CROSSROADS NEWS

October 30, 2026

PINK OUT on November 13!

Join us on **Friday, November 13**, for our **Pink Out Basketball Game** as we cheer on our Colts, spread awareness, and support the fight against breast cancer. Our theme this year is **One Team, One Fight!** 💪🎀 Let's come together as a school family and turn the gym completely pink!

- 📅 **Game Day:** Friday, November 13 (JV Boys 4:00pm, Var. Girls 5:30pm, Var. Boys 7:00pm)
- 📍 **Location:** Crossroads Christian School Main Gym
- 🎀 **Theme:** One Team, One Fight

Get your official Pink Out shirt today! Shirts are available in limited quantities, so don't miss your chance to order one. Wear it proudly to the game and help us fill the gym with pink! 💕



DEADLINE FOR ORDERING IS THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5

👕 Order your Pink Out shirt here

📝 **When ordering, please include your child's first-period teacher's name in the NOTE box on the ordering screen.**

All proceeds go toward **Lump to Laughter,** an organization devoted to supporting women and families walking through breast cancer. Thank you for helping us support this cause and show what our CCS family can do when we come together! 🤍

Reminder:

Students may not be picked up or called out of class between 2:30 p.m. and the end of the school day.



House News



The House Council is excited to host **House Friendsgiving** on **Thursday, November 5,** during lunch! We look forward to sharing a delicious meal, enjoying time together, and giving thanks for all God has done!

Students are asked to bring a dish to share. Please plan carefully: **we will not be able to refrigerate or warm any food.** Choose a dish that can be safely stored and served without refrigeration or reheating.

Thank you to everyone who has already signed up to bring a dish! **Parents, sign-ups have been emailed out.** If you haven't signed up yet, please take a moment to do so.

We can't wait to gather around the table and celebrate this season of gratitude together!

CCS Student-Led Worship Night is BACK!

Our first student-led worship night was a blessing to everyone who attended, and we're excited to come together again! Join your CCS friends for an uplifting evening of worship, fellowship, and encouragement as students lead us in praising God.



- **Thursday, November 5**
- **6:30–8:00 p.m.**
- **Doors open at 6:15 p.m.**
- **Location will be announced**

Who can attend?

This event is open **ONLY to CCS middle school and high school students.** Younger siblings may not attend.

Sign up at school!
To help us plan for supervision, students should sign up in:

- **Middle school:** Mrs. Capps' room
- **High school:** Mrs. Martin's room

Please plan ahead:

- Students **may NOT stay after school to wait for the event** unless they are participating in sports and remain under the direct supervision of their coach.
- Event staff will be available for supervision beginning at **6:15 p.m.**
- All students must be **picked up or leave campus promptly at 8:00 p.m.**

Sign up, invite your CCS middle and high school friends, and get ready for a joyful night of student-led worship. **We can't wait to see you there!**

-- Mrs. Martin (dmartin@ccscolts.org)



Annual Food Drive Comin' UP!

Our annual food drive for the Salvation Army starts the day we come back from Thanksgiving Break and runs for two weeks, so be gathering those non-perishable food items for this CCS tradition. It's one of the ways we help support our community!

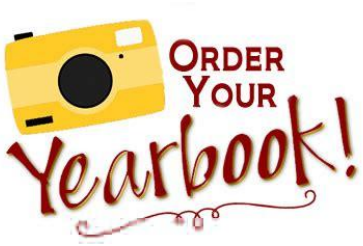
November 30 – December 11

God's Pit Crew Service Project

The 9th and 11th grades traveled to Danville, Va., to work with God's Pit Crew, a disaster relief ministry. Our group packed 984 blessings buckets! Over the years in our partnership with the ministry, our students have packed a total of 4,392 blessings buckets. When 10th and 12th grades visit GPC in the spring, we should top the 5,000-bucket mark! More photos are available on the CCS Facebook page. God's Pit Crew also has a Facebook page you can follow.



Order Your 2026-2027 Yearbook



Our yearbook is now **$52**! (Next price increase after December 31.)

