

CAIR PARAVEL - LATIN SCHOOL

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HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ENCOUNTER "NOT SO SECRET SERVICE"

Once again the Seniors led our high school students in a wonderful retreat. Their theme this year was the "Not So Secret Service."

They encouraged students in the high school to have a servants' heart. The "Not So Secret" theme challenged students to be real in their walk with the Lord and to bear each other's burdens and struggles with temptations, instead of putting up a facade of spirituality.

Our seniors really demonstrate servant leadership in all the various school activities. They are a remarkable group of young men and women.

Our speaker, Mac McCoy "Mac Daddy", was very personable with students, getting to know them during the free time and catering his message to their needs.

Games included tube tug, a water slide and the traditional "Mission Impossible" game.

The campfire featured the seniors washing feet and a time of singing with "Mac Daddy" on guitar and CPLS students Ansen Bayer, Abe Schneider, Brittany Vander Hart and Ashley Boman, along with Matthew Greer and Kyle Myers from Town & Country Christian Church to lead the worship music.

Thanks also to Melody Congdon for facilitating the planning and execution of the event.

Cindy Patton
Chief Administrator



INNISBROOK FUND RAISER

Your student should have recently brought home the order packets for our annual PTF fund raiser. The Innisbrook catalog is full of great wrapping paper, candy, and gift ideas. Order forms are due back at school on September 13th. There will be prizes for top sellers. The two families with the top sales will each receive a gift basket containing \$50.00 worth of Innisbrook merchandise.

Every student should have received their packet. If your child did not make it home with one please let us know.

Friends and family out of town who wish to help support CPLS have the option of placing their order on-line at www.innisbrook.com where they can find the entire catalog on-line. Just enter our school number **111421** and CPLS will receive credit for the sale.

On-line orders are open through the end of the year. Thank you for supporting the CPLS PTF!

Call Tami Foster with questions (221-3216.)

PTF MEETING - SEPT. 10

The PTF's next board meeting will be on Friday, September 10th at 1:30p.m. in the CPLS library.

The budget for 2004-2005 school year will be adopted immediately following this meeting, at 3:30 in the library. Parents are welcome to attend and to vote on the budget.

COME TAILGATE WITH THE LIONS!

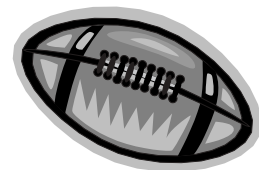
Thanks to all our lions football fans, our athletic concessions broke a new sales record last Friday night!

A big thank-you to all who supported the tailgate!

Join us again this Friday night at Chandler field for a Cowboy Cookout! We'll be serving burgers, brats, polish sausages and hotdogs, along with cowboy beans, chips and plenty of ice cold drinks. We'll even satisfy your sweet tooth!

The food will be served hot off the grill starting at 6:15 and sales will continue through half-time.

See you Friday night!



All concession proceeds directly benefit the CPLS athletic program.

FOOTBALL GAMES RESCHEDULED

Please note the following changes to the Varsity and JH Football schedules:

The Varsity Football game, Friday, September 17th v Pleasanton is an AWAY game instead of a home game as previously reported.

The Varsity and JH football games v Kansas City East have been moved to Saturday, October 23rd. The Varsity will play at 1:00 PM with the JH team following at 3:30PM.

Please contact Seth Garinger, Athletic Director, with any questions.

KITCHEN CORNER

HOT LUNCH MENU (SEPT. 13-17)

MON ... Breakfast stick, eggs, orange, cookie
 TUE Pepperoni pizza, carrot sticks, pineapple, brownie
 WED ... Taco Salad, corn, apple, cinnamon roll
 THU Beef mac, green beans, peaches, roll
 FRI..... Deli turkey, banana, chips, oatmeal pie

ALA CARTE

MON ... Stuffed Crust Pizza.....\$1.25
 TUE Taco Bar\$2.00
 WED ... Hot Dog\$1.00
 THU Sub Sandwich.....\$2.00
 FRI..... Cheeseburger w/Fries\$2.00

The complete menu for September may also be found at
http://www.cpls.org/Hot_Lunch_Program/2004_09_Hot_Lunch.htm

BOOK ME A PASSAGE

We still have several copies of the new library resource, Book Me a Passage. These are booklets which contain our CPLS literature policy, literature list, and a compilation of summaries of every book on our book list. We hope they will aid you and your children as you choose books to enjoy! Get your copy in the office for \$5.00, while they last.

