

CTK CRUSADER CHATTER

12-02-19

I hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving and got some much-needed rest because things are going to get crazy between now and the Christmas break.

Before we left for the holiday, lots was happening around here. Ms. Giordano's 4th grade students put on the annual Cultural Fest and, once again, the students did an outstanding job.



Of course, there must be a "Thanksgiving Feast" before the holidays, so Mrs. Strahan's Kindergarten held their Thanksgiving Feast and parents and students alike thoroughly enjoyed it. PK3 and PK4 held their Friendsgiving Feast.



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The 28th Annual Children’s Hospital Toy Drive has begun. Once again, CTK is participating in this worthwhile cause. If you would like to donate a “NEW” toy, please drop it off unwrapped at the front office from now until Thursday, December 12, 2018. Remember – one toy equals one smile!

Just in case any of you have some extra time, Children’s Hospital is asking for volunteers to help sort and box the toys on December 12, 2019, between 10:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Gretna. Please contact Alex Fisher, Jr. at 367-4743.

It’s Santa time!



This year, HASA is offering students in PK3 – 4th grades the opportunity to have a visit with Santa. Picture envelopes are being sent home today and must be returned no later than Friday, December 6, 2019, if pictures are requested. Students in 5th – 7th grades can also have a picture taken with Santa if picture envelopes have been returned with payment. A flyer is attached with all details.



Classes were still enjoying winning challenges from Boosterthon. Mrs. Trusty’s 6th grade class won for being the top pledging class, so enjoyed a complete dress down day as well as a movie and snacks. All students enjoyed the day.



6T’s day just kept getting better and better when students in Mrs. Movahed’s Social Studies class enjoyed an Egyptian Feast.



Our Santa’s Secret Shop will open on Monday, December 9, 2019, and end on Friday, December 13, 2019. Students love shopping for their loved ones and watching them make decisions brings a smile to the faces of anyone helping. Volunteers are needed to help out in Santa’s Secret Shop, so if you have some time and would like to volunteer, please contact Kristin Bohling at ctkhasa@gmail.com. If you would like to shop with your child(ren), please come by between 7:45 a.m. – 8:15 a.m. during the week of December 9, 2019.

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Once again, we want to encourage all of you to sign up for Shoparoo. This is a quick, free app that gives back money to CTK. Just download the app on your phone and follow the directions. If you need any help, please give Mrs. Conefry a call (504) 361-5225. CTK just received a check for \$349.77 from last year's participation. Let's go for more this year!

The November winner is 2G with 4,630 points! The December competition has now begun.

Field Day was a huge success, thanks to Coach Mike. Pictures will be posted on Facebook and in the December 10, 2019, Chatter.

THIS WEEK:

Monday, December 2, 2019 – Return to school

Tuesday, December 3, 2019 - Fair Committee Meeting; 6:00 p.m.; Parish Hall (EVERYONE INVITED)

Wednesday, December 4, 2019 - CANE'S CHICKEN NIGHT; 3:00 – 9:00 p.m. (tell the cashier when ordering that you are from CTK)

COMING UP:

Monday, December 9 – Friday, December 13, 2019 – Santa Secret Shop

Tuesday, December 10, 2019 – Santa pictures (flyers sent home today)

Tuesday, December 10, 2019 – Men's Club Meeting; 7:30 p.m.; Parish Hall (meal and beverages provided)

Monday, December 16 – Thursday, December 19, 2019 – Exams

Thursday, December 19, 2019 – **NO P.M. BUS**

Friday, December 20, 2019 – End of 2nd quarter

Friday, December 20, 2019 - **11:00 A.M. DISMISSAL; NO CAFETERIA;
NO BUS; NO AFTER CARE**

Monday, December 23, 2019 - Friday, January 3, 2020 - CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

Monday, January 6, 2020 - School resumes

Monday, January 6, 2020 – **NO A.M./P.M. BUS**

Tuesday, January 7, 2020 - Fair Committee Meeting; 6:00 p.m.; Parish Hall (EVERYONE INVITED)

Wednesday, January 8, 2020 - CANE'S CHICKEN NIGHT; 3:00 – 9:00 p.m. (tell the cashier when ordering that you are from CTK)

Thursday, January 9, 2020 – Report Cards

**PLEASE NOTE: THE NEXT CHATTER WILL BE ISSUED ON
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 2019.**

