



CCS Connect

February 1, 2019

Re-Enrollment 2018-2019 Begins TODAY

You should have received (or will soon receive) email instructions for re-enrolling your current CCS students for next school year. Current CCS families may also enroll siblings of current students at this time. Don't delay, or you may miss out on the registration discount for enrolling before the end of February. PLEASE DO NOT CREATE A NEW APPLICATION for existing or new students, as this complicates things. Instead, simply follow the instructions for re-enrollment found in the email. Should you have any questions or difficulties, contact Mrs. Shutt at lshutt@carrollchristian.com.

Winter Revival – Final Day – Mon, Feb 4 (rescheduled from last Tuesday)

Since the weather impacted our second day of revival last week, you still have a chance to come hear Kenny Baldwin speak. Sign in at the Reception Center, and make your way to the Auditorium (elementary building) for a great message.

Important Reminders:

- Monday (Feb 4) - ALL (elementary & secondary) students are to **wear chapel dress**. There will be **no regular elementary chapel**, but students should still wear chapel dress for the revival.
- Thursday (Feb 7)- There will be **no regular secondary chapel**, and students may **wear regular school uniform** that day. There WILL still be donuts for sale (as well as Chick-fil-A lunch).

Pack the Gym with Patriot Pride – Mon, Feb 4 – CCS vs. Rosedale

We hope you will join us in packing the gym on Monday evening as our Patriots take on one of our rival schools, Rosedale. Enjoy exciting games at 4:00 (Varsity Girls), 5:15 (JV Girls), and 6:45 (Varsity Boys). We're excited to announce that the Frontline Grill now has fryers! As you cheer on the teams this season, enjoy some freshly cooked fries, chicken tenders, and maybe even chicken sandwiches! We think you'll be pleasantly surprised at what we have to offer if you haven't visited our concessions lately. Depending on the day, you may find walking tacos, burgers, pizza, and now fries, tenders, or chicken sandwiches, too! We ask that you support our athletic program and not bring outside food into the games.

Good News - Verizon Customers Will Still Receive Remind Texts

We are happy to inform you that we have received word that Verizon has reversed the charge to *Remind* Textline. As a result, there will be no service disruption for Verizon Wireless customers, and they will continue to receive *Remind* texts that we send.

Junior Class Valentine Fundraiser – Orders due Thurs, Feb 7; Delivery date Thurs, Feb 14 [\[Click Here\]](#)

Flowers, chocolate, balloons...the junior class is selling it all for Valentine's Day! Check out the wonderful gift selection. Orders must be turned in to the school office or your child's homeroom teacher by February 7th (Click the link above). Gifts will be delivered to your child on February 14th. Gift tags are attached to this email.

Chick-Fil-A Lunch – Thurs, Feb 7 [\[Click Here\]](#)

Includes a Chick-fil-A Chicken Sandwich or 8-piece Chicken Nuggets with: chips, brownie/cookie, and a drink
all for only \$6.00! Please remember to order on RenWeb before arriving at school Friday morning at 8:00 am and pay with cash or check at lunch. You may NOT pay with your online RenWeb account for this lunch.

Progress Reports – Fri, Feb 8 - Our mid-3rd quarter Progress Reports will be emailed.

Scrip News

We are offering our Scrip families the opportunity to choose if they would like to receive the blue communication folder containing Scrip news, contest details, bonus rates, etc. This folder may also be used to send in Scrip orders and payment for any online orders you may have placed. The folder would be sent home each Friday with the youngest child in your family and is to be sent back to school each Monday. If you would like to receive a Communication folder (beginning on February 8th), please contact Joel Mason at 410-967-2328 or you may email him at shopwithscrip@carrollchristian.com.

Casual Day (Valentine Colors) – Thurs, Feb 14 – As always, please be sure to follow our standard for dress-down days.

PTO Box Tops Competition—ends Feb 28

Be sure to collect Box Tops and send them in to earn money for CCS and win a casual day!

Upcoming Open Houses

Please spread word of our upcoming Open Houses, which will take place on the following dates:

- **Friday, Feb 15th 5:30-8:00**
- **Friday, Mar 15th 5:30-8:00**
- **Saturday, Apr 27th 11:00-1:00**
- **Monday, May 6th 5:30-7:30**

Refer a family, and if they end up enrolling a student at CCS, you may receive up to a \$500 tuition credit.

[\[Click Here\]](#) for details and the referral form. You may also inform them that new student enrollment will begin on Feb 14. Please help spread the word by liking and sharing any of our open house or enrollment announcements on social media.

Presidents' Day – NO SCHOOL – Mon, Feb 18

Donation Requests

In addition, our classes are running low on tissues. If you happen to think of it and could send in a couple boxes of tissues, our teachers and students will appreciate it. Thank you!

Class Pictures – Wed, Mar 6

Please be aware that we will be taking class photos (preschool through 8th grade) along with any group photos from those grades. Students should wear regular school uniform on this day.

In-House Fine Arts – Music & Speech-Fri, Mar 15; Academic Testing & Creative Writing– Tues, Mar 19

We encourage our students participating in fine arts to continue preparing for our in-house competition. Music & speech categories will compete on Friday, March 15. Academic Testing and Creative Writing portions will take place on Tuesday, March 19. For testing, students will need to bring their own notebook paper, cover sheets, and pencils. For music and speech, all songs and pieces are to be memorized. The performance schedules and information about Art, Academic and Handiwork categories will be sent out. Mrs. Kirby is willing to set up appointments to help students work on their songs. Please email her at nkirby@carrollchristian.com to set up a coaching session.

Players Fun Zone Report Card Rewards [\[Click Here\]](#)

Players is again offering rewards on some fun attractions when your child takes in his or her report card. See the flyer in the link above for details.

CollegeBoard SAT –Wed, Mar 27

We will be administering the CollegeBoard SAT at Carroll Christian on Wednesday, March 27th. The testing will run from 7:45 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Students who sign up for the essay portion will finish around 12:45 p.m. Students will miss classes and will be responsible to meet with their teachers over material missed/turning in assignments. (This is NOT the Stanford testing. CollegeBoard pertains to mainly Juniors and Seniors who intend to go to college.) The testing fee for the 2018-19 school year is \$47.50 for the SAT (without essay) and \$64.50 for the SAT with Essay. If interested, you were supposed to have notified Miss Hahn by yesterday. Payment will be added to your FACTS account this month. More details about location and what to bring will be sent closer to the date. Please contact Miss Hahn if you have any questions.

Planning for College [\[Click Here\]](#)

If your child is a junior or senior looking to attend college, follow the link above for an informative checklist of steps to take to begin preparing. Broken down into monthly goals for both the junior and senior year, this resource is full of valuable information and helpful links.

Service Hours Opportunity for COD Members

The Living Cross is a spectacular depiction of the Easter story attended by many from the surrounding communities. Pastor Jung is looking for students interested in being a part of the show in a non-speaking role as part of the “crowd.” This is a wonderful opportunity not only to be part of spreading the gospel, but also to earn service hours. Any students wishing to participate must either be members of Church of the Open Door or have a parent who is a member. If you are interested, please contact Pastor Jung at bjung@opendoorchurch.org.