



Grandville Calvin Christian Schools

The *Wonder* of the Story

Psalm 71:17 "O God, you have taught me from my earliest childhood, and I constantly tell others about the wonderful things you do."

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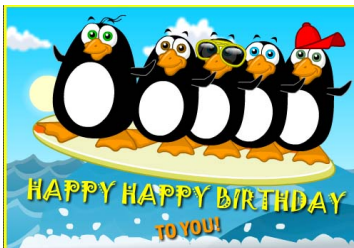
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Monday, January 20, 2020

VERSE OF THE DAY

Consider it pure joy, my brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of many kinds, because you know that the testing of your faith produces perseverance.

James 1:2-3



Happy Birthday

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GCCS Strategic Plan Informational Meetings:

LAST ONE IS TONIGHT:
CCHS January 20, 7-8 pm



Check the email you received for details and to RSVP.

Reminder: **no school** THIS Friday, Jan 24, due to professional development day for teachers.

8th grade students -- Would you be interested in running lights and/or sound for the 8th grade play? Talk to Mrs. Koster ASAP for more details.

Choir information:

1. Our Choir Night concert with all 7-12 choirs will be on **Tuesday, March 10**. The concert will be at 7:30 pm, and will be at Central Reformed Church in Grand Rapids. *Please make sure that this date, Tuesday, March 10, is on your calendar.* It will be a wonderful evening of music and praise!

2. Our MS Girls and Guys Choirs will be going to Jenison Christian *during the school morning* of February 12 to participate in a Choir Clinic with the choirs of Jenison Christian and Borculo Christian. This Clinic will be led by Mr. Scott Bosscher, director of Grand Rapids Choir of Men and Boys who will help us learn and grow as musicians and singers. **The bus will leave at 8:30 am so prompt delivery of your student is appreciated that Wednesday morning, February 12.**

Annual Auction to support GCCS!

DATE: Saturday, February 8, 2020

TIME: 5:15 pm – doors open for registration, Dinner and silent auction begin at 5:30 p.m., Live auction begins at 6:30 p.m.

Special music performance by our first grade students at 6:15 and 7:20 pm.

PLACE: Calvin Christian High School Gymnasium

Reservations for dinner are being accepted now. All you can eat - Dinner will be catered by On the Border

Dinner will be \$10 for 6th grade and up, \$6 for 5th grade and under and free for our 1st grade singers.

Childcare will be available for children potty trained through 5th grade. It will be in our Learning Commons area of the HS. Reservations are required by calling the Calvin Business Office at 616-532-2373 or emailing jstaalj@gccsmi.org. You can also pre-register through this [link](#).

Don't forget, we have **two \$500 tuition credit vouchers** that will be drawn at the end of the night. Tickets are \$10 each to enter. **MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN.**

Students: are you looking for babysitting experience? Parents, you may help as well! Volunteers are needed to help with childcare during the auction on February 8. The time would be 5:30-9:30. We will give you a free meal from On the Border if you volunteer! Please sign up in the office.



February Wyldlife Club Tuesday, February 4 Rebounderz in Jenison!

We will meet up with Grandville and Byron Center Wyldlife at Rebounderz and jump from **7:30-8:30 pm (updated time)**. Sign up link: [Wyldlife Rebounderz 2/4](#). Must also have a liability waiver on file at Rebounderz (you can fill one out at [Rebounderz.com](#))
Cost: \$16.00

Wyldlife Winter Weekend! Jan 31- Feb 2.

New info: Scholarship money is available to help pay for Winter Weekend if the fee is a hardship for your family. If you would like more information on the scholarship, please email Jill Francisco at jfrancisco@gccsmi.org.

You can pick up forms for winter weekend in Miss Vee's room in the hs.

More information: <https://grsw.younglife.org/camp/>

FUNDRAISER FOR Grandville Christian Elementary School: Come out for some delicious wings and support the elementary TONIGHT! You do NOT have to have the paper coupon for the school to get credit. You can show a digital version or just mention you are there for the GCS fundraiser. [Click here for details.](#)



Fri-YAY continues for 2020! Remember to bring \$1 **every** Friday! Here is a sneak peak at what snacks are coming up:

Jan 31 - pop & chips

8th Graders: REMEMBER - if you wear your Class of '24 shirt on Fridays, you get FREE CANDY!!!

8th Grade Parents - we are in need of more Costco muffins, pop and individual bags of chips. The pop and chips are very popular, so we hope to

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continue offering that option once a month. Click on the link below to sign up to donate! Thank you!
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E044CA9AD23A3F49-frivay>

GCS Early Childhood (Preschool-K) Pre-Enrollment to begin TODAY Monday, January 20!

It is hard to believe that we are looking ahead to the 2020-2021 school year! We are excited to give you the opportunity to pre-select your child's class for next year, before we go live to the public. If you are an existing family in our preschool, day school or are a GCCS staff member, this pre-enrollment option is for you! Call the GCS office if you have any questions or stop by to fill out the pre-enrollment form. The pre-enrollment window ends on Wednesday, January 29. On Thursday, January 30th, enrollment goes live to the public.

If you are an existing Preschool or JK family, please look in your child's backpack next week for the enrollment instructions and the PowerSchool Summary to review.

If you have a child who you would like to enroll, who is not currently attending GCS, please use the form below and turn it into the GCS Office.

[Registration form here.](#)

SUMMER CAMP: Are you looking for a way to keep your child active this summer? Do you want your child to spend more time outside than playing video games? If so, then Squires Sports Camp is for you! Squires Sports Camp is being held June 15-19 at CCMS for students entering 1st-8th grade who are looking to have some fun outside this summer. Your child will be able to play games with their friends that are fun and have them talking about it all day long. Games include kick the can, kickball, capture the flag, and many more! Registration will be opening soon at gccssportscamps.com.

Questions? Email our camp director and high school PE teacher, Ben de Waal Malefyt at bdewaalmalefyt@gccsmi.org

Saturday Boys Basketball Clinic Click [HERE](#) (updated) for information and registration details. The forms are also available in the middle school office.

Middle School Sports

All games are at 4 pm unless otherwise noted

[Directions to other schools](#)

[Full schedule here](#)

Subject to change due to gym availability, weather etc.

8th Girls Basketball:

1/20 Practice 3:00-4:30

1/21 Game, Hudsonville Chr

1/23 Game, Byron Center Chr

7th Girls Basketball:

1/20 Practice 4:30-6:00

1/21 Game @ Hudsonville Chr (Team B)

1/23 Game @ Moline Chr (Team A)

HOT LUNCH NEWS:

[MS & HS Hot Lunch Calendar](#)

[MS Hot Lunch Links](#)

[Need to cancel your MS pre-ordered lunch?](#)

Calendar

1/20 Strategic Planning info mtg, CCHS
1/24 NO SCHOOL
2/8 School Auction
2/14 All School Chapel
2/21 NO SCHOOL - Midwinter break (conditional)

Essential 10, Caring Kids, Caring Community

Please [click here](#) to read about the Essential 10 Caring Kids, Caring Community coaching and training that is happening at CCMS!

Requested Announcements:

Grandville **Little League** sign ups have begun. [Flyer here](#).

Showroom Design Consultant part-time or full-time job: [Click here](#)

GVSU STEM summer camp information (for 6th grade students): [click here](#)
also: www.gvsu.edu/steps/

The Grandville **Community Ed** brochure can be accessed [HERE](#).