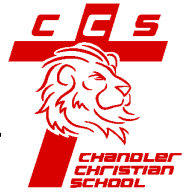




# The Christian Connection



"Let your light shine" Matthew 5:16

July/August 2009

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**Important Dates:**

July 24	6:30pm New Parent Orientation
July 24	7:00pm Back-to- School Rally
July 27	School Begins
August 22	Dinner & Silent Auction in Historic Downtown Chandler
August 28	11:30am Early Dismissal / Extended Care <b>OPEN</b>
August 31	Progress Reports go home
September 7	NO School-Labor Day

**Important Dates to Remember for 2009-2010**

October 5-16	October Break
Dec. 21- Jan. 4	Christmas Break

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**From my heart to yours...**



Welcome to Chandler Christian School. We are very busy preparing for our 2009-2010 school year. We are excited about all our returning families as well as those that are joining the CCS family for the first time. We are praying that each one of you will be involved in our community. You will hear about many different ways that you can be involved on July 24<sup>th</sup> at the New Parent Orientation at 6:30pm and the Back to School Rally at 7:00pm. Come check out all the new after school programs that are being offered-Band, Spanish and Right Images!

Our theme for this school year is "**Let Your Light Shine**". God's Word challenges each of us to be a beacon of His love to everyone we encounter. Matthew 5:16 "In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven." I would ask that you be in prayer for our students and staff as we learn to be His servants and allow His light to shine through each one of us. We are looking for opportunities to serve as a school, if you have any ideas please contact me.

Remember to bring your donations for the Classroom Auction Baskets to the "Back to School Rally". I trust I will see many of you at our Legacy Auction on the 22<sup>nd</sup> of August. If you are unable to attend, we appreciate any donations you can contribute. We have some fabulous donations. For more information about the Auction go to the website at [www.chandlerchristianschool.org](http://www.chandlerchristianschool.org). I look forward to seeing each of you at the "Back to School Rally".

Trusting Him to let His light shine,

**Ruth M. Zappe**  
Administrator

**2009 Legacy Dinner & Auction**

In Historic Downtown Chandler  
 at  
 Inspirador  
 on  
 August 22, 2009  
 at  
 5:30pm



*'Let your light shine'*

The Legacy Dinner & Auction is our largest fundraising event of the year. In order to ensure success, we are asking each family to make at least one donation for the auction. In addition each classroom will be creating an auction basket. Class basket themes are posted on our website.



**Back to School Rally**



6:30pm New Parent Orientation  
 7:00pm Back to School Rally  
 Looking forward to seeing you there!

CCS Spirit Day  
 is wednesday  
 wear your  
 red shirt &  
 show your  
 school spirit!



Chapel for grades K-5  
 will be on  
Friday at 8:45am.  
 Parents and guests are  
 welcome to join us!



**Dress Code reminder:**

No flip flops are allowed. Students must wear tennis shoes on PE days. On non PE days sandals with back straps will be allowed, but are not encouraged. Please refer to the handbook, standard of dress for clarification on dress code at CCS.

Would you like to substitute for CCS?

If you are interested in substituting please stop by the front office and fill out an application.

**2009-2010  
Chandler Christian School  
Board Members**

Thank you to the individuals that serve on our School Board. We are to grateful for your commitment to Christian Education.

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| <b>President</b>     | -Mr. Dan Gill         |
| <b>Secretary</b>     | -Ms. Mary Miller      |
|                      | -Mrs. Marj Barnum     |
|                      | -Ms. Margie Gale      |
|                      | -Mr. Dean Black       |
|                      | -Mr. Jamie Ono        |
| <b>Pastor at CCN</b> | -Pastor Bruce McCrite |
| <b>Administrator</b> | -Mrs. Ruth M. Zappe   |
| <b>PTF President</b> | -Mrs. Melanie Dykstra |

Board meetings are open to interested parents the first 15 minutes of each meeting for citizen's comments. To address the Board, the speaker must present his/her topic in writing to either the administrator or the Board Chairman one week prior to the Board meeting.



Thank you for helping us advertise *Chandler Christian School*. Please read or post a comment on [www.greatschools.net](http://www.greatschools.net) about *Chandler Christian School*. Many people visit this website and it has proven to be a great resource. Please take the time to explain why you have chosen *Chandler Christian School*.

**Lunch orders are due  
Wednesday, July 22<sup>nd</sup>**



We offer many Extra Curricular activities and we are **excited** about the **new programs** available at CCS:

- ✝ **Spanish**  
Interlingua will be offering classes once a week for PK-2<sup>nd</sup> and Grades 3-5.
- ✝ **Band**  
Keyboard will be offered once a week for grades 1-2. Band will be offered once a week for grades 3-5.
- ✝ **Band of Brothers**  
Boys in grades 3-5 will participate in team building activities, youth ministry, and active games with Pastor Ben.
- ✝ **Right Images**  
For girls in grades K-5 once a week. "Your true image according to the Word of God." The classes will include tools of etiquette and manners, cooking, style, and poise.
- ✝ **Speech Therapy**  
We have a speech pathologist on campus available to evaluate and work with your child.
- ✝ **Chess Club**  
Chess club will be offered for grades 1-5 they will meet once a week.
- ✝ **Brownies**  
Daisies will meet once a month and Brownies meet twice a month.



**There may be additional extra curricular activities that will be offered. Additional information will be available at our Back-to-School Night.**

**~Parent Teacher Fellowship Board Members~**  
We appreciate the parents that serve on the PTF Executive

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|----------------------------|--|----------------|----------------------|
| President                  | -Mrs. Melanie Dykstra                            | Vice President | -Mrs. Tracie Munson  |
| Treasurer                  | -Mrs. Traci Gruenberger                          | Secretary      | -Mr. Trent Ainsworth |
| Communications Coordinator | -Jackie Bui                                      |                |                      |
| Committee Coordinators     | -Mrs. Cheryl Wright-Gonzales & Mrs. Cheron Lange |                |                      |



1<sup>st</sup> PTF Meeting Info:  
August 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm  
in the Sanctuary  
Child care will be provided &  
CCS Shirts will be for sale