

CORNERSTONE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL CHRONICLE

"Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory forever and ever." Amen.

Matthew 6:9-13

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From the Superintendent's Desk

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Manifest- verb.

- to show something clearly, through signs or actions
- to demonstrate, reveal, show or make seen.

Has a word ever captured your attention? The deepest word **manifest** has captured my attention. To manifest is to show clearly through both signs and actions, to demonstrate and make seen. And the deepest understanding of manifest is the demonstration of the Lord Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior, as He clearly through both signs and wonders reveals Himself to our broken world.

The Lord has been leading me to ponder and consider how He manifests Himself to us. It is always in His grace and His truth and His love. He manifests, reveals Himself to us in creation, makes Himself seen in the everyday of our world as we see His mercy and faithfulness.

He manifests, demonstrates, His holiness to us.

As a pleasing aroma I will accept you, when I bring you out from the peoples and gather you out of the countries where you have been scattered. And I will manifest my holiness among you in the sight of the nations. Isaiah 20:41

He manifests, reveals, His love to us.

Whoever has my commandments and keeps them, he it is who loves me. And he who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I will love him and manifest myself to him. John 14:21

He manifests, makes seen, His glory to us.

And say, Thus says the Lord God: "Behold, I am against you, O Sidon, and I will manifest my glory in your midst. And they shall know that I am the Lord when I execute judgments in her and manifest my holiness in her." Ezekiel 28:22

He manifests, shows in signs and actions, His grace to us.

The story of Jonah is the most significant revealing, manifesting of God's grace as we see the Lord's willingness to redeem the nation of Nineveh and His restoring of Jonah. In the midst of Jonah's prayer to the Lord from the depths of the sea in the bowels of a fish, Jonah says,

Those who cling to worthless idols forfeit the grace that could be theirs. Jonah 2:8

Do not cling to worthless idols. Do not forfeit the grace God is offering to you, the grace He is revealing to you, manifesting to you in His great love.

*In this the love of God was made manifest among us,
that God sent his only Son into the world,
so that we might live through him. 1 John 4:9*

October

Oct 2	Picture Retakes
Oct 4	First Quarter Ends
Oct 5 - 6	No School; Teacher In-Service
Oct 9 - 13	Missionary Mania
Oct 11	Family Night Out; Godfathers Twin Creek
Oct 19	No School; Parent Teacher Conferences
Oct 20	No School; Teacher Work Day
Oct 26 - 29	HS Missions Trips

November

Nov 3	Midterm
Nov 3	Harvest Party; 6:30-9pm in The Range
Nov 9	Midterm, Grades Sent Home
Nov 10	No School, Veterans Day Observed
Nov 16	Thanksgiving Meal Lunch
Nov 22-24	No School; Thanksgiving Break



Notes from the Front Office:

Parent Teacher Conferences
October 19th, 1pm - 7pm
In the PreK - Middle School "Range"
K-5th Conferences will be held in 15
minute increments.

Click on the link below to register:

[Register Here](#)

Middle and High School Conferences
are on a first come, first served basis.
No appointment necessary.



Godfather's Pizza

**CCS FAMILY NIGHT OUT IS WEDNESDAY,
OCTOBER 11TH AT THE TWIN CREEK LOCATION.
SKIP THE DISHES AND COME OUT FOR A SLICE
OF PIE IN SUPPORT OF OUR SCHOOL!**

Harvest Party

**Friday, November 3rd
6:30-9pm in The Range**

All families are welcome to attend with a free will donation. There will be games, candy, concessions, and raffle baskets. Students are encouraged to dress up. Please make sure all costumes are honoring to our Lord and follow Cornerstone guidelines. All proceeds will go towards Cornerstone Cuba.

