

Academic Department to Host Information Meeting for Freshman Parents to be Held Monday Evening

The Academic Department will host an important meeting for parents of freshmen. The meeting will be held on **Monday, September 16th, 6:30 - 8:00 PM**. The meeting will cover the following topics:

- The high school transcript and how the GPA is calculated.
- Study skills that lead to success and how to help your child develop these skills.
- The four-year plan (academic, extracurricular, community service) and its impact on college opportunities.
- How CCHS will partner with you in the college admission process: review of resources, events/sessions, and advising.
- The importance of the PSAT, SAT and ACT.
- What is a "well-rounded student?"

Parents of freshmen are encouraged to attend

this meeting. This is another means by which we seek to strengthen our partnership with the home. If you are a new family to CCHS, or if you were unable to attend this meeting last year when your student was a freshman, you are welcome to attend. The meeting will be held in the Worship Center.



Senior Parent Seminar Parenting through the Senior Year and the Transition to Adulthood to be held on

Monday Evening

Registration is now open for the College Counseling Department's annual *Senior Parent Seminar*. The seminar will be held on Monday, September 16th, 6:00 – 8:00 PM in the Church Choir Room. All parents of CCHS seniors are encouraged to attend. To register, select the link below. Pre-registration will help us prepare snacks and handouts for the number attending.

Senior Parent Seminar Registration

Seminar Information

Description: Parenting your student through the transition from high school to college can be challenging at times. This seminar is intended to answer your practical questions related to the following matters that most often arise in this transition period.

The College Application & Admission Process: -

The seminar will review some of the most pressing points of this often overwhelming time period, as well as give updates and reminders concerning what your senior should be accomplishing now that we are fully into the college application/admission season.

Parenting Tips from the Experts: The seminar will include a panel of parents who have lived to tell the tale of not only how they navigated the senior year with their student, but also who can provide you with helpful insights on what's to come once your student actually enrolls in college.





Blood Drive to be Held on Campus on WEDNESDAY

Calvary will host a Blood Drive on **Wednesday**, **September 18th**, **9:00 AM – 2:00 PM**. Students are encouraged to donate blood to help the Florida Blood Services. To donate blood, you must be in



good health and you must be at least 16-years-old (students 16-years-old must have their parent's permission to donate blood). Additionally, students must

have permission from their teacher to miss class to donate blood. Calvary has an outstanding record of donating blood each time we host a blood drive. Let's keep our record going and meet the goal again this year. Parents are encouraged to participate in the Blood Drive as well.

Off-Campus Lunch Opportunity for Juniors on WEDNESDAY

A privilege given to CCHS upperclassmen is the opportunity to go off campus for lunch. For seniors, the privilege is weekly. For juniors, the privilege is monthly. The juniors will have the opportunity to go off campus for lunch on Wednesday, September 18th during their scheduled lunch period. If a parent does not want his/her junior to not participate in the off-campus lunch privilege, he/she should email Mr. Dupee (dupee.ryan@cchs.us) and inform him of this decision.



Freshmen Elect Class Officers

Congratulations to the following students in the Class of 2023 who were elected by their classmates to serve as class officers for the 2019-2020 school year. We look forward to their leadership as they represent their class on the Student Government Council.

President:
Vice President:
Camden Hayslett
Treasurer:
Jasmine Guirguis
Secretary:
Chaplains:
Caden Westbrook
Chloe Williams

Membership in Fellowship of Christian Athletes Open to CCHS Students

Many students visited the Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) table at the Club Expo on August 30th. Membership in the club is now open for CCHS students to register and pay the annual membership dues (\$5). FCA will meet monthly during both lunch periods in Café B. The first meeting is scheduled for Thursday, September 26th. Select this link to submit your membership registration and club dues payment. If you have questions, please contact Coach Hernandez, club sponsor.





Students Select Class Attendants and Senior Court for Homecoming

Homecoming 2019 will be held on Friday, October 4th, and Saturday, October 5th. Spirit Week activities will begin on Monday, September 30th. A highlight of the annual celebration is the presentation of the Homecoming Class Attendants and the Senior Homecoming Court during halftime of the football game. Recently, each class elected attendants for the Homecoming Court. The senior representatives are eligible to be crowned the 2019 Homecoming King and Queen. Congratulations to the following students who will represent their classmates in this year's homecoming celebration.

