



### **Week 22: February 9, 2024**

### **CMMS Electronic Announcement Board**

The CMMS National Junior Honor Society inducted 30 new members Wednesday evening. To be selected for NJHS, inductees must have earned a 3.5 grade point average, which must be maintained to continue their membership. They also worked to complete at least ten service hours within their community. Congratulations on this accomplishment!

Inductees include: Marquis Boyd, Jr., Morgan Brigham, Tyler Burnett, Seth Butler, Makayla Cannon, Damian Cerda, Jadell Climons, Richard Cobbins, Kambria Cook, Van Decker, Michael Downing, Sofia Estrada, Kenseth Ferrell, Lillian Gerk, Sydney Golden, Teazhay Green, Gavin Jemilo, Lucinda Joyce, Savannah Koppers, Wyatt Love, Malia Morgan, Anthony Perozzi, London Shelton, Rylee Stoll, Trinity Sterdivant Richardson, Joseph Sulka, Jakiyah Sutherland, Henry Van Wyhe, and Joy Webb. NJHS current officers who delivered speeches and continue to uphold the organization's expectations included Samone Douyon, Alexis Farquhar, Shanelle Dillworth, Katelyn Cuaresma, and Aniyah Jenkins. CMMS NJHS Sponsors are Mrs. Petro & Mrs. Urbanczyk LINK TO PHOTOS

Congratulations to our 8th grade Boys Basketball team on a phenomenal season. The Warriors ended their season on Monday night to a tough opponent in Mahomet-Seymour with a final score of 37-35. Jack Deutch was also awarded the Sportsmanship Pin. We are very proud of you, Warriors and can't wait to see what you all do together in the future!







Thank you to all of the parents who have already completed our IL 5 Essentials Parent Survey! This week's T-Shirt Winners are Elise Curliss & Devere Nelson: Please complete the survey & enter to WIN!



CMMS PARENTS & GUARDIANS

TAKE THE ILLINOIS 5ESSENTIALS SURVEY

TODAY & BE ENTERED TO WIN WEEKLY

PRIZES OR ONE OF OUR GRAND PRIZES!!



### Weekly Raffle

TURN IN YOUR SURVEY CONFIRMATION TO MS. CHRISOS BY THE DATES LISTED BELOW AND YOUR CHILD WILL BE ENTERED TO WIN ONE OF OUR EXCLUSIVE WARRIORS T-SHIRTS! ONLY A LIMITED NUMBER OF SHIRTS WILL BE AWARDED! WEEKLY DEADLINES:

- FEBRUARY 1
- FEBRUARY 8
- FEBRUARY 15
- FEBRUARY 22
- FEBRUARY 29
- MARCH 7
- MARCH 14
- MARCH 21



### Grand Prize Raffle

ALL COMPLETED SURVEY ENTRIES WILL BE ENTERED INTO OUR GRAND PRIZE RAFFLE! YOUR FAMILY COULD WIN:

- OLIVE GARDEN DINNER ON US
- EMAGINE THEATER GIFT CARD
- URBAN AIR GIFT CARD
- AMAZON GIFT CARD

Do you have more than one student in our building?

Complete the survey for each of your students for more opportunities to win!





CMMS ART SHOWCASE at the EDGE! 6th, 7th and 8th grade ART will be on display!





Hope to see you soon. Thank you!



Celebrate our 9th YEAR!
"CMMS ARTWORK
will be on display
for the month of
February!"

at the Edge Coffee House 1366 Main St., Crete

Thank you for your support!

~Mrs. Johnson

CMMS Art Instructor



## CMMS Arts Presents: Bringing everyone together through the ARTS! CMMS Fine Arts Festival!

We are thrilled to announce the showcase of the Fine Arts at CMMS! This festival brings together the unique talents of the Art, Jazz Band, Choir, Communication Arts/Drama and Orchestra. Bringing together these talented artists, creative minds, and innovative concepts to create a truly unique and inspiring showcase will be an amazing night to remember!



### THURSDAY, February 22nd, 2024 6-8 PM ENTER DOOR #1













### **IMPORTANT!** 8th Grade Information

### 8th Grade OPEN HOUSE is on 2/21! OPEN HOUSE FLYER

 IMPORTANT: 8th Grade parents, please plan on attending this event with your 8th grader. High School Counselors will be explaining the scheduling process for this year.

