



CALVIN CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL
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June, 2020

NEWSLETTER #11 2019 – 2020

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

- June 2 CCHS Drop-off / Pick-up Day
- June 23 Graduation rehearsal: 9:30 a.m. at Grandville HS Football Stadium
- June 23 Graduation: 7:00 p.m. at Grandville HS Football Stadium
- June 25 Rain-out day for graduation
- July 24 Junior/Senior Prom @ McKay Tower
- August 1 FREE Health Physicals - **CANCELLED**
- August 10 Girls Volleyball tryouts begin
- August 12 All other fall sports tryouts begin
- August 24 Orientation Day/Freshmen Mixer
- August 25 CCHS 1st Full Day of classes
- August 28 No School
- August 28-29 Senior Class Retreat

NAIA & NCAA ATHLETES

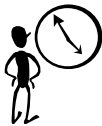
If you are planning to play a college sport for an NAIA or NCAA school, you need to request your transcript through Parchment. These organizations require final transcripts for all athletes but do not request them from the school.

SENIOR FINAL TRANSCRIPTS

ALL SENIORS SHOULD REQUEST their final transcript be sent to their selected college through Parchment.

SCHEDULES FOR 2020-21

Announcements regarding student schedules will be coming via email this summer.



SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

GCCS Business Office:

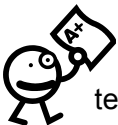
Monday – Thursday: 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
 Closed Fridays
 Closed the week of June 29 – July 3

TRIP will only be sold at the Business Office this summer on the days it's open.

CCHS Office:

Tuesdays & Thursdays: 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
 Closed the week of June 29 – July 3

If you need assistance during a time the office is closed, please leave a message at 538-0990 or contact Thelma Ensink at tensink@gccsmi.org or at 745-5106.



FINAL SEMESTER GRADES

Final grades will become visible as teachers complete their work. However, final grades will not be official until Monday, June 8. If you have any questions about these reports, please contact the teacher or the school office.



The Grandville Calvin Christian School Board wishes to thank the following CCHS staff members for their years of service to the Grandville Calvin Christian Schools:

Dan Olthoff – Mathematics teacher

Thelma Ensink – CCHS Principal and Interim Head of Schools

They will be using their gifts and talents for the Lord in different manners next year and we wish them God's blessings as they begin new ways in which to serve Him.

COUNSELOR NEWS

Rebekah Karel rkarel@gccsmi.org
Nate Vander Wal nvanderwal@gccsmi.org

MAKE THE MOST OF SUMMER!

Summer is a great time to take important steps for career/college planning. Some of these activities can end up paying a lot more per hour than a summer job!

- Practice on [Khan Academy](https://www.khanacademy.org/) for the SAT or to improve in a subject area
- Practice on [ACT Academy](https://www.act.org/) for the ACT
- Investigate and visit colleges
- Research scholarships
- Job shadow
- Volunteer
- Research careers and take self-assessments on Career Cruising
- Spend some time checking out the resources on our [counseling website](#) (career, college, scholarship, financial aid, testing, etc.)

CLASS SCHEDULE

Student schedules for the 2020-21 school year will be shared in the summer. Contact a counselor or the registrar, Mr. Timmer, if a change is needed.

ACT/SAT

The registration deadline for the August 29 SAT is July 31. Please register at <https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat>.

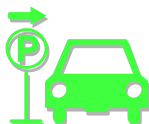
Students wishing to take the July 18 ACT must register at www.act.org before June 19.

STUDENT LIFE SERVICE REQUIREMENT

Students are reminded to turn in supporting paperwork to the CCHS office for service hours earned this past school year. They may continue over the summer in working toward the service requirement of 35 hours to be completed by January of their senior year. The reporting form is located in the school office or at www.gosquires.org. Please let us know if you have any questions or if we can help you in any way.

A NOTE REGARDING PARKING STICKERS

Remember to save your parking sticker for your car. Students won't need to renew parking unless it is a new car or they are a new driver (i.e. got license over the summer). Lost or new passes are \$5.



CLASS OF 2021 SENIOR PICTURES

Here are a few things to keep in mind when you get your pictures taken for the yearbook. We again are asking for traditional poses for a uniform look. Please keep the following things in mind:



- NO props or pets
- Indoor & outdoor plain background preferred
- Color (matte or glossy)
- Vertical pose: Minimum 2" x 3" and 300 dpi
- We reserve the right to refuse pictures that do not meet these standards. Inappropriate pictures will not be accepted.
- The *Shadow* staff can take a picture free of charge that will work if you so desire.
- We reserve the right to PhotoShop pictures that do not meet the standards.

