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**No School Wednesday, Thursday or Friday.
HAPPY THANKSGIVING!**

Progress Reports Go Home Today

Friday, November 18 is the mid-point in the second quarter. Students in grades 2-6 will receive their Mid-Term Progress Report on Monday, November 21. After reviewing the reports, parents are asked to sign and return the report to their student's classroom teacher.

Grandparents Day Is Tuesday

CES will celebrate the annual Grandparent's Day on Tuesday, November 22 from 1:30 until 3:00 pm. Grandparent's will go to class with their grandchild and get a snapshot of what goes on in our school today. Grandparents with multiple grandchildren will be able to visit each classroom in which they have a grandchild.

Basketball Information Athletic Information

- First Girls' Basketball Practice: Monday, November 28
- First Boys' Basketball Practice: Tuesday, November 29
- Basketball Parent Meetings: Monday, November 28 and Tuesday, November 29 both @ 5 pm.
- Parents are reminded that a current sports physical must be turned in for your students to participate.

All practices end at 5:00 pm. Please provide a ride home for your student after each practice. Students may be picked up in the West parking lot. At the parent meetings, we will discuss the schedule, and the student/parent/school code of conduct. Parents are reminded that a sports physical must be signed by a doctor and turned in for your student to participate. A signed code of conduct must also be turned in after the first practice.

Physicals Needed for 5th & 6th Grade Sports

This is a reminder that all students participating in 5th & 6th grade basketball and cheerleading need to have a sports physical on file before they will be allowed to participate in practices. The form is available at most medical offices and can be downloaded here: https://www.mshsaa.org/resources/pdf/PreParticipationPhysicalEvaluation_1617.pdf. This is the same form used by junior and senior high athletes.

Reminders

Tuesday, November 22	Grandparent's Day 1:30-3:00 pm
Wed.-Thurs., Nov. 23-25	Thanksgiving Break
Saturday, November 26	Main Street Christmas
Monday, November 28	Girls Basketball Practice Begins
	Basketball Parent Meeting -5 pm
Tuesday, November 29	Boys Basketball Practice Begins
	Basketball Parent Meeting -5 pm
Wednesday, November 30	1:45 Dismissal-Teacher Inservice
Friday, December 2	PTO First Friday Hat Day
Thursday, December 8	Progress Report
Monday, December 12	Christmas Program Gr. 4-6, 7:00 pm
Tuesday, December 13	Christmas Program PK-3, 7:00 pm
Wednesday, December 21	11:40 Dismissal
Thursday, December 22	Christmas Break Begins

New Cheerleaders Selected

Congratulations to our 2016-17 CES Cheerleaders! After a competitive tryout, the following fifth and sixth graders earned a spot on the squad. From the sixth grade: Tristan Arnold, Nyssa Brown, Matthew Hicks, Kiya Inman, Elizabeth Kirk, Britney, Roepe, Kiara Stein. From the fifth grade: Jacey Jolly and Lilly Wycoff. The Mascot will be Ali Reid. This group will cheer at all regular season basketball games and at select tournament games.

Main Street Christmas

Ring in Concordia's holiday season with a free, family-friendly event that includes live music, hot cocoa, Santa Claus, and the lighting of the Mayor's Christmas tree. Join Concordia Main Street, Inc. on Saturday, November 26 beginning at 5:30 pm at Concordia's Central Park.

Christmas Concerts Scheduled

The annual CES Christmas Concerts will be held on the following dates: For grades four through six including music classes, bands and Singing Orioles-Monday, December 12. For students in Preschool through the third grade-Tuesday, December 13. Both programs are free of charge and will be held in the CES gym beginning at 7:00 pm. Doors open at 6:30 pm. The concert programs will be available for download a few days before the concerts.

Keep the Boxtops Coming!

We are getting closer to our goal of collecting 15,000 Boxtops! The holiday season is a great time to collect from friends and family. Feel free to send in your Boxtops at any time. They do not have to be attached to a collection sheet. We have many more crazy teacher tricks to go, so keep clipping and collecting!