

CAIR PARAVEL - LATIN SCHOOL

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PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES

Parent Teacher Conferences will be held Thursday, October 28 and Friday, October 29. Classes will only meet for ½ day on Thursday, October 28 and there will be no school on Friday, October 29.

Morning Kindergarten will be dismissed at 11:30 a.m. Grades 1 – 12 will be dismissed at 11:45 a.m. on October 28. Rhetoric school students will attend all three blocks for one hour each in the morning. No hot lunch will be served.

IOWA BASICS TESTING, NOVEMBER 1-5

The school will be administering the Iowa Tests of Basic Skills the week of November 1-5 for students in grades 1-8. Please make sure your students have had a good nights rest and a good breakfast in preparation for the tests!

GREAT IDEAS TEACHER NEEDED

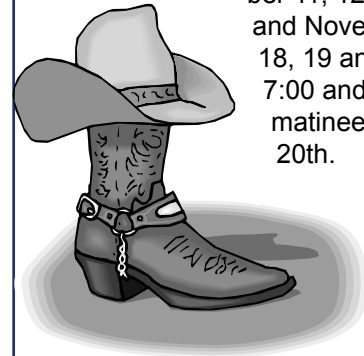
Dave Schneider, our Philosophy and Government teacher, is planning to leave us next year. His son, Abe, is a senior this year, and will graduate in May. Dave has decided it would be a good time to pursue other employment and interests. Students who have had Dave appreciate his keen intellect, his compassion for the students, and his broad knowledge of theology and philosophy. Dave has a unique ability to take theoretical issues and apply them to everyday life.

Dave currently teaches Government and Economics, Bible and two sections of Great Ideas. His Bible classes are Understanding the Times and Apologetics. We need someone to teach these classes who is well-versed in theology, philosophy, political science and has a solid Christian world view. They need to be a good discussion leader, as well. Teaching applications may be picked up in the school office. Let us know if you may know of a good candidate.

OKLAHOMA TICKETS TO GO ON SALE

Grab your boots and hats and come join the CPLS Music Department for a good 'ole down home performance of the musical, Oklahoma! Tickets will be on sale beginning Monday, October 25. They will be available each day from 8:00-8:45 and 3:15-4:00 outside the music room. Orchestra seats are \$7 and balcony seats are \$4. It's a production for the entire family and one you won't want to miss!

The performances are November 11, 12, 13, and November 18, 19 and 20 at 7:00 and a 2:00 matinee on the 20th.



CPLS BOARD SEEKS VOLUNTEERS

At its meeting on September 21, 2004, the CPLS Board approved bylaw amendments establishing Board member qualifications, term limits, and a seven-member nominating committee to assist the Board with selection of its members, to replace those directors whose terms have expired. The amendments also describe different procedures for filling vacant seats and removing Board members. The Board is now preparing to select three directors whose terms end in May 2005 and will be following the selection procedure established in the newly amended bylaw. The Nominating Committee is to be composed of not more than three currently serving Board members and not less than three non-Board parents of students currently enrolled at CPLS. The Board is now seeking volunteers from the non-Board parent population of the CPLS family to fill four Nominating Committee positions.

Nominating Committee members will be responsible for the following:

Notifying the CPLS family of the open Board positions; Accepting nominee applications; Soliciting nominees; Reviewing nominee applications; Interviewing eligible Board candidates; Submitting names of eligible candidates to the Board; and Recommending eligible candidates to fill the open positions.

If you are interested in volunteering to serve as a member of the Nominating Committee, please submit your name in writing to the CPLS office by the close of school on November 12, 2004.

KITCHEN CORNER

HOT LUNCH MENU (NOV 1-5)

MON ... Baked ham, green beans, pineapple, roll
 TUE Waffle sticks, eggs, orange, oatmeal pie
 WED ... Pepperoni pizza, carrot sticks, applesauce, brownie
 THU Spaghetti w/meat sauce, corn, peaches, roll
 FRI..... Chicken patty on a bun, tator tots, apple, cake

ALA CARTE

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

The complete menu for November may also be found at
http://www.cpls.org/Hot_Lunch_Program/2004_11_Hot_Lunch.htm

LIONS' ROAR

•Volleyball player, Ruth Penny, was honored at half-time during the last home volleyball game on Friday, October 22nd. She is pictured here with Varsity Volleyball Coach Phil Parker.