### 8th Grade Information—ALL EVENTS & ACTIVITIES—PLEASE READ

- EMMS 8th Grade Information\_2024\_English .docx.pdf
- EMMS 8th Grade Information\_2024\_Spanish.docx.pdf

### Mark your Calendars!

- Thursday, February 15, 2024 CMMS Spelling Bee
- Friday, February 16, 2024 11:30 am Dismissal for Students/ Staff School Improvement Day
  - STARRS Assembly/Nacho Incentive Day/ADVISORY/ IL 5 Essentials Student Survey
- Monday, February 19, 2024 NO SCHOOL in Observance of Presidents. Day
- Wednesday, February 21, 2024 8th Grade OPEN HOUSE @ Crete-Monee High School 6-8 pm
   Open House Flyer 2024.pdf
- Thursday, February 22, 2024 CMMS FINE ARTS FESTIVAL @ 6 pm
- Wednesday, February 28, 2024 PTO Meeting @ 6pm
- Friday, March 1, 2024 11:30 am Dismissal for Students/ Staff Records Day & END OF TRIMESTER 2
- Monday, March 4, 2024 NO SCHOOL in Observance of Casimir Pulaski Day
- Wednesday, March 6, 2024 8th Grade CAP/GOWN Picture Day
- Thursday, March 7, 2024 7th Grade Sneaker Ball
- Tuesday, March 12, 2024 CMMS Spring Production (Parent/Family Preview) @ 6 pm
- Wednesday, March 13th & Thursday, March 14th
  - CMMS Spring Production Show Times: 3 pm & 6 pm
- Friday, March 15, 2024 11:30 am Dismissal for Students/ Staff School Improvement Day
  - **PTO MARCH MADNESS EVENT**—Details coming soon!
- Thursday, March 21, 2024 Spring Parent Teacher Conferences 5-8 pm @ CMMS
- Friday, March 22, 2024 NO SCHOOL/School Holiday
- Wednesday, March 27, 2024 PTO Meeting @ 6pm
- Friday, March 29, 2024 NO SCHOOL/Good Friday
- Monday, April 1st—Friday, April 5th NO SCHOOL/SPRING BREAK

CMMS Students will participate in required State Assessments (IAR & ISA) after spring break.

More information will be sent home in advance of that testing window!





Monday, 2/12	Tuesday, 2/13	Wednesday, 2/14	Thursday, 2/15	Friday, 2/16
Day 2-Blue	Day 3-Green	Day 4-Yellow	Day 5-Orange	Day 1-Red
After School E-Journalism Club (Rm 116) Math Club (Rm 112) Design Club (Rm 400) IMSA 6th Grade (Rm 410) IMSA 7th Grade Drama Club Rehearsal Girls Volleyball Practice Boys Volleyball Practice	After School Book Club (Rm 304) IMSA 8th Grade Gloria J. Taylor (Rm 99) Drama Club Rehearsal Spanish Club (Rm 200) Girls Volleyball @ Home vs. Parker (4:15 pm) Boys Volleyball @ Chicago Heights (4:15 pm) Scholastic Bowl @ Home vs. Parker (4:15 pm.)	After School HIGH IMPACT TUTORING Chess Club (Rm 120) Design Club (Rm 400) Student Council Mtg. (Rm 118) Boys Volleyball @ Colin Powell(4:15 pm) Chess @ Colin Powell (4:15 pm) Girls Volleyball @ Home vs. Colin Powell (4:15 pm)	CMMS SPELLING BEE  After School HIGH IMPACT TUTORING Battle of the Books Drama Club Rehearsal Boys Volleyball Practice Girls Volleyball Practice	11:30 AM Dismissal for Student  Staff School Improvement Day  NO After School Activities

Calling all 6th, 7th and 8th grade girls! Heart & Sole (the middle school version of Girls on the Run) will meet after school twice a week (Mondays & Wednesdays) starting in early March. You will learn important life skills while training to run a 5k. The program is completely free this year. All skill levels welcome, no previous running experience is required. Sign up is located HERE or paper forms may be picked up in the Main Office. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Scofield or Ms. Bollam.











## BUILDING A BETTER FINANCIAL FUTURE! Navigate the path to financial success and entrepreneurial spirit!

### **UNLEASH YOUR POTENTIAL!**

LEARN ABOUT MONEY MANAGEMENT, BUSINESS, AND TRADES FROM EXPERTS. KICKSTART YOUR JOURNEY TO FINANCIAL INDEPENDENCE AND INNOVATION.

## BUILDING A BETTER ME! Cultivate meaningful connections and personal growth!

### STRENGTHEN YOUR CONNECTIONS!

GET EXPERT ADVICE ON NURTURING TRUST AND SETTING BOUNDARIES IN RELATIONSHIPS. MAKE A PROMISE TO YOURSELF TO IMPROVE AND VALUE YOUR INTERACTIONS.

# A BETTER "U"! Embark on a journey of self-improvement and community impact!

### TRANSFORM YOURSELF!

GAIN INSIGHTS FROM ALUMNI DEDICATED TO COMMUNITY SERVICE. PLEDGE TO PERSONAL GROWTH AND DISCOVER LOCAL VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES.