“DOLLAR\$ FOR DAEGAN”

Mrs. Packard’s third grade class will be accepting change, dollars, etc. to support Daegan Feyh and his family as Daegen battles Leukemia. Daegen’s sister, Alexa, is in Mrs. Packard’s third grade class this year. The third grade mathematicians will count the money which will be turned over to Mrs. Unruh to put in the bank for Daegan Feyh and his family.

Daegen and his parents are currently in Memphis at St. Jude’s Hospital awaiting a bone marrow transplant from dad, Lance to Daegan. Please keep the Feyh family in your prayers!

**SEE YOU AT THE POLE,
 5TH-12TH GRADES
 7:30 AM, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15TH**

HOUSEHOLD ITEMS NEEDED FOR SCHOOL PROJECTS

Cindy Packard, 3rd grade, is in need of a few items for art projects, history projects, etc.

- 18 oz. oatmeal or grits containers
- Frozen juice cans with both metal lids
- Small pot pie pans

For monthly cooking projects she could also use a donation of a hand mixer and a hot plate. If you have items you are able to donate, please leave them in the school office marked for Cindy Packard.

COLLEEN LIPPE, NEWSLETTER EDITOR

E-mail: newsletter@cpls.org
 (P) 272-9165 or (Fax) 272-3729
 Submission deadline - Tuesday, 4:00 pm

The newsletter may be read on-line at:
www.cpls.org/newsletter/CPLS_Newsletter.shtm

Send e-mail address changes to parentlist@cpls.org

LIONS' SCORE

Boys Varsity Football
 09/03 - CPLS..... 20 St. Mary's..... 48

Boys JH Football
 NO GAMES THIS WEEK

Boys Varsity Soccer
 09/07 - CPLS..... 7 Olathe South..... 0

Boys JV Soccer
 NO GAMES THIS WEEK

Girls Varsity Volleyball
 09/07 - CPLS..... 1 TriCity 2
 (19-25; 25-22; 12-15)

09/07 - CPLS..... 2 Cornerstone 1
 (25-22;13-25; 25-16)

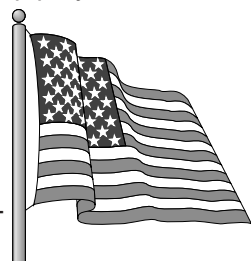
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SEE YOU AT THE POLE

On September 15, students in grades 5-12 will gather around the flagpole at 7:30 a.m. for prayer, worship and sharing of Scriptures. Sponsored by STUCO, students will have an opportunity to publicly express their faith. Juice and donuts will be provided afterwards for \$1.00. Seniors will lead small group prayer as well.

The National Theme is based on Psalm 24:3-4: "Who may ASCEND the hill of the Lord? Who may STAND in His holy place? He who has CLEAN HANDS and a PURE HEART." Students all over the world participate in this event.



VOLUNTEER COMMITTEE SEEKS INPUT

The volunteer committee is working hard on a proposed school-wide volunteer support system, but we need your input and voice! Details of the plan were presented Tuesday, September 7th during the All School Open House.

We are interested in your input. Please direct comments or questions to Tony Beckler, Karla Beckler, Debbie Spees, Cori Power, Letitia Bernard, Mel Congdon or Christie Chance.

SCHOOL DIRECTORIES ARE NOW AVAILABLE

Unfortunately, the school directories were not available for distribution during the Open House held on Tuesday. Therefore, directories are being sent home with students this week, so please check with your student(s) to make sure one gets home.

Additional copies of the directory may be purchased in the school office. Contact Kathy Letch, school secretary with questions.

SPIRIT WEAR STILL AVAILABLE

If you did not order Spirit Wear sweatshirts, polo shirts, fleece vests or jackets from Sunflower Marketing on enrollment day, **FEAR NOT!** Mrs. Aadalen is getting ready to place another order and would be happy to hear from you! Please call Rhonda at school or email raadalen@cpls.org to place your order.

