



March 8, 2006



What's Up at Calvary?

Enjoy Your Spring Break!

The faculty and staff of CES wish each of you a safe and happy spring break during the week of March 13. There will be an early dismissal on Friday, March 10 at 11:30am. There will be no food services, but Extended Day will be open until 6:00pm. Extended Day students should bring a lunch. Quarter 4 classes will resume on Monday, March 20.



Welcome New CES Students

It is a pleasure to welcome **Morgan Turner**, a sixth grade student and



Harrison Daniels, who is returning to us in kindergarten. We are excited to have you as our newest Crusaders!

CES Scientists Shined!

This year's Science Fair was the best ever. The projects were thoughtfully and scientifically presented, with students obviously learning a great deal. Hats off to **Ms. Herzik**, our campus coordinator, the grade level teachers, and **Mr. Haven**, our parent volunteer coordinator. **Mr. Haven** spent many hours in the planning and preparation for the fair, which paid off in it being highly organized. The Science Fair committee would also like to thank the following for



their support: **Cae Stell**, **Enchanted Forest**, our many parent volunteers, our volunteer judges, **CES teachers**, **CES staff**, **Mr. Jose**, the **dedicated students of CES**, and our corporate sponsors: **Excelsior Marine Communications**, **Coastal Response Consultants** and **PGI**.

Hats off to our 2006 Science Fair

Winners: Grade 8, 1st—**Lauren Lescure**, 2nd—**Christina Cooley**, 3rd—**Autumn Smalley**; Grade 7, 1st—**Jordan Haven** and **Gabriella Pawelek**, 2nd—**Alex Krogel**, 3rd—**Blake Strnadel** and **Tim Strother**; Grade 6, 1st—**Coleman Stein**, 2nd—**Hannah Sweatt**, 3rd—**Alex Kuzmich**; Grade 5, 1st—**Chandler Warren**, 2nd—**Emmy Kelly**, 3rd—**Kate Mann**; Grade 4, 1st—**Christi Clark**, 2nd—**J.T. Beal**, 3rd—**Hunter Bartay**; Grade 3, 1st—The team of **Nikolas Cunningham**, **Wil Carey**, **Erik Lamb** 2nd—The team of **Donald Elrod**, **Dillon Gonzales**, **Ricky Lazar**, 3rd—The team of **Sarah Baughman**, **Katie Daw**, **Read Lassiter**



CPTO Auction Update

Anyone who didn't attend this year's CPTO Auction and Dinner missed out an evening of fun and a strong show of support for our school. The CPTO reported at their board meeting this week that the auction grossed

\$113,705! Thanks once again to all of our volunteers who worked so hard in making this a tremendous success, especially our event co-chairs, **Kelly Burke** and **Suzanne Armour**.

The CPTO also announced that there are two board offices open for the 2006-2007 school year: 1st VP and Secretary. If you would like to be an active part of this dynamic organization, please contact **CPTO President Mona Smith** at 281-341-9119.

CECP Enrollment Continues to Increase!

Calvary Episcopal College Preparatory is one step closer to being a reality! The idea of the school began over two years ago with the vision statements of both the church and school including the wording for a high school program. Last spring the CES Board voted to begin a program in the fall of 2007, with a minimum of 8 students enrolled. After only a month of registration, CECP now has 7 enrolled students!



Recycling Challenge from the Director!

Have you ever noticed the two big recycling receptacles in the parking lot across from the school office? Well, I have. And, I must admit, I pass by them each day as I park my car. After receiving our check from the program the other day (a whopping \$48), I decided to try



something. On Monday, which is recycling day in my neighborhood, on the way to the curb I brought the plastic recycling bin to the trunk of my car, unloaded all of the paper and cardboard into my trunk, and continued with the remaining plastic and aluminum to the street. When I arrived at the school, instead of going to my parking space, I stopped at the recycling

receptacle and unloaded my trunk. This entire process took about three minutes. Our bin will accept newspaper, magazines, mail (just the political flyers alone should fill up one of the bins!), catalogues, school and office papers.

Here is what I know...if all of the CES families made this once-a-week journey through the parking lot, we as a community would be doing something good for our environment, and, supporting CES with effortless additional funding. Why don't we all try this out and I will report the amount of our next recycling check!

And, speaking of recycling, we also collect General Mills box tops and labels for education, ink cartridges, and Campbell Soup labels. These items can be brought to the school office.

Grandparents and Other Special People and Spring Book Fair

You will want to mark your calendar for this year's

Grandparents and Other Special

People Day, which will be held on Friday, April 7 from lunch until the end of the day. There will be



many activities for grandparents and special guests to join in with their favorite Crusader. This year the library will be holding a spring book fair, which will end on that Friday. Parents and students are urged to invite those special guests to join us for a wonderful event!

Achievement Testing Dates Announced

Students in grades K-8 will be taking achievement tests the week of April 10. It is important for children to be at school during these dates. Please try

to arrange dental appointments, etc., at other times.

Special Assembly with Student Author Noah McCullough

A special student assembly has been arranged by **Ms. Krig** to have **Noah McCullough** speak to students in an assembly on April 4 at 2:45. Noah is a local area student who has devoted his early life to learning about the Presidents. He has even written his own book, The Essential Book of Presidential Trivia. Noah has appeared on The Today Show, Fox News, and has been featured in a number of newspaper and magazine articles. Students will be able to purchase his book for autographing on the date of the assembly. For additional information, you may visit his website at: www.noahmccullough.com.

Need Rodeo Tix?

One of our parents has "4 REALLY GREAT seats" to see Hillary Duff at the Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo on Thursday, March 16 in Section 104, Row D, Seats 14, 15, 16, 17. For information on ticket prices please call Claire Clark at: (o) 713-963-4217 (8am-2pm M-F), (c) 713-725-0231, (h) 281-342-9231 (after 4pm)

COMING UP AT CALVARY

(Our Official School Calendar can be found on our website at www.ces-richmond.org)

Friday, Mar. 10, 11:30, Early Dismissal, no lunches served, Extended Day until 6pm.

Mar. 13-17, Spring Break

Tuesday, Mar. 21, Report Cards

Wednesday, Mar. 22, 4:30-LOGOS

Wednesday, Mar. 29, Q3 Honor Roll

Chapel; Class Group Photos-Dress Uniforms Required

Thursday, Spring Fling Individual Photos, Free Dress appropriate for Spring Photos