

# Calvin Christian Middle School

**Serving. Together.**

**Thursday September 2, 2021**

*Enjoy the holiday weekend!*

**Verse of the Day:**

"The earth is filled with your love, Lord; teach me your decrees."

Psalm 119:64



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

**Avery Duncan 9/3**

**Lindsay Kendall 9/4**

## **8th grade parents**

We are looking to form a committee for the 8th grade banquet at the end of the year. If you are interested in serving on this committee, please contact the office at [msoffice@gccsmi.org](mailto:msoffice@gccsmi.org). The school provides the meal and a short program, and a parent committee plans an after party (held at the same location). Let us know if you'd like to participate in the planning!

## **Back To School Night**

We are excited for you to join us next Thursday, September 9, 6:30 – 8:30 pm. for our Back-to-School Night. This night, for **parents only**, will give you the opportunity to go back-to-school, go through your child(ren)'s schedule and learn from each teacher a bit about the amazing things your child is learning in each course they are taking this year.

## **Hot Lunch**

Here is the much anticipated information to the year!

1.) Menu Items are subject to change. We will do our best to notify you a day before

any changes for the following day. Due to supplier outages, this year has been a challenge already! But we are working hard to offer the best choices.

2). All lunches are FREE this year! Your account will only be charged if your student gets just a milk (.40 cents) or an extra entree. (see memo below)

3.) If you have any questions or concerns, you may contact Whitney TeBos at 616-254-6404 or [wtebos@gpsbulldogs.org](mailto:wtebos@gpsbulldogs.org)

*Please note that if your student orders an extra meal, a la carte Items, or just a milk, these items will be charged to their Lunch Account. You will receive an email soon from Grandville Public with a unique student ID to set it up (probably from Whitney TeBos at GPS). This allows you to preload dollars to be used for additional items purchased in 2021-2022.*

## September Menu

### Office Highlights:

*(These are also in your summer newsletter)*

#### **Virtual/ At-Home Learning -**

This year, CCMS will **only** be offering virtual learning for students who will be absent from school for an **extended period of time due to a positive Covid-19 test or quarantine.**

If students will be absent for other reasons, they should contact the teacher to see what work needs to be made up.

**STUDENTS:** please remember to check in at the office if you arrive after the tardy bell rings in the morning. Thank you!

### Needed: BREAD Group Leaders

Bread groups are our student small groups. They will meet every Friday morning from 7:47-8:09 am. We are in need of both men and women to lead groups of students. A lesson is provided for you to use. This is a great opportunity to build relationships and mentor our students! We are hoping to start these groups mid September, provided we have the leaders we need. If you are able to lead a group of our students, please contact Kim Schutte at [kschutte@gccsmi.org](mailto:kschutte@gccsmi.org).

### Squire Store

Our Squire Store is back this year and full of new apparel to choose from so you can show off your Squire Pride! We have youth, men's, and women's clothing options available in many different styles, sizes, and selections. The store is open now through Wednesday, September 8th.

### Squire Store

### Chromebook Information

Please DO NOT put stickers or tape on your Chromebook. They are difficult to

remove and result in damage. You may use removable clings and decals if they do not leave a residue behind. Thank you.

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### Middle School Hispanic Festival

**Parents:** If you were born in, or have heritage of, a Spanish speaking country, students of the Immersion Spanish program would like to invite you to participate with us in our Hispanic Festival that we will be hosting in the middle school on Friday, October 1st.

Our students are working in groups researching an assigned Spanish speaking country. For the festival, they are choosing to display a sample of traditional food, a traditional game or perform a traditional dance. We would love it if you could join the group that is researching your home country to enrich their display.

If you are willing to participate please contact [Maestra Brown](#) or [Maestra Hoffman](#) for details.

Thank you for supporting a better learning experience for our students!

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### CCMS Essential 10

For the months of September and October, we will be focusing on the 1st of our Essential 10 expectations:

**Love God above all.**

Click the button to learn about our Essential 10 caring for kids.

**The Essential 10**

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### MS Athletic News and Notes

All games are at 4:00pm unless otherwise noted.

[Directions to other schools](#)

[Link to sports schedules](#) (this will be updated as we are given the information)

*Subject to change due to gym availability, weather etc.*

#### Football

9/7 Godwin - home **We need more football team members! Please consider giving it a try!**

#### Boys Soccer:

**We will be adding a second team, so please pay attention to details here and in your email.**

9/7 Practice 3:30-5:00pm

9/8 Practice 3:30-5:00pm

9/9 Practice 3:30-5:00pm

#### 8th Girls Volleyball

##### Green Team:

9/7 Practice 5:00-6:30pm

9/8 Practice 5:00-6:30pm

##### Gold Team:

9/9 Potter's House 5:15pm

#### 7th Girls Volleyball

9/7 Practice 3:00-4:30pm

9/8 Practice 3:00-4:30pm  
9/9 Practice 3:00-4:30pm

### Cross Country

9/7 Practice 2:45-4:00pm  
9/8 @ Belding (Lightning Bend park) 5:00 pm girls, 5:30 pm boys  
9/9 Practice 2:45-4:00pm

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## CALENDAR

9/3, 9/6 No School, Labor Day Weekend  
9/9 Back to School Night  
9/24 Grandparent/Grandfriends Day

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### Requested Announcements:

**Grandville Ultimate Frisbee Club!** Grandville Community Ed is offering 5-8th grade co-ed teams. No experience required. Season runs 9/9-10/21. For more information and registration, visit [recpro.gpsbulldogs.org](http://recpro.gpsbulldogs.org)

**Children's Ministry Coordinator:** Ivanrest Church is seeking an individual who is passionate about growing God's Kingdom in the hearts and minds of the children God has entrusted to us (birth – 5<sup>th</sup> grade). The ideal candidate for this 20-hour a week position has a passion for God and children, possesses good organizational and interpersonal skills, and demonstrates the ability to empower and lead a gifted volunteer base. Applications will be reviewed beginning September 17 and the position will stay open until filled. A complete job description can be found at [www.ivanrest.org/job-openings](http://www.ivanrest.org/job-openings). Applications can be submitted to [applications@ivanresterc.org](mailto:applications@ivanresterc.org).

**Custodian:** Do you enjoy working in a good team environment and by yourself? Fellowship CRC is looking for a **part-time custodial person** to serve at our church. Flexible hours, paid vacation. Hours are expected to flex 13-18 hours per week. Hours can be worked mostly evenings or while your kids are in school – if that works best for you. If interested, please contact:

Jim Kortman - [jim@donaldengineering.com](mailto:jim@donaldengineering.com) 616.291.6295 cell or Mike Philo  
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