



Secondary School News

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Calendar of Events

December

12/14 Band concert, 6:30 p.m., Hill School

12/15 Chorus Concert, 7 p.m.

12/16 SGA Caroling at Manor Care, 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

12/17 Drama Showcase, 7 p.m.

12/18 Drama Field Trip

12/24-1/1 Christmas Break

12/29-Alumni Christmas Reunion

January

1/1--School Closed

1/11--PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m., PV

1/17--Teacher In-Service, No Classes

1/19-22--High School Semester Exams

1/22--Prospective Family Open House, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

1/22--2nd Quarter Ends

SEE www.coventrychristian.com for sports schedules! Go Eagles!

Students Give to Children's Home of Reading

The student government association and Ambassadors are working together to bring some fun to children at the Children's Home of Reading. The student government association is asking students to bring in toys for the children at the home. All donations must be received by Monday, December 21. A dress down day was held on Friday, December 11, to raise additional funds for the project as well. Student government members will deliver the toys on Monday, December 21, between 10 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. If your child is in SGA, a permission slip will be coming home later this week. The guidelines for donations were shared in chapel. Ask your child about the project today.

Christmas Caroling by SGA Wednesday

The SGA has planned a Christmas caroling trip to Manor Care on Charlotte St. in Pottstown for Wednesday, December 16, from 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. If you would like to participate, we will be meeting at the Pleasantview campus at 4:15 p.m. Families from both campuses are encouraged to participate!

Alumni Christmas Reunion, December 29

The annual Alumni Christmas Reunion is scheduled for Tuesday, December 29, at 7 p.m. at Cutillo's Restaurant. Faculty, staff, and alumni are all invited for an evening of fellowship and catching up on what's happening in each others' lives and at CCS. The cost of the evening will be \$10 to cover the banquet room, appetizers and soft drinks being provided by Cutillo's. Spread the word and plan to join us!

Christian College Trip Planned

We encourage all students to investigate Christian college options. We have several good universities in Pennsylvania that students can visit fairly easily with their families, but every February, we take interested students to at least three Christian colleges outside of our area. This February 15 through 19, all interested juniors and seniors are invited to go on a trip to Harding University, Freed-Hardeman University, and Lipscomb University. If you are interested in this trip, please let Mr. Fisher know before Christmas so that he can begin planning the trip accordingly. The cost of the trip is usually between \$100 and \$150, including all travel, food, and lodging.

Ski Club Planned

If you are interested in participating in the CCS Ski Club, please let Mr. Fisher know by Monday, December 21. The cost of the club will be between \$100 and \$150 for six outings to Bear Creek. The club is open to all CCS students, family members, and family friends. We need to have

at last 15 members to secure this pricing.

Creative Minds Fair Work Underway

Please be sure to ask your child about the Creative Minds Fair project he or she should be working on. The fair is scheduled for Thursday, February 25, but the work has already begun. If you have not already seen the timeline of interim due dates for the project, please ask your child. Every year there are students who miss the deadlines along the way to the fair. The project is worth multiple test grades and can spell success or failure for the 2nd marking period. The key to success is avoiding procrastination and meeting deadlines along the way.

Band To Play, Monday, December 14

The band will be the opening act at The Hill School Center for the Performing Arts on Monday evening, December 14, 6:30 p.m. The elementary musical will follow at 7 p.m.

Secondary Chorus Concert, December 15

The secondary choral concert is scheduled for Tuesday, December 15. Come out and enjoy music that is certain to get you into the Christmas spirit. Mrs. Baumgarten and the chorus students have been working hard and are eager to perform before a large crowd!

Drama Showcase, December 17

Don't forget to mark your calendars for the fall drama showcase, which is sure to be a blast. The drama students will be performing on Thursday evening, December 17, 7 p.m., at Pleasantview.

December 18--Drama Field Trip, Spirit Day, Pep Rally

Friday, December 18, is a very busy day at CCS. The middle and high school drama classes have a field trip to the Arden Theatre in Philadelphia for a production of Peter Pan. The Spirit Squad is sponsoring a Spirit Day to get the basketball season off to a great start. The day is a blue and white dress down day and will end with a 7th period pep rally in the gym. There will be no club meetings as the pep rally will be taking the place of clubs.

Upcoming Academic Assessments/Projects:

Middle School

Day	5th	6th	7th	8th
Monday		Science test	Science quiz	
Tuesday		Insect collection		
Wednesday	Reading test			Bible test
Thursday				Algebra Ch. 4 test
Friday				
Monday, Dec. 21				

High School

Day	9th	10th	11th	12th
Monday	Science test			
Tuesday				<i>Serote and Cry the Beloved Country</i> quiz (World Lit)
Wednesday	Poe Quiz (Am. Lit.); Worldviews test	Chem test; World- views test	Worldviews test	Worldviews test
Thursday		Alg. 2 test, ch. 4		
Friday	Geometry test, ch. 5			
Monday, 12/21			Trig, Ch. 4 test	