

#### **SENTINEL LIFE** WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

for the week of November 7, 2022

Nov. 07 – Musical Theatre 3:30 PM

Nov. 08 - Taekwondo 3:30 PM

Nov. 09 – Choral Ensemble 3:30 PM

Nov. 09 - Gardening Club 3:30 PM

Nov. 10 – Veterans Day Assembly 1:00 PM

Nov. 10 – Taekwondo 3:30 PM

Nov. 10 - Sentinel Service Corps 3:30 PM

Nov. 11 – Veterans Day. No School

For basketball practice times, please consult the Athletics Calendar

#### **Upcoming Dates of Interest**

Nov. 15 – Deadline for Taekwondo Registration

Nov. 23-25 – Thanksgiving Break

Nov. 28 – Re-Enrollment Period Begins

Dec. 01 - PSO Meeting 7 PM

Dec. 16 - Early Dismissal at 11:45 AM

Dec. 17-Jan. 2 - Christmas Break

#### **LUNCH MENU FOR NOVEMBER:**

Download from our School Lunch Information page

#### **First Quarter Report Cards**

First quarter report cards were sent home with students on Friday. You should have received two copies. If you have not done so already, please sign one of the copies and return it to school with your student. The other copy is yours to keep.

#### **Now Hiring – Communications Manager**

Contact: Mr. Rose | LINK

Are you interested in joining the CLASSICAL team or know someone who is? We just opened our search for a Communications Manager. The Communications Manager is responsible for the planning, development, and implementation of school communication via email, the school website, social media, school apps, daily school announcements, our weekly e-newsletter for parents, and a monthly newsletter designed for the greater school community. For a full job description and application instructions, please visit the LINK above. Deadline to apply is: December 1.

#### **Driving on Siebenthaler**

As you are entering and exiting the campus each day, we ask you to exercise extreme care when driving on Siebenthaler, especially when approaching the hill and its blind spot from either direction. Please observe the 20 MPH speed limit and do not drive while texting or talking on your phone. We continue to

receive complaints from neighbors of erratic driving along this stretch. Please keep in mind that these are our neighbors and we want above all to be respectful and responsible citizens while passing through their neighborhood. Thank you for your understanding and your cooperation.

## **Veteran's Day Assembly & Ceremony**

Contact: Mr. Brown | LINK

Cincy Classical students, faculty, and staff invite all veterans in the CLASSICAL community (including grandparents) to join us for our Veterans Day Assembly and Ceremony, honoring those who have served or currently serve in the U.S. armed forces. The assembly will take place on Thursday, November 10, at 1 PM. Our ceremony will be filled with an Honor Guard and Pipes, recognition of the branches of service, and patriotic songs presented by our students. Since space is limited, we ask you to kindly register online for this event if you plan to attend.

#### Open House – Nov. 10

Contact: Mrs. O'Callaghan | LINK

Cincinnati Classical Academy will hold an Open House for prospective parents on the evening of Thursday, November 10 from 7-9 PM. We will be admitting students in grades K-7 for the 2023-24 academic year. The Open House evening will provide an overview of Cincinnati Classical Academy's academic philosophy, academic plan, school life, sports, extracurriculars, and a detailed explanation of the lottery process of enrollment. Teachers and sixth grade ambassadors will be on hand to answer questions and provide tours throughout the evening. If you know any families who might be interested, please encourage them to register now.

### **Spirit Wear Fridays**

Contact: Mr. Brown

This is just a reminder that every Friday during the school year is Spirit Wear Friday. Students may wear official Classical spirit wear tops on these days. Uniform bottoms, socks, and shoes are still required. Every other day, students will wear their winter uniforms until the final day of the third quarter.

#### **Spirit Wear Shop – Expansion**

Contact: Mrs. Mosley | LINK

The CLASSICAL Spirit Wear Shop is open with an expanded selection of spirit wear. Please place your order by November 16. Orders will be delivered to your student before Christmas break. A percentage of all order totals are rebated back to Cincinnati Classical Academy. Thank you for your support!

#### **Taekwondo Winter Session**

Contact: Master Norman Kim | LINK

Open registration for the Winter session of Taekwondo is open until November 15. We currently have 27 spots open, but please note that registrations are capped at 100 students per session and registrations are first-come, first-served. The winter session of Taekwondo runs from November 29 to February 21. For future reference, the spring session will run from February 23 to May 11.

## PSO Info Meeting & Sign-Up Event – Dec. 1

Contact: Mr. Loehrer | LINK

The Parent Service Organization (PSO) is organized exclusively to support the mission and activities of Cincy Classical through supportive parent volunteer activities. Consistent with its bylaws, the Executive PSO Board is working with the school's administration to finalize an agenda of initiatives to support the arts, athletics, faculty/staff appreciation, and community building for Cincy Classical during this first school year. The PSO Board will be hosting an informational & sign-up event on December 1 to share

planned activities and connect with parents interested in supporting and volunteering over the coming year. The PSO Board and administration are grateful for the engagement and support of CLASSICAL parents, and we look forward to working together as a school community to enrich the experiences of our children.

#### Re-Enrollment for 2023-24

Contact: Mrs. O'Callaghan

On November 28 we will begin the period of re-enrollment for current students. At that time, we will ask you to express your intent to re-enroll your child or children for the 2023-24 school year. We guarantee spots for the 2023-24 school year for all students who are currently enrolled at Cincinnati Classical Academy, provided that the student remains in good academic and disciplinary standing and that re-enrollment is confirmed by December 16. We will provide parents with full details on this simple process prior to Thanksgiving Break.

## Kindergarten Siblings for 2023-24

Contact: Mrs. O'Callaghan

If you have a child who will be entering kindergarten next year (23-24), we kindly ask you to contact our Enrollment Manager, Mrs. O'Callaghan. This helps us to plan for next year. The period of Open Enrollment for the 2023-24 lottery will run from December 19 through February 28. As a parent of a current Cincy Classical student, your student's siblings entering grades K-7 next year will have enrollment priority. If you have a child who is entering kindergarten next year, we will guarantee a seat for that student due to our charter's policy of sibling priority. Please note we can only guarantee a sibling seat for kindergarten. Again, if you have a child who will be entering kindergarten next year (23-24), we kindly ask you to email our Enrollment Manager, Mrs. O'Callaghan.

#### **REMINDERS**

#### **Changes of Address**

Contact: Mrs. O'Callaghan

Reminder: If you have moved, please update your address in FinalForms and email Mrs. O'Callaghan, our Enrollment Manager, at jocallaghan@cincyclassical.org. Thank you!

#### **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 <a href="mailto:attendance@cincyclassical.org">attendance@cincyclassical.org</a> 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. If no reason for the absence is given, we will have to mark the absence as unexcused.

#### **Substitute Teachers**

Contact: Mrs. Puglielli

We continue to build our list of substitute teachers. If you have any interest in working with CLASSICAL students, we would love to hear from you. We can help you obtain the necessary substitute teacher license. It is an easy process. If interested, please contact. Mrs. Puglielli.

# **Current Families Resources Page | LINK**

Did you know that the Cincy Classical website includes 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.