•Senior football players Andrew Bernard and Chris O'Neil were honored at the final home football game on Friday, October 15th.

•Seven seniors made their last appearance at the home soccer game on Monday, October 25th. A pre-game ceremony honored seniors: (from L-R): Nathan Eilert, Shane Marcus, Abe Schneider, Ben Mooneyham, Thomas Carr and Craig Congdon, who are holding goalie Joel Keller.



LIONS' SCORE

Boys Varsity Football

10/23 - CPLS..... 62 KC East 12

Boys JH Football

10/23 - CPLS..... 36 KC East 14

Boys Varsity Soccer

10/21 - CPLS..... 5 St. Mary's..... 1
 10/25 - CPLS..... WAHAA.....

Boys JV Soccer

10/21 - CPLS v St. Mary's (Cancelled)
 10/25 - CPLS..... 5 Heritage 0

Girls Varsity Volleyball

10/21 - CPLS..... 3 Cornerstone 2
 (25-19; 21-25; 25-10; 21-25; 15-5)
 10/22 - CPLS..... 3 Berean 0
 (25-16; 25-8; 25-20)
 10/25 - CPLS..... 3 Manhattan Chiefs 1
 (20-25; 27-25; 25-23; 25-22)

Girls JV Volleyball

10/25 - CPLS..... 2 Manhattan Chiefs 1
 (25-18; 15-25; 25-9)

Girls JH Volleyball

10/21 - CPLS..... 1 Cornerstone 2
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 (11-25; 12-25)
 10/25 - CPLS..... 1 Manhattan Chiefs 2
 (25-27; 26-24; 14-16)

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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

BASKETBALL IS COMING!

The Parent Meeting for all parents who will have students participating in 7th-12th grade basketball will be held on Thursday, November 4th at 7:00pm in the CPLS gymnasium.

Come meet your child's coach, pay the athletic participation and uniform replacement fees, sign up for volunteer times and get the preliminary season schedules. Questions? Call Rhonda Aadalen.

3RD GRADE COMMUNITY OUTREACH

The third grade Christmas outreach project for this year is the Topeka Rescue Mission. We will be collecting items during the next month to deliver to the guests at the Mission on Tuesday, November 23rd.

Necessary items needed by the Mission include: toilet paper, paper towels, shampoo, toothbrushes, baby wipes and diapers (sizes 4,5,6)

If you would like to contribute some of these items, you may bring them to Mrs. Packard's room between now and November 23rd. A gift wrapped box will be located just outside the door to her classroom.

The needs at the Rescue Mission are very basic but very important. Thank you for sharing Christ's love with those who are less fortunate in our community!

In His Love, Mrs. Packard & the 3rd grade class

USED UNIFORM BANK

The CPLS Uniform Bank will be open during Parent/Teacher Conferences on Thursday, October 29th and Friday, October 29th. Take this opportunity to find the uniform items you require for that rapidly growing student. Used uniforms items will be available for a "free-will" donation to CPLS.

The Uniform Bank is located out in the hallway by the music room. Questions? Call Jane Unruh.

Donations to the uniform bank are always welcome.

MOMS IN TOUCH PRAYER GROUP

PLEASE JOIN US FOR PRAYER EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM 2:30 TO 3:30PM UPSTAIRS IN THE DAYCARE HOUSE.

QUESTIONS?
CALL SUZANNE ROBB
(357-0369)

DECONGESTANTS NEEDED

With cold and flu season just around the corner, the school office is requesting donations of decongestant (children's liquid or tablet and adult tablets.) With fall allergies and beginning cold season, we're out and will be in need of more.

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION COLLECTION

Would anyone like a dime? How about 200 dimes (\$20.00)? How about 2000 dimes (\$200.00)? PTF would!

Are you getting the picture? For every boxtop we collect your school gets 10 cents. Please begin looking for and clipping the boxtops4education coupons off of your food containers and sending them to school with your child. This is a very simple way that you can make a huge impact in raising monies for CPLS! Get Grandmas and Grandpas and friends and neighbors involved too, to help you collect. You can get more information from the website at www.boxtops4education.com.

