



The Cougar Update

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Head "Into the Woods"...

Students will perform the award-winning Broadway musical *Into the Woods* next week! Performances are on Thursday and Friday, May 17 and 18, at 7 PM and on Saturday, May 19, at 2 PM. This musical combines several familiar fairy tales of the Grimm Brothers and adds memorable music.

This is a family-friendly show that you will not want to miss. We have some amazingly talented students who will be putting on an outstanding production. You can buy tickets online! Check out the page on our website which has a link to the ticketing service:

<https://www.conestogachristian.net/intothewoods>

Ice Pops on Monday

The 2nd grade class is partnering with a missionary in Cambodia, Marlin Petersheim. He is directly related to two of our very own teachers and some of our students! The 2nd grade class is raising money to help Marlin and his wife buy a bed and mattress set for their spare bedroom to house guests while they serve in Cambodia.

To help reach their class goal of \$500, 2nd grade will be selling ice pops during lunch on Monday, May 14! These will be available for all: ES, MS, and HS!

Ice pops will be sold for 25 cents each. If you would like to help support Marlin Petersheim and his wife, please send your child with a quarter (or a few) on Monday the 14th.

Changes for Next Year

News from Mr. Parris

As we quickly approach graduation and the conclusion of the 2017/18 school year, plans are well underway for the 2018/19 school year. There will be some changing faces and assignments regarding our staff for next year:



Into the Woods
May 17, 18, 19

Mrs. Palladino will move from part-time to full time. Mrs. Palladino will teach ES music and 2 HS courses - Basic English and Research Skills.

Miss Thompson will also join us full-time. Miss Thompson will be teach ES art, 6th grade Bible, and ES/MS computer classes.

Miss Timberlake took over for Mrs. Bernard in the HS this past January, Miss Timberlake will move to full-time, teaching MS social studies (that is where her degree is) as well as MS Bible and Videography, a high school elective.

Miss Miklas will be the only teacher leaving us at the end of this school year. Miss Miklas currently teaches social studies part-time in the middle school. She will be missed.

If your student has had the privilege of being taught by Miss Miklas, please reach out to her and let her know how much she has meant to you. Our prayers go with Miss Miklas as she begins a new chapter in her life. Not only is she moving on from CCS, she is getting married this summer!

We are actively interviewing teachers to fill the HS English position and to add another Resource Room teacher.

One of the blessings in having Mrs. Palladino, Miss Thompson, and Miss Timberlake move to full-time is that we can expand our curricular offerings at the high school level while continuing to develop the elementary program.

Basket Case?

Mrs. Carter would love to have you email her to say you can help with class baskets for next year's auction! She needs a parent from each class to organize the basket. The only parents she has lined up so far are for next year's 2nd, 10th, and 12th grades. It's a fun job to find items on a particular theme and make a "basket" to sell at the auction. Contact her for more information if this sounds like a way you can help. Her email address is: cindycarter1@gmail.com



Little Conestoga Preschool Is Blooming



Much like the flowers this spring, our littlest (and biggest too:) Jr. Cougars are growing and blooming and so is our preschool! It's not quite the middle of May, and all three of our preschool programs are almost at full enrollment capacity for the 2018/19 school year. There are only a few slots left! If you have not enrolled or re-enrolled your little one, please plan to do so as soon as possible. Once we are full, we will begin a wait list. It's so exciting to witness God's will and faithfulness in our school and His precious children! If you have any questions about our Little Conestoga Preschool or the enrollment

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Upcoming Events at CCS:

- May 17, 18 & 19, *Into the Woods* (spring musical)
- May 22, HS Athletic Banquet
- May 24, Evening of Science and the Arts
- May 25, Field Day
- May 25, Last Day of Pre-school
- May 28, No School, Memorial Day
- May 29, MS Sports Reception

Connections:

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Athletics

process, please feel contact Michelle Parris at: michelle.parris@conestogachristian.net

International Student Trip

AHLI international students used their international meal fundraiser monies for a fabulous spring day trip to NYC led by Ted Allan and Janet Caley. After traveling by a ferry from Liberty State Park into Manhattan, they visited Freedom Tower, Times Square, and Central Park. A great time was had by all!

