

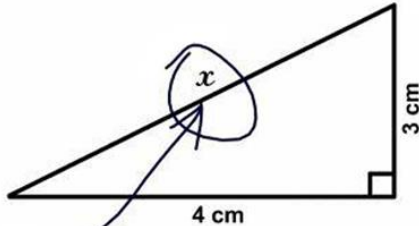
CROSSROADS NEWS

May 16, 2017



Exams & Daily Schedule (Lower & Upper School Students)

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Here it is

With the school year coming to a close, second semester exams begin next week. Exams will take place Monday, May 22, through Wednesday, May 24.

We will be operating on a half-day schedule for exams, with the lower school dismissing at 11:45 a.m. and the upper school dismissing at 12:00.

Exam review days take place on Thursday, May 18, and Friday, May 19.

You can download a copy of the upper school exam schedule and middle school exam parent letter from the home page of the CCS website.

Friday, May 19 through Wednesday, May 24 ---- all half days!

Summer Reading Program

Educators consider summer reading very important for developing life-long reading habits, for maintaining literacy skills, and for promoting reading for pleasure. Studies show that children who continue to read during the summer months perform better when school resumes in the fall. The summer reading program is optional for students in 1st through 6th grades and for those who are in college prep high school English classes, but it does offer incentives for those who take part. Summer reading and writing assignments are **mandatory** for all high school students in Honors English. We will be sending an email with summer reading once all lists are finalized. Summer reading lists for all grades will also be available online soon at <http://ccscolts.org/site/academic/summer-reading-lists/>.



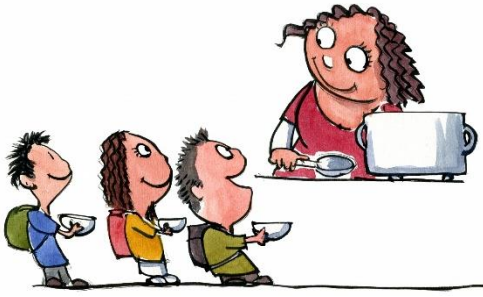
Lower School Sweet Success Celebration

On Monday, May 22, the lower school students will enjoy a "Sweet Success Celebration" to acknowledge their hard work and accomplishments over the 2016-2017 school year!

Students will enjoy a sweet ice cream sundae treat in the classroom and a sweet time of fellowship with their friends. Our students are truly amazing, and we wanted a fun, kid-friendly celebration to acknowledge their accomplishments!



RenWeb Lunch Accounts



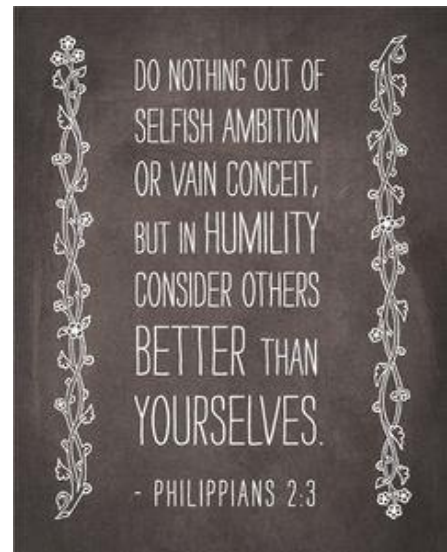
With the school year winding down, please make sure that your family lunch account is paid in full.

You can check your final lunch account balance after 2:00 p.m. on **Thursday, May 18.**

Final report cards will be held until all accounts are current.

Caught Being Third - April

Jackson Pendergrass, Cristan Sims,
Ross Reese, Braxton Moody,
Jeremiah Hargrove, Hunter Satterwhite,
Owen Meeks, Jacob Pendergrass,
Kyle Anderson, Palynn Nelms,
Joseph Honeycutt, Seth Newbern,
Beau Boyd, Lila Watkins,
Chase Lloyd, Rylie Capps,
Rylan Wilson.