Freshmen

Lauren Darcy *and* Wren Lapine Ryan Smith *and* Ian Trill

Sophomores

Lani Abasail *and* Avery Stewart Sean Shelly *and* Ty Welch

<u>Juniors</u>

Madeline King *and* Delaney Welch Tyler Dietz *and* Caden Kapusta

<u>Seniors</u>

Loi Abasial Kendall Ciarvino Naya Hart Dani Van Nortwick

Charlie Newton Mike Lofton Peter Stravakos Micah Trill

Girls Bible Study During Lunch B on Tuesdays

CCHS alum, Shannon Rogers, Class of 2012, will lead a Bible study for girls during Lunch B on Tuesdays beginning on September 24th. Shannon is a graduate of Florida State University earning her bachelor's and master's degrees at FSU. Shannon has served as a short-term missionary. Recently, joined Calvary Church's X-150 internship program to gain ministry experience. The Bible Study is a great opportunity for 8 young ladies to be mentored by a godly young lady who walked with Christ through college and is pursuing ministry through missions. Girls with Lunch B desiring to participate in the Bible study may select the link below to sign-up to attend.

Girls Bible Study Sign-Up

CCHS Sponsors College Exposure Trip to Liberty University

4 Spots Remaining

CCHS will sponsor a college exposure trip to Liberty University in Lynchburg, VA for their College for a Weekend (CFAW) event. The trip will be held on Thursday, November 7th through Sunday, November 10th. CCHS is not in school on Friday November 8th, so the trip only requires students to miss school on Thursday, November 7th. The trip is open to students in 11th and 12th grades. The cost of the trip is \$350. This includes airfare, transportation to and from the airport, CFAW registration, all meals, admission to Liberty events (athletics, concert with Rend Collective, fine arts events, etc.) CFAW is a great opportunity for students interested in possibly attending Liberty to help decide if it is a good fit for you. To register for the trip, select the link below.

Register for College Exposure Trip to Liberty



Student Night of Worship on THURSDAY

The senior class will host a *CCHS Student Night of Worship* on **Thursday, September 19th, 6:30** – **8:00 PM**. The event will be held in the Worship Room on the 3rd floor of the church wing and is open to all CCHS students. Students are encouraged to join their classmates for time of worship and a devotion from the Bible led by leaders in the Class of 2020.



Partnering with the Home Seminars Begin Sept. 23rd

Each year, CCHS sponsors Partnering with the Home Seminars to support parents with an opportunity to grow and be challenged in their parenting skills. The series of meetings offers a biblical worldview platform to discuss relevant issues facing teens in a very difficult culture. This year, the subject content will revolve around selfimage and the battle against false view of sexuality in the world around us. The seminars will meet seven times and have discussions directly speaking to the issues of focusing on God's purposes for our teen's lives through the lens of the truth of scripture. CCHS parents are encouraged to attend and participate to add value to the group and to your own home. The first Partnering with the Home Seminar will be **Monday, September 23rd** from 6:00 - 7:30 PM. The seminar will be held in the Church Choir Room. View the image below for the dates of this year's Partnering with the Home Seminars. Mark your calendar now. For more information, please contact Mr. Ryan Dupee at dupee.ryan@cchs.us.

CCHS PARTNER WITH THE HOME SEMINAR CCHS desires to enhance our relationship with families by offering discussion and teaching as we navigate parenting together. These seminars will be a time for you to inferact with other parents, strengthen your parenting skills, and hear relevant, Biblical teaching. **SEMINAR DATES SEPTEMBER 23** 2019 **OCTOBER 21** 2019 **NOVEMBER 18** 2019 **JANUARY 13** 2020 **FEBRUARY 24** 2020 MARCH 23 2020 **APRIL 20** 2020 TIME 6:00 PM-7:30 PM Phone: 727.449.2247 **HOW DO I REGISTER?** Email: info@cchs.us For more info, look for updates in the weekly announcements from CCHS! www.cchs.us



Friday is Last Day to Order Spanish Honor Society Fun Friday T-Shirt

The Spanish Honor Society is selling Fun Friday T-Shirts. The shirts are not just for honor society



members, but for anyone who loves Spanish. The shirts are made of a super-soft T-shirt material for a comfortable fit. The shirts will have this image imprinted on the shirt along

with the *Calvario* logo; therefore, the shirt may be worn to school on Fridays. The cost of the shirt is \$15 each. You may **select this link** to order and pay for your shirt. Support the Spanish National Honor Society.

