



CORPUS CHRISTI
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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A NOTE FROM MRS. OSTERMAN

Greetings Parents!

I hope this finds you healthy and ready for Christmas! With so many great things happening at CCS, we thought we'd send out a newsletter and share what our students have been up to, and a few updates and reminders as well.

I'd like to take this opportunity to first of all thank our wonderful staff and teachers for all they do on a day to day basis. Very often they go above and beyond for your children!

Secondly, thank you to all those who volunteer in some capacity in or for our school. We cannot do many things without their help and support.

And lastly, thank you to all the students and parents who reached out with a kind word, card, or gift this Christmas. I'm touched by the generosity of the CCS school family! May you find joy and peace this Christmas and throughout the New Year!

Merry Christmas, and Christ's peace be with you! Mrs. Osterman



THANK YOU STUDENTS AND FAMILIES FOR YOUR GIVING TO OTHERS DURING THE CHRISTMAS SEASON. WE SENT 65 BOXES OF JOY TO BE GIVEN TO NEEDY CHILDREN. THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY.

UPCOMING EVENTS

This Weeks Events:

- Enjoy your break and have a Merry Christmas!!

Upcoming Dates to Save:

- 1/2 - Students return from break
- 1/10 - Early Dismissal - Teacher In-Service
- 1/10 - HSA meeting at CCCS lobby - 6pm
- 1/15 - No School - Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- 1/28-2/3 - Catholic Schools Week

STUDENT NEWS

Congratulations to the following CCS students:

- *Sophie Deinlein - winner of the 5th grade American History Essay sponsored by the Franklin County Daughters of the American Revolution. Her essay moves onto the PA State level competition. Good Luck Sophie!*
- *Keep Christ in Christmas Art Contest winners:*
 - *K- Fashima Zume*
 - *2nd - Jasmine Castro*
 - *4th - Sophia Mania*
 - *5th - Sophie Deinlein*
 - *7th - Atlee Geisel*



Further Info: cccschambersburg.org



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HSA

Please join our next HSA meeting on January 10th at 6pm here at our school. Please meet in our school lobby.

*Together
We Can!*



ATHLETICS

Raffle tickets are going home today with students who have participated in Rec and CYO sports to sell to their friends and family. They are \$5 per ticket. Please contact the school if you would like to purchase a ticket or need more to sell.

Our next home games are in the New Year on 1/21 for both the boys and girls teams. Go Cougars! Admission : \$2 Adults, Students are free.



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Memorandum

To: Parents and Staff of Corpus Christi School

From: Mary Margaret Osterman, Principal

Date: 12/8/23

Re: Weather Related Procedures

It is that time of year when weather could impact our school days. Just a reminder, we typically follow the Chambersburg Area School District when it comes to delays and closures, and we do consult with all 5 school districts that provide transportation for our students. Here are Corpus Christi School's options during school closures:

- **FID (Flexible Instruction Day)**, the PA Dept of Education authorizes us to use 5 FIDs throughout the school year. An FID does not include live instruction. Teachers will provide assignments via paper packets, Google classroom, Rediker, or Seesaw. These assignments are due within 3 days of return to school. If assignments are turned in within 3 days of return the student will be marked present for the day(s) off due to closure, if they are not turned in within the 3 days, the student will be marked absent for that day.
- **Virtual Learning Days**, these are live-instruction days via Zoom, Google classroom, or Seesaw. Teachers will instruct students virtually. Students will be provided links and a schedule. Attendance will be taken during the lessons, and assignments will be due according to the teacher's guidance. Virtual Instruction Days may be used if we exhaust the 5 FIDs allotted. When a traditional snow day is used, students are off during the closure and the day will be made up according to the school calendar. If a school closure is decided prior to the snow day, we will plan for an FID or Virtual Learning Day on the day of the closure. If a closure is decided in the morning we will use a traditional snow day. Information will be provided to families as it becomes available.
- **Students from districts other than CASD**, if Shippensburg, Greencastle, Waynesboro, or Tuscarora is closed and Chambersburg is not, students living in those areas are welcome to find transportation to Corpus Christi School, and will not be marked absent.

There are several ways you can find out if inclement weather has impacted school opening or closing. They are as follows:

- **Radio and Television Stations** - WCHA, MIX 95, and 92.1 radio stations announce closings. ABC 27, WGAL 8, and TV 25 out of Hagerstown announce closings and delays as well.
- **Automated call/text/email system** - this is in place to notify parents/guardians of emergencies and unscheduled early dismissals due to unforeseen circumstances.

Please note:

- Make sure we have the latest emergency contact number in our system.
- Make sure your child knows where he/she should go in the event of an emergency closing.