



Parent Updates and News - Monday, February 21, 2022

Special thanks to the CCA dad who filled the potholes in our parking lot, to the parents who helped with Academic Excellence celebrations, to parents who have been helping with theater productions, and to everyone who has dropped off donations. It takes all of us to make this school great, and every contribution of time, items and talent is appreciated. We are grateful for our volunteers!

For our Student-Led Conference meetings this spring, we are going to do things differently. The new date is March 24th. We will have the opportunity for those who need a parent/teacher/students conference (particularly if a student is struggling in a class) to sign up for a 10 minute conference. These conferences will not be required. We will also have grade level meetings with teachers to provide important updates about academics, upcoming plans, and ideas to boost social/emotional health. We will send out more information in early March, but please go ahead and mark March 24 on your calendars!

Remember to purchase your tickets for our March 18th Dinner & the Arts ([Dinner and the Arts](#)). It's going to be so much fun!

- *Dr. Levine*

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Feb. 21	President's Day - No School
Feb. 24	Black History Concert at 7 pm (You do not want to miss it!)
March 1	ACT Test for all Juniors - Juniors should arrive at 8:45
March 4 & 5	HS Acting Spring Show - Epic Proportions
March 8	Art Opening
March 8	School Tour
March 10	Winds Concert
March 11	Finale
March 11	CCA Talent Show

March 12	PreACT Test (optional for Sophomores)
March 14	Piano Recital 7 pm
March 18	Dinner and the Arts
March 24	Parent/Student/Teacher Conferences and Meeting

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Piano shirts “The Best Players Sit on the Bench,” are available now for a limited time. There are short sleeves, long sleeves, sweatshirts and hoodies. Money raised will be used to purchase new headphones for the piano lab. **Sales close Monday, Feb. 28th.** To place your order [click here](#). Use code: piano22

Dinner and the Arts is Friday, March 18, 2022. A Limited amount of tickets are available. This event will feature live music and performances, a silent auction and a catered meal. Tickets are available in the main office or online for \$35 each.

For tables of 6 or individual tickets: [Dinner and the Arts](#) For donations: [Support CCA](#)

New CCA logo merchandise available at our new [on-line store!](#)

Parking at CCA: The middle and bottom row of the parking lot are ALL reserved parking. Please do not park on either level when coming to visit or pick up your student during the school day. Even if you see a spot that is not painted with a design, it is a reserved spot. If you are visiting the school during school hours, please park on the top level in unmarked spots.

Last week to order your yearbook for \$45.00 by February 28, 2022. Order forms are outside Ms. Sowders room. Make checks payable to Center for Creative Arts **NOT** Lifetouch. You may also purchase online: [click here](#) Yearbook code: 10772322

Plant Nursery - We are looking for someone who can connect us with a nursery. We would like to borrow some plant decor to use on stage during the Senior Banquet, May 16, 2022. If you can help, please email winne_diane@hcde.org

VOLUNTEER AND DONATION OPPORTUNITIES:

Reminder: when bringing in or dropping off items, ***always include a receipt with your student’s name and grade.*** It is also helpful to include what event the item is for. CCA is a very busy performing arts school!

Do you have access to a line striping machine? We need new 4-square game outlines painted in front of the school. Fun way to earn volunteer hours! Contact winne_diane@hcde.org

There are 2 spots left to volunteer at the Black History Vocal Concert Feb. 24th [click here](#)

New opportunities to earn hours in the Summer! Have fun working in one of the concession stands at the Chattanooga Lookouts game! *You will earn volunteer hours toward **next** school year!* If you have any questions, please contact winne_diane@hcde.org. If this sign up is successful, we will add additional homestands to volunteer. [Chattanooga Lookouts Sign-Up](#)

Slots are still available! Epic Proportions cast and crew would appreciate afternoon snacks and dinner. [click here to sign up](#)

To Volunteer at school [click here](#)

[Various Updated Volunteer Opportunities Sign Ups](#)

Library Donations

Our new Library Media Specialist, Ms. LeDoux, has a wish list of books you can purchase and donate to the Library in exchange for volunteer hours. [Click on this link to access the wish list.](#) When you make a purchase, please email ledoux_mary@hcde.org and winne_diane@hcde.org so the books can be removed from the list to prevent duplicates. Thank you for your support of our Library!

Silent Auction Donations

We are requesting donations for our Dinner and the Arts silent auction. This can be in the form of a gift certificate, gift card, an item, service or experience. Donations do qualify for volunteer hours. CCA is a 501(c) 3 not-for-profit organization and all donations are tax deductible. If you need this form via email or customized for a specific purpose, please contact Diane Winne at 423-498-7365 option 4, or winne_diane@hcde.org.

Attendance:

If you have medical excuse notes or other attendance excuse information, please send them to weaver_kristen@hcde.org.

Performance Accessibility - If you or family members are in need of accessible access to any upcoming performances, please contact Mr. Glancy prior to the performance (glancy_jacob@hcde.org). He is happy to make arrangements with you.