



Parent Updates and News - Monday, May 2, 2022

It's **Teacher Appreciation Week!** Our teachers have worked so hard and given so much this year to provide our CCA students with incredible academic and arts experiences! And, they have done this in very challenging circumstances (contact tracing, hybrid learning, quarantines, masks...)! Please take a few minutes to show your appreciation to our teachers this week. More information about how you can help with PAPA's efforts to celebrate teachers this week can be found below:

Willy Wonka & the Chocolate Factory themed Teacher Appreciation Week. Here is how you can earn hours and celebrate our amazing teachers!

Monday, May 2: [Day 1 - Augustus Gloop](#)
Tuesday, May 3 [Day 2 Veruca Salt](#)
Wednesday, May 4 [Day 3 Violette Beauregarde](#)
Thursday, May 5 [Day 4 Mike Teavee](#)
Friday, May 6 [Day 5 Charlie Bucket](#)

Another exciting week is coming up at CCA with music, art and acting events!

*** Parent Volunteer Hours are due by May 15th. See below for opportunities to earn hours***

- *Dr. Levine*

UPCOMING EVENTS:

May 3 Vocal Concert 7 pm
[Purchase Tickets Here](#)

May 4 Final Day for Tutoring

May 5 Senior Showcase 6:30 pm

May 6/7 MS Acting Showcase- A Midsummer Night's Dream 7 pm
[Purchase Tickets Here](#)

May 10 Musical Theater Showcase 7 pm
Last Day for Seniors
Visual Art Juried Show 5:30 pm

May 11 Visual Arts and Communications Showcase 6 pm

May 12 Jazz Band 7 pm

May 13 Prom 7 pm - 10 pm Aquarium



May 16	Senior Banquet 6 pm
May 17	Graduation 7:30 pm Memorial Auditorium
May 19	HS Awards 9:30 am, MS Awards 1:30 pm (parents who have a student being recognized will be advised prior to event)
May 19	HS transition meeting 3 pm
May 19	Composition Recital 6 pm
May 20	Piano Concert 7 pm
May 23	Field Trip Day - details soon!
May 24	Report Cards Go Home - last full day for students
May 25	Report Card Pick Up (if needed)

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Final Day for tutoring is May 4th.

It's time to register for next year! Beginning May 1st, parents and guardians of returning students will be able to log into their PowerSchool Parent Portal account to update returning student information for the 22-23 school year. When you do this, please check through all of the information carefully to be sure everything is correct. This is the time to correct any errors, such as phone numbers and email addresses.

Support PAPA and PICK UP THE TAB! Buy gift cards for your local favorite restaurants. Remember, Mother's Day and graduation is coming up soon. These gift cards will make great teacher appreciation gifts! Monen Family cards (Hi-Fi Clyde, Community Pie, Milk & Honey, Taco Mamacita, Urban Stack) and Lindley Group (Public House, The Social, Il Primo) are available in \$25 and \$50 increments. Pre-order your cards today. Cards will be available beginning April 18, 2022. Use the following link to purchase today: <https://pick-up-the-tab.cheddarup.com>

Purchase your CCA t-shirts, sweatshirts, hats, polos and more! New CCA logo merchandise available at our new [on-line store!](#)

Senior Class Projects

The Senior Class of 2022 are conducting two donation drives. The first is the construction of a school garden, dubbed Center for Creative Crops. They would like to collect their materials by the end of April and build in May. You can help by donating Lowes gift cards, 6'x8'x1 raised beds, stones, fencing, compost bins, gravel, garden tools. They would also appreciate a variety of seeds both flowers and vegetables. For more information please contact susanah.champlin@gmail.com or beehive2004@gmail.com.



The second project is a food donation drive benefiting Chattanooga Community Kitchen. Collection bins are located throughout the school.

contact zhuseman@gmail.com or oliviamayes@gmail.com

VOLUNTEER AND DONATION OPPORTUNITIES:

Families have until May 15 to complete the required 9 volunteer hours. Please continue to support our students. We can't do it without you. If you have completed your hours for the 21/22 school year, then hours earned in May will count toward the 22/23 school year. Questions? winne_diane@hcde.org

Various opportunities to earn hours [click here](#)

SENIOR AND JUNIOR CLASS FAMILIES! We need donations of 12 packs of Coca-Cola, Dr. Pepper, Sprite, Ginger Ale and Coke Zero as well as bottled water for prom! Please bring your 12 packs and receipts to Mrs. Kuhn by Tuesday, May 10 so that we can chill the beverages before prom. Thank you so much!

We need a couple of people to come and tidy up the Art Garden before May 10th. If you can bring a pressure washer, that would be great. Please contact winne_diane@hcde.org

Do you or someone you know repair sewing machines? We have several that need some TLC. Please contact winne_diane@hcde.org. If you previously contacted me about repairing machines, please connect with me again.

Juried Art Exhibit [click here for items needed](#)

Library Donations

Our 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!

Attendance:



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

Visual Art and Communications Artist Collective-May 11th at 6 P.M.

Artist Collective showcases original work from Visual Art and Communications. Ticketholders will gather at 6 P.M. May 11th in the Commons, then move throughout the Art Courtyard, Art Gallery, and the Gym Hallway. Support your local Visual Artists by purchasing original art and enjoying performances by the Communications Department. Tickets are \$5 and can be purchased online.