Make sure your photographer follows these things in order for your picture to be in the yearbook.

A baby picture and message can be submitted for a fee of **\$25.00**. More information about this will be coming in the future. **Both the baby pictures and senior pictures will be due by Friday, December 4, 2020.** Late pictures will not be guaranteed a place in the book, so be timely. If you have questions, please email the CCHS yearbook staff at yearbook@gccsmi.org.

YEARBOOK ADS

If you would like to help keep the yearbook more affordable, please help us sell advertisements in this year's *Shadow*. If you contact a business and they agree to buy an ad, you will earn \$15. Just print the form (which can be found at the end of this newsletter) and bring it to a business. Make sure to put your name at the bottom of the form so you get credit for selling the ad. If you have questions, please email the CCHS yearbook staff at yearbook@gccsmi.org. Thanks in advance for your help!

SENIOR ALL-NIGHTER 2021

Want to help make the upcoming senior class' graduation night a memorable one? **The Senior All-Nighter party is in need of a chairperson(s) and committee members to make this event happen.** And since it helps to begin now in booking venues, food, and entertainment for next year already, you shouldn't wait too long in making your decision to spearhead this traditional fun event. Contact the CCHS office at 538-0990 to express your interest or to get more information.

Parent Organization

FLOWER SALE:

The GCCS Flower Sale of 2020 brought in the biggest profit in it's 55 years! Thank You to everyone who helped, supported and purchased flowers! We are so grateful for our GCCS Community!

PARENT ORG IS LOOKING FOR NEW RECRUITS!

Due to the retirement from the Parent Organization of some of our parents, we are in need of new volunteers for the 2020-2021 school year. We will need at least 4 more parents (2 for CCMS and 2 for CCHS) who have a desire to grow Calvin Christian from the heart so it can bring Jesus to all subjects and aspects of our children's lives. It's a great way to meet other people and have veteran parents guide you through the Calvin system. It's perfect if you are a new family to the school! Please contact Tricia Velting or Brenda Vanderheide at the new Parent Org. email (ccsparentorg@gccsmi.org) if you have questions or are interested in Parent Org.

HEALTH PHYSICALS FOR 2020-21

ALL students who are new to Calvin Christian High School (9th – 12th grade levels) must have a physical examination prior to attending school in August.

Athletes need one as well; however, if they had an exam done last year, please read the "NOTICE" information in the next column.

The examinations must be dated April 15, 2020 or later.

The physical examination form can be [found here](#). Hard copies of the forms may also be found in the Calvin Christian Middle and High School offices.

Remember to complete all signatures AND the Medical History portion prior to having the physical



**SATURDAY, August 1
CANCELLED**

NOTICE

Below is the MHSAA's most recent statement:

Due to concerns regarding access to primary care providers during the late spring and early summer, the MHSAA Representative Council and MHSAA SMAC provided guidance and the option to vary to a one-year extension of a previous year's physical with the utilization of an MHSAA Sports Health Questionnaire.

This is the link to the questionnaire:
<file:///C:/Users/tbouma/Downloads/healthquestionnaire.pdf>

So, the bottom line is this:

If an athlete had a physical last year, he/she can use the questionnaire for this year. If they did NOT have a physical last year, they still need to have a physical done.

***If you choose to use your own physician for a physical, please use this same form:
[MHSAA Physical Examination Form](#).*

ATHLETICS

SUMMER SPORTS CAMPS AT CCHS

Summer Sports Camps are on hold. We have suspended all of the June camps. We will try to run as many as we can in July in August if possible. Please contact Jim VanDyken at jvandyken@gccsmi.org with any questions.

CCHS ATHLETIC TRAINER

We are excited to be partnering with Spectrum Health once again next year. They will be providing us services again, including our athletic trainer, Emily Pearson, who will be in our school 30-40 hours a week. She will begin before the school day ends and will be able to provide basic rehab and some preventative exercise activities through the evening. She will also be at games to help care for athletes.

EXCELLENCE IN SPORTS LEADERSHIP and ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

The Calvin Christian coaches have selected the following seniors to receive these year-end awards:

Excellence in Sports Leadership Award:

Vanessa Krombeen

Jacob Heyboer

Athlete of the Year:

Vanessa Krombeen

Caleb Rush



Congratulations to these students for their outstanding Christian leadership in athletics at CCHS.

