



CORNERSTONE CHRONICLE

FEBRUARY 17TH, 2012

From the Green House

REMINDER:

Students are not to be on campus prior to 7am.

Please make sure that students are being dropped off at the appropriate time so that our faculty & staff may provide supervision.

February 28, 2012

is the FCAT Writing Test for all
4th, 8th & 10th grade students

Important Policies:

Electronic Devices Policy- If students are found with ANY electronic devices during testing, their tests will be invalidated. The best practice would be for students to leave devices at home on the day of testing.

Leaving Campus- If students leave campus before completing the test (for lunch, an appointment, or illness, etc.), they WILL NOT be allowed to complete the test.

Student Pledge- Students will be asked to sign a pledge prior to testing indicating that they will not give or receive unauthorized help during the test. If students are caught cheating or irregular answer patterns are detected during scoring, their tests will be invalidated.

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Store Hours-NEW:
Thursday 2pm-3pm
Friday 7:30am-9am

*Store is located in the Field House,
beside the Volunteer Sign In*

Brought to you by SAC

**Intent to
Return forms
are due March
30th, 2012.**

**Please turn in
to the Green
House.**

Pioneer Days Float Help Needed!

DRAMA

Athletics 5th Grade

A great way to get in some
volunteers hours, especially if you
have a hard time during the school
day!

BOOK FAIR GOAL @ 93%!!

**Keep Shopping & help us meet 100% to grow
our school collection!**

OPEN TODAY until 3pm!

**SHOP ONLINE until Tuesday & purchases are
delivered to your child's classroom!**



Informational Meeting/Q&A On Cornerstone's

Edible Garden

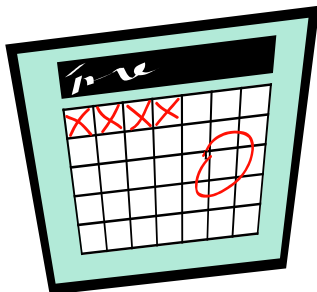
Tuesday,
February 21st,
5pm
Media Center

A great way to get involved with
an awesome project to
encourage our students to eat
healthy!



Save the date!

*Be on the lookout for
information and pledge forms
coming home with Elementary
& Middle School Students on
February 21st & 22nd!*



Our school is proud to partner with the American Heart Association to help kids with special hearts! Mark your family calendars NOW for our upcoming **Jump Rope For Heart** event taking place on:

**Friday, March 9th (during
specials)**

You can help the American Heart Association by helping your child make a web page.
It's *safe, effective, & saves YOU time* for raising life-saving donations online.

Visit www.heart.org/jump and click on '**Students Sign Up**' to get started today.

**Welcome to our New
Partner In Education**

The Master Class Academy!

FUEL OUR SCHOOL!!

Have you registered your Target RedCard yet??

[Click Here to Register](#)

School ID: 152045

THANK YOU to

Wholesale Flowers

For the lovely carnations!

819 Amelia Street
Orlando, Florida 32803
407-423-7033

**Fundraising Calendar
February-March 2012**

*Saturday, February 25th -
Car Wash: 7-11@Edgewood;
support our Football Team, and
get your car washed between the
parade and enjoying Pioneer Days!

*March 8th & 9th - **Jump Rope
for Heart!** A fundraiser for
the American Heart
Association

*Saturday, March 10th - **OLV
Café Spirit Night @ SODO!**
Details soon!!

*Tuesday, March 13th - **Spirit
Night @CFA S Orange**

Cornerstone Spirit Night @ Partner in Education

OLV Café

In SODO

Saturday, March 10th, 2012

6pm-10pm

Allow some very talented Cornerstone parents, students, and even faculty & staff members to serenade you with live music as you indulge in a delicious seasonal menu at the fabulous OLV Café in the SODO shopping center.

Bring friends & family and enjoy an evening at our Partner in Education, OLV, AND
A percentage of the evening's proceeds goes back to Cornerstone!