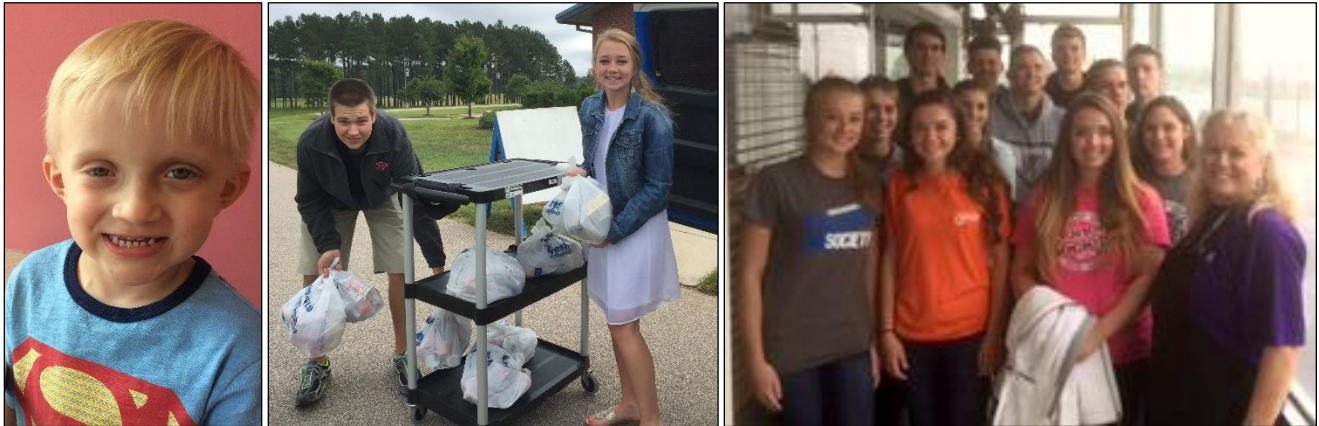
Middle School Baseball – TMSM Tournament Champions



Congratulations to our Middle School baseball team who won the Triangle Middle School Conference championship on Friday, May 5. They competed against Bethesda Christian at the Bull City Little League field in Durham. Great job!

National Honor Society

Members of the National Honor Society collected donations for **St. Baldrick's Foundation** for research into cures for childhood cancers at the end of April. With the generosity of our CCS family, the club was able to send a donation of \$1,133.89 to this worthy cause in honor of our own Brodie Curtis in K3.



The NHS packing team for 4th quarter will pack 36 bags this week for our **Backpack Buddies!** We need donations to help finish the school year for our 12 buddies at Zeb Vance Elementary School. These bags will be delivered this Friday, so please send in any donations by Thursday. Thank you for your faithful support!

On April 24, NHS volunteers served fish plates at the annual fundraiser for the men's homeless shelter held at **220 Seafood Restaurant** in Henderson. They worked from 3:30 – 7:00 p.m. during that monsoon rain were we having that day. Jane King, the coordinator, said that patrons were asking who the wonderful servers were because they were so polite and were enthusiastic workers!

A chalkboard-style poster for CKC Summer Camp. The text is written in various colors and fonts. At the top, it says 'HIKE ON OVER TO CKC SUMMER CAMP MAY 30-JULY 28'. Below that, it says 'SMORE' FUN THAN YOU CAN HANDLE'. There are drawings of marshmallows on sticks. At the bottom, it says 'LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE MATTHEW 5:16'. There are two QR codes and contact information for Katherine Anderson: 'Please contact Katherine Anderson kanderson@ccscolts.org Follow us for more details and updates FACEBOOK CCS WEBSITE'.

Summer Camp News

Camp is just around the corner. We offer a variety of athletic, academic, and creative thinking camps. You can choose from half day, full day, or full summer options. Please invite your friends and family.



Info about camps on our website at <http://ccscolts.org/site/summer-camps/>

*** Science Camp is already full!

May 25, 2017 — OPEN HOUSE for summer camps, 6:00 p.m., in the cafetorium (park in the back lot and enter through those doors)

For information, contact Katherine Anderson at kanderson@ccscolts.org or call 252-431-1333.

Athletic Banquet – May 18



All CCS athletes and their families are invited to attend the annual Athletic Banquet on Thursday, May 18 in the gymnasium. Athletes should follow CCS dress guidelines for special events (in handbook).

- **Middle School Awards** - 6:00 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.
- **Reception for All** - 6:45 p.m. – 7:15 p.m.
- **High School Awards** - 7:15 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

5th Grade Graduation Today!

We had a great turn out of parents, grandparents, and supporters at the 5th grade graduation this morning. Everyone enjoyed watching a slideshow that summarized all the experiences we've had throughout the year. The 5th graders sang two songs and received awards and certificates of promotion. Youth pastor Ryan Hill from Clearview Church spoke about challenging the students to stand up and be used by God as an example to others. After the ceremony, the students and their families attended a reception in their honor.

– Mrs. Alison Bartholomew, 5th grade teacher



Calendar of Events

May 17	Upper School Academic Awards
May 18	Athletic Awards Night (cafetorium/gym)
May 18-19	Exam Review Days
May 19	Half Day (11:45 Lower School & 12:00 Upper School)
May 19	Senior Graduation Practice – 10:15 a.m. in the Cafetorium
May 20	Senior Graduation – 10:30 a.m. in the Cafetorium
May 22-24	Upper School Exams (Half Day Schedule)
May 22	Lower School Sweet Success Celebration
May 23	Kindergarten Graduation – 6:00 p.m. in the Cafetorium
May 24	Last Day of School (Full Day)

**May 30
Colts Kids Camps
Begin!**