



CROSSROADS CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS CONNECTION

WEEK OF MARCH 7TH, 2011

REGISTRATION CONTINUES

Last week CCS Registration for the 2011-2012 school year began. It was exciting to see so many of our families enrolling and we want to extend a heartfelt "Thank You" to all of you, from the Administrative Team. We love our Crossroads Family and our prayer is for God's blessing on each of you as you plan and prepare for next year. It's not too late to register and the \$100 discount per child will continue through March 31st.

"May the LORD cause you to flourish, both you and your children." Psalm 115:14

BILLING CUSTOMER SERVICE HOURS

In an effort to provide our parents with great customer service, we are providing **Walk-In Hours** with our Student Billing Manager, Bridgett Eaves, to discuss and answer any questions you may have regarding your account at Crossroads Christian Schools.

The new hours for this service will be Monday-Thursday, 7:30-9am and 2-3pm in the Main Office. You may also make an appointment for times other than the walk-in hours by emailing Bridgett at beaves@crossroadsschool.org

DINNER / OPEN HOUSE / BOOK FAIR / ENTERTAINMENT

TUESDAY, MARCH 22ND

Dinner : 5:30 - 7pm (w/ reservation only)
Visit Classrooms : 6:00 - 7:30pm
Book Fair : 5:00 - 7:30pm

RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED FOR DINNER. This is a Fund-raiser for the **Middle School Performing Arts Musical** (3/25 & 3/26). The cast of "NRG" will be performing selections from their show. Villa Amalfi will be catering the dinner, chicken enchiladas, beans, rice, chips and your choice of beverage. Cost : \$5.00 per person (checks payable to Villa Amalfi). **Reservations due by Friday, March 11.** NO tickets will be sent home. We will have your name on a spread sheet list at the lunch windows. See the Reservation form attached.



MASTER CALENDAR PRESCHOOL

March 2011

- 10 Half Day TTh/AM Closed – In-Service
- 13 "Understanding Your Child" Parenting Class @ Crossroads Church
- 14 Half Day Sibling Registration
- 16 Half Day Registration for Currently Enrolled
Half Day Registration for Crossroads Church Members – 1pm
- 18 Half Day Registration Priority Wait List
- 23 Half Day Registration Opens to Public
- 24 Full Day Paperwork Appts.
- 25 Full Day Paperwork Appts.

MASTER CALENDAR K-10

March 2011

- 8 Registration Opens to the Public
Scrip Turn-in Day
- 9 6^h-10^h Chapel – 8am
- 10 Last Cookie Day – "NRG" Fund-raiser
K-1st to CAT's "My Son Pinocchio"
2nd-5th Chapel – 9am
- 11 4th Grade 49'er Day
PE – "Jump for Heart"
- 12 Star Party – 6pm (chapel)
- 15 Scrip Turn-in Day
- 16 5th-8th Chapel – 8am
- 17 Wear Green Today
K-2nd Chapel – 8:15am
3rd-4th Chapel - 9am
- 22 Scrip Turn-in Day
Book Fair – 5-7pm
"NRG" Fund-raiser Dinner
w/reservation – 5:30-7pm
Open House – 6-7:30pm
- 25 End of 3rd Quarter
Minimum Day/Early Dismissal –
K @ 11:15am; 1st-8th @ 11:35am
Middle School Musical – 5pm
- 26 Middle School Musical – 2pm & 7pm
- 28 6^h-10^h – SAT Testing All Week
- 29 Scrip Turn-in Day
Islands Family Fellowship – 4pm
- 30 6th-8th Awards Chapel – 8am
- 31 K-2nd Awards Chapel – 8am
3rd-5th Awards Chapel – 9am

FAMILY DAY AT THE THEATRE

Bring a picnic lunch and join us at the Historic Corona Civic Theater for a great time of fellowship and a fun family show, **SUNDAY, MARCH 6TH**.

Picnic on the back lawn – 12:30pm
Backstage tour – 1:30pm
"My Son Pinocchio" – 2pm

Order your tickets online www.catCorona.org. CCS families can purchase tickets for this performance at the group discount of \$11 by entering the coupon code "toys" when checking out. (K-1st grades will be taking a field trip to see this show on March 10th.)

STAR PARTY 2011!

Saturday, March 12 6-9pm
CCS Campus

THE UNIVERSE AT YOUR FINGERTIPS!

The Mobile Planetarium gives families a unique opportunity to gaze into the starry nights, visiting stars, constellations, and galaxies set to music and lasers.

MARVEL AT THE HEAVENS!

Using 12 state of the art Astronomical Telescopes, guides will have you almost touching Mars, the Rings of Saturn, double stars and more!

Tickets \$5 each - includes dinner (hotdogs, chips, drink and dessert). Face painting, crafts, "space snacks" and more! Watch your student's folder for an order form this week.

MIDDLE SCHOOL MUSICAL

Tickets are now on sale for the Middle School Musical on March 25 & 26. This year's show features 42 of our 6th-8th graders in a show choir called "**NRG.**" These spectacularly dressed, incredibly talented young people will be performing a variety of songs that will inspire and you and move you to your core!

The show will be in the Plex at the church, Friday, March 25th at 5pm and Saturday, March 26th at 2pm and 7pm. The show is just over 1 hour. Tickets are \$10 each or 5 for \$30. We would love to have a full house for the performers so plan now to join us.

COACH'S CORNER

MIDDLE SCHOOL SPORTS - Mountain Valley Christian Jr. High League -

Cougar Middle School Titles Won This School Year...
Flag Football – Mountain Valley Christian Jr. High Champions
Boys' Baseball – Mountain Valley Christian Jr. High Champions
Girls' Volleyball – MVCL Jr. High Southern Div. 2nd Place
Boys' Baseball – MVCL Jr. High Southern Div. 1st Place
Girls' Softball – MVCL Jr. High Southern Div. 1st Place

Crossroads Middle School Spring Athletics

Practice Days & Times for Middle School Basketball & Soccer...

