



**Charlottesville
Catholic School**
Christ Community Scholars

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Friday Newsletter

Kindergarten

May 5, 2023

Kindergarten had an exciting week! We enjoyed the animals at the VA Safari Park. It was a great day! Thank you so much for supporting this fun learning adventure.

There is no Mass on Tuesday, May 9.

Animal project - due Friday, May 19 - Each student should choose an animal, do a little research with help from a parent, and build a model of that animal using recycled materials. We sent home the animal research sheet to fill out. This sheet should be handed in with the project. Kindergarten students have created some really amazing animals in the past and we look forward to watching the kindergarten class of 2023 shine.

Please join us for the Art Show Open House (Wednesday, May 10 from 4PM-7PM), the spring musical (Friday, May 12 and Saturday, May 13 at 7PM), and be sure to register your child's grandparents for Grandparents and Great Friends Day (Friday, May 12). More information can be found in this week's Tuesday Teller. Please note that there is no Mass on Tuesday, May 9 due to the Art Show and musical; students do not need to be in formal dress uniforms that day.

Important Dates

- 5/8 to 5/12 Book Fair and Art Show
- 5/9 No Mass
- 5/12 Grandparents' Day, JK-5 Spring Concert, Spring Musical
- 5/26 11:30 Dismissal
- 5/29 School Closed for Memorial Day
- 6/2 Blue and Gold Day, CCS ice cream social
- 6/7 Kindergarten Celebration 10:00 and last day for kindergarten

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

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CHARLOTTESVILLE CATHOLIC SCHOOL PRESENTS THE

**ART
SHOW
OPEN
HOUSE**

- STUDENT ART GALLERY
- PERFORMANCES
- SNACKS
- FAMILY ACTIVITIES

**MAY 10, 2023
4PM - 7 PM**

"ART IS A PLACE FOR CHILDREN TO LEARN TO TRUST THEIR IDEAS, THEMSELVES, AND TO EXPLORE WHAT IS POSSIBLE." - MARYANN F. KOHL



SCHOLASTIC
BOOK FAIR!
SEEKING VOLUNTEERS!

Dear Parents and Families,

I'm pleased to announce that our school will be hosting a Scholastic Book Fair, which will take place from May 8-12, 8:00-3:00 (Wed until 5:00) at the Performance Space.

The return of the Book Fair will be a familiar and welcome celebration. Volunteers are crucial to the success of this event. We hope that you can offer your time and talents to help students discover the power of books to bring us together.

If you're available to help us with our upcoming Book Fair, please contact me. I'd be grateful if you'd let me know which Fair activities interest you as a volunteer. We need volunteers to help with:

- Advertising
- Decorating
- Setting up the Fair
- Helping shoppers at the Fair
- Cashiering
- Packing up the Fair
- Special events

Thanks for considering becoming a volunteer! I look forward to hearing from you.

Gratefully,

Jennifer Furin
Book Fair Chairperson
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Social Studies

Students say prayers and the Pledge of Allegiance each day.

Math

We continued our Math Journals this week. Each day we graph the weather for the day, add a number to our calendar, draw a circle in our 180 day ten frame chart, and color in a number in our 100s chart.

Recite your address and phone number
Math Practice at Home

Tell the time on a clock in your house to the hour or half hour.
Identify coins and count change.
Add or subtract items in your house or while shopping at the store.
Group and count objects in your house.
Recite address and phone number.

Language Arts/Reading/Writing

We continued fluency passages. Each passage focuses on a particular word family, consonant blend, or digraph. Please have your child read these passages to you at home.

Religion

We read a Bible story each day, read a lent devotion, and prayed. We also have a science related devotion each day and we are learning a lot about God's amazing world.

Science

We are learning about plants and did some STEAM activities related to Mother's Day. Our very hungry caterpillars have grown a lot. It is fun to see living things in our classroom. We will be learning about the different classifications of animals and their characteristics.

<https://www.steamda.com/summer-experience>

<https://www.steamda.com/schoolyearprograms>

Steam Discovery Academy: <https://www.steamda.com/charlottesville>

Other Information

2022/2023 Student/Parent Handbook

<https://cvillecatholic.us11.list-manage.com/track/click?u=9b38293f7bcd2ecbc2bab7c88&id=a89cb5f427&e=fdab17459c>


[Charlottesville Catholic School Uniform Policy](#)


Kindergarten website

<https://sites.google.com/cvillecatholic.org/ccs-kindergarten-website/home>

Songs and story links:

[Kids Worship: Psalm 23](#)

The Five Ws.  [The Five W's Song | English Songs | Scratch Garden](#)

 [The Money Song | Penny, Nickel, Dime, Quarter | Jack Hartmann Money Song](#)