



The Cougar Update

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Auction Thanks

We would like to extend a huge THANK YOU to all of our volunteers and donors for making our 2021 BBQ/Auction weekend a success. Remember, the online auction (<https://tinyurl.com/CCSonline2021>) is still going strong until next Thursday, October 28. (Full instructions were in last week's news.)

Reminders:

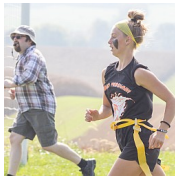
- VOLUNTEERS: Email your hours to - ccsvolunteerhours@gmail.com
- YARD SIGNS: Return in between doors in the HS lobby
- COOLERS: pick up behind the HS gym

For more details about how we did at the auction, be sure to read the email from Mr. Parris sent on Monday, October 18! See many more photos [HERE!](#)

Powderpuff Results

Last Friday (with the aroma of grilling chicken in the air) our high school girls and many staff members participated in the annual "Powderpuff Football" event.

In the first game, the seniors took on the freshmen and the ninth graders were victorious. Following that, the sophomores and the juniors went head to head, with the juniors taking the win. When the sophomores then played the seniors, the sophomores were the winners. The juniors then played the freshmen and won that game, setting them up to take on the staff. In the final game the CCS staff women played some amazing football and soundly defeated the juniors. See an album of photos on our Facebook page [HERE](#).



Computers for Sale



CCS has a limited number of LG "Chromebase" computers for sale to CCS families. These "all-in-one" desktop models

run the Chrome operating system just like our Chromebooks. We used to have them in a computer lab, but now are making them available to our families. The units have a 21.5" diagonal screen (which includes the CPU) a keyboard



and a mouse. This may be helpful for families who have multiple students who need access to a computer for schoolwork. They will be removed from the school management and can be signed into with any Google account. If you are interested in purchasing one of these computers for \$75 please contact Mrs. Lodge at the email at the bottom of the newsletter.

√ Did You Know...

You Can Check Your Student's Attendance?

Yes, through the Family Portal of FACTS you can not only check your student's grades and weekly lesson plans, but also his or her attendance. Simply go to the CCS website, click on the "Family Portal" tab at the top right of the page and log in to the family portal. Once there, click on the down arrow by "Student" on the left side of the page and select "Attendance" from the drop down menu. If you have more than one student, you can choose from the drop down at the top of the attendance list. Attendance is always taken in home-room (HR) and you might see attendance for other classes as well.

Cougar Gear

Don't miss out on purchasing some awesome CCS Cougar gear! Please print and fill out the order sheet [HERE](#) with the appropriate sizes and amounts of each item you desire. (See all the options [HERE](#).)



Please enclose cash or checks made out to Conestoga Christian School and return the form to Lauren Turner, by next Wednesday, October 27th. Orders will be in and distributed by Friday, November 19th.

Fancy Folding

The middle school Origami elective class had guest speaker/teacher, CCS alumnus Caleb Smiley, come to visit last Thursday. He shared with students his own journey



with origami over the years and his growing love of the art form, as well as the importance of patience when working with paper! He led the students through a dollar bill fold, teaching them how to make it look like a shirt, and then led them through the steps of making one of his favorite forms - a dragon! More photos on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram!](#)

Art Work

In art class, the 7th grade students are practicing a quick form of observation and artistic rendering called gesture drawing. This repetitive exercise consists of capturing the human figure in motion in short ranges of time, from 1 minute all the way down to 5 second drawings! These students are practicing the limits of quick observation and recording of the form to show the artistic principle of movement through the amazing ways the Lord has created our bodies to express emotion and action. These drawings will soon be translated into wire sculptures.



Poinsettia Sale

Once again our Junior Class is selling poinsettias for Christmas. See the order form [HERE](#) to make your choices and place your order.



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Upcoming Events at CCS:

Events are subject to change.

- October 27, Cougar Gear Orders Due
- October 29, No school, Teacher In-Service Day
- November 11/12, Height, Weight, Vision, Scoliosis
- November 16, Picture Retakes
- November 19, 1st Trimester ends
- Nov. 22&23, P/T Conferences

Character Trait:

~ Diligence ~

A "Short" Reminder

October 29 is the last day students can wear shorts to school.

As we move further into fall, temperatures are getting colder. The CCS appearance code adjusts for these changing conditions. Starting November 1 and until April 1, students are not to wear shorts unless the forecast for Morgantown, PA is 60 degrees or higher. If you have any questions about the policy, please contact your student's principal.

Development

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Do go to Rite Aid to fill your prescriptions or do some shopping? If you sign up with RXfundraising you can also support the school just by running your regular errands. Go to <https://support.rxfundraising.com/ConestogaChristianSchool> and use your wellness number or phone number to register. If you have not registered for wellness rewards before, you can register when you go to enroll. Then all you have to do is share your wellness rewards number when you shop or pick up prescriptions and the school will receive funds every time you shop.