Film Society Collecting Forms & Dues for Membership

The Calvary Christian Film Society will have their first meeting of the 2019-2020 school year on Friday, September 27th, 6:30 PM. The Film Society presents films for



those interested in the artistic and entertaining elements of films, as well as in the messages and worldviews they portray. Each film is followed by discussion and analysis. Membership requires students to submit a parent permission form and dues (\$20) for membership. The permission form may be downloaded by selecting this link. The membership dues are used to purchase snacks for the meetings for members to enjoy during the film. You may select the link below to pay the membership dues online. The club will watch the film, The Last Samurai on September 27th. The remaining club meeting dates and films to be viewed are listed on the permission form. If you have questions about the Film Society, please contact Mr. Perkins or Ms. Fry, club sponsors.

Film Society Membership Dues

Homecoming Dress Check Dresses Must Be Approved for Homecoming Dance

The Student Government Association will sponsor a Homecoming Dance on Saturday, October 5th, 6:30 - 11:00 PM at the Marriott located at 12600 Roosevelt Blvd., St. Petersburg FL 33716. Homecoming is open to all CCHS students (only CCHS students), 9th - 12th grades. Girls attending the dance must get their dress approved. During the weeks of September 9th and 16th, the female employees approving dresses will be available each Monday and Thursday, 3:00 – 3:30 PM, at the girls' restroom in the CE Wing to check dresses. Beginning the week of September 23rd and continuing to October 3rd, the employees will be available to check dresses on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, 3:00 - 3:30 PM. You do not have to sign-up to get the dress checked. Just showup during the time on the days listed above. The last day to get a dress checked is Wednesday, October 3rd. There will be no dress checks after this date. DON'T WAIT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE TO GET THE DRESS CHECKED. Select the link below for a visual presentation on choosing a dress.

Dress Guidelines for Homecoming

CCHS to Host FCA's Field of Faith Event

CCHS is pleased to partner with the Fellowship of Christian Athletes leadership to host the organization's Field of Faith event for Pinellas County on **Thursday, October 10th**. Fields of Faith is a student led event. Students invite, pray for, share with, and challenge their peers to read the Bible and follow Jesus Christ. FCA members from all high schools in Pinellas County will be invited to join CCHS students at *The Rock* for Fields of Faith. The event will begin at 6:30 PM. Students are encouraged to mark their calendar now and plan to attend. You do not have to be a member of FCA to attend.



Balfour Representatives on Campus on Friday for Juniors and Seniors

A representative from Balfour will be on campus on Friday, September 20th, to distribute class ring ordering information to juniors and graduation announcements ordering information to seniors. The students will receive the information during class meetings which begin at 10:00 AM. Parents are welcome to attend to hear the class ring and graduation announcement information. The representative will return to campus on Friday, September 27th during both lunch periods to receive orders. For more information about the meeting, please contact Mrs. Connie Mullholand, Registrar.





Orders to be Received on Friday, September 27

Class of 2020 Dedication Ads for the CCHS Yearbook

To the parents of the students in the Class of 2020, it is time to reserve your dedication ad for your child in this year's edition of *The Kranion*. The CCHS yearbook is a special publication each school year for our students and their families. To help celebrate the graduation milestone for your senior, the yearbook staff reserved a section of the yearbook for parents of seniors to place dedications and tributes to their graduates. The messages of love and pride will be kept for years to come. If you are unsure what the dedication ads are, ask your child to see last year's yearbook, or you may stop by the school office and view a yearbook from a previous school year. The prices to include a dedication ad in the yearbook are:

Full Page: \$385 Half Page: \$250 Quarter Page: \$150

To reserve your dedication ad, please select the link below to upload the photographs and design the dedication for your senior. The link requires payment by credit card for the dedication ad size you choose. Space is available on a first come, first serve basis. Don't delay! The deadline to reserve the dedication ad at the above prices is October 7th. After October 7th, the prices increase significantly to secure space in the yearbook. In reserving and creating the ad, you will work directly with Herff Jones, the publisher of the CCHS yearbook. If you have questions, please contact the support provided at the link below.





University Reps Visiting CCHS

The following college representatives will be on campus this week and will host a session for those interested in more information about the university. Students in grades 10-12 must preregister for the sessions in *Naviance Student* at least two hours in advance. Attendance to a college rep session is an excused absence, but students must make up any work missed, submit assignments prior to attending the session, and students may not skip an assessment to attend one of the sessions.

Monday, September 16th

- University of South Carolina (USC)
 4th period (10:15-11:00 AM)
- St. Petersburg College (SPC)
 6th period (12:30-1:15 PM)- This session is
 recommended for any students wishing to
 begin their post-secondary studies at SPC and
 then transfer to another university.

