



CORPUS CHRISTI  
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

JANUARY 2024

# SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



## A NOTE FROM MRS. OSTERMAN

Hello Parents!!

A few points to highlight today:

- **STAR** testing continues next week. Please make sure your student(s) are rested and fed a good breakfast to fuel the brain. I'm excited to be looking at the mid-term scores to see how much they have grown this year!
- Thank you for your participation in the **Disciple Index Survey**.
- **Catholic Schools Week** begins Sunday January 28th. There is more information in this newsletter and more will be coming. The staff has created many activities throughout the week that will help make our Catholic School's Week memorable. Watch for more information to come home in the near future!

Have a wonderful weekend! Mrs. Osterman

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WINTER WEATHER IS UPON US! PLEASE BE SURE TO REVIEW THE WEATHER MEMORANDUM ATTACHED TO THIS NEWSLETTER. STAY SAFE OUT THERE!!!



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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### *This Weeks Events:*

- 1/15 - No School - Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- 1/21 - Pep Rally - 2pm in our school gym (see attached flyer for details)
- Blessing Box - 1st Grade

### *Upcoming Dates to Save:*

- 1/28-2/3 - Catholic Schools Week
- HSA Meeting - 2/7 @ 6pm

## STUDENT NEWS



Thank you to Mrs. Menicucci and our Middle School Art Club for creating this beautiful butterfly in our hallway.

## CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK 2024

*Catholic Schools Week 2024 is quickly approaching. We would like to have students, with their parents, give testimonials at each Mass. If your family is interested in giving a testimonial please email Mrs. Osterman at [mosterman@ccschambersburg.org](mailto:mosterman@ccschambersburg.org).*

*On Monday, January 29th, we will be hosting Donuts with Grownups in our school cafeteria. It will be held from 7-7:30am. Pre-registration is required. If your family would like to attend, please sign up with the following link.*

*[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfuzTxy80XQPwNX\\_QTf6yz2BfAPZxv0Zld6goKTPj8VS\\_WyFmg/viewform?usp=pp\\_url](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfuzTxy80XQPwNX_QTf6yz2BfAPZxv0Zld6goKTPj8VS_WyFmg/viewform?usp=pp_url)*

Further Info: [ccschambersburg.org](http://ccschambersburg.org)



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## HSA

Thank you to all who attended our HSA meeting on 1/10. There are a lot of events coming up and we still need parent participation to make these a success. Please consider attending our next meeting on 2/7 to see how you can help!

*Together  
We Can!*



## ATHLETICS

There are tickets available to sell for the Athletic Association raffle. They are \$5 per ticket. Please contact the school if you would like to purchase a ticket or need more to sell. Make checks payable to Corpus Christi Athletic Association.

Our next home games are on 1/21 for both the boys and girls teams along with our **Pep Rally!** See the attached flyer for details. Please come and support our Cougars and show your school spirit! Admission : \$3 Adults, Students are free.



Further Info: [ccschambersburg.org](http://ccschambersburg.org)



# CCCCS Pep Rally

Come celebrate our student-athletes and show your Cougar pride!!

***Sunday, January 21***

**1 p.m.** - Girls basketball game

**After the girls' game** (approximately 2 p.m.) - Pep rally

**3 p.m.** - Boys basketball game

All fall soccer players are invited to the pep rally for special recognition along with our winter athletes. AND... we will draw the winners of the Athletic Association raffle!



***Go Cougars!***



## 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.