CALHOUN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL COUGAR CONNECTION

May 17, 2024

MISSION STATEMENT

Calhoun Christian School provides academic excellence while upholding God's truth and challenging children to serve.

VISION STATEMENT

Calhoun Christian School will be the benchmark of excellence in Christ-centered education.

OPEN POSITIONS FOR THE 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR

- MS Teaching Position subject TBD
- Elementary Teaching Positions
- Para-professional Positions

Please contact Jeralyn Belote at jeralyn.belote@calhounchristian.org for more information.

LOST AND FOUND

We have a lot of really nice clothes, water bottles, and other items waiting to be claimed. Please check out the lost and found in the cafeteria for your students' belongings. They will be donated at the end of the school year.

BATTLEGROUND SKATE HOUSE

Join the Battleground Skate House family on Thursday, May 23 from 5:00 pm-8:00 pm for a FREE, FUN, FAMILY Game Night. This is a fundraiser. Dinner will be served. See the attached flier for more information.

FIELD DAY

May 29 we will be celebrating Field Day. If you would like to volunteer to help, please fill out the form and turn it into the office ASAP.

AMENDMENT TO 2023-2024 SERVICE HOUR AGREEMENT: We have amended our Service Hours Agreement, as signed during the enrollment process, for the school year 2023-2024, and also for next school year 2024-2025. Previously, hours were expected to be logged by April 30, 2024 – we are changing the "served and logged by" date to the last day of school, which is MAY 31, 2024. We are trying to make this service hour expectation easier for our families to fulfill. Payment for any unserved hours will now be due by June 30, 2024. If you were planning on serving your hours for 2024-2025 between May 1-31, 2024, please contact office@calhounchristian.org and we will credit it towards the 2024-2025 school year.

THEATRE OPPORTUNITIES

- Calhoun Christian School is partnering with Lakeview for theatre. The next play will be "Imagine A Dragon". Information for 2nd-4th grades is attached.
- Upcoming opportunities for other grades will be:

- May-June for High School (current 9-12)
- June-July for Middle School (current 5-8)
 - See the attached flier for more info on how to sign up and audition!
- Calhoun Christian School Theatre in partnership with What-A-Do Theatre is proud to announce our summer musical. This year, 2024, we will be doing *THE MUSIC MAN*!
 - This musical is open to CCS students in grades 4-12. (Must currently (23-24) be in 4th grade).
 - o Auditions for this musical will be held on May 1st, 2nd, and 3rd.
 - We will be rehearsing beginning June 3rd and we will meet every day (start and end time TBD) for two weeks (approximately 8 hour rehearsals) including Saturday if needed. We will be performing on Thursday, June 13th, Friday, June 14th, and Saturday, June 15th. A more detailed schedule will be forthcoming.

SPORTS NEWS

Save the dates for summer camps! More details to come soon!!!

- June 17-21: Basketball Camp
- June 24-28: Volleyball Camp
- July 16-18 Basketball Camp. See the flier for more info.

SEWING CAMP

We have a group of generous volunteers interested in providing our students with a sewing camp. If this is something your child would be interested in, please sign up in the office.

CLASS OF 2024 OPEN HOUSE

Sarah Belote June 1; 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm; 315 Hidden Forest Ln Battle Creek, MI 49014 Christopher Fytczyk May 18; 3:00 pm; 124 Alida Drive BC, MI 49037 Chandler Latimer June 15; 3:00pm-6:00pm; 7181 St Mary's Lake Rd BC, MI 49017

Deven VanderBilt May 26; 4:00 pm-7:00 pm; Squirrel Hollow 12111 Helmer Rd S BC, MI 49015 **Evelyn Olmstead** June 15; 5:00 pm-9:00 pm; 22541 Bedford Rd N BC 49017

Camden Smith June 29^{th} ; 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm; Lincoln Room 32 W. Michigan Ave. BC, MI 49015 Micah Reed June 15; 1:00 - 4:00 pm; 7170 St Marys Lake Rd BC MI 49017

Van Thang June 29; Time TBD; Emmanual Christian Church 420 34th St N Springfield, MI 49015

SCHOOL CALENDAR

05/17: Last day on site for Seniors

05/22: MS Finals; 11:30 am Early dismissal for MS 05/23: MS Finals; 11:30 am Early dismissal for MS

05/24: MS Finals; 11:30 am Early dismissal for ALL

05/24: Commencement 6:30 pm 05/27: NO SCHOOL – Memorial Day 05/28-05/31: Middle School Trip

05/29: Field Day

05/29: HS Finals; 11:30 am Early dismissal for HS 05/30: HS Finals; 11:30 am Early dismissal for HS

05/31: LAST DAY OF SCHOOL; 11:30 am Early dismissal for ALL

06/01: LAST DAY FOR TEACHERS 06/06: Popsicles on the Playground

SPORTS CALENDAR

05/20: MS Girls Soccer @ Otsego 5:30pm

05/22: MS Girls soccer @ Vicksburg [white] 5 pm