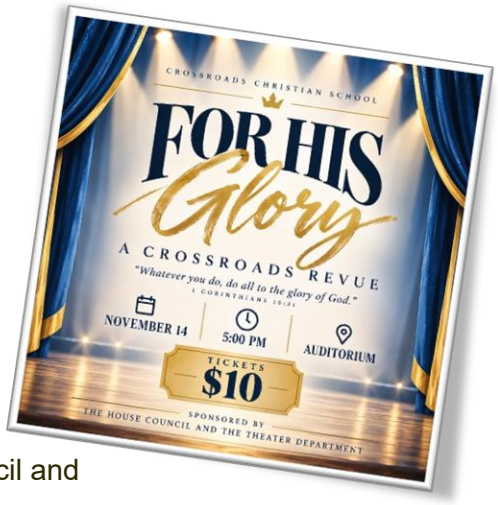
This year's book is already taking shape—and you won't want to miss the finished story. Yearbook adviser: Stephanie Smith (ssmith@ccscolts.org)

Order yours today at: www.ccsyearbook.org

$52 • One book • A whole year of memories!

For His Glory: A Crossroads Revue

What happens when talented Colts take the stage and the Theater Department gets hold of the microphones? A great evening of entertainment—with a little extra personality between acts!



Join us for an evening of music, talent, and a few laughs as CCS students from elementary through high school share what they've been working so hard to prepare. Our performers are ready to shine, our emcees have *mostly* memorized their lines, and we're looking forward to a wonderful night celebrating our students and using their talents to bring glory to God. Bring the family, invite a friend, and come cheer on our Colts!

Saturday, November 14 | 5:00 PM | CCS Auditorium
Doors open at 4:30 PM.

Tickets are $10 and can be purchased at the door (cash or check). Proceeds benefit the CCS House Council. Sponsored by the House Council and Theater Department.

"Whatever you do, do it all for the glory of God." — 1 Corinthians 10:31

Questions? Contact Mrs. Martin at dmartin@ccscolts.org or Mrs. Smith at ssmith@ccscolts.org.

Coming up…

NOVEMBER 23-24: TEACHER WORKDAYS
NOVEMBER 25-27: THANKSGIVING BREAK



Art Fundraiser



Original Works Art Fundraiser orders are due back to Mrs. Newbern no later than **November 3**. Orders will be back in time for Christmas.

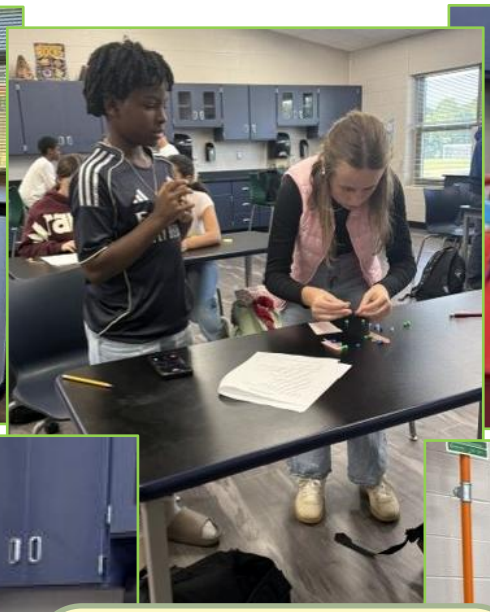
Proceeds from this program will be used to purchase supplies for our program.

Visit www.originalworks.com to see the magic behind the mission.

Thank you for supporting this inspiring and imaginative way to raise funds!

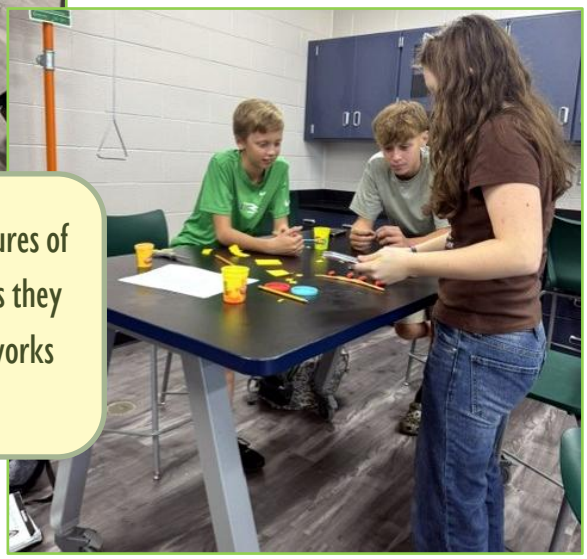
7th Grade Science











Mrs. Wright shared some pictures of her seventh-grade students as they modeled how transcription works in a DNA molecule.



