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CCS Community Connections

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Welcome to another edition of the [CCS Community Connections](#) newsletter with updates from within the walls of Cornerstone Christian School.

We are continuing to highlight events that our alumni have been part of and want to let you know about upcoming events that you will not want to miss!

Our senior boys volleyball team had one of the most successful provincial runs in school history winning both the conferences and regionals, and then **finishing 4th at provincials!** Thank you to alumni **Ben Lewis** and **Seth Lewis** for helping coaches Cam Lewis and Emmett Balzer to this success. The senior girls team won gold in 6 tournaments but finished 3 points short of a provincial berth. With currently no grade 12's on the team, **the girls are excited for next year!** Now that December is upon us, all the basketball teams are in full swing, and the curling teams have hit the ice. We will keep you updated on the successes of all our winter sports.



After Christmas, if you are feeling like wearing off a little turkey dinner, **we are offering an OPEN GYM sports day for any alumni, former board, staff and parents to come and play around.** Bring your athletic gear and Advil if it's been a while since you've played! We have other dates planned throughout the year so mark your calendars and join us. We will throw together some scrimages of volleyball, basketball, badminton or floor hockey depending on the interest.

Our Fall Musical was once again the talk of the town in Moose Jaw. The show was close to a sell out for all 4 nights and **over 1300 people attended.** I was so proud off all the cast, crew, and staff involved to make Disney's "High School Musical" come to life on the small stage. It's always a pleasure to see so many of our alumni and "Friends of CCS" in the audience!



Our choir Christmas concert was a spectacular event as we sold out our pre-show banquet and then packed Hillcrest Church with almost 400 people. Our choir left everyone in awe and amazement. A special thank you to alumni, **Jaron Dueck, Stephen Brown, Judah Atkins, Jasmine (Dalgarno) Stevens, Alethia Stafford, Hannah (Kerney) Engel,** who joined in the last song to bring the audience to their feet for a jubilant standing ovation. Thank you to all of you - our friends of CCS, for joining us and supporting the school. Due to the overwhelming response, **we are now planning to make this an annual Christ-centered Christmas event!**

SAVE THE DATE

SPORTS DAY

Alumni, former parents, board or staff

YOU ARE INVITED TO OPEN GYM SPORTS DAYS!

Join us 2:30 - 4:30 pm on:

Saturday, December 30, 2023

Sunday, February 18, 2024

Saturday, April 6, 2024

Celebrate Cornerstone

STUDENT AID FUNDRAISER

February 14, 2024



Reservation
Deadline
Feb. 12, 2024

Dinner served at 6:00 pm
Brief program and dessert auction to follow

\$30 per person
\$200 per table

Tickets available
by emailing events@ccsmj.ca

CCS Gymnasium- 43 Iroquois St. E, Moose Jaw, SK

CLASS REUNION

CELEBRATE 30 YEARS!

Alumni, former staff or board members
YOU ARE INVITED to attend our reunion on

May 17-18, 2024

Details and link to RSVP will be coming out
in February 2024

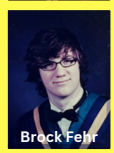
CONTEST Alert

Match up the alumni with their current career and send your answers to alumni@ccsmj.ca. Winners will be announced in the next newsletter!

(A) Engineer



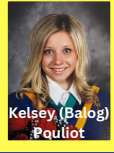
(B) Pharmacist



(C) Pastor



(D) Dental Assistant



On **February 14, 2024**, we are hosting our annual [Student Aid Fundraiser](#). This night is full of excitement and so many laughs. We start with a buffet dinner provided by Charlotte's Catering followed by a short performance from our CCS choir. We finish up with an **entertaining LIVE auction of desserts and other items.** The goal of this fundraiser is to raise much needed funds for those families that cannot afford to pay full, or a portion of their tuition. On average, we raise \$15,000 each year. **This year, we are setting our goal at \$20,000.** We look forward to you joining us at this important fundraiser night.

This year marks **30 years since CCS began.** Alumni, former staff and board members are all invited to come back, reunite and reminisce with one another at our **"All Classes Reunion"**. **Be sure to mark your calendars on May 17-18, 2024 for this special event.** Details will be forthcoming in future newsletters.

As we wrap up 2023 at CCS, I would like to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New year. I pray that your holiday season will be filled with the joy and peace of Christ. We look forward to seeing and connecting with you in 2024!

Mr. Lee Behrns
Principal & CEO



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Picture Contest Winners

CONGRATULATIONS TO.....

Katrina (Dups) Scott, Courtney (Patsack) Brewer & Kenzie Behrns for correctly guessing 3 out of the 4 alumni Kindergarten pictures correctly in the last newsletter.

Answers:

(A) Jayson Peters, (B) Courtney Patsack,
(C) Robyn Read, (D) Carter Lewis