Hosted by:
National Honor Society

HIGH SCHOOL QUIZ BOWL
**IS YOUR STUDENT INTERESTED IN
QUIZ BOWL? BE SURE TO CHECK OUT
THE ATHLETICS SECTION (PG.6) FOR
INFORMATION ON SIGNING UP!**





IN THE CLASSROOM

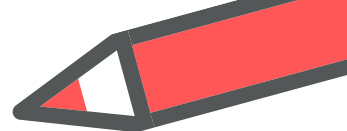


HIGH SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHY

YOUR WORLD ASSIGNMENT

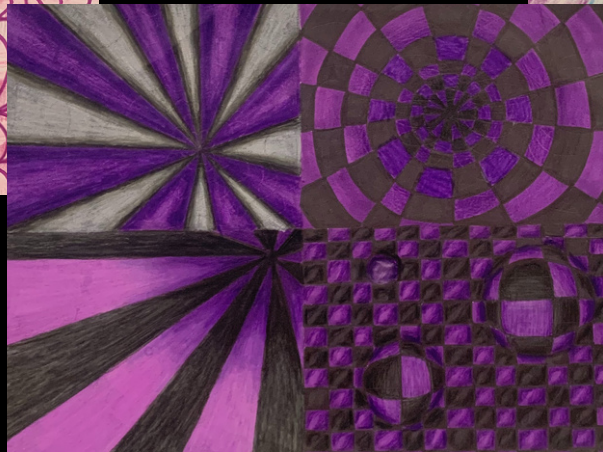
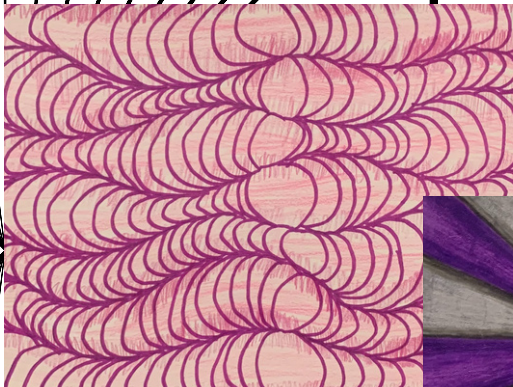
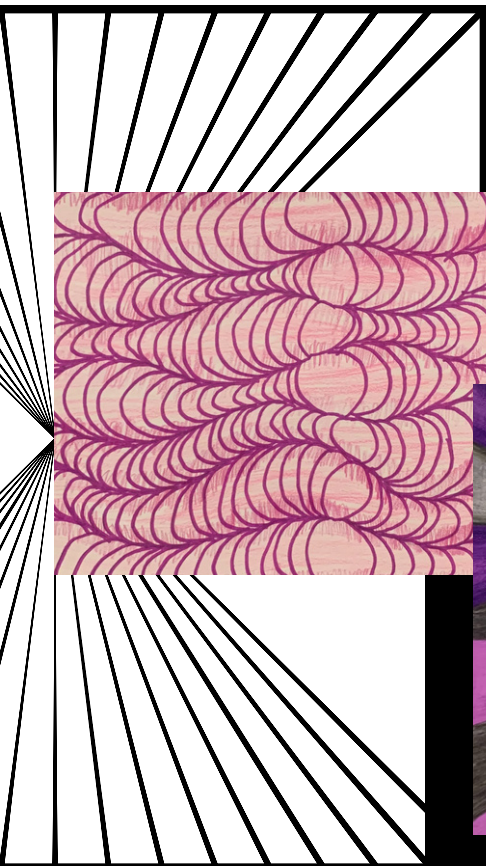
**STUDENTS HAVE TO TAKE 5 PICTURES TO
BEST REPRESENT THEIR LIFE. SINCE
THEY SPEND 8+ HOURS AT CCS THEY
WERE TOLD TO INCLUDE AT LEAST ONE
PICTURE FROM SCHOOL.**