CCS Beta Club News



CCS Beta Club will be selling PINK OUT cowboy and trucker hats, bandannas, and boas. Going on sale soon! Be on the lookout for order forms. We will continue to sell while supplies last. <u>Half</u> of our proceeds will go to Lump to Laughter.

Meetings

- **Junior BETAs:** Every **third Monday** of the month
- **Senior BETAs:** Every **third Tuesday** of the month
- Meetings are subject to change unless otherwise posted.
- Meetings will be held in art room

Stay in the Loop

Make sure you have signed up for the **BETA Club Remind** so you don't miss important announcements and updates. **We enjoy serving with you!**

--- Mrs. Newbern & Mrs. Wright

The CCS chapters of National Beta Club and National Honor Society had the privilege of joining teams with Miracle League of North Raleigh on Saturday, October 3. It was an absolute joy to see our students share the field with our special friends. Go Colts! ***Friendship, Leadership, & Service!*** Well done.



4th Grade Field Trip

Mrs. Herendeen shared some pictures from the 4th grade field trip to Pilot Mountain in Pinnacle, NC on October 1. They had a great time learning about plants and mammals in North Carolina!






2026 Painted Pumpkin Contest Winners

K5	***Description of Pumpkin***	***Student Name***	***Grade***
1st	Globe & Hands	Hunter Cobb	K
2nd	Bright & Bold Rainbow	Lenore Blake	K
3rd	Turkey	Maci Robles	K
Honorable mention	Elephant	Elara Gill	K
Honorable mention	Pink Hello Kitty	Remington Holland	K
Honorable mention	Shrek	Levi Ellis	K
Honorable mention	Strawberry		K

1st-2nd	***Description of Pumpkin***	***Student Name***	***Grade***
1st	Pumpkin Patch	Amelia Andrews	2
2nd	Hunters Moon	Grayson Herendeen	2
3rd	Barbie	Allie Barneycastle	2
Honorable mention	Jungle	Kinley Forbes	1
Honorable mention	Duck	James Savage	1
Honorable mention	Minnie Mouse	Darla Boyd	2
Honorable mention	Minion	Avery Haskins	2
Honorable mention	Slinky	Briggs Gill	2

3rd-4th	***Description of Pumpkin***	***Student Name***	***Grade***
1st	Gary	Marshall Cox	4
2nd	Pikachu	Ava Barneycastle	4
3rd	Dogman	Kayla Christian	4
Honorable mention	Planets	Carmen Forbes	3
Honorable mention	Truck	Ellie Savage	4
Honorable mention			

5th-8th	***Description of Pumpkin***	***Student Name***	***Grade***
1st	Dream Catcher	Maci Robles	5
2nd	FIFA	Joshua Singavarupu	5
3rd	Quilt	Adalynn Harmon	8
Honorable mention	Softball Player	Lilly Haskins	5
Honorable mention	Ice Cream	Lila Johnson	6
Honorable mention	Truck	Ellie Savage	5
Honorable mention	Day of Dead Mask	Nathalie Gutierrez	7





Winner's Circle 😊

Vision Screenings



Our school nurse, Mrs. Wynne, reported that our first vision screening at CCS was a big success, with 324 students screened. She is pictured here with the Henderson Lions Club volunteers who conduct vision screenings locally.

The Lions Clubs are international (over 50,000 clubs worldwide), providing screening, equipping hospitals and clinics, distributing medicine, and raising awareness of eye disease, working toward their mission of providing vision for all.

To read more about what Lions do, visit their website at www.lionsclubs.org.

College Counselor's Notes

As we head into November, seniors should continue working on their plans for after graduation. Here are a few things to focus on this month.

