

# CROSSROADS NEWSLETTER

August 19, 2016



Crossroads Family,

It is hard to believe that we have completed our first three days of school. From the time that I have spent walking around and visiting classrooms, I can tell the teachers have hit the ground running! We are off to an incredible start, and I am extremely proud of our students for the way they have started this school year. We have a total of 40 new students at CCS this year, and I want to welcome each and every one of them and their families to our school.

Our school theme for this year is "I Am Third," which comes from Philippians 2:3-4. The verse states that we need to put others (to include their needs and interests) above our own. Our theme verse ties in clearly with Jesus' response when asked about the greatest commandment of the law--Matthew 22:36-39. "...You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself." Our goal will be to live out our theme on a daily basis and to show the same type of love that Christ showed to others.

It is truly a pleasure to work in an environment where respect, integrity, and love are shown on a daily basis by faculty and students. I am so thankful that you and your children are part of the Crossroads family, and I want to thank you for your continued support of our school.

In Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jonathan E. Cape". The signature is written in a cursive style.

## Philippians 2:3-4

"Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves. Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others."

## Carpool Reminders

- Do not drive through the center lane unless parking (go around the loop to the right to drop off).
- Be mindful of speed – 5 mph.
- Have children ready to get out when approaching drop-off area, and allow our staff to assist the children exiting the vehicle.
- Students should be using only the front entrance to the school.

## PACT Needs You!

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Parents

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Teachers

Parents, please prayerfully consider adopting a teacher or faculty member for the 2016-2017 school year, and make a PACT to pray for that person and encourage him or her with small gifts throughout the year. This is the third year that the P.A.C.T. (Parents Appreciating Crossroads Teachers) program will be in place, and we are excited about how God will use families to encourage the faculty and staff at CCS. There are still a few faculty members left who need adopting, so please contact Lisa Nelms at [pact@ccscolts.org](mailto:pact@ccscolts.org) to sign up or ask questions.

## CCS Booster Club Information

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The Crossroads Christian School Booster Club was formed in 2006 out of a passion and love for kids and athletics. The Booster Club funds the athletics program at CCS. Here is a brief list of where the Booster funds are spent:

- Uniforms (middle school, JV & varsity)
- Athletic equipment
- Floor reconditioning in the gym (yearly)
- Sand, dirt and water for fields
- Dues & membership fees for our conferences
- Transportation
- Cost of officials at each game

This year is no different; the Booster Club needs your help! Here are a few ways that you can help the Booster Club have a successful year and reach its goals:

1. The very BEST fundraiser is the concession stand at the NC State Football Stadium! There are 7 home games this year. It takes 15 people to work each game. NC State provides the stand and the food, and the Booster Club provides the workers. We receive 10% of sales and average a profit of around \$1,300 per game. This means we can raise approximately \$10,000 (average) towards our goal! We are always looking for families to get involved and spend time with us at the games as we fellowship with one another and earn money for the Booster Club. The first game is Thursday, September 1, and we need your help! Please contact Jamie Parker ([jparker@ccscolts.org](mailto:jparker@ccscolts.org) ; 252-431-1333) to volunteer.

### NC State Football – Home Game Schedule

- 09/01 – NC State vs. William & Mary – 7:30 p.m.
- 09/17 – NC State vs. Old Dominion – 6:00 p.m.
- 10/01 – NC State vs Wake Forest – TBA
- 10/08 – NC State vs. Notre Dame – TBA
- 10/29 – NC State vs. Boston College – TBA
- 11/05 – NC State vs. Florida State – TBA
- 11/19 – NC State vs. Miami – TBA



2. CCS Concessions & Admissions
3. Join the Booster Club and get FREE Admission to the HOME games! For more info and a Booster Club application, visit <http://ccscolts.org/site/support/booster-club/>.

Thank you in advance for your help and support of the CCS Athletics Program ... **GO, COLTS!!!**

## Ways to Stay Informed

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**Your email:** Make sure your email information and address information are updated in RenWeb throughout the year. Many announcements are sent to you via email. Be sure to check it daily!

**CCS website:** [www.ccscolts.org](http://www.ccscolts.org)



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Our Big Teams site for athletic news: <http://www.ccscolts.bigteams.com/>

## Important Dates

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<b>August 31</b>	School Pictures
<b>September 1</b>	NC State Football Game vs. William & Mary – Volunteers Needed to Work
<b>September 5</b>	Labor Day – School Closed
<b>September 19-30</b>	Yankee Candle Sale (NHS & Seniors)
<b>September 21</b>	Juniors and Seniors to CFNC College Fair at VGCC Civic Center
<b>September 24</b>	NHS Miracle League Service Project
<b>September 28</b>	See You at the Pole
<b>October 13</b>	Grandparents Day
<b>October 13</b>	Last Day of First Quarter – Half Day of School
<b>October 14</b>	Fall Break – No School
<b>October 17</b>	Fall Break/Faculty Workday – No School
<b>October 18</b>	Second Quarter Begins