If you have any questions call Suzanne Kentch at 478-6817.

HIGH SCHOOL SHOWCASE CONCERT FOR THE STACIE BEAVERS SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Cair Paravel-Latin School Madrigals, under the direction of Becky Greene, will perform in a concert Monday, November 1, 2004 at 7:30pm at White Concert Hall on the Washburn University Campus.

Members of the CPLS Madrigals are: Sopranos - Ashley Bowman, Nicole Koopman, Anna Waldy and Andrea Zurbuchen; Altos - Sarah Gardner, Molly Murphy, Jessica Toth and Brittany Vander Hart; Tenors - Thomas Carr, Craig Congdon, Gabe Letch and Jaron Marcus; Baritones - Adam Aadalen, Ansen Bayer, Shane Marcus, Ben Mooneyham and Matt Patton.

Other groups performing at the concert will be the Shawnee Heights Choraliers, the Silver Lake Select Choir, the Highland Park Scot Singers, the Washburn Rural "This Generation" group, the Topeka High Madrigals, the Seaman Show Choir, the Hayden Singers and the Topeka West Singers.

The concert is sponsored by the Civic Music Club of Topeka. Dr. Ann Marie Snook will be the MC for the event which has been held annually for over twenty-five years.

Tickets are \$4.00 at White Concert Hall. Children eleven and under are admitted free. All proceeds go for music scholarships at Washburn University.

PARENT TEACHER FELLOWSHIP MINUTES

MAY 13, 2004

Those present: Marne Fischer, Mari Tucker, Tami Foster, Cindy Cox, Jaye Conner, Leanna Clark, Sandra Fienhage, and Melissa French.

Sandra opened the meeting in prayer. The March minutes were approved as read. The April 8, 2004 PTF meeting was attended by Cindy Cox, Sandra Fienhage, Leanna Clark, Tami Foster, and Mari Tucker. There being no quorum the meeting did not adjourn. The members present discussed vacant positions.

Leanna gave the Treasurer's report. CiCi's Pizza party netted \$105.50. The previously approved jump ropes and TV mounting parts expenses have been paid. Leanna will check with Kathy Letch in the school office to discover any additional copying expenses incurred by PTF. Leanna noted that there are several rolls of yellow trash bags available for sale and one bag of white trash bags. The bank balance as of 5/13/04 was \$5,538.91. Of this balance, \$3,000.00 has been earmarked for the 2004/2005 school start up fund. Budgeted items still unspent equals \$986.00.

Cindy gave the President Elect's report. A request was brought from Mrs. Guenther for kindergarten graduation expenses. No motion was brought to the floor as this request falls outside the parameters of the PTF mission. A purchase was discussed for Mr. Brown. Cindy will research the request and report back to the Committee. A request was made from Jennifer Black for a new laminator and to sharpen several die cuts and the cutting boards. Leanna motioned and Jaye seconded, to earmark up to \$2,000.00 to upgrade the laminator and/or sharpen various equipment as funds allow, prior to the 2004/2005 school year. Motion passed. The need for a Christmas Store Coordinator was raised at this time. Leanna volunteered to purchase a few initial gifts as she was going to be visiting a large sale this summer. Jaye moved and Mari seconded to authorize Leanna to purchase up to \$500.00 for the 2004/2005 Christmas Store. Motion passed. There is still a need for a Christmas Store Coordinator.

Jaye gave the Secretary's report. She read thank you cards from Jennifer Black, Deb Jorgensen, and Sue Jernigan.

Old Business: A request was presented from the library and Mrs. Brown for an additional \$50.00 to purchase books. Originally, an amount of \$500.00 had been authorized. Sandra motioned to amend the original amount to \$575.00. Jaye seconded. Motion passed.

Election of 2004/2005 Officers: The Executive slate was presented – President, Cindy Cox; President Elect, Marne Fischer; Treasurer, Sandra Fienhage; and Secretary, Jaye Conner. The slate was accepted, voted on, and passed. Cindy reminded the Committee we are still in need of a Middle School Representative. There are also open positions under Volunteer Coordinator, Family Activities Coordinator and Fundraising Coordinator. Cindy noted that PTF meetings for the 2004/2005-year would be held on Friday afternoons at 1:30 p.m. This is a change from this year's schedule.

