

SENTINEL LIFE WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

for the week of May 1, 2023

Contact: Katherine Swanson, Communications Manager

May 2 – Taekwondo 3:30 PM

May 3 – Gardening Club 3:30 PM

May 3 - Choral Ensemble 3:30 P

May 4 – Taekwondo 3:30 PM

May 5 – Chess Club 3:30 PM

May 6 - Classical Trivia Night 7:00 PM

* for sports practices and games please see the online events calendar

The CLASSICAL Mission

To develop the minds and nourish the hearts of our students through a content-rich curriculum in the classical liberal arts and sciences, with instruction in moral character and civic virtue

LUNCH MENU FOR MAY:

Download from our **School Lunch Information** page



PAINTING OF THE WEEK

May Day Central Park
Maurice Prendergast (1901)

NEW & NOTABLE

Sentinel Scientist!

Congratulations to sixth grader Judah McMurray, who was awarded the Superior rank (the highest possible award) at the Ohio State Science Fair. He is invited to the state award ceremony in Columbus on May 13th. Excellent work, Judah!

Permanent Facilities Update

Contact: Dr. Jed Hartings | LINK

Thank you to all those who came out and joined us for the Board of Director's Permanent Facilities Update. For anyone unable to attend, you may download the presentation using the link above.

Sentinel Summer Camps – Register Now!

Contact: Mrs. Puglielli | LINK

This summer, CLASSICAL will be hosting summer remediation, enrichment, and recreation camps! Camps are for students who are enrolled at Cincinnati Classical Academy, as well as students who will be newly enrolled in the 2023-24 school year. Registration for camps will be open until May 15. Find details on specific camps and registration here.

City of Reading Memorial Day Parade - Join us!

Contact: Mrs. Hauck | LINK

CLASSICAL is honored to be participating in the 114th Reading Memorial Day Parade! Cincy Classical students will be walking in the parade wearing their CLASSICAL gear. This will be a great opportunity for our students to participate in the Reading community. Find more details and sign up at this link!

CLASSICAL Olympiad Lunch Forms

Contact: Mrs. Hauck | LINK

On May 25th we will be holding our first annual CLASSICAL Olympiad! In order for our cafeteria staff to plan accordingly, we ask that you fill out a lunch form if you plan on having your student purchase lunch that day. The lunch option will be hot dogs, french fries, and fruit. Students are also welcome to pack a lunch for our Olympiad Day. This form needs to be filled out and returned to your child's homeroom teacher by Tuesday, May 16th.

No Aftercare on May 26

There will be no aftercare service on the last day of school, which is Friday, May 26th. We will have an early dismissal at 11:45 AM. The final day of aftercare will be Thursday, March 25th. Please plan accordingly. Thank you!

Calling all Sentinel Runners

Contact: Mr. Gibbons

The 2023-2024 Cross Country Team needs you! All students who will be in the fifth, sixth, or seventh grade in August are welcome to join. Please join Coach Gibbons for our first Parent/Player Meeting on Tuesday, May 16th at 4:45 PM in the Sojourner Truth Auditorium. If you cannot attend the meeting and are interested in joining the Cross Country Team, please contact Coach Gibbons.

Sentinel Service Corps: Flower Power

Contact: Mrs. Kimura | LINK

The Sentinel Service Corps invites you to help us make smiles for the residents of St. Margaret's Hall. The goal is to make 60 vases of flowers and homemade cards. They will collect cards and vases from May 1-May 11. (Cards with cheerful messages and images only, please avoid slang.) Our Corps students will be collecting flowers on May 10-11 and will assemble and deliver the arrangements on May 11. Given that Mother's Day is that Sunday, the flowers will serve as a smile maker for those who are mothers. It will also allow husbands in residence there to offer flowers for their wives as a gift. Please consider donating materials to help our students make flower arrangements.

CLASSICAL Summer Reading

Visit the Summer Reading Page: LINK

The summer reading list is now available online. In addition to the grade-level recommendations, CLASSICAL also presents a recommended reading list for parents as well as John Senior's <u>"The Thousand Good Books Incomplete Life-long Reading List"</u> for those students (and parents) who'd like to dig deeper into classic "good books" this summer.

School Tool Box School Supplies

Contact: Mr. Brown | LINK

For the 2023-24 school year, CLASSICAL is partnering with School Tool Box to supply school supplies for those who are interested. Using the link above, parents can choose to purchase a box, specific to each grade, of supplies for next year that will be delivered straight to the school. The box will include everything that your student will need for the year. **This is an optional service.** You will still be able to access school supply lists and shop for them separately is you wish.

Now Hiring for 2023-24!

Visit the Careers Page: LINK

Are you interested in joining the CLASSICAL team or know someone who is? As the school plans for expansion next year, we are currently hiring for the following positions: fourth grade teacher, PE instructor, middle school math teacher, and day porter.

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 iocallaghan@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 attendance@cincyclassical.org 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.

Follow us!

Contact: Mrs. Swanson

Do you want to keep up with what's happening at CLASSICAL? Follow us on social media! Find us on <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Instagram</u>, <u>Twitter</u>, and <u>LinkedIn</u>. Be sure to tag us in any posts with your Sentinels.