Introducing
CCA's 2012

VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM



CCA Football is truly a one of a kind program. Cornerstone is special because we're a K-12 school which creates a sense of community and family. The lower school can come out and support the upper school athletics solidifying a relationship to CCA athletics at a young age. This provides a sense of family that you won't find anywhere else except CCA.

The players also make CCA Football special. Outside of football, they participate in CCA Baseball and CCA Basketball, as well as National Honor Society, AP Art, and CCA's drama productions. We're a diverse group that has bonded together to become an important part of the CCA experience.

So how can you help make this a great experience? By providing funding to our program in order for us to purchase necessities such as: new uniforms, game and practice footballs, water bottles, and weight equipment. This will be our first full season as a football program and any donation will help provide our seniors to fulfill their last chance at a great student-athlete experience with our football program.

- Coach Dottavio

RAISING FUNDS TO RAISE THE BAR AGAINST OUR COMPETITION

PLEASE SUPPORT YOUR FOOTBALL TEAM. We are in need of basic training equipment, practice and game uniforms. Help us put our best foot forward and make this a memorable year for our seniors. Your donations will help establish our team for years to come.

**NOW ACCEPTING
TEAM SPONSORS & DONATIONS.**

Click to view:

[Needs & Wish List](#)

[Sponsorship Information](#)

CORNERSTONE CHARTER ACADEMY

NEEDS & wishes

CCA is fortunate to have such generous parents and partners in the community. Your support directly impacts the lives and education of all the students.

CCA PTSA would like to bring your attention to some of the various departmental needs of the school. Please have a look at the attached list and see if you would like to contribute in the form of a monetary donation or by purchasing the item(s).

IMPORTANT: If you are interested in having your purchase qualify for volunteer hours please make note of the following criteria.

In order to receive credit towards volunteer hours a **“Receipt Form for Volunteer Hours”** must be completed and returned with the donation. Items donated must be new and have a receipt in order to qualify for volunteer hours. **Donations not turned in with the form will not count toward volunteer hours.** Every \$10 donation will equal 1 volunteer hour. Please make checks out to CCA. Whitney Brandt will accept donations and items in the Volunteer Office.

[CLICK HERE FOR NEEDS & WISHES LIST AND RECEIPT FORM FOR VOLUNTEER HOURS](#)

THANK YOU! -CCA PTSA

TEACHER MINI GRANTS

Applications due June 1st
Teachers must have become
PTSA members by
September 30th to apply.
[Mini Grant Application](#)

[PTSA HOME PAGE](#)

[JOIN PTSA TODAY](#)



Click for
“A Look Behind the
Scenes”

Coming April 2012

Have you seen the adorable bears by the Media Center??

ALL K-5 students have been encouraged to write an **essay** describing why they want a specific bear & why they should win!

To increase chances, students may write a story *about the bear!*

Essays are due **2/22/12** & are to be turned into [Ms. Spurlock](#) with student name, grade & teacher.



Now taking UPC's from **THESE MAGAZINES!!!**

If you have the upc's to fill the attached sheet, please do so & send it in!

If not just send me the upc's & I will put them together with others, as they must be complete to get the points. **Thanks!!**

[Bridget Haig](#)

Orange County's Top Talent!

“A county-wide talent show featuring singing, dancing, instrumental, comedy, drama & novelty performances.”

Performance: May 12th, Hard Rock Live!

Auditions April 21st

Applications due Friday, March 9th

See attached for additional details!

James Bell, Cornerstone 8th Grade Student, competed in 2 races the Novice Rowing Regatta at Turkey Lake Park, on Saturday, February 11th.



James was in a 4 person boat that won second place. James was also in an 8 person boat that was hit by 2 other boats at the start of the race, but James's team recovered, and rowed from dead last to third.

We are proud of our Cornerstone student athlete rowers!!



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DUCKS!

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