If you ordered Spirit Wear during enrollment and have not yet received your purchases, please contact Rhonda Aadalen.

APPLICANTS FOR COACHING POSITIONS SAUGHT

Athletic Director Seth Garinger is looking for a full-time JV Volleyball coach and a Men's Golf coach for this spring.

Treava Kottman, acting JV Volleyball coach, has conflicts later in the season and will not be able to coach on a full-time basis. She will, however, be able to assist the new coach on a part-time basis during the season.

Men's Golf is also looking for a full-time coach to guide the golf team this spring.

If you are interested in either position, or know someone who may be interested, contact Seth Garinger, Athletic Director @ sgaringer@cpls.org.

Applications for coaching positions may be obtained from the school office or may be found on-line at http://www.cpls.org/Athletics/cpls_athletics.shtml

2003-2004 YEARBOOKS DELIVERED

Yearbooks from the 2003-2004 school year were delivered to students and faculty last week. Anyone student or teacher from the 2003-2004 school year who didn't receive a yearbook needs to contact Mr. Haberkorn (mhaberkorn@cpls.org).

Extra yearbooks can be purchased for \$25.00 each. Anyone wishing an 8½ by 11 copy of a picture in the yearbook, can also obtain one from Mr. Haberkorn for \$1 each. All the money will go toward purchasing equipment for this year's yearbook.

LAST CALL FOR NEW YORK CITY (11/12) TOUR SPONSORS

This is the last call for the 11th/12th grade tour sponsors for the trip to New York City. Mrs. Congdon needs to firm up room reservations and play tickets, so if you are interested please contact her ASAP!



IMPORTANT CHANGE: BYLAWS PROPOSAL AND COMMENT PERIOD

The Bylaws Committee will submit a proposal to the Board on the broad topics of qualification of board members, term limits, and selection of board members. This draft proposal is reproduced below (following the summary version), and a still-more detailed marked-up version (which shows current language and proposed changes) is available for your viewing upon request in the school office. This proposal has been modified slightly from the version in the September 3rd Newsletter. The comment period has been extended to September 20th at noon.

As a valuable member of the CPLS family, please review this proposal and express your questions, opinions, or perspectives during the two-week comment period (which ends Monday, September 20th) to any Bylaws Committee member. As always, we invite and welcome your input.

Bylaws Committee: Shari Albrecht; John Bernard; Jaye Conner; Alan Conroy; Kathryn Gardner; Michael Laccheo; Larry McGlasson; Doug Simmons, Chair (dougssimmons777@yahoo.com)

SUMMARY OF BYLAWS PROPOSAL

This draft proposal specifies size of board; requires diversity of church membership; describes qualifications for board members; limits the term of office; requires the selection of board members through a primarily-non-board committee which solicits, nominates, and presents qualified candidates to the board; specifies the handling of board vacancies; and provides for the removal of a board member.

BY-LAW COMMITTEE PROPOSAL - COMMENT PERIOD ENDS MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 20TH

Section 2. Number and Qualification of Directors.

(a) The authorized number of directors of the corporation shall be no fewer than seven (7) and no more than nine (9). The Board's membership shall be composed so that directors represent at least four (4) different churches.

(b) Directors shall profess a personal relationship with Christ, live godly lifestyles, affirm the Statement of Faith set forth in the Constitution, feel called by God to serve as directors, be deeply conscious of their responsibility before God, and be committed to the principles of classical Christian education.

Directors shall be individuals whose lives make them worthy of imitation and hence appropriate role models for students. Directors shall demonstrate that they possess the spiritual gifts, the heart, the abilities, the character, and the life experiences that make them suitable for service as a member of the Board of Directors.

All school children of directors shall attend the School. Exceptions to this policy may be allowed by a majority vote of all directors. Directors shall adhere to these qualifications throughout their tenure on the Board.

(c) Full-time employees of the School shall not serve as directors. Part-time employees and spouses of full-time employees may serve as directors but shall abstain from voting on all issues that may raise an appearance of impropriety or conflict of interest.

Section 3. Election and Term of Office.

