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CCS News

Dear CCS Family,

Our chapels this spring have a common theme of "If you want to be great in God's kingdom, learn to be the servant of all. –Jesus. Jesus himself said, "The Son of Man (himself) did not come into the world to be served, but to serve." So far we have looked at servicing God by serving others and serve God by getting to know him. Next, we will learn how to serve God with your mind (gifts and talents), serve God with your resources (money), serve God with your friendships, and serve God in your recreation.

I thought I would bring this up because I was sent a little card that said, "Coincidence is when God chooses to remain anonymous". Well, we here at CCS would like to give praise to God and thanks to the many volunteers who serve in so many different way. It is easy to forget all of the blessings that God lavishes upon us. Many of those blessings are in the form of volunteers here at CCS; who also wish to remain anonymous. Here is the short list of contributions from volunteers:

- Our website is paid for and maintained by a volunteer.
- The Crusader Corner is put together by a volunteer.
- Our driveway and parking area was redone by volunteers.
- Our library program is run by volunteers each week.
- When necessary, snow is removed from the parking area by volunteers.
- Weeds are pulled/mowed by volunteers.
- Our fund-raising efforts are headed up by volunteers each year.
- Every tree planted at CCS was done as a donation or gift.
- Maintenance is done by volunteers each month.
- Countless projects where someone gives once or monthly to make sure something is done or paid for.
- Class party planning is often done by parents volunteering
- Candy sales and Valentine Grams are done by the volunteers in our PTF.
- Chapel speakers come to us and volunteer their time.

So, thank you from the bottom of our hearts. Our school would not be nearly as special if it were not for people like you who do so much for the children here. You are our blessing!

F.Y.I.

- > **Tomorrow's lunch is Cream of Chicken with Vegetable with Pigs-in-a-blanket.**
- > **If we asked you for information about your child for the Spotlight section of Crusader Corner, we will get their information into the publication eventually.**
- > **There have been some problems playing in the bathrooms before school. Students who arrive before 8:05 will be sent to the Before School Program. (if they arrive after 7:56 a.m., they will not be charged a before school fee.)**
- > **Remember that classes begin at 8:15 each morning. After that, your child will need to collect a tardy slip from the office.**

PLEASE PRAY

- In light of the serious events happening at other schools, please remember to pray for CCS every day.
- The success of our auction.

O.T.S. (Opportunities To Serve)

- Thank you for those who have brought in a ream of copy paper for us. It really helps. There is still a need.
- Once a week, your child's teacher might like a duty free lunch. Would you willing to watch a class for 20 min. and/or take a recess duty for a teacher? Just ask one. (Dad's, this means you too; especially if you can throw a football.)
- The reader board next to Nez Perce needs some TLC.
- We have some door stops that need to be attached to the bathroom doors.

NEEDS AT CCS

- Currently CCS is renting the little storage container west of the building. We would like to replace it with a semi-trailer. We would cut the hitch and wheels off so it would be at ground level, paint it with the CCS logo, and call it our own. If you know of one that is water tight and really cheap, please contact Mr. Kuka.
- Copy paper.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

- (2/11) Thursday
 - 50's Day for Elementary
 - Wear Red or Pink or 50's day for Preschool
 - Preschool Valentine parties
 - 1st/2nd Grade 100 Day party.
 - PTF will deliver Valentine Grams
- (2/12) Friday
 - 4th grade Servant Learning Project – 10:30 – 11:00
 - Wear Red or Pink - Elementary
 - Elementary Valentine parties 2:00 – 2:45

IN THE FUTURE

- (2/15) Monday
 - CCS closed for Presidents Day

- (2/16) Tuesday
 - 2nd Grade Servant Learning Project
 - Pancake Day – There will be requests posted outside of classrooms for supplies. Preschool will eat around 11:30 and Elementary will eat around 12:00. Parents, you are welcome to attend.
 - **CCS Open House from 7:00 – 8:00 p.m. Tell anyone you think might be interested in CCS next year.**
- (2/17) Wednesday
 - PTF Candy Sale (2:15-3:00)
- (2/18) Thursday
 - 2nd Grade to Hands On – Leaves CCS at 10:00
- (2/19) Friday
 - Chili / Cornbread / Cinnamon Roll Social 5:30 – 7:00
- Week of 2/22-2/25
 - Preschool Dr. Seuss Week
 - 2/25 – Pajama Day
- **(2/26) Friday**
 - **Our Mountain Man, who had to reschedule will be here this day. He will also be demonstrating his black powder musket.**
- March 4th, Thursday
 - Early Release – Students are released at 12:30
- March 5th, Friday
 - CCS's All you can eat Crab Feed and Live auction.
 - Doors open at 5:30 and crab will be served at 6:30.
 - **Tickets for the all you can eat Crab feed and live auction are selling quickly. Half of the 300 tickets are already gone. Cost is \$35/person. Tickets are on sale in the office.**
- March 8th, Monday
 - Spring Pictures with Ryan Thomas Photography
 - Silent auction and bake sale begins in the CCS hallway. You will need to get a bid number from Mrs. Kathy in order to bid. Baked goods must be paid for when you take them.
- March 11th – 12th
 - Parent Teacher Conferences
- **March 22nd – Monday**
 - **Registration for next year opens for CCS families.**
- **April 5th – Monday**
 - **Registration opens up to the public.**
- **April 8th – Thursday**
 - **Grandparent's Day at CCS.**
- **April 9th – Friday**
 - **3rd – 5th Academic Competition at Immanuel Lutheran in Twin Falls.**

To God, and God alone, belongs the glory!
Daniel Kuka