



Cheetah Family News

(615) 472-4300

November 30th, 2018

1000 Secluded Lane

Dear Parents,

We want to thank you all for your generosity and support of the Cheetah Chase fundraiser. As of today, the school has raised \$33,000 which is \$8,000 above our initial goal. This is a substantial amount of money that will be used to directly support our students. Many thanks to our PTO members who did an excellent job of promoting, planning, and coordinating the event. By running it themselves, they saved thousands of dollars that will stay at our school. We will be prioritizing our needs in the next few weeks and will provide details as to how the money will be allocated.

Once again, we thank you for your donations, participation, and support of our school community. We are very fortunate to have such devoted parents. Have a wonderful weekend!

Best,
Dr. Garrett

Thank
You!

IMPORTANT DATES

- December 6th- 3rd grade field trip
- December 7th- 2nd grade field trip
- December 13th- CRES chorus concert at 6:00
- December 20th- Jingle Bell Walk to School
- December 21st- ½ day for students
- December 24-December 4th- Winter Break



If you would like to pick up a gift for one of our families on our school Angel Tree see the sign up below

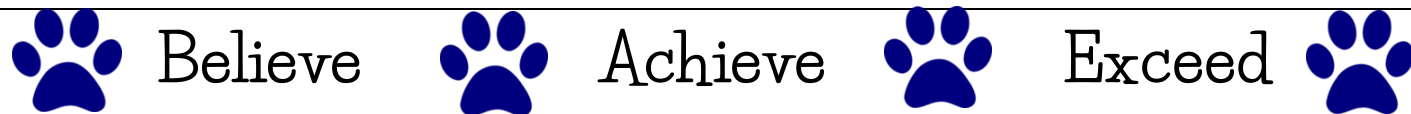
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PTO

Update

Thanks again for all of your support during our Cheetah Chase! Everyone had a blast during the Run! We have made a **total of \$33,000!** Donations can be made through December 1. When donations close we will announce class winners and top class earners! Also, spirit wear is on sale through December 2nd. Use the following link to shop.

<https://cresspiritwear8.itemorder.com/sale>



Cheetah Council Winter Warmth Drive



The Cheetah Council Winter Warmth Drive

We are collecting donations of new hats, scarves, gloves, and Hand Warmers for the Homeless people of Nashville.



We are also collecting canvas/drawstring bags & back packs (can be used).

If you would like to donate, please send items to school November 26th – December 10th.

THE TREE IS AT THE TOP OF THE MAIN STAIRWELL OUTSIDE THE BALCONY OVERLOOKING THE FOYER. PLEASE TAKE A CLOTHESPIN AND CLIP YOUR ITEM TO THE TREE!

If you have any questions, you contact Liz Cowan at elizabethc1@wcs.edu



Spring 2019 registration for the Elementary World Language Program (EWLP) is now open!

Visit the EWLP Website: <https://www.wcs.edu/district/departments/tla/ewlp/> to:

- complete the **2-step registration process** to enroll and pay by January 4th
- see the list of classes offered
- read FAQ

Classes begin the week of January 14th and end the week of April 8th.

Thank you for valuing language learning in your family. We can't wait to start another semester of language learning!

Contact Adriana.hughes@wcs.edu or christina.gilliland@wcs.edu with questions.



On Thursday, the Spring Hill Rotary Club and TriStar Bank presented Chapman's Retreat with a check for \$2,770.00 for having the most student participation in the annual Grey Ghost 1K and 5K race. Way to go, Cheetahs!!

Calling All 5th Graders

Spring Station is collecting information on interest in Orchestra and/or Chorus for 2019 - 2020 year. Please complete the survey using the link below:

<https://goo.gl/forms/olSr8a2fTg6HZhFd2>

MUSICAL THEATRE

If your child would like to be involved in our 1st CRES Musical Theatre Night, please make plans to attend our informational meeting on Monday, December 10th at 6:00. Please also read the attached flyer for more information!



Come support your Cheetah Singers at the Winter Chorus Concert! It will be held in the CRES Gym on December 13th at 6:00 pm. We will be singing about all things Winter. Hope to see you there!



Buzz from the Art Room

I can hardly believe it is almost December, or will be when you get this newsletter! We have been working hard to get our artwork uploaded to Artsonia. Please feel free to join your student's fan club and leave them encouraging messages! Also, the art program gets a percentage of everything you purchase from Artsonia!

- Kindergarten is working on drawing skills and overlapping objects.
- First grade is exploring the world of collage using decorative papers.
- Second grade is learning about Folk Art and creating their own compositions inspired by Raphael Perez and Rita Molina!
- Third grade is finishing up our pixel portraits of our Biography subjects.
- Fourth grade is masking off trees and creating snowscapes with birch trees.
- Fifth graders are exploring how to create optical illusions!

The Art Room is in need of clorox/lysol wipes if you have any you could send in to us! Thank you for allowing me to be a part of your child's education!

-Miss. B

News from the Gym...



For the next two weeks, the sound of 120 bowling pins and 12 rolling bowling balls will be heard in gym class. Thanks to a special county wide program, students will get to experience bowling during their Physical Education class. While learning the fundamentals of bowling, students will enjoy "Bowling for Dollars," where they will receive money for pins knocked down, consolidate their bills, and sum their money as a team, at the end of class. Will it be real money? We will let you ask your child.



Mark your calendars and grab your holiday gear! Our jingle bell walk to school day will take place on Thursday, December 20th! We hope you and your family will make plans to join us on the path!



It is wonderful that we have a crossing guard to assist us here at CRES. However, there has been some confusion as to her direct role. Her priorities at CRES are to make sure that our walkers cross the road safely and get the school buses in and out of our school as safely and quickly as possible, because a couple of our buses have double routes. On Mondays when the middle and high schools have Power Mondays, she typically cannot get back to CRES in time to help. We understand that extra traffic can often occur, and road construction is ongoing. Therefore, we ask for your patience and recommend you give yourself a couple extra minutes if you are driving your student to and from school. These extra minutes are also a great time to have quality conversations with your little ones as well. Thank you for your understanding

News from Nurse Gloria



Parents,

It's that time year again when we are seeing illnesses starting. When you're not sure if your child should be at school please refer to our illness policy.

Please don't send your child if they say they are sick and tell them to make it through lunch. This puts our other students at risk for illnesses.

Head lice... those dreaded words. We are not seeing a ton of lice at our school. However, please check your child's head nightly. Early detection is the best. If your child contracts lice please call me and I'll instruct you as to what WCS requires.