

# CTK CRUSADER CHATTER

01-06-20

Welcome back – it's a new year for us here at CTK. I hope that you all enjoyed a wonderful holiday and that Santa was good to you and your families. Let's hope that our students are well rested and ready to get to work.

While the Saints run to the Super Bowl has ended, we still have the LSU game to look forward to on Monday, January 13, 2020. Let's get ready to cheer for the purple and gold!



It's that time of year when we do our World's Finest Chocolate fundraiser. You will be receiving a form today to be returned by Wednesday, January 8, 2020, indicating how many cases of chocolate you would like for us to send home initially with your student (oldest and only). It is important that you return this form so that we know how many cases we need to have in stock this week. Candy will be distributed on Friday, January 10, 2020, and we are requesting each family to sell at least one case of chocolate. We do hope that each family will at least participate at the minimum level (1 case). If the form is not returned, we will send home one (1) case of chocolate.

These funds will be added to the Boosterthon funds to upgrade classroom technology and white top play equipment. We are in the process of pricing some of the technology that is needed, as well as play equipment.

Of course, the more you sell, the more CTK earns!

**PLEASE REMEMBER: ONCE A CASE OF CHOCOLATE HAS BEEN OPENED, YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE \$60. WE CANNOT TAKE BACK ANY OPEN CASES OF CANDY.**

The CTK School Spelling Bee was held on December 19, 2019, and we are so proud of all the participants. Our winner was Tory Tran (6<sup>th</sup> grade), followed by Cecilia Nguyen (6<sup>th</sup> grade) in 2<sup>nd</sup> place, and Edome Solomon (4<sup>th</sup> grade) in 3<sup>rd</sup> place. The other classroom winners who participated in this spelling bee were 4<sup>th</sup> graders Dominic Dinh, Timothy Tewelde, and Brhett Tu, 5<sup>th</sup> graders Peter Donnes, Dillon Nguyen, Jayden Nguyen, and Harley Terrase, 6<sup>th</sup> graders Ashlynn Dinh and Brennan Gunnells, and 7<sup>th</sup> graders Ethan Dinh, Logan Judy, Myles Monzon, and Truong Phan.



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Before we left for the holidays, lots of events were taking place at CTK. Our 1<sup>st</sup> grade students enjoyed the Polar Express, the Living Nativity was performed, Buddy Bingo took place, and students enjoyed class Christmas parties.



Don't forget 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.

During the month of December, 2G and 1C went back and forth with the highest numbers. Because we neglected to check the numbers on December 31<sup>st</sup>, we are declaring a tie for December! That's right, both 2G and 1C will receive extra recess time and, once again, we appreciate all of the support that you give to us by participating in this fundraiser.

As of January 3, 2020, 2G is leading with 1,055 points, followed by 5B with 605 points. Let's make the rest of the school year the best one ever with Shoparoo!

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Not to be outdone, our PK3 students baked sugar cookies and made Santa Claus hats.



### **THIS WEEK:**

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

Friday, January 10, 2020 – World's Finest Chocolate goes home

Friday, January 10, 2020 – Monday, January 27, 2020 – World's Finest Chocolate fundraiser

### **COMING UP:**

Tuesday, January 14, 2020 – Men's Club Meeting; 7:30 p.m.; Parish Hall (meal and beverages provided)

Thursday, January 16, 2020 – Honor Roll Assembly; 8:30 a.m. in Parish Hall (Invitations sent home in report cards.)

Thursday, January 16, 2020 – Parent/Teacher Conferences (more info to follow)

Thursday, January 16, 2020 – HASA meeting; 6:30 p.m. Parish Hall (Doors open at 6:00 p.m.)

Friday, January 24, 2020 – Geography Bee; 1:50 p.m.; Parish Hall (parents are invited)