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Upcoming Games

Monday, March 7th, 3:30 p.m. (HOME) vs Loma Linda
 Thursday, March 10th, 3:30 p.m. (HOME) vs Redlands Adventist
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CROSSROADS GOING GREEN

MIXED BAG

The company we used for our fundraiser, **Mixed Bag Designs**, has made us a great offer to continue our fundraiser in a very low maintenance way all year. They will give us 25% back to the school on any orders placed online that enter our **fundraiser number 48518**. They now have their spring catalog up with all new products!

E-WASTE

Gold'n West Surplus, Inc. will accept your e-waste products year round and if you mention Crossroads Christian Schools, we will get the credit. They are located at 1121 California Ave., Corona, CA 92881, (951) 371-2020.

They will accept almost anything with a plug except large appliances.

FAQ'S REGARDING TUITION

What is the amount that Crossroads' tuition has been increased in the past?

- From 2006-07 to 2007-08 there was a \$500.00 increase in base tuition
- From 2007-08 to 2008-09 there was a \$250.00 increase in base tuition
- From 2008-09 to 2009-10 there was no increase in base tuition
- From 2009-10 to 2010-11 there was no increase in base tuition
- From 2010-11 to 2011-12 there was a \$550.00 base tuition increase

Why is there a change in the amount of the sibling discount?

The cost of the education for each child is the same regardless of being a first child or a sibling. In an effort to assist families financially we do offer a 10% reduction off the base tuition.

What is the purpose of the registration fee?

To offset the cost of liability insurance, curriculum, testing materials, consumables, school wide data base, and liability insurance.

Why must I pay a registration fee every year?

The costs listed above are incurred on an annual basis and therefore the costs must be offset through registration fees each year. As a private Christian School, we are funded totally through tuition and fees. We do not receive any government funding as public schools do, therefore the school relies on the tuition of each student to operate. According to the website www.ed-data.K-12.ca.us the cost to educate a child in the state of California during the 2007-08 school year was \$9706 per student.

SWEATSHIRTS ON SALE

If you didn't get a school Spirit Sweatshirt yet it's not too late. There are some left in the office if you would like to purchase one. The prices are as follows: T-shirts - \$10, Youth sweatshirts - \$23, Adult sweatshirts - \$25. Please stop by the office to see available sizes. Remember that next year's sweatshirts will be the same design, so get one today!

YEARBOOK UPDATE!

If you have any pictures that you would love to see in the yearbook please send them in to the office on a CD. We are looking for any pictures from classroom activities, field trips, programs, etc. The more pictures we get, the more children we can have in the yearbook. Please help us make this year's yearbook great!

COACH'S CORNER (cont. from page 2)

Monday, March 14th, 3:30 p.m. (HOME) vs Victor Valley
Wednesday, March 17th, 4:00 p.m. (HOME) vs Academy for Academic Excellence
Practices - Mondays & Thursdays, 3 to 4 p.m. when games are not scheduled.

Girls Basketball

Upcoming Games

Thursday, March 10th, 3:30 p.m. (AWAY) San Jacinto Valley
Tuesday, March 14th, 3 p.m. (HOME game at CSDR Courts)
Thursday, March 17th, 3:30 p.m. (AWAY) Cornerstone
Practices - Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, 3 to 4:30pm, when games are not scheduled.

Boys Basketball

Upcoming Games

Thursday, March 10th, 3:30 p.m. (AWAY) San Jacinto Valley
Tuesday, March 14th, 4:30 p.m. (HOME game at CSDR Courts)
Thursday, March 17th, 5 p.m. (HOME)
Practices - Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, 3 to 5 p.m., when games are not scheduled

Coaching Staff -

Soccer: Eric Trueblood, Lauren Terry; Girls Basketball: Jess Luna & Mike Saunders; Boys Basketball: Cedric Benson & Steve Vrieling

Any questions please contact Coach Comfort - Cell (951) 805-5759. E-mail dcomfort@crossroadsschool.org

Elementary School Sports

Inland Empire Christian League - Elementary Travel League

**Cougar Elementary School Standings This School Year...
4th & 5th Grade Coed Softball & Soccer Teams - Undefeated Season**

Crossroads Basketball Team - Crossroads Div. 5 Basketball Team

Upcoming Games

Tuesday, March 22nd, 3:15 p.m. (HOME) Westside
Monday, March 28th, 3:15 p.m. (HOME) Packinghouse
Tuesday, March 29th, 3:15 p.m. (HOME) Del Rosa
Practices - Mondays & Tuesdays, 2:45 to 4:30pm, when games are not scheduled.

Inland Empire Christian League Spring Track & Field Meet - May 24th, 2011

Open to all students grades 4th, 5th & 6th. Let Coach Comfort know if you would like to participate.

Crossroads Intramural Sports - K through 6th On Campus Sports Program

Track & Field - Week 3...

Wednesdays, 2:45 to 4 p.m. March 9, 16, 23
Week 3 - Pick your teams & events
Week 4 - Shuttle & Team Relays (ribbon awards)
Week 5 - Track Meet, individual events (medal awards)

PE Special Events...

March is Jump and Hoops for Heart Month!!! Help support the American Heart Association.

SPORT HELPERS NEEDED!!!! Coach Comfort is looking for adults interested in working with young athletes at afterschool sports. Days are...Wednesdays, 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. & beginning in April Tuesdays, 1:45 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Call 951-278-3199, ext. 2179 or dcomfort@crossroadsschool.org to set up an interview. Hours can be volunteer or paid.