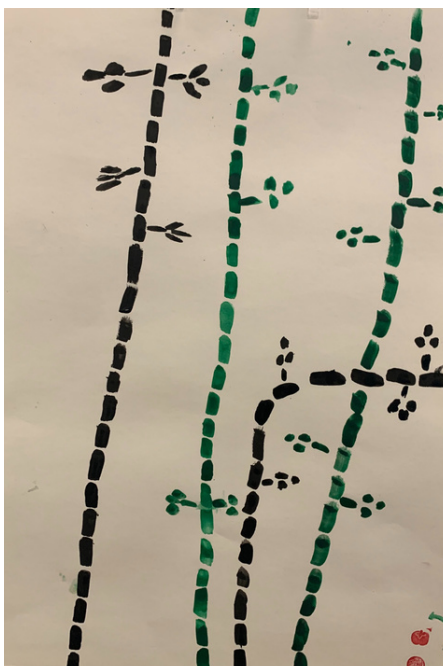


STUDENT GALLERY

8TH GRADE
OPTICAL ILLUSION ART:
BASED ON THE WORKS OF
VICTOR VASARELY



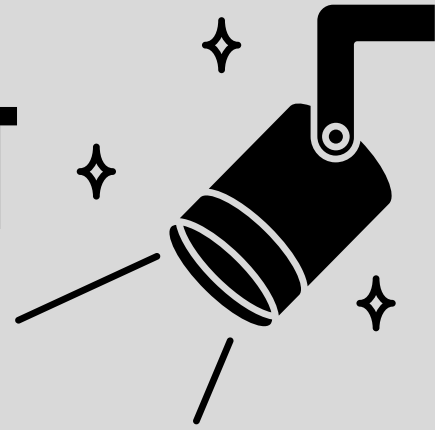
2ND GRADE
BAMBOO ART: BASED ON
THE WORKS OF LI KAN



Bamboo and Rocks,
1318



STAFF SPOTLIGHT



Ann Zessin
Hall of Fame Inductee

This month one of our very own, Mrs. Zessin is being inducted into her Alma mater's Hall of Fame for gymnastics. Ann is our Health and Nutrition Instructor for High School and our Elementary PE Instructor.

Congratulations on such an achievement, Mrs. Zessin!

(excerpt from University of Wisconsin-Whitewater website)

Ann Kingsnorth Zessin was a member of the UW-Whitewater gymnastics team from 2001-04. A two-time national qualifier, she went on to tie for fourth in the all-around at the 2004 National Collegiate Gymnastics Association championship to earn All-America honors. Zessin was an All-Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference honoree in three events in 2003 and in the all-around in 2004. Zessin was a member of a team that held multiple program records during the previous scoring era (only four scores were used) including six of the top 20 team scores on the floor exercise including the program record, seven of the top 20 team scores on the uneven bars including the program record, four of the top 20 scores on the balance beam and the fourth-highest team vault score. A three-year honoree on the WIAC's Scholastic Honor Roll, the Oak Lawn, Illinois native graduated in 2005 with a bachelor's degree in physical education.





October



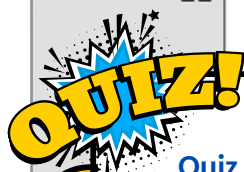
Cornerstone Christian School

Educating children to become learners – equipped with Godly character and Biblical Truth

November 2023

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5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2 Volleyball CCS vs College View Academy HS Tennis vs Brownell Talbot	Picture Retakes 3 Volleyball CCS vs Louisville HS Tennis vs Standing Bear	1 st Quarter Ends 4	No School 5 Teacher In Service Volleyball CCS vs Omaha Nation HS XCcountry Frontier Conference	No School 6 Teacher In Service HS Football @Conestoga Tennis NSAA Tournament	7 Tennis NSAA Tournament
8	9 Columbus Day	10 Volleyball CCS vs Whiting	11	12 Volleyball Frontier Conference HS XCcountry Districts HS Football @Brownell-Talbot	13 Volleyball Frontier Conference	14
15	16	17	18 Volleyball Frontier Conference	No School 19 Parent Teacher Conferences	No School 20 Teacher In Service HS XCcountry State Championships	21
22	23 Volleyball Subdistricts	24	25	26	27	28 Volleyball Districts



HIGH SCHOOL QUIZ BOWL HAS BEGUN!

Quiz Bowl Meets Thursdays from 7:00-8:00 am in Mrs. Kieser's room and again Thursdays during home room in Mrs. Mott's room. Tournaments are primarily on Saturdays (usually 8-3) and will go through the end of the school year. All are welcome! A registration [form](#) is required plus the registration fee of \$100.00.



IN FOCUS IN FOCUS

RETREAT HIGHLIGHTS



Middle School Retreat



High School Retreat





IN FOCUS IN FOCUS

HOMECOMING HIGHLIGHTS



SPIRIT WEEK



Twin Day



Country vs. Country Club



SENIORS!



Color Wars



Homecoming
Dance



Autumn

Checklist



- Pick Apples
- Rake Leaves
- ...Jump in!
- Visit the Pumpkin Patch
- Bake a Pie
- Decorate the House
- Eat a Fall Treat
- Make a Fall Craft
- Go for a Nature Walk
- Collect Pretty Leaves
- Try some Apple Cider
- Go on a Hayride
- Have a Cozy Movie Marathon