(a) Each director shall serve on the Board for a term of three (3) years unless such service is terminated by resignation, death, or removal. Upon Board approval, a director may take a leave of absence of up to one year without forfeiting his seat or altering his term. A director may be renominated to serve a second consecutive term. After serving a second consecutive full three-year term on the Board, the director shall step down from service for at least one full year before again being eligible for nomination to the Board. Terms of service on the Board shall be staggered so that no more than three directors will complete their term of service in any given year.

(b) Nomination of Board candidates shall be made by a seven-member Nominating Committee composed of not more than three (3) currently serving Board directors and not less than three (3) non-Board parents of students currently enrolled in the school. The Board shall appoint the Nominating Committee by November 1. The Nominating Committee shall notify faculty, staff, and families of enrolled students that Board positions are open and that the committee will solicit and accept nominee applications until January 15.

(c) At the close of the nomination period, the Nominating Committee shall review the nominee applications and interview eligible Board candidates to determine interest, qualifications, and suitability for Board membership. By March 1, the Nominating Committee shall submit to the Board the names of all qualified applicants including a recommendation of the nominee(s) for the open position(s). All candidates shall meet the qualifications for Board members established in these Bylaws. Following the formal report of the Nominating Committee at the May annual meeting, the Board by a majority vote shall elect directors, if any at all, from the names the Nominating Committee submits. Nominations from the floor shall not be permitted.

Section 4. Vacancies.

(a) A vacancy on the Board of Directors shall be deemed to exist in case of the death, resignation or removal of any director, or if any director shall refuse to serve.

(b) Any vacancy on the Board of Directors may be filled by a majority vote of the remaining directors. A director appointed under this provision shall serve only for the unexpired term in question.

Section 5. Removal.

A director may be removed from the Board at any time for failure to be a Christian role model, for excessive absence from regular and special meetings of the Board, or whenever the removal in the judgment of the Board would be in the best interest of the School. Removal shall require a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the remaining directors.

Cair Paravel-Latin School

September 2004

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
High School Schedule: "A" Days - Grey, "B" Days - Yellow						
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
NO SCHOOL	04:00 PM - Var Volleyball @ Cornerstone TRI 04:30 PM - Var Soccer v Olathe Christian 7:00 PM - All School Open House			Middle School Retreat	Middle School Retreat 01:30 PM - PTF Board Meeting - CPLS Library 03:30 PM - PTF General Meeting - BUDGET 07:00 PM - Var Football v Veritas	09:00 AM - Var Volleyball @ Riley County Invitational 10:00 AM - Var Soccer @ Highland Park
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
04:00 PM - JH Football @ Veritas	03:50 PM - JV Volleyball @ Veritas QUAD 04:00 PM - Var Soccer @ Perry-Leompton 05:00 PM - Var Volleyball @ Olpe TRI 05:30PM - JV Soccer @ Perry-Leompton	7:30 AM - See You At The Pole		06:00 PM - JH Football @ Lyndon	04:00 PM JH Volleyball @ Flint Hills 05:00 PM - JV Volleyball @ Flint Hills 05:00 PM - Var Soccer @ Flint Hills 06:00 PM - Var Volleyball @ Flint Hills 07:00 PM - Var Football @ Pleasanton	5:00 PM - CPLS Skating Party - Sk8Away - 815 SW Fairlawn
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
YEARBOOK PICTURE DAY 04:00 PM - Var Volleyball @ WAHAA 04:00 PM - JV Volleyball @ Metro Academy	05:00 PM - Var Soccer v St. Mary's 05:30 PM - CPLS Board Executive Session 06:15 PM - JV Soccer v St. Mary's 07:30 PM - CPLS Board Open Session			Half Day of School Teacher In-service 04:50 & 05:50 PM - JH Volleyball @ Veritas TRI 04:00 PM - Var Soccer @ Maranatha 05:00 PM - JH Football @ St. Mary's 05:30 PM - JV Soccer @ Maranatha	NO SCHOOL Teacher In-service 07:00 PM - Var Football v MDC Valley	08:30 PM - Bagels w/ Bob - CPLS Library 09:00 AM - Var Volleyball @ Herrington Invitational
26	27	28	29	30		
		TBA - Var Soccer @ Cornerstone TBA - JV Soccer @ Cornerstone 04:30 PM - JH Volleyball v Heritage		Eighth Grade Campout 03:30PM - City JV Volleyball @ Washburn Rural		