### **EXPLORE. GROW. CONNECT: EMPOWERING PANELS FOR YOU!**



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### **FEBRUARY 19TH**

10 AM - 2 PM

**CRETE-MONEE HIGH SCHOOL** 

1515 W. EXCHANGE - DOOR 2

JOIN US TO IGNITE YOUR FUTURE, EMBRACE PERSONAL GROWTH, AND BUILD STRONGER RELATIONSHIPS! SECURE YOUR SPOT NOW!

**BREAKFAST & LUNCH PROVIDED** 





### Crete Woman's Club

SPRING 2024

## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

now available!

College and Technical/Trade Scholarships available to all Students residing in School District 201 U.

Summer Camp Scholarships

Music, Sports, Art, Drama and Academic Classes

Available to 3rd through 11th grade students who reside in School District 201U







Community Resources! Please check the following links for community resources or events that may be of interest to your family:				
<u>Home Weatherization_ENG</u> <u>Home Weatherization_SP</u>	<u>GSU Legal Clinic</u>			
Community Closet <u>Richton Park</u>	Illinois Welcome Flier English & Spanish			
<u>Food Pantry List (Spanish)</u>	Schoolhouse Counseling (Spanish)			
Catholic Charities Rent & Mortgage Assistance				
Will County Center for Community Concerns				

#### **KEY REMINDERS:**

- **DRESS CODE UPDATE**: Please take a moment to review our **REVISED STUDENT DRESS CODE** with your child.
- ID's: All students received a color coded ID and lanyard. It is the student's responsibility to wear both around their neck at all times during the school day and on our buses. Your account will automatically be charged \$5 every time a replacement ID/lanyard needs to be issued.
- <u>Clear Backpacks</u>: ALL students have received their school issued CLEAR Backpacks. <u>CMMS Backpack Expectations</u> were reviewed and all students received a physical copy as well. Every student has the same backpack, so to help with any confusion, we welcome your child individualizing their bag by adding a distinctive sticker or name tag to their backpack.
- <u>Cell Phones</u>: All cell phones and non-school issued electronic devices need to be turned off and put away during the school day. Students who fail to adhere to this expectation will be subject to Board sanctioned consequences. .
  - cm201u-cell-policy-flyer.pdf
- **Chromebooks:** Students are expected to bring their charged chromebook daily. If your child has LOST their charger, please purchase a replacement on Amazon. Click on the appropriate grade level to go straight to the website.
  - o 6th Grade Charger 7th & 8th Grade Charger
- **Water Bottles**: We have bottle fillers located throughout the building. It is up to your child to bring in a filled OR refillable water bottle from home, particularly on hot days. Please make sure your child's name is clearly written on their bottle.

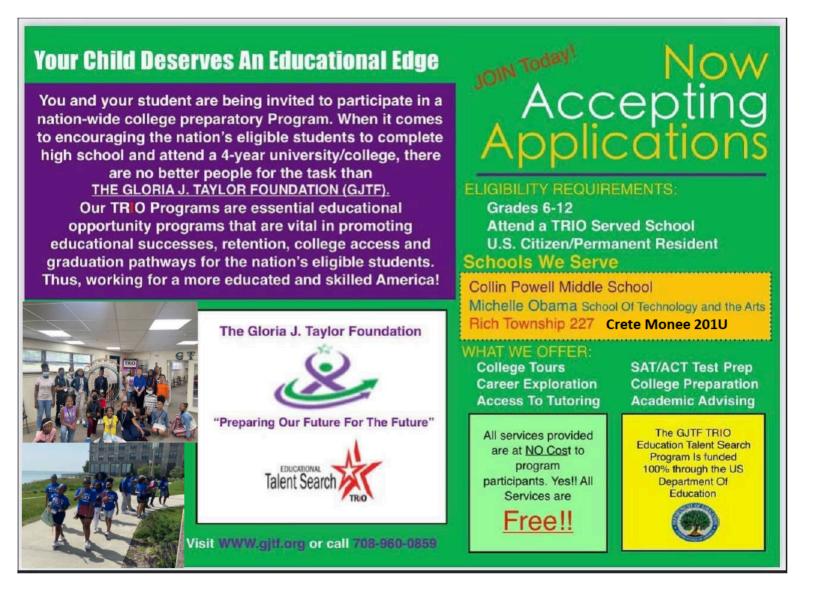
**CMMS Contact List:** Please take a moment to save this list for any future needs that you may have. This is contact information for our Administrative Team, Secretarial Staff, Grade Level Counselors, Pupil Personnel Services Staff and Instructional Facilitators. **CMMS Office Staff Directory & Contact Information** 

### Parental Involvement Information:

- REVIEW and SIGN OFF on the Parent, Student & Staff Compact Form
- REVIEW our Student & Family Handbook with your child
- CHECK Family Access WEEKLY! Grades are updated every week!
- Join the PTO: WCMMS PTO Membership Form 8.2023.docx







Click here to access our **Application Packet** 

Gloria J. Taylor Foundation meetings are held at CMMS Room 99 on Tuesdays from 2:45-4:10 p.m.