- **College Applications:** Continue working on and submitting college applications. Be sure to check application deadlines, especially for Early Action and scholarship consideration.
- **FAFSA:** If you haven't already completed the 2027–2028 FAFSA, now is a good time to get started. Visit studentaid.gov to complete the application.
- **Scholarships:** Continue looking for scholarship opportunities. Check websites such as CFNC.org, BigFuture, and the colleges you are interested in attending.



- **Transcripts:** Make sure you have requested any transcripts needed for your college applications. Please allow enough time for them to be processed.
- **Check Your Email:** If you have already applied to colleges, be sure to check your email and college application portals regularly. Some schools may need additional information or documents.
- **Let us know!** Please let Mr. Russell and Mr. Hahn know which colleges you have been accepted to!

Reminder: If you have questions about applications, transcripts, scholarships, or your plans after graduation, please see me! I'm happy to help!

-- Mr. Hahn (jhahn@ccscolts.org)

Athletic Department News

FALL WRAP-UP – check out pics on next page and more on Facebook

- **Varsity Boys Soccer:** Coach Conner Bryant and his team became the 5th Varsity Boys Soccer team to make an NCISAA Final 4! Finished the season 13-7 and ranked #3 in the state!
- **Varsity Volleyball:** Coach Diana King led our team to a school record 19 wins on the season and record that had stood since 2010! Finished the season 19-7 and ranked #4 in the state!
- **Varsity Boys Cross Country:** Coach Trey Snide has a very young team with 2 middle schoolers Miles Richardson and Nathan Thompson, and freshman Cameron Purvis running on a varsity team. This young team is currently ranked #7 in the state and will be competing in the NCISAA Cross Country Meet Championships on Friday, the 30th.
- **Varsity Girls Cross Country:** Coach Trey Snide has 2 sisters running, Nathalie Gutierrez & Kalany Gutierrez Friday in the NCISAA State Tournament Meet in Charlotte.
- **JV Volleyball:** Coach Diana King and team won the MCC conference regular season championship and finished 10-4 in the season.
- **MS Volleyball:** Coach Cammy Simmons and team won the MCC conference regular season championship and finished 13-3 in the season.
- **MS Boys Soccer:** Coach Jon Anderson and team won the MCC regular season championship and tournament championship! Finished the season 13-2-1 and back-to-back championships with Aaron Arness, Oscar Fonseca, and Kaiden Smith.
- **MS Boys Cross Country:** Coach Trey Snide and team won the MCC regular season championship and finished the season well.
- **MS Girls Cross Country:** Coach Trey Snide and runner Kiersten Mill finished very well this season in the MCC.

WINTER PREVIEW



- **Varsity Boys Basketball:** Coach Scottie Richardson and team are looking to return to the NCSIAA State Championship for the 3rd consecutive season. First game of the season is November 10, at Ridgecroft School in Ahoskie.
- **Varsity Girls Basketball:** Coach Ed Moore and team are looking to return to the state championship like in 2025, and he has a great athletic team who can do it!
- **Varsity Cheerleading:** Coach Cammy Simmons has been working with her team since the summer, and they will be ready come Pink Out on November 13!
- **JV Boys Basketball:** Coach Lamont Whitaker is ready to return to the MCC Finals where we finished runner-up and is looking forward to moving one step further this year.
- **MS Boys Basketball:** Coach Jacob Savage and team are looking towards a 3Peat in the MCC!
- **MS Girls Basketball:** Coach Jason Hahn and team are also looking towards winning the MCC again!





