

**CALHOUN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL
COUGAR CONNECTION**

May 5, 2023

MISSION STATEMENT

Calhoun Christian School provides academic excellence while upholding God's truth and challenging children to serve.

VISION STATEMENT

Calhoun Christian School will be the benchmark of excellence in Christ-centered education.

AWARDS NIGHT

Come celebrate your student with us on May 15. Here is the schedule for each grade level.

- Elementary: 4-5 pm
- Middle School: 5:30-6:30 pm
- High School: 7:00 - 8:30 pm

*****YARD SALE-RESCHEDULED*****

CCS will be hosting a yard sale inside the school on **TOMORROW** 9:00 am-2:00 pm. This is a rescheduled date due to the inclement weather we had limiting participation in March.

PROTECT YOUNG EYES

What an amazing and informative time we had during the Protect Young Eyes student presentation and parent presentation in the evening. If you are looking for more information, there are packets that were printed and are on the counter in the main office. Stop by and pick one up. We also have this link to share if you were unable to make it to the parent presentation.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gZmJ21Apl3A>

Here is their website: <https://protectyoungeyes.com/>

This is another link that contains more information about PYE. This will provide more information about their program and updated information to help you protect your children.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jnKnqRIPB8Q>

LEGO CLUB NEWS

Our lower elementary Lego club is so popular-- we are making changes to our schedule: Teachers will be dismissing students to my room at **2:45 and club will end at 3:30**. Students may bring snacks. Here are the new meeting dates:

- Tuesday, May 16--kinder and 1st
- Thursday, May 18--2nd and 3rd

Please pick up your child in the front at 3:30!

SPRING SPORTS

Check out the calendar below for details on games. Click [here](#) for the link to sign up to help with things like ticket sales, score book, film, and concessions. Get those volunteer hours in and support the CCS students! GO COUGARS.

FIELD DAY

June 1 is Field Day for Elementary students. We are looking for volunteers to help with our activities. Your student will be coming home with a parent volunteer form. If you would like to help out in an official capacity [for service hours for next year], please fill out the form and return to your child's teacher. You can also find the PDF form attached. If you have questions, please contact laura.kennett@calhounchristian.org Here are the time slots available:

- 8 am – 11:30 am
- 11 am – 2:45 pm
- All day

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Lunch Program: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050449A8AD23A6F49-20222023>

Popcorn and Pickle Fridays: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050449A8AD23A6F49-popcorn2>

Soccer: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050449A8AD23A6F49-sports1>

ROBOTICS CLUB

Team 8608 is seeking empty cans & bottles to recycle for their 2024 season fees & supplies. .

On June 10, when you drop off cans and bottles at NeuroPower Solutions [corner of Woodrow Ave. and Columbia St., take our robot for a spin from 10 am – 2 pm

We will also be doing a (by donation only) hot dogs & bake sale !

Invite your friends (there is a Facebook event (@alphabotccs)

Help us get our funds ready to head to WORLD'S next year!!!!

SUMMER PROGRAMS

- St Joseph Elementary Summer Care Program 2023 is welcoming students entering PreK or kindergarten in the fall of 2023 up to 12 yrs. 11 mos. of age. See attached form.
- ART CAMP-
We are excited to announce CCS Art Camp will be held on June 26-30, 9:00-12:00. There are big changes this year both in age and projects. Camp will be for students that have graduated 4th grade-7th grade. Projects will be geared toward an older age with fewer, but more involved, quality work. The cost is \$75.00 for the first student and \$60.00 for additional students that live in the same household. Students outside of CCS are welcome as well. Camp this year will be limited to 25 students based on registration and payment. Forms will be in the office beginning on Monday. Join us in a fun and exciting week!

Questions- Email Beth Norris at beth.norris@calhounchristian.org

- Cranhill Ranch summer camps. See attached PDF for details.

SENIOR OPEN HOUSES: *[We will provide information as we receive updates.]*

- **Josh Andren:** June 3; 5-8 pm 118 Turnberry Lane Battle Creek, MI 49015
- **Rachel Chapman:** June 10; 5-8pm 16181 10 Mile Rd. Battle Creek, MI 49014
- **Nasko Cleland:** May 27; 1-3 pm 425 Arcadia Blvd. Battle Creek, MI 49017
- **Dakota Cole:** June 24; beginning at 5 pm 210 Hillsdale St. Battle Creek, MI 49037
- **Jenna Follett:** June 10; 3-7 pm 16450 E Q Ave Climax, MI 49034
- **Tyler Jenkins:** June 4; beginning at 1-5 pm 12693 South Minges Rd Battle Creek, MI 49015

- **Kimberlee LaBonte:** May 27; 1-4 pm 9703 Campbell Lane Bellevue, MI 49021
- **Amanda Ringewold:** June 11; 2-5 pm 15341 Budd Rd Battle Creek, MI 49017
- **Dekotah Rue:** June 17; 3-7 pm 1079 North Ave Battle Creek, MI 49017
- **Esperanza Sanchez:** June 10; 2-5 pm 9 Ashley Court Battle Creek, MI 49014

SCHOOL CALENDAR

05/07-05/13: 9th-12th grade Mission Trips
 05/15: Awards Night
 05/17: Students report from mission trips
 05/19: Last day on site for Seniors
 05/24-25: Finals 11:30 am dismissal MS ONLY
 05/26: Half Day 11:30 am dismissal for ALL
 05/26: COMMENCEMENT
 05/29: Memorial Day- NO SCHOOL
 05/30-31: Middle School End of Year Trip
 06/01: Middle School End of Year Trip
 06/01: Field Day
 06/01-02: High School Finals early dismissal 11:30 am [HS ONLY]
 06/02: LAST DAY OF SCHOOL; Half day 11:30 am dismissal
 06/05: Last day of school FOR TEACHERS

SPORTS CALENDAR

05/05: MS Girls Soccer vs. Allegan 6 pm
 05/08: Varsity Boys Volleyball @ Fennville HS 6 pm
 05/08: MS Girls Soccer @ Quincy 7 pm
 05/10: MS Girls Soccer @ Lawton 4 pm
 05/13: Varsity Girls Soccer @ Zion Christian 3-way 9 am
 05/16: Varsity Girls Soccer @ Bronson 5:30 pm
 05/16: MS Girls Soccer vs. Parchment 6:30 pm
 05/18: MS Girls Soccer @ Lakeview 6 pm
 05/20: Varsity Girls Soccer All-City @ Lakeview 9 am
 05/22: Varsity Girls Soccer at Battle Creek Central 5 pm
 05/22: MS Girls Soccer vs. Lawton 6:30 pm