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CONTACT



Dates to remember this week:

Fri: MS basketball games at Credo – Boys: 1:15pm Girls: 2:35pm

School Theme: 'Flourishing In Christ'

Welcome back!

Basketball has almost finished up with a couple games this week and next against Credo. We are thankful that we can once again pick up on these kind of activities with our sister schools in Canada. For the rest though our teams have finished their seasons and we commend everyone with their sportsmanship and dedication during the season. Well done teams!

With that being said.....it is time for players to return their jerseys. Every year it is challenging to keep things properly organized. This year can I please ask that everyone WASH their jerseys & shorts and return them to the front desk in a plastic bag. A Ziploc gallon storage bag is just fine with the name of the player on the outside.....**one player per bag**. This way even if they are left at the front desk I will be able to know whose jersey & shorts was returned and return them to the correct storage bins. Please return promptly after your final games are finished. Thank you!

Today we wish Sean D a happy birthday! Also celebrating this week are Mrs. Kottelenberg tomorrow and then Lucy B & Kyleigh D on Saturday the 11th. Many blessings to you all in the coming year.

From here we bid farewell to Mrs. Jordan Hicks. It has been a pleasure having you here even if it was rather short! We wish you and Caleb all the best in Arizona and pray the Lord guides and protects you through the move and getting settled in your new place. A number of replacements have been found willing to fill her role. We are thankful for hearts and hands able to provide this Educational Support.

Hosea 14: 7,8

"People will dwell again in his shade; they will flourish like the grain, they will blossom like the vine— Israel's fame will be like the wine of Lebanon. Ephraim, what more have I to do with idols? I will answer him and care for him. I am like a flourishing juniper; your fruitfulness comes from me."

These verses are taken from a context of repentance and forgiveness. The people have been encouraged to repent, and the Lord describes the flourishing as part of the promised forgiveness. Reading the whole chapter really highlights the faithfulness and mercy of our God and Father!

May God cause us to flourish!

Memory Work**Grade 1 :** Ps.25:2**Grade 2:** Hy.13:1**Grade 3:** Ps.38:10**Grade 4:** Ps.149:1**Grade 5:** Ps.46:3**Grade 6:** Hy.11:5**Grade 7:** Rom. 5:6-9**Grade 8:** Rom. 5:6-9**Memory Work for next week****Grade 1 & 2 :** Bible Text:

John 10:1-2

Grade 3 - 6: Bible Text:

John 10:1-2

Grade 7: Ps.129:1**Grade 8:** Hy.25:1**TTC Driving****Freshman Carpool:**

Monday – Kari V & Fiona H

Wednesday– Ang D & Bea K

Sophomore Carpool:**Thurs: To** Kathleen **S From:** Bea K**Fri: To& From:** Rachel D**Next Week TTC Driving****Freshman Carpool:**

Monday – Fiona H & Christine H

Wednesday– Kelli K & Lisa P

Sophomore Carpool:**Thurs: To & From:** Karen D**Fri: No School****Parent Information Evening****March 14, 2023 7:30~9:00pm**

Join us for an informative and engaging evening discussing the topic of Apologetics. The evening will begin with a short introduction by Wayne Chase giving an overview of apologetics at Cornerstone. The main portion of the evening will be led by Jeanette Janssen, who will lead our learning specifically on the topic of Evolution as it is taught here.

We are looking forward to you joining us for a great evening!

General News**Upcoming Dates:**

Mar. 7 – Ladies Aid Meeting

Mar. 14 – Parent/Teacher Evening

Mar. 17- PD Day

Mar. 31 – HS Third Qtr Reports

Apr 3-7 – Spring Break

May 5- PD Day

From The Cleaning Lady**Lisa Pelleboer****Email:** hlpelleboer@gmail.com**Cell:** (360) 318-0236**This Week's Cleaners (Mar 6 – Mar. 10)**

Corrie K, Andrea B, Michelle Ve, Kaylene H

Next Week Cleaners (Mar 13 – Mar. 17)

Lynzi S, Julie T, Kim S, Janice DeM

Absent email: absent@cornerstoneschool.us

CCS is a Cashew & Pistachio Free Zone!

Grade 1/2

~~ Note from Mrs. Kruyswijk ~~

Hi there! Thanks for chatting at PT conferences last week! It was a pleasure to touch base with everyone. Have a wonderful week!

BIBLE

M - Upper Room - John 13

T - Gethsemane - Mark 14

W - Jesus is Captured - Luke 22

T - Trial of Jesus - Matthew 26

F - Bible Memory

MATH 1

Adding 3 single digit numbers

Graphs

Subtraction -3 and -4 facts

MATH 2

Time to learn -6 well! Quiz on Thursday! Pre Quiz on Wednesday!