6th grade boys in front of their lodge at Camp Kerr Lake overnight retreat

Upcoming Events

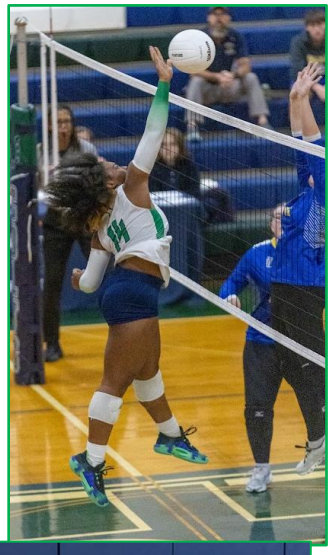
November 5	MS/HS Worship Night
November 5	Houses – Friendsgiving
November 13	Pink Out (JVB 4pm, VG 5:30pm, VB 7:00pm)
November 18	5th Grade Field Trip: Bennett Place
November 23-24	Teacher Workdays (Closed)
November 25-27	Thanksgiving Break (Closed)
November 30	Annual Food Drive Begins!
December 9	*Picture Day:* Winter Sports
December 11	Annual Food Drive Ends
December 17	Quarter 2 Ends (Half-Day)
December 18	Teacher Workday (Closed)
Dec. 21-Jan. 1	Christmas Break (Closed)

Fall Sports!

Check out more fall sports pics on the CCS Facebook page! Thank you to all who shared pictures!
















2026


















Go Colts!







QUARTER 1 HONOR ROLLS 2026-2027
Crossroads Christian School

1st Grade

A Honor Roll

Wade Brann, Ezra Boyd, Levi Carver, Stella Culp, Loughlin Denton, John Luke Dickens, Caroline Engel, Mackenzie Fallen, Kinley Forbes, Micah Foster, Lainey Grimes, Hawk Hamlett, Liam Hamrick, Alani Hedgepeth, Carson Hunt, Abigail Jones, Caroline Keith, Owen King, Hope Mahan, Azriel Moseley, Ethan Nelson, Amelia Oniffrey, Kennedy Pendergrass, Tate Pernell, Owen Raley, Isaiah Reavis, Piper Richardson, Tucker Roberson, Myles Shearin, Korbin Smith, Olivia Twigg

A/B Honor Roll

Joey Abbott, Brighton Boone, Gunner Cipiti, Maya Evans, Aria Garcia-Griffin, Weston Glover, Jamie Harlacker, Jessa Humphries, Lucas Miller, Haylee Norwood, Emmalyn Sandor, James Savage, Audrey Stodder, James Whitehurst, Eleanor Williams

2nd Grade

A Honor Roll

Connor Allen, Amelia Andrews, Micah Garcia Arcos, Allie Barneycastle, Alyssa Boyd, Darla Boyd, Glen Depiero, Cole Ellis, Benjamin Rodrigues Fernandez, Anna Kate Finch, Skylar Freeman, Silas Fuller, Briggs Gill, Gisselle Giron, Justus Grogan, Avery Haskins, Asher Hill, Grayson Herendeen, Clara Jones, Sawyer Krieg, Heidi Lambert, Nora Mahan, Hudson McMillen, Gavin Mooney, Dylan Nemargut, Scarlett O'Hagan, Nolan Pulley, Evie Raley, Evelynn Tart, Carsyn Thompson, Beau Tondreau, Remedy Williamson, Craven Wynne, Adley Grace Yancey, Bryce Yancey

A/B Honor Roll

Lucas Coghill, Kinsley Edwards, Mason Johnson, Bentley Overby, Skylar Shenise, Anna Grace Stainback, Maryanna Steiger

3rd Grade

A Honor Roll

Paisleigh Ball, Lilly Capps, Amelia Carpunky, Weston Carver, Barron Colclough, Logan Curtis, Tenley Farmer, Carmen Forbes, Wesson Gardner, Ashe Gill, Landon Jones, Morgan Kennedy, Marian Medlin, Mason Mosny, Reese Murray, Maddie Nelson, Bella Raley, River Snedeker, Bryson Stancil, Gracyn Stancil, McKenna Stevenson, Easton Thomas, Allie Vick, Judson Wood

A/B Honor Roll

Ella Allen, Alina Arriaza Molina, Madison Baker, Natalie Baker, PJ Bice, Hudsyn Bowden, Dawson Coghill, Bryson Collins, Carter Collins, Christian Collins, Ella Cyrus, Paislee Hunt, Ava Kurtz, Josie Medlin, Alli Kay Mosny, Farrin Scearce, Kamden Smith, Maddox Stewart, Khloe Taylor, Dalton Vanderpool

