

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS for the week of September 5, 2022

- Sept. 7 <u>Back-to-School Curriculum Night</u> 7:00 PM in Auditorium
- Sept. 8 Basketball Meeting for Parents 6:30 PM in Refectory
- Sept. 10 Girls Volleyball Home Opener 9 AM in Gym
- Sept. 10 Cross Country Jaguars Classic 4 PM at Florence KY
- Sept. 17 Basketball Coaching Meeting 9:00 AM in Refectory

LUNCH MENU FOR SEPTEMBER:

Download from our School Lunch Information page

Back-to-School Curriculum Night

Contact: Mrs. Puglielli | LINK

We invite all parents and guardians to join us on Wednesday, September 7 at 7 PM in the Sojourner Truth Auditorium for our Back-to-School Curriculum Night, where you will get an overview of the year from our Admin Team and then hear from faculty representatives regarding the art, music, and physical education programs. We will then hold three 15-minute sessions in each homeroom with the homeroom teachers, who will give you an overview of their classroom curriculum and culture. You will also have an opportunity to visit with your child's art, music, and PE teacher. Please note that, due to limited space availability, this event is for parents and guardians only. We regret that we cannot accommodate students.

Notification for Student Absences

Contact: Mrs. O'Callaghan

A parent or legal guardian must contact our front office each day his or her child will be absent from school for illness or another reason. To notify the front office please either email <u>attendance@cincyclassical.org</u> or call (513) 554-0285 as early as possible the morning of the absence and at latest by 9:00 AM. Please include your child's full name and the reason for the absence. (Please note that the attendance email address was misprinted in the Family Handbook.)

Car Line Drop-Off Routines

Contact: Mr. Brown | LINK

We continue to work to improve our car line dismissal routine, and we thank you for your patience. In our first week, we improved from ending our dismissal at 4:25 PM (on Tuesday, day one) to ending at 3:45 PM (on Friday, day four). We will have ten Traffic Sentinels (faculty and staff members) assisting with car line and bus dismissal; they are all committed to getting you on your way as quickly and as safely as possible. That being said, there are several steps you can take to assist us in our task:

- Please do not arrive on campus before 2:40 PM. Students are still at recess until this time, and the earlier you come to pick up your child, the longer you will wait. Please keep in mind that we cannot dismiss the first group of car riders until shortly after 3:15 PM.
- If your schedule permits, please consider arriving on campus between 3:30 and 3:45. Those who arrive at this time will have the shortest waits. And, this will alleviate earlier traffic congestion.

- Until our Traffic Sentinels get to recognize you and identify your car easily, please put your family placard in the driver's window when you arrive in the loading zone near the main entrance. This allows us to more efficiently match your child with your vehicle.
- When you arrive in the loading zone near the main entrance, please stand outside your driver's-side door so that your child can see you.

DashPass Update

We know that many of you have successfully downloaded and registered with the DashPass app. For those who have not yet received an invitation to download, you can expect to receive that invitation in the next few days. We hope that this app will assist us in making our dismissal routine more efficient. However, we will likely not begin using DashPass until the week of September 12. You can expect to receive fuller details later this week.

First CLASSICAL Home Game—Ever!

Contact: Mrs. O'Callaghan | LINK

We are excited to announce that our first home athletics competition as a school will be held on Saturday, September 10, at 9:00 AM at home in our gym. Coach Fehlen's fifth and sixth grade girls' volleyball team will be matched against Reading Elementary. This game will be immediately followed by Coach O'Callaghan's fifth and sixth grade game. Please come out to root on our Lady Sentinels and celebrate the CLASSICAL community's inaugural sports competition! We need to fill the stands!

Spirit Shop Online – Open!

Contact: Mrs. Mosely | LINK

We are pleased to announce that the Sentinel Spirit Shop online is now open again. Please place your order by September 16 at 5:00 PM. Orders will be delivered to your student at school in early October. Please type in your student's name and homeroom teacher in the notes section at checkout. All T-shirts, sweatshirts, and quarter zips may be worn by students on school Spirit Wear Days.

Extracurriculars Registration

Contact: Mr. Brown

You can expect to receive a separate email soon with full details on how to register online for our extracurricular offerings. We will be accepting registrations for Choral Ensemble (grades 4-6), Sentinel Service Corps (grades 4-6), Gardening Club (grades K-6), Art Guild (K-6), Chess Club (3-6), Musical Theatre (grades 4-6), and the October soccer clinic (grades 3-6). Please note that Taekwondo registration for the fall session is closed and has reached capacity.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Basketball Parents Meeting—Sept. 8

Contact: Mr. Brown LINK

If you are the parent or guardian of a third to sixth grade boy or girl interested in playing basketball this winter season, please plan on attending an informational meeting in the Cincinnatus Refectory (cafeteria) on September 8 at 6:30 PM. Please be sure you have selected "basketball" (boys or girls) in Final Forms. All athletes are required to have a Pre-Participation Physical Evaluation (PPE). This can be downloaded thru your Final Forms account.

Basketball Coaching Meeting—Sept. 17

Contact: Mr. Brown | LINK

Parents interested in coaching boys or girls basketball this winter are invited to attend a basketball coaching meeting on Saturday, September 17 at 9:00 AM in the Cincinnatus Refectory (Cafeteria). You will need to complete your coaching certification before you can coach our student athletes. Please refer to the list on <u>Coaches Corner</u> on our website for the complete list of requirements.

Basketball Sponsors

Contact: Mrs. Hauck

If you or your company is interested in sponsoring one of our boys or girls basketball teams to help pay for uniforms, please contact us. We are grateful for your assistance.

REMINDERS

School Office Hours

Please note that students must be dropped off between 7:30 AM and 8:10 AM each day. Homeroom bell starts promptly at 8:15 AM. Dismissal begins at 3:15 PM. Please note that parents will not be allowed to escort students into the building and to their classrooms. We'll have several teachers who will cheerfully assist with this task. For security purposes, if you need to visit the Front Office on any school day, we ask you to do that before 7:30 or after 8:20. Thank you for your cooperation!

Substitute Teachers Needed

Contact: Mrs. Puglielli

Ever thought about becoming a substitute teacher? If so, now is the time to step up for students! Learn how YOU can make a difference for CLASSICAL students and how easy it is to get started. Please contact Mrs. Puglielli for more information. The position pays \$100 per day, as needed.

Current Families Resources Page | LINK

Recently, we updated our Cincy Classical website to include a one-stop info page for Current Families. <u>Here</u>, you will find our school events calendar, along with links to the transportation page, the spirit shop, school uniform information, summer reading recommendations, and a contact list so that you might know best whom to contact about various school-related issues.

If you have any questions, please call our front office at (513) 554-0285. We look forward to seeing you and your family on campus soon!