Thursday, September 19th

- Auburn University 4th period (10:15-11:00 AM)
- Baptist College of Florida; LUNCH ROOM DISPLAY ONLY; no registration required-- go by table in HS first floor hallway outside of Cafes A & B
- Mercer University (GA)
 6th period (12:30-1:15 PM)

Friday, September 20th

 Fashion Institute of Design & Merchandising LUNCH ROOM DISPLAY ONLY; no registration required-- go by table in HS first floor hallway outside of Cafes A & B

Video on How to Register

For a quick video tutorial on how to register to attend a college rep session, you may watch the video at the following link: "How To Sign Up For College Rep Visits" video.

College Fair Opportunities for CCHS Students

College fairs are an excellent way to gather information about colleges and universities and to begin researching institutions that are a good fit. You will find a list of questions to ask at a college fair in their *Naviance Student* document library, and on pages 39-41 of the College Application & Admission Guidebook. CCHS students are encouraged to attend one of the college fairs listed below.

Sunday, September 22nd, 1:00-3:00 PM Bay Area Independent Schools Fair

St. Pete Coliseum, 535 Forth Ave. N., St. Petersburg, 33701

Monday, September 23, 6:00-8:00 PM

Sickles High School, 7950 Gunn Highway, Tampa, 33626

Tuesday, September 24, 6:00-8:00 PM

H.B. Plant High School, 2415 S. Himes Ave., Tampa, 33629

Wednesday, September 25, 6:00-8:00 PM

Chamberlain High School, 9401 N. Blvd., Tampa, 33612

Thursday, September 26, 6:00-8:00 PM

Brandon High School, 1101 Victoria St., Brandon, 33510

Sunday, October 6, 1:00-3:00 PM

USFSP University Student Center, 200 6th Ave South, St. Petersburg, 33701

Monday, October 7, 6:00-8:00 PM

Countryside High School, 3000 State Rd. 580, Clearwater

Students with an Interest in Studying Fine & Performing Arts – Students should consider attending one of the following arts-specific events. Plan ahead and have your portfolio ready to present for critique.

NACAC Fine and Performing Arts Fair-- Sunday, October 27th in Fort Lauderdale

National Portfolio Day -- Florida events are in early 2020. (Register and prepare in advance!)



ACT Practice Exam at CCHS Deadline to Register Extended **Until FRIDAY**

Revolution Prep is providing an opportunity for CCHS juniors and seniors to experience the ACT test in a simulated test-day setting. Students who have completed 2 years of English as well as Algebra I, Geometry, and Algebra II (or are currently enrolled in Algebra II) are encouraged to take advantage of the opportunity to become familiar with this college entrance test. The testing information, including the link to register is listed below. If you have guestions, please contact Mrs. Dina Radovic, Revolution Prep Representative.

Date: Saturday, September 28

Time: 8:30 a.m. - noon (Arrive by 8:15 a.m.)

Location: CCHS Cafe A Registration Fee: \$10

Registration Deadline: September 20 Registration Link (Select this link)

Have questions? Please contact our Revolution Prep Representative Mrs. Dina Radovic at dina.radovic@revolutionprep.com or 813-280-0447

*DISCLAIMER: CCHS is not promoting Revolution Prep over any other ACT/SAT tutor or tutoring service. We believe you should check out all options and interview tutors for "best fit" before investing funds into any test-prep program. You are under no obligation to use Revolution Prep's tutoring services by participating in this event. They are a reputable organization, however, so you may want to interact with Mrs. Radovic about the tutoring programs they offer.



Families with Siblings Entering 9th Grade – Be the First to Apply for 2020-21

Even though this school year just started, plans for registration for the 2020-21 school year are well underway. Prospective students are starting to shadow current CCHS students, and our partner school shadow visits have already started. If you are a current CCHS family with a student entering the 9th grade in 2020-21, we want to give you the opportunity to be the first to apply for admission. Select the link below and submit the application to begin the enrollment process. Additionally, you may select the "Shadow" link to schedule a shadow day. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Donella Woodbury, Director of Admissions.

Schedule a Shadow Day Visit

Application for Admission 2020-2021



For Supporting CCHS Through the Drive One 4 UR School Fundraiser

CCHS expresses its sincere appreciation to the many families and friends who came to campus on Saturday to support the school through the *Drive* One 4 UR School Fundraiser. We are also very thankful for Karl Flammer Ford and their support of the school to sponsor this event. Students earning rewards through the fundraiser will be notified this week on the date of the dress-down day and the date for the ice cream treats. We appreciate those committed to helping us strengthen our programs for students.