

# Cougar Update

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## Calendar of Events

Thursday, May 20 - Eighth Grade Promotion  
7:00 p.m. at First Church of the Nazarene

Friday, May 21 - Preschool/Day Care Closed

Friday, May 21 - HS Track Regionals at Madison

### **Summer Office Hours**

#### **Monday-Thursday 8-5**

May 31-June 4-HS Girls' BB Camp

June 1-4-MS Boys' Basketball Camp

June 1-4-HS Boys' FB Camp

June 7-11-HS Boys' BB Camp

June 28-July 2-3rd-5th Grade Girls' VB Camp

June 28-July 2-MS Girls' VB Camp

July 5-9-MS Girls' BB Camp

July 12-16-HS Girls' VB Camp

August 9 - Fall Sports Parents Meeting

August 10 - Sports Physicals

August 14 - Board Clean & Shine Day

August 16 - Fall Sports Practice Begins

August 20 - Last Day of Summer Day Camp

August 20 - K-12 Teacher In-Service

August 20 - PTF BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT

August 23-25 - Preschool/Day Care Closed

August 23 - Teacher In-Service

August 24 - Registration Day

August 26 - FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

## **BUILDING FUND UPDATE**

\$ 66,505.00 Amount needed for reconstruction

\$ 36,304.19 Donations to date

\$ 2,000.00 Pledged

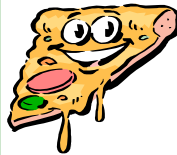
\$ 28,200.81 Balance needed for completion

**Don't Forget...**

**DILLON CERTIFICATES will be available in the office all summer !!**

## Membership Drive Dinner

The CCS-ABC will be hosting a Membership Drive Dinner at their next meeting on Monday, May 24, at 6:30 p.m. on the CCS Stage. Please come enjoy pizza, pasta, salad and drinks while learning how you can become more active in the Central Christian School Activity Booster Club. This will be the first planning meeting for the 2010-2011 year and WE WANT YOU!!!



Please contact Lisa Echols ([mkeagle@aol.com](mailto:mkeagle@aol.com)) or Alicia Ellis ([aliball3@yahoo.com](mailto:aliball3@yahoo.com)) if you plan to attend.

## **DON'T FORGET TO REMEMBER THESE TEACHERS WHO HAVE SUMMER BIRTHDAYS**

LaVerna Richert - 5/27

Carma Poulton - 06/16 Julie Stiebens - 06/19

Debora Lickteig - 06/20 Kathy Rich - 06/23

Glenda Turner - 07/03 Brittany Terry - 07/07

Don Nies - 07/13 Penny Moore - 7/14

Jay Walter - 7/14 Nancy Whiteman - 7/21

Donna Belton - 08/13 Susan Penner - 08/18

Sheree Wedel - 08/25

Only 97 days till school starts!!



## ACTIVITIES INFO

Friday, May 21 - HS Track Regionals  
at Madison - 3 p.m.  
Team will leave at 11 a.m. and  
eat lunch at Pizza Hut in Marion.

Have a SUPER SUMMER!!!

## ANNUAL WALK-A-THON A SUCCESS

What a terrific day, no rain and cool temperatures, the Lord provided for our annual Walk-A-Thon! I am very appreciative of all the volunteers who graciously gave of their gifts, energy, and time (some even taking off work) to help make this event run smoothly and to make it a fun time. Thank you also to those who donated items for snacks and prizes as well. The total raised to date is \$25,868.50. Praise the Lord! I am continually amazed at His kindness and provision to Central Christian School. I count it a joy to be a part of honoring Christ alongside everyone here!

-Carol Helton

### CCS Family,

Thank you so much for an amazing year. PTF has been busy behind the scenes and in front doing our part to make CCS a great place to learn. We have welcomed our Grandparents to **Grandparents Day** (thank-you Tara Connors for coordinating). We made sure our teachers were well fed at **Parent-Teacher Conferences** (thank-you Rhonda Lueck for coordinating), at **Christmas time** (thank you Bonnie Bailey for coordinating) and during **Teacher and Staff Appreciation Week** (thank-you Michelle Canter for coordinating). We are the organization behind the **Carnival** (thank you Barb Casey and Penny Moore for coordinating). We paid for the **school playground equipment to be painted**. We brought **Snap Grades** the online reporting to CCS. It is available to any teacher. A big THANK YOU to Mr. Walter for your research and for implementing and monitoring this fabulous resource. At the beginning of each school year we are able to bless each classroom **with \$50 for expenses**. We purchased all of the **Accelerated Reader (AR)** tests to bring our program right where it needs to be (and of course where the teachers are so excited it is). We were able to purchase **3 VCR/DVD combos** that were desperately needed. We were blessed with **2 slightly used TV's**. The old ones...let's just say were REALLY old, more of a history of the TV lesson...their time was well spent. We blessed the **Preschool** with a much needed new tarp for playground equipment (we have to keep those future CCS students happy and safe). This year we funded **Kindergarten Roundup**...after all that is where it all begins...this amazing journey at CCS.

The "We" is you. All of this is made possible because of you. You clip **Box Tops** and send them in to the school. You send in **Tyson labels**. You stop by the school office and purchase **Dillon's Certificates** (thank-you Alice Krehbiel for managing this all year). You have designated Central Christian School as your school on the **Target Take Charge of Education Program for Target charge and debit cards**. You make a difference! And none of this would be possible without your determination to help. Our grand total earned this year from these PTF fundraisers is...drum roll please...**\$3,585.56!!!! Ap- plause!!** And so far we have accumulated **\$929.22** towards our next distribution from Target (which will be in September). So please keep using your Target card in and outside of their stores, keep clipping those Box Tops and Tyson labels. Please, Please remember to stop by the school office during the summer and purchase the Dillon's Certificates.

A very special Thank You to Misty Harner, Denise Thode and Cheryl Kauffman (also the Box Top's coordinator) for working with me on the PTF committee. Your efforts have been our success.

**Mark your calendars now for the BACK TO SCHOOL "KICK OFF" ON AUGUST 20TH!** It is a great way to get back in the school spirit and it is always so fun to have the whole CCS family together. I will be stepping aside as president and welcoming Kristi Busatti. So come meet Kristi if you haven't already (Daughter Lilly Kaye is a kindergartner) and the new PTF committee. Say a big THANK YOU to Misty and Denise who will be finishing their time on the PTF Committee. A save the date card will be mailed closer to the date with more information including the time.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve as PTF president for the last two years. I have been very blessed. I look forward to stepping aside and to my new role on the committee as we welcome in the next year of God's blessings and plans.

May your summer be filled with wonderful memories.

Debby Crater  
PTF President

Dear Mrs. Crater:

On behalf of the students, their families, the board, and the faculty and staff of Central Christian School, "Thank you" for your tireless and sacrificial efforts to improve the program and student life at Central Christian School. The Lord has used your time and commitment as President of the PTF in a wonderful way. Your stewardship of God-given abilities sets an example for each of us as we affirm our school mission of encouraging others toward godly living and lifelong Christian service. We offer to you profound and heartfelt thanks. May God continue to bless you and your family.

Ken Anderson  
Administrator