Multiplication 10s

What is 5 tens and 14 ones equal?

HISTORY: 13 Colonies



~~ Note from Mrs. Kooiker ~~

We are busy working on our writing pieces for the writing contest this month! Second grade is working on narratives and first grade is working on writing poems. I love to see the students' creativity come out in their writing.

1st Grade:

VoWac Phonics: Lessons 100 – 104 (R-controlled syllables)

Spelling: are, nose, these, bone, cube, home, from, hope, flute, tune, rope, Pete

Stories: "My Brother is Afraid of Just About Everything"

Grammar, Usage, Mechanics: commas, sentences

Writing: poetry

2nd Grade:

VoWac Phonics: Lessons 183-185 (syllable division vc/v)

Spelling List 1: luggage, gentle, build, gym, dingy, bandage, page, huge, sure, tragic, busy, about, own

Spelling List A: like, make, time, page, write, huge, has, two, sure

Stories: "The Mouse and The Motorcycle" By Beverly Cleary

Vocab: vocab words from "The Mouse and the Motorcycle"

Grammar, Usage, Mechanics: analogies, commas

Writing: voice, narrative – a surprising or exciting time

Grade 3/4

~~ Note from Miss Kingma ~~

Welcome back to another full week. In third grade math, we are working hard at learning our multiplication and division facts. So far we have learned our multiplication and division facts of 7, 2, and 5. Today we will start multiplication of 3 as well. Reviewing these facts at home with your child will help them in this process. Have a great week!

Bible($\frac{3}{4}$):

Mon: nailed to the cross
Tues: wonders at Jesus' death
Wed: Jesus rises from the dead
Thurs: Jesus appears to his friends
Fri: Jesus appears to his disciples

Math(3):

Mon: multiplication facts of x3, fact assessment of $\frac{1}{2}$, and $\frac{1}{5}$
Tues: written assessment, identify weight and mass: ounces, pounds, tons, grams, and kilograms, estimate mass of an object
Wed: subtract money amounts (decimals), subtract across zeros
Thurs: tell and show time to the quarter hour
Fri: show fractional amounts greater than 1, write mixed numbers

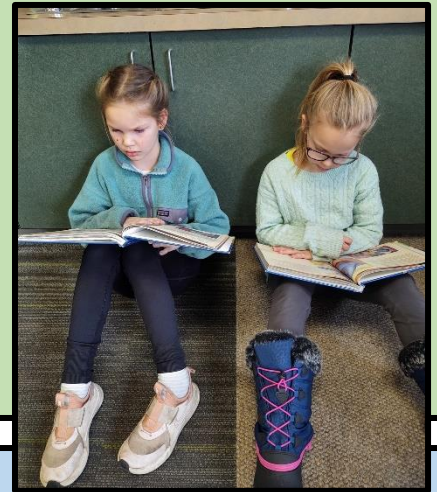
Language Arts (3):

Spelling: Consonant blends
Reading: Go around dollar/Uncle Jed's barbershop
Writing: Narrative writing
Handwriting: pages 122-124
Grammar: superlatives and comparatives

History ($\frac{3}{4}$): Rome as world power

PE ($\frac{3}{4}$): Tuesday and Thursday

Science ($\frac{3}{4}$): Sound unit test- Wednesday



~~ Note from Mrs. Tiemeyer ~~

We have started on writing stories for the Writing contest coming up at the end of this month. The students have good ideas and we will continue to work on the stories for the next couple of weeks and then also finish up with poems again so that we have one of each to submit to the contest.

Other weekly work this week:

Story: Anne Frank: The Diary of a Young Girl

Comprehension: Author's Point of View

Vocabulary: Homophones

Spelling: Changing y to i

Grammar: Review Parts of Speech

Writing: Narrative Stories

~~ Note from Mr. Houweling ~~

Grade 4 Mathematics

I'm going to be handing out a math study test on Thursday before the test. It would be hugely helpful if you could monitor your child working through it, and even prompt them to think carefully.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
L86	L87	L88	L89	Test 17 L81-85

Regards, S Houweling

Grade 5/6

~~ Note from Mrs. Van Hofwegen ~~

Thank you, parents, for meeting for parent-teacher interviews. It's nice to connect with parents and be able to encourage each child. In reading, students need to make sure they are keeping up with their novel packet from The Witch of Blackbird Pond. Students need to make sure they are reading a chapter book for 30 minutes each night. In math, some students need to practice their math facts. Have a wonderful week!

