



# The Cougar Update

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## BBQ & Auction!

October 14-15, 2022 is...  
THE 49th BBQ & AUCTION WEEKEND

☞ Our 49th Annual CCS Chicken BBQ and Auction on October 14 & 15 is not only a fun event where you can bid on amazing items, enjoy delicious food and get to know other families and the staff at the school, it is also an **opportunity to get involved and volunteer**. MANY volunteers are needed – both moms and dads! Please click [here](#) for all pertinent **VOLUNTEER sign up information**.

☞ **REMINDER:** Chicken BBQ tickets are NOW on sale [here](#). Last week your student(s) should have brought home a letter detailing our Chicken BBQ sales with all the information and dates in it. **Each family is required to sell 6 BBQ dinners**. We encourage you to invite your family and friends to purchase tickets. **BBQ dinner prices go up on October 4**. If selling 6 dinners becomes a hardship for you, contact Ken Parris.

☞ **Apple Dumplings:** Apple dumpling trays will be available on Wednesday, October 12. A tray of apple dumplings has 8 individual dumplings and costs \$25. A limited number can be pre-purchased [HERE](#).

☞ **OPPORTUNITY:** One family can start the auction early. We have 2 tickets to **SIX FLAGS GREAT ADVENTURE**. The tickets expire on January 1, 2023. The cost is \$90 for both tickets. If interested please email, [heather.schreiber@conestogachristian.net](mailto:heather.schreiber@conestogachristian.net).

☞ **YARD SIGNS and POSTERS:** Please pick up yard signs and posters to advertise our 49th BBQ and Auction Benefit! **These are in the main lobby** for your convenience. We have extra posters this year for you to post in any business that you may frequent. It is important and very helpful to advertise our event with these.

☞ **SOLICITATION/DONATION REQUESTS:** There are many businesses that donate items to our auction. **If you are willing to contact an area business**, it will count as 30 minutes of volunteer time per business you approach. Historically, a business is more likely to donate to the school if they are contacted by someone who regularly uses their store or services. That is why you may be the perfect person to approach a business you know and love. A list of businesses that can be contacted is found ([HERE](#)) on the [FACTS Family Portal](#) under Announcements. There is



A few of our fabulous faculty...

a letter already prepared for you to take with you. They are available in the school office OR on the FACTS Family Portal in Resource Documents.

Also, please see this [letter](#) and [form](#) regarding donations, **if you are considering donating an item to our Auction**.

## Help Wanted - NOW

CCS needs a part-time second shift **nighttime custodian**. Tuition reimbursement for full or part time. Flexible hours. Contact Lisa Gardner at [Lisa.Gardner@conestogachristian.net](mailto:Lisa.Gardner@conestogachristian.net), stop in, or call 610.286.0353x403.

## Classroom Happenings...

High school English classes are performing the drama piece of their "literature



circles." Above is American Literature section B. They are all well on their way through their Literature journey!



The Applied Science class visited Kurtland Farms in Elverson and toured the farm's Robot Barn. Mr. Tim Kurtz shared his family business with our students - what a blessing.

The Applied Science class is also working on growing the tower garden. It appears that a salad is in their future!



## Drop Off, Pick Up

**Student Drop Off Reminder:** When dropping off your child in the morning please use only the high school main entrance. For security reasons, we need all students to enter through that door. If your student is late, it is especially important, as they may be marked absent. Students who arrive late must sign in at the office and get a pass to take to class.

Parking for drop off (if needed) is provided in the visitor spots. **The numbered spots are for employees or paid student parking.**

**Early Pickup Reminder:** When it is necessary to pick your student(s) up early from school, please remember that you should plan to do that from **the front of the school only, and no later than 2:10**. (This is due to buses in the parking lot.) For the safety and security of all of our students, *the back lot is not to be used for student pickup (or drop off) at any time*. And remember, before students leave early, they must sign out in the office. This will help greatly if we encounter an emergency situation and need to know the whereabouts of all students!

## Absent?

If your child will be absent for any reason, will be arriving late or leaving early, **please call the school at**

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### Upcoming Events at CCS:

Events are subject to change.

- **September 22**, Mum Orders Due
- **September 30**, Mum Pick-up
- **October 3**, Picture Day (4's, PK-11th)
- **October 4**, Hearing Screenings
- **October 12**, PSAT, 11th grade
- **October 14-15**, BBQ & Auction
- **November 10**, Height, Weight, Vision, Scoliosis
- **November 11**, No School, Teacher In-service

### Character Trait:

~ Reverence ~

**610.286.0353** and use our **attendance line, ext 119**, to leave a message in order to inform the office. This is the very best way to let us know and to avoid a call to you to find out where your child is.

## Music Lessons 🎵

**Conestoga Christian School Music Conservatory** is looking forward to offering the students of our school



the opportunity to bring the joy and beauty of instrumental music into their lives. Students may sign up to receive private music instruction on a band, string

orchestra or keyboard instrument. If you would like to sign up for a half hour private lesson [click here](#). For more information visit our [Conservatory Website](#).

## Chrysanthemum Sale

Orders are due next **Thursday, September 22** for our **Fall Chrysanthemum Sale**. Get a copy of the order form [HERE](#). Pick up will be on September 30.