Cindy presented Tami with her President's gift of a beautiful rose bush. Tami thanked everyone.

The summer meeting is TBA by Cindy.

Meeting adjourned at 3:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Jaye Conner, Secretary

2005 MAACS COMPETITION

MEMO NO. I
OCTOBER 21, 2004

CPLS participates in the MAACS (Mid-America Association of Christian Schools) regional competition annually. The competition includes the areas of Bible, Music, Speech Visual Art, and Academics. Elementary competition includes grades 5 & 6; Jr. High competition includes grades 7 through 9; and Sr. High competition includes grades 10 through 12. All students are encouraged to participate and begin preparing early. A list of competition categories is available from Mrs. Aadalen and can also be found on the CPLS website @ www.cpls.org.

COMPETITION DATES:

Jr. and Sr. High: Grades 7 through 12 - March 17 & 18, 2005

Elementary: Grades 5 and 6 - April 8, 2005

THE PROCESS:

Any 5th through 12th grade student is eligible to participate in the MAACS Bible, Academic, and Fine Arts Competition. The competition itself limits our school to 2 entries per individual category and 1 entry per group category.

INTERESTED STUDENTS MUST:

1. Meet with either their classroom teacher (5th through 8th grades) or the appropriate teacher for their category to ensure that the piece they are working on meets the competition requirements.
2. Fill out the appropriate entry form and return to Mrs. Aadalen by Friday, December 17, 2004, along with a photocopy of the piece you have chosen (music, speech and Bible categories). These entry forms are available from Mrs. Aadalen - located in the clear holders on the wall in the cafeteria outside her office door. They can also be downloaded from the CPLS website.
3. Be prepared to present the speech, music, Bible, or artwork by the last week of January 2005. (For speech, music and Bible categories, in the event there would be a need for an "in-house" competition to determine which 2 students would represent CPLS at the MAACS competition) (for visual art - the CPLS visual art competition will be the first week of February to determine MAACS entries.) SEE ENTRY FORMS FOR DETAILS.

FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS - Teachers to meet and/or consult with:

For Speech categories - Mrs. Hanson

For Art categories - see Mr. Henry or Mrs. Aadalen

For Music categories - see Mrs. Greene

For Academic tests - see the teacher of that subject

For Bible categories - see Mrs. Aadalen

QUESTIONS - call Mrs. Aadalen

Cair Paravel-Latin School

November 2004

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| High School Schedule: "A" Days - Grey, "B" Days - Yellow | 1 Iowa Basics Testing | 2 Iowa Basics Testing TBA - KCAA State Football Playoffs - 1st Round | 3 Iowa Basics Testing | 4 Iowa Basics Testing 07:00 PM - Basketball Parents Meeting (Grades 7- 12) - CPLS Gymnasium | 5 Iowa Basics Testing | 6 5:00 PM CPLS Skating Party - SK8Away - 815 SW Farlawn Road TBA - KCAA State Football Championships |
| 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 7:00 PM - High School Musical - OKLAHOMA - Stone Table Theater | 12 7:00 PM - High School Musical - OKLAHOMA - Stone Table Theater | 13 7:00 PM - High School Musical - OKLAHOMA - Stone Table Theater |
| 14 JV and Varsity Basketball Practice Begins | 15 | 16 05:30 PM - CPLS Board Executive Session 07:30 PM - CPLS Board Open Session | 17 | 18 7:00 PM - High School Musical - OKLAHOMA - Stone Table Theater | 19 7:00 PM - High School Musical - OKLAHOMA - Stone Table Theater | 20 08:30 AM - Bagels w/Bob - CPLS Library 02:00 & 7:00 PM - High School Musical - OKLAHOMA - Stone Table Theater |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 NO SCHOOL | 25 NO SCHOOL | 26 NO SCHOOL | 27 |
| 28 | 29 | 30 | Cair Paravel-Latin School 635 SW Clay St. Topeka KS 66606 Main Office: 785-232-3878 Childcare: 234-6009 | | | |