



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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VERSE OF THE DAY

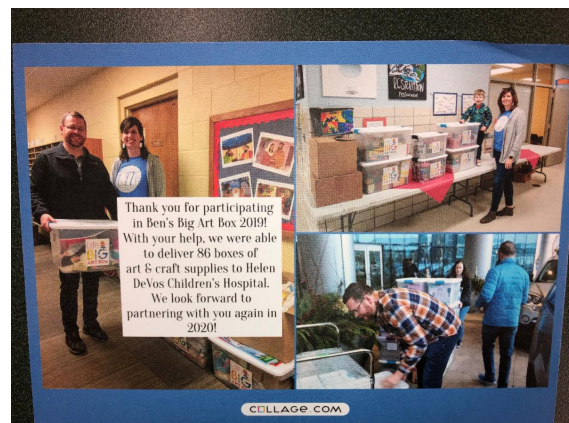
Sitting down, Jesus called the Twelve and said, "Anyone who wants to be first must be the very last, and the servant of all."
Mark 9:35 NIV

Happy Birthday

Mr. Van Haitsma



Thank You from Ben's Big Art Box:



REMINDER: It is cold and flu season. Remember to wash hands

regularly and disinfect surfaces. Also, **please** keep your child home if they show signs of illness. A good rule of thumb to follow: fever free for 24 hours before returning to school.



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.

Calvin Christian High School 8th Grade Parent Info Night

February 6, 2020 at 7pm
CCHS Learning Commons

- Opportunity for parents to ask questions about freshman year
 - Overview of high school requirements with a focus on freshman schedule specifics
 - Hear from freshman teachers about their courses
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CALVIN DRAMATIC SOCIETY presents Merideth Willson's **The Music Man**

The Music Man is a fun, family-friendly show. The large cast of varying ages includes some of our very own middle-schoolers!

Performances are on February 13 and 14 at 7:00 pm
and February 15 at 5:00 pm at Godwin Heights High School.

Tickets are on sale now at <https://www.classy.org/event/the-music-man/e267765>

Please note that all CCMS 8th grade & all CCHS students are NOT required to go onto this link to purchase a ticket as they are FREE if they show their student ID at the door*

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.**
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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.**

Middle School Students: Donate to have a Fine Dining Experience at school with your wait staff to be none other than the excellent teachers of CCMS! Date to be determined. Fine time to be had by all!! (4 names drawn, each may bring a friend)

You can purchase a \$5 ticket in the office to be entered into the drawing. Tickets will also be available at the auction on February 8. We will draw the winners at the auction about 8:15 PM. You do not need to 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)**. You can easily sign up and pay at this 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.

Update: You can pick up forms for winter weekend in the ms office.

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

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 NEED POP! Thank you for your continued support in making Fri-YAY a huge success! Click on the link below to sign up to donate! Thank you!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E044CA9AD23A3F49-friyay>



SUMMER CAMP: Registration for Squires Sports Camp is now OPEN! If your child is going into 1st-8th grade and you are looking for a way for them to be more active, Squires Sports Camp is the place for you!

Camp runs June 15-19 from 9-3 on Monday through Thursday and 9-noon on Friday. Register at gccssportscamps.com today!

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

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:

1/29 Legacy Chr, Home

2/3 Practice 3-4:30

2/4 Zeeland Chr, Home

2/5 Practice 3-4:30

7th Girls Basketball:

1/30 Practice 3:30-5

2/3 Practice 4:30-6

2/4 @ Zeeland Chr.

2/6 Practice 3:30-5

HOT LUNCH NEWS:

MS & HS Hot Lunch Calendar

MS Hot Lunch Links

Need to cancel your MS pre-ordered lunch?

Calendar

2/6 8th grade parent info night

2/8 School Auction

2/14 All School Chapel

2/20 6th grade wax museum

2/21 NO SCHOOL - Midwinter break

2/29 Soup supper, HS gym, to support music dept

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:

Social skills group for adopted adolescents: [See flyer 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](#).