear for recess. Coats, hats, and gloves are required for the winter months. We truly appreciate your support.
- **Camp4Real Kids Night Out is Coming Soon!** We are excited to welcome Camp4Real to Charlottesville Catholic School on Friday, March 17 to host an awesome Kids Night Out event for our school community!
- **Kids Night Out is a three-hour drop-off event** that gives parents and caregivers the opportunity to have a night out while children enjoy a safe and exciting evening of active and engaging fun with their peers -- with a delicious catered dinner included!
- **Camp4Real events are led by Camp4Real founder and experienced physical educator, Scott Williams (AKA Mr. Dubs!), and he will be joined by our own Andrew Frazier!** The Camp4Real team is passionate about engaging children and families in fun, active play while incorporating dynamic education on the fundamentals of nutrition and movement for a healthy lifestyle.
- **Family fun with an impact!**
- Camp4Real is proud to support the CCS community and will donate a portion of the event proceeds right back to our school!
- Plus, Camp4Real offers sibling discounts!
- **Learn more and register here:** <https://camp4real.regfox.com/3-17-23-kno>
- **Learn more about Camp4Real here:** [Camp4Real - Home | Real Fun. Real Food. Read Active. Real Awesome.](#)

- Your child's attendance counts! We have officially entered our busiest time of year, and it is imperative that the kids are at school with us. **Friday afternoons should not be missed from now until our Passion Play performance on April 6th.**
- As we have several students with peanut allergies in 4th grade, please be conscientious of them when packing snacks/lunches.
- Contact emails: [a.burgin@cvillecatholic.org](mailto:a.burgin@cvillecatholic.org) [a.taleghani@cvillecatholic.org](mailto:a.taleghani@cvillecatholic.org)

### **Calendar/Important Dates:**

- Thursday, March 23- End of 3rd Quarter
- Friday, March 24- School Closed (Student/Teacher Holiday)
- Monday, March 27- School Closed (Teacher Work Day)
- Tuesday, March 28- Coffee and Conversation with Father David after Mass!
- Friday, March 31- Third Quarter Report Cards
- Wednesday, April 5- Passion Play Dress Rehearsal (8:15 am)
- Thursday, April 6- Passion Play
- Saturday, April 29- Gala Auction at the Omni Hotel

## Social Studies

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This week in Social Studies, students traveled back in time and became newspaper reporters during the American Revolution! This was such a fun project and students worked extremely hard to get the "scoop" and turn in a great news story!

Next week, we will begin chapter 7 which focuses on the Civil War.

## Math

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In Math this week we have been focused on Fraction operations, namely multiplying fractions by whole numbers. We completed our test study guide together as a class to ensure everyone felt confident adding, subtracting and multiplying fractions by whole numbers. The students took a test over Chapter 9. We began Chapter 10- "Fractions and Decimals". We are learning about decimals in the tenths and hundredths places.

## Language Arts/Reading/Writing

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This week in Language Arts, students have begun to learn about how to write effective essays and the components of strong writing. Be on the lookout for fantastic essays from your child!

Next week, we will continue our work on writing high quality essays as we move from personal to persuasive essays.

## Religion

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This week in Religion, we have been focused on Unit 3 Lesson 14: "What turns us away from God's love?" We learned about the effects of Original Sin in our world today and had fun illustrating signs of a "fallen world". We have discussed and reflected on ways temptation plays out in our daily lives. We have learned about different types of sin, and the ways in which they separate us from God. There will be a Unit 3 Lesson 14 Quiz on Tuesday, March 21st.

\*Please ensure your child's Passion Play costume fits. There is a dress rehearsal scheduled for Wednesday, April 5th.

## Science

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This week in Science we took "My Life as a Drip" to the publishing phase of the writing process. We typed a final copy to display in the hallway. We began Chapter 10 and have been enthusiastic about Planets and other objects in Space. This week the students were introduced to their next project. The project packet can be found under the Ch. 10 Topic on Google Classroom. It is a group project that students will have some class time to work on, and some components will also have to be done at home.

The Ch. 10 Science Test is scheduled for the end of next week.

The Model of the Solar System and Planet Project will be due on Tuesday, March 28th.