Honor Roll is Celebrated for 1st – 12th Grade Students

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4th Grade

A Honor Roll

Harper Abbott, Ava Barneycastle, Alexa Boyd, Ellie Cole, Charley Grace Dickens, Abigail Engel, Mia Figueroa, Brynlee Fonseca, Samuel Giron, Silas Henderson, Claire Johnson, Raelyn Lovings, Payton Morrison, Hayes Newby, Olivia Savage, Arryn Young

A/B Honor Roll

Sawyer Batts, Kayla Christian, Landon Crews, Caydence Ellington, Gabby Hahn, Ryder Harmon, Cole Harris, Levi Humphries, Isabella Hunt, Jayden Jefferson, Kamden Litten, Liam Nemargut, Kyleigh Patrick, Cam Paynter, Drake Perkinson, Joshua Pendergrass, Kennedy Seymour, Abel Shenise, Pierson Wood

5th Grade

A Honor Roll

Layton Batts, Sadie Capps, Lilly Haskins, Joanna Hill, Luke Jones, Elizabeth Keith, James Reagle, Ellie Savage, Joshua Singavarapu, Leland Williamson, Amani Woodlief

A/B Honor Roll

Jaxon Boyd, Scarlett Bumgarner, Sophia Engel, Judah Foster, Francisco Gutierrez, Natalie Kelly, Sawyer Kelly, Madison Kennedy, Annabelle Morton, Nathan Norris, Lawson Pernell, James Ridgley, Maci Robles, Charli Rowland, Chance Stevenson, Molly Whicker, Kenton Williamson

6th Grade

A Honor Roll

Iris Hudgins, Lila Johnson, Mason Newby

A/B Honor Roll

Isaac Arness, Abby Coghill, Charley Duke, Levi Endecott, Jameson Etchells, Abby Reynolds Roberson, Cameron Thompson, Jase Watkins, Jayce Watkins, Lucas Whicker, Lincoln Wood

7th Grade

A Honor Roll

Cody Brame, Katie Rose Harris, Emerson Kelly, Mia Radford

A/B Honor Roll

Miles Anderson, Langston Boyd, Judson Breedlove, Noah Farmer, Carter Gayle, Case Gilliam, Nolan Herendeen, Evie Hill, Kiersten Mill, Macailah Mill, Cole Thompson, Nate Thompson, Blake Tingen, Stella Wade, Mollie Wrenn

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8th Grade

A Honor Roll

Aaron Arness, Brennan Capps, Crystal Codesal, Logan Finch, Sophie Finch, Raegan Murray, Eli Wade

A/B Honor Roll

Demi Brooks, Kylie Campbell, Austin Colclough, Ellie-Kate Collins, Madison Creech, Hannah Etheridge, Daniel Giron, Avery Haithcock, Jenevieve Hoffman, Kelton Litten, Emma Morgan, Bella Moseley, Jordyn Moss, Karter Ransom, Avery Roberson, Nathan Robertson, Naomi Satterfield, Berkley Smith, Blake Spruill, Harper Stewart, Brinley Wester, Paxton Wilson, Andrew Zinn

9th Grade

A Honor Roll

John Abbott, Chance Carpenter, Rivers Cash, Hartley Hill, Ashby Keith, Mae Medlin, Cameron Purvis, Liliana Stopher, Raylan Thomas

A/B Honor Roll

Jonah Burnette, Kaelynn Collins, Clara Beth Harris, CJ Hayes, TJ Long, Jackson Pendergrass, Bentley Richardson, Myles Richardson, Meredith Roberson, Ethan Smithson, Ethan Stallings, Libby Kay Thompson, Eva Williamson

10th Grade

A Honor Roll

Jenna Cash, Wade Cooke, Maliah Evans, JJ Hahn, Anna Hedgepeth, Sawyer Payumo, Hannah Smith, Autumn Stanley

A/B Honor Roll

Adalyn Bowen, Ke'Andre Cooper, Carlee Edmonds, Mara Grice, Stuart May, Harrison Mill, Layton Pernell, Aurora Phoenix, Brady Reagle, Davis Rorex, Carter Tondreau, Emily Waltz