Monday

- o Memory Work: 5th Psalm 46:3 and 6th Hymn 11:5
- o Devotions: Lucy
- o Bible: Jehoahaz and Jehoiakim
- o Math: Lesson 86
- o Reading: Witch of Blackbird Pond by Elizabeth George Speare, Chapter 13 and fill out packet
- o Writing: 6 Traits
- o PE
- o Science: Investigating the Immune and Nervous System

Tuesday

- o Devotions: Emma
- o Bible: The Overthrow of Jerusalem
- o Math: Lesson 87
- o Reading: Witch of Blackbird Pond by Elizabeth George Speare, Chapter 14 and fill out packet
- o Writing: 6 Traits
- o Geography: A National Symbol Washington D.C.
- o Art: Shading

Wednesday

- o Devotions: Lily
- o Bible: The Overthrow of Jerusalem
- o Math: Lesson 88
- o Reading: Witch of Blackbird Pond by Elizabeth George Speare, Chapter 15 and fill out packet
- o Library: Read own book
- o Writing: 6 Traits
- o Music
- o Science: Investigating the Immune System and Nervous System

Thursday

- o Devotions: Cassie
- o Bible: Daniel and His Friends
- o Math: Lesson 89
- o Reading: Witch of Blackbird Pond by Elizabeth George Speare, Chapter 15 and fill out packet
- o Library: Read own book
- o Writing: 6 Traits
- o Music: (1) Recorder focus p. 35-38 (B flat). (2) Recorder review: p. 29-31 (F). (3) Some students have to complete their corrections for the Treble Clef booklet (in blue pen; check off corrections done on front cover). Due this Thursday. Please remind your child to bring their red recorder folder to class on Thursdays. ~ Mrs. Kottelenberg
- o Science: Investigating the Immune System and Nervous System

Friday

- o Devotions: Taleesha
- o Bible: Daniel and His Friends
- o Math: Test 18
- o Reading: Witch of Blackbird Pond by Elizabeth George Speare, Chapter 16 and fill out packet
- o Vocabulary Quiz on words from novel.
- o Writing: 6 Traits
- o PE
- o Current Events: Lucy, Emma,



Grade 7/8

~~ Note from Mr. Houweling ~~

We began our Church History lessons this past week examining the various aspects of the church, the bride of Christ. We learnt that Adam and Eve formed the first church, and when the first worship service was most likely conducted: "At that time people began to call on the name of the LORD." Gen 4:26. When asking Peter who Jesus was, Peter confesses that Jesus was the Son of the living God, and it's on this confession of Peter that the LORD builds His Church. We saw that the New Testament church began at Pentecost: 3000 people were added to the church, and so the church grew daily. May the Lord bless our History lessons as we grow in our love for Him and His bride.

This past Friday we had our first Bible discussion. Studying God's Word formally is exciting. Students need to come prepared to the discussion with a question from either the Bible chapter, or the discussion paper. They also need to answer the Bible questions on the discussion paper, except for those who are presenting an essay on the Bible chapter! This week Wade, Dylan and Jessie will be writing and presenting an essay to introduce on Acts 2: Christ baptizes His own with the Holy Spirit. All students need to ensure they have a question on this chapter and topic for this coming Friday. Please prompt your child they have this ready as they will be graded on their participation.

Here are some noteworthy things for the week ahead:

(Students should start thinking about what the topic of their speeches are going to be this term! 😊)

Memory Verse

- Due this Friday: Ps 82:2 (7) Ps 13:3 (8)
- Due next week THURSDAY: Romans 5:6-9
- Bible Discussion Schedule

Date	Topic	Essay	Leader
10 th Mar	Acts 2: Christ baptizes His own with the Holy Spirit		
	Verses 1- 13	Wade	Fei
	Verses 14 - 32	Dylan	
	Verses 33 - 47	Jessie	
Thurs 16 th Mar	John 19: 17-42 Good Friday: Christ crucified, dead and buried.		
	Verses 17-30	Zach	Mya
	Verses 31 - 42	Casey	



Everyday:

- Work on Bible essay
- Math corrections and completion of lesson work
- Spelling assignment work.
- Reading comprehension assignment

Church History Lessons this week:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
The Church in the New Testament	The Church in the New Testament	Enlightenment terms	A precedent set for the Liberation	Bible Discussion
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BC Art 27 • Catholicity • Pentecost 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In class assignment work 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scholasticism • Humanism • Rationalism • Mysticism • Gnosticism 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geelkerken • Hierarchy • Dr Kuyper: "presumed regeneration" 	

7/8 Mathematics:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
L89	L90	Inv 9	L91	Test L81-85

Devotions this week:

Monday, Kayleigh, Tues: Adam, Wed: Kyle, Thurs: Emily, Fri: Ryland

Devotions next week:

Monday, Ellie, Tues: Annemarie, Wed: Fei, Thurs: Meleah

Point to ponder:

"What lies behind us and what lies before are tiny matters compared to what lies within us". - William Morow

Have a wonderful week

S Houweling