Fall Sports

Before you try out for any fall sport, you must have completed the following to receive your yellow Pay-to-Participate card:

- Be officially enrolled for the upcoming school year.
- A current health physical form **dated April 15, 2020 or later** must be on file in the school office **with all pertinent signatures**.
- If a health exam was given last year and no new exam has been performed, you must include the MHSAA questionnaire found at <file:///C:/Users/tbouma/Downloads/healthquestionnaire.pdf>. (See "NOTICE" information on previous page). Make sure **all** signatures are included.
- A completed application form (next page) along with **\$95.00** payable to Calvin Christian High School needs to be turned in to the high school office before the following dates:

Monday, August 10, 2020

Football

Wednesday, August 12, 2020

Girls Swimming, Volleyball, Girls Golf, Cross Country, Boys Tennis

At the time this is paid, you will receive a yellow Pay-to-Participate card to give to your coach. Your athlete will not be allowed to participate in a tryout/practice until the coach has received this Pay-to-Participate card.

- Pay-to-Participate yellow cards will be available in the high school office throughout the summer during office hours. **You can also obtain them by mail throughout the summer months using the form below**. Send a self-addressed, stamped envelope with **\$95.00** and a copy of your physical form. Make sure all signatures are included on the form. Allow 1 week for return of your card. Please use the form in this newsletter or locate the form on our website under High School Athletics/Pay-to-Participate.

In fairness to your student, other students and the coaches, please make sure your student athlete is available for all practices and games in August. Daily practices are necessary to properly prepare for the season and to give your student adequate conditioning before competition begins.

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FALL 2020 – 2021

Name of athlete _____

Name of sport he/she will be participating in _____

Parent(s) Name _____

Parent email address _____

It is a privilege to participate in athletics at Calvin Christian High School. It is essential that not only players but parents as well participate to ensure the viability and integrity of our sports programs. **The Athletic Department requires all parents to choose two concession/ticket slots per athlete per season.** Concessions are a critical fundraiser that provides funds for uniforms, equipment, and field maintenance for all of our student athletes. The Athletic Boosters will email parents instructions for signing up to help. You will be required to choose two slots by a certain date or the slots will be assigned for you.

Thank you for supporting your athlete and CCHS Athletics. If you have any questions, please contact our Athletic Director, Tom Bouma, at 538-0990 or tbouma@gccsmi.org or boosters.

The above named student has the following requirements completed:

- Is officially enrolled for the 2020-21 school year.
- Has either a current medical examination form (dated April 15, 2019 or after) on file in the high school office or included with this application. If a health exam was taken last year, you may include the MHSAA questionnaire found at <file:///C:/Users/tbouma/Downloads/healthquestionnaire.pdf>. Make sure **all** signatures are included.
- The Pay-to-Participate fee of **\$95.00** is included with this application form (*make checks payable to Calvin Christian High School*).

Please include this form along with a **stamped, self-addressed envelope** and we will mail your student's card to you.

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Take note:

- Allow 1 week for return of your card.
- **Pay-to-Participate card must be handed in at the first day of practice/tryouts.**
Monday, August 10, 2020
Football

Wednesday, August 12, 2020
Boys Soccer, Boys Tennis
Girls Golf, Girls Swimming, Girls Volleyball
Boys/Girls Cross Country

For office use only:

Payment form (cash/check #) _____ Date card was mailed _____

Calvin Christian High School *Shadow*

This is your chance to place an ad in one of the premiere **full color** yearbooks in the area. Placing an ad is not only beneficial to your business, it also helps keep the price of the book low so that it can be affordable for all students and families who would like to have wonderful memories to enjoy for years to come.

Purchasing ad space is quick and easy. Just complete the order form at the bottom of the page, and send it and your correctly-sized ad to: **Shadow Staff, Calvin Christian High School, 3750 Ivanrest Avenue SW, Grandville, MI 49418**. If you would prefer, you may also send the information listed below and your ad in **PDF** format via email to **yearbook@gccsmi.org**. If you placed an ad in last year's yearbook (for which we send a huge "Thank You" to those who did), we can use that same ad – just check the box on the bottom of the sheet.

Please send in your order as soon as possible. The ad deadline is **Friday, December 4, 2020**, but the sooner you get it in, the better. If you have any questions and would like to talk to one of us, please leave a message at 538-0990, ext. 277 or send us an email.

Thank you very much!

Shadow Editors

Please circle the size you wish to order.

- 1/8 page (2 x 4 1/8) \$100

1/2 page (7 7/8 x 4 1/8) \$150

- 1/4 page (3 3/4 x 4 1/8) \$125

Full page (7 7/8 x 8 3/8) \$300

Name of Company

Contact

Address

City, State, Zip Code

Phone

Contact's Email (for confirmation)

Please circle:

Method of Payment: Cash Check

Ad: Same as last year Ad included Ad emailed

Student contact: _____