11th Grade

A Honor Roll

Austin Haithcock, Jacob Pendergrass, Cristan Sims, Hallie Smith, Linus Smith, Tyson Spence, Caiden Talley, Thomas Wilson

A/B Honor Roll

Ben Adcock, London Baskerville, Josiah Clark, Kalany Gutierrez, Harley Hall, Lexi Leonard, Reagan Mondell-Long, Christopher Ovando-Percastre, Blake Richardson, Kaniya Serbin, Alaina Short, Colton Stewart, Turner Taylor

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12th Grade

A Honor Roll

Wesley Anderson, Rylie Capps, Chase Champion, Chloe Friedrichs, Reagan Hedgepeth, Hayden Hilton, Rosalie May, Will Medlin, Josie Miceli, Ashlynn Tharrington, Laci Wade, Sophie Wade, Rylan Wilson

A/B Honor Roll

Jake Douglas, Valerie Foreman, Corban Mill, CJ Ogwago, Ely Phillips, Joseph Phoenix, Josh Smith, Brody Watkins

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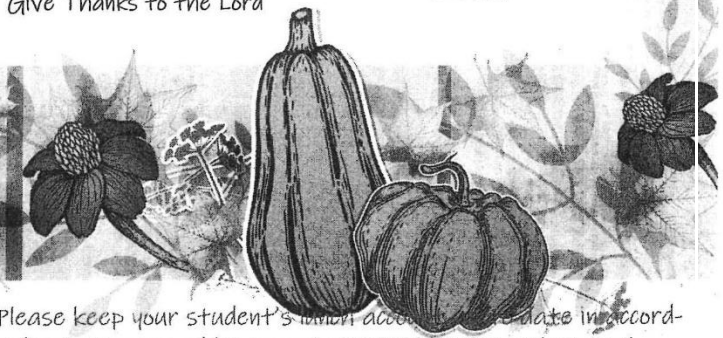
CROSSROADS CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

We offer PB & J Meals and salad Bar as optional meals on Mondays, Tuesda
French fries, corn dogs, etc., are ONLY available as per menu.

See website for a la cart prices and other Cafeteria information.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 "COLTS" Cheeseburger French Fries Rice Krispie Treat	3 Chicken Tenders Creamy Potatoes Green Beans	4 Chicken Alfredo w/Noodles Garden Salad Breadstick	5 JERSEY MIKES Orders MUST be placed by midnight on Monday of each week	6 CHICK-FIL-A Orders MUST be placed by midnight on Monday of each week
9 Hamburger w/gravy Creamy Potatoes Garden Peas	10 "Hot Diggity" Dog Cole Slaw French Fries Baked Beans	11 BBQ Cole Slaw Baked Apples Mac N Cheese	12 JERSEY MIKES Orders MUST be placed by midnight on Monday of each week	13 CHICK-FIL-A Orders MUST be placed by midnight on Monday of each week
16 Grilled Cheese Sandwich French Fries M & M Cookie	17 Pepperoni Pizza Corn Fruit	18 Southwest Grilled Chicken Salad w/Ranch Pineapple Roll	19 JERSEY MIKES Orders MUST be placed by midnight on Monday of each week	20 CHICK-FIL-A Orders MUST be placed by midnight on Monday of each week
23 SCHOOL CLOSED	24 SCHOOL CLOSED	25 SCHOOL CLOSED	26 THANKSGIVING DAY Give Thanks to the Lord	27 SCHOOL CLOSED
30 Corn Dog French Fries Peaches				

Soup of the week:
11/2 – Potato w/Bacon
11/9 – Chili w/Beans
11/16 – Chicken Noodle
11/30 - Broc N Cheese



Allergy info: Please be aware that food in the cafeteria may contain or come into contact with common allergens such as dairy, eggs, wheat, tree nuts, peanuts.
Due to deliveries, etc., the cafeteria may need to make

FACTS ACCOUNT – Please keep your student's lunch acco[illegible] date in accordance with the CCS handbook. You can add money via FACTS SIS Family Portal "Add Funds" option or by sending a check or cash to the CAFETERIA.
We DO NOT take cash on a daily basis – ALL students must have an account