

**Spirit Week Passage:**  
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**SPIRIT WEEK IS NEXT  
WEEK!**

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**Distinctive  
EDUCATION**

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**And More!!**

If you're new to Cornerstone, then you may not know about "Spirit Week." It's our annual spiritual emphasis week and the students have Chapel every day with special speakers and formation groups. This year our theme for Upper School is "Not A Fan" based on the book of the same name by Kyle Idleman. Daily speakers include Austin Parker, Drew Moore, Brandon Grant, and Chris Hardy (a former CCA teacher). Returning alums Nick Chambers and Milly Garvin will also lead worship. Chapel meets at 8:15 AM. Lower School Chapel will feature Pastor Nate Best, a former Cornerstone Bible teacher. Chapel for Lower School will meet at 1:00 PM. Please plan to come sometime during the week to join us!



**TEXTING/PHONE USAGE!**

Parents, PLEASE refrain from using your cell phone while you are in our parking lot! While we are not an official "school zone" because of our location, texting or talking on a cell while you are trying to navigate pick-up or drop-off is a safety hazard. We've had some complaints about this, so please help us to keep our students safe.

**CCA NEXT WEEK . . .**

**4's & 5's TO THE FARM!**

- ◆ Today: ECIC Tourney continues @ Judah Christian—CCA will play Uni-High for 3rd place -6PM
- ◆ Monday-Friday: SPIRIT WEEK; Scholastic Bowl Practice- 3:30PM in Room 161; Chess Club in the Library-3:15-4:30 PM; IHSA Boys' Basketball Regional @ LeRoy-6PM
- ◆ Tuesday: HS Boys' Baseball Parent/Student Meeting-5:45-Room 143
- ◆ Wednesday: Prayer Circle in the Conference Room-8:30 AM; MS Track Parent/Student Meeting @ 3:45 in Room 143
- ◆ Thursday: Scholastic Bowl Match @ Metcalf-4PM

Our 4's & 5's preschool classes will be heading for the farm next Thursday. The needed permission slip can be found on the website and is due back by Monday.

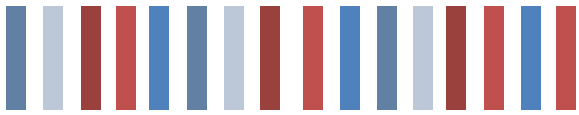
**PRESCHOOL READING NIGHT TONIGHT!!**

Our Preschool students and their families are invited to our "Family Reading Night" tonight from 6:30-7:30 PM. Children may dress in their p.j.s and bring blankets to sit on. We'll be in the hallways all around the school! A special guest has been invited to join us, so plan to come and join the fun—see you tonight!

**YOUR BODY, GOD'S PLAN**

This free program is designed with 5th graders in mind! It presents sex education from a distinctly Christian perspective, and will be held on 2 consecutive Sunday afternoons: April 15th and April 22nd. All sessions will be held at the Parke Hotel on Towanda-Barnes Road and will begin at 3:00 PM. **A mandatory parent meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 3rd at the Parke Hotel at 7:00 PM.** Please note that you must be able to attend BOTH Sunday sessions in order to participate. Dads come with their sons, and Moms with daughters. The program is free, but reservations must be made with the school office. Questions? E-mail April Kinzinger at [april.kinzinger@cornerstonechristian.com](mailto:april.kinzinger@cornerstonechristian.com).





Keep reading!  
Remember,  
**EVERY  
MINUTE COUNTS!**

## DENTAL & PHYSICAL FORMS

Parents, if you have a currently enrolled kindergartener, 2nd grader or 6th grader, we must have a current dental form (since 5/15/11) on file in the school office. If you are a parent of an incoming kindergartener, 6th grader or 9th grader, please know that state law requires physical forms to be on file by the first day of school each fall.. **Students will not be able to start school in August without their form on file.**

## LIBRARY BOOK DAMAGE . . .

In the unfortunate event that a Cornerstone library book becomes damaged, please returned the book to the librarian. She has special materials to use to try to repair it. Please do not try to do home-repairs! There may also be a damaged book fee assessed to your account.

## HIGH SCHOOL BOYS' BASEBALL

An information meeting for parents and students will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 21st at 5:45 in Room 143.

## SAVE THE DATE!!

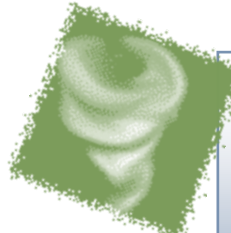
Saturday, May 19 will be Cornerstone Night at the Normal Cornbelters!

## ECIC CONFERENCE TOURNEY TONIGHT!

The Cornerstone Cyclones will play Uni-High from Urbana for 3rd place tonight in the finals of the ECIC Tournament. The game will begin at 6PM at Judah Christian High School.

## IHSA BOYS' BASKETBALL REGIONAL

Cornerstone will open Regional play on Monday night at LeRoy High School. The Cyclones will play LeRoy at 6PM in the first quarter-final game. Come out to cheer the Cyclones!



# CYCLONES!!

## MARCH LUNCH FORMS

Lunch forms for March have been posted on the school website. Please return them to the office by next Friday, Feb. 24th.

## EXTENDED CARE

Before/After School Care invoices for January were e-mailed to you. They are due by Feb. 29th. Thanks for staying current!

## HIGH SCHOOL BREAKFAST MONDAY!

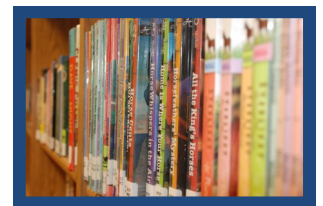
A pre-Spirit Week breakfast will be held Monday at 7:30 AM in the UTSA for all high school students. Freshman should bring fruit, sophomores-baked goods, juniors-tableware, and senior-casseroles or drinks.

## MIDDLE SCHOOL TRACK

An information meeting for parents and students will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 22nd at 3:45 PM in Room 143. Please remember you must have a current physical on file *and pay their athletic fee* to participate.

## BOOK CLUB

Book Club will meet on Wednesday, March 21st from 3:15-4:00 PM in the library. The book for March is Cameron Townsend: Good News in Every Language from the *Christian Heroes: Then and Now* series. Cameron Townsend began Wycliffe Bible Translators after God called him to translate the Bible into the language of his Guatemalan friends. Students may purchase the book in the library for \$5.00.



## HANDBOOK CORNER

### *Before/After School Care*

Billable in fifteen (15) minute increments, the cost for care is \$8.00/hour for 1 child, and \$10.00/hour for two or more children. There is a \$1.00 per minute fee for every minute past 5:30 PM. No pre-registration is required to use After School Care. *Should a parent be consistently late, the Academy reserves the right to suspend all extended care privileges. If a parent is over one month behind in extended care fees, all extended care privileges will be suspended. Page 26, Parent-Student Handbook*

