

CTK CRUSADER CHATTER

9/30/19

Last Friday we had the first “Buddy” project. Classes were paired up with each other to create “Buddy Rocks” and students absolutely loved getting to know each other and creating something that they can see on a daily basis. The “Buddy Rocks” are located in one of the planters on the white top and we call it the “Buddy Rock Garden.” Lots of pictures were posted on our CTK Parish School Facebook page, but here are a few for you to enjoy:



We had a total of 104 students register for SchoolStore and many of our teachers will be receiving gift cards thanks to the generosity of friends and family. For those students who are eligible for additional prizes, those prizes will be sent to Mrs. Conefry from SchoolStore and she will distribute those prizes as soon as she receives them.

PARENTS: Thank you for your patience as we have transitioned to the new AR websites. The change has not been without a few bugs, but hopefully they are working themselves out. Don't forget that 1st quarter AR ends on Friday, October 11, 2019. Please use the Home Connect website (just copy and paste) to monitor your student's progress:

<https://global-zone50.renaissance-go.com/studentprogress/homeconnect?t=207212>

Once again, Cane's Chicken at 4009 Behrman Place on Behrman Highway will be the place to be this Wednesday, October 2, 2019. Cane's will recognize anyone from CTK all day, but the push is to be there between the hours of 3:00 – 9:00 p.m. All you need to do is let the cashier know **WHEN YOU ORDER AND BEFORE YOU CASH OUT** that you are there for the CTK fundraiser. Cane's will donate 15% of all proceeds to CTK. It's an easy and fun way to stay out of the kitchen for the evening and make money for the school at the same time. Beginning this Wednesday, students can bring in one of their receipts for a chance for the homeroom class to get the “Cane's Dog” for the month. Make sure the family name is on the receipt. (One receipt per family will be counted, but each child in that family will have the receipt credited to his/her homerooms. This is not about the \$, but the participation, so the competition is fair.) We want to encourage all friends and family to stop by and support CTK. Hope to see you all on Wednesday, October 2, 2019



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Thanks to HASA and Conefry & Company, our PK3 – 7th grade students will receive FREE t-shirts to wear for the CTK FUN RUN event this year on November 15, 2019. A flyer is being sent home today asking that you send in the t-shirt size for your child(ren). Please make sure you return this form no later than Friday, October 4, 2019. It's going to be another great CTK FUN RUN.

Mrs. Movahed's 5th grade class studied Native American tribes and, upon completion of their lessons, designed and made their own totem poles.



Shoparoo – Our winning class for September is 5th grade, with 4,785 points. Congratulations 5B and enjoy some extra recess time.

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.

The students in 1C enjoyed reading all about Johnny Appleseed and celebrated his birthday on Thursday, September 26, 2019, by making special hats and eating special “apple” treats.



Students in KS also celebrated Johnny Appleseed's birthday with hats and apple dumplings. They also once again showed their support of our New Orleans Saints on Saints Spirit Day.



Speaking of Spirit Days, please remember that students are only allowed to dress down on specific occasions. Dates will be announced in advance, so please make sure that students follow those directions.

NOTE: Effective November 1, 2019, CTK will, along with other Catholic schools, charge a \$17 fee for the background check associated with the Safe Environment certification. This fee will be assessed for both first time certifications and three year renewals.

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THIS WEEK:

Monday, September 30, 2019 – Sr. Girls Volleyball; 4:00 p.m.; CTK vs. St. Cletus at ICS Gym

Tuesday, October 1, 2019 - Fair Committee Meeting; 6:00 p.m.; Parish Hall (EVERYONE INVITED)

Wednesday, October 2, 2019 – Living Rosary; 9:00 a.m.; Christ the King Church

Wednesday, October 2, 2019 - CANE'S CHICKEN NIGHT; 3:00 – 9:00 p.m. (tell the cashier when ordering that you are from CTK)

Wednesday October 2, 2019 – Sr. Girls Volleyball; 3:45 p.m.; CTK vs. Visitation at Visitation

Thursday, October 3, 2019 – No Mass

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Friday, October 4, 2019 – Sr. Girls Volleyball; 2 games: CTK vs. ICS at ICS Gym @ 3:45 p.m., followed by CTK vs. OLPH at ICS Gym @ 4:30 p.m.

COMING UP:

Tuesday, October 8, 2019 – Men's Club Meeting; 7:30 p.m.; Parish Hall (meal and beverages provided)

Wednesday, October 9, 2019 – CTK Cross Country; West Bank Catholic Middle School Champ.; Archbishop Shaw High School (after school)

Thursday, October 10, 2019 – **NO AM/PM BUS**

Friday, October 11, 2019 – **NO AM/PM BUS**

Friday, October 11, 2019 – AR ends

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Saturday, October 12, 2019 – CTK Cross Country; CSAL Championship Meet; City Park (girls begin @ 7:30 a.m.; boys begin at 8:00 a.m.)

Saturday, October 12, 2019 – Cabrini Math Competition

Thursday, October 17, 2019 – Report Cards

Monday, October 21 – Friday, October 25, 2019 – RED RIBBON WEEK

Thursday, October 24, 2019 – Honor Roll Assembly; 8:30 a.m. in Parish Hall (Invitations to be sent home in report cards.)

Thursday, October 24, 2019 – Mass; 9:00 a.m. Parents are always invited to join students at school Masses.

Thursday, October 24, 2019 – Parent/Teacher Conferences; 4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. (more info to come)

Friday, October 25, 2019 – Trick or Trunk (more info to come)

Saturday, October 26, 2019 – CTK Cross Country; Jack Schommer Invitational; City Park (girls begin @ 7:30 a.m.; boys begin at 8:00 a.m.)