



# Cavalier Circular

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"Through rigorous academics, integrative technology, expressive arts, and competitive athletics, the mission of Cuthbertson High School is to empower all students to be leaders in a changing global community."

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## Stay Connected

We invite you to stay connected with Cuthbertson High School on Facebook (Cuthbertson High School) or on Twitter (#CHSCavaliers). Daily announcements and information are shared, so please follow us so you do not miss any Cuthbertson High School news! We also update our school website regularly at <http://chs.ucps.k12.nc.us/>



## Coach Allen Named Coach of the Year!

Congratulations to our very own Coach Dustin Allen on being named 2018-19 NFHS Women's Indoor Track Coach of the Year!  
Pictured with the coaching staff: Tai Lamar, Celeste Slay, Dustin Allen, Carla Stamper, Andre Braima, and Elliott Lightfoot.

## **PSAT Information**

Please click [here](#) for detailed information on the PSAT which will be administered on Wednesday, October 16, 2019.

## **Yearbook Information**

Attention parents and students! Yearbooks are currently on sale for \$75 until November 1. Prices will increase to \$80 after this date. This price includes free personalization to include student's name. Yearbooks can be ordered at [www.jostensyearbooks.com](http://www.jostensyearbooks.com). Please contact Dr. Camey Whitt ([camey.whitt@ucps.k12.nc.us](mailto:camey.whitt@ucps.k12.nc.us)) with any questions.

## **Jostens to Visit**

If students would like to order graduation things in person or if they have any questions about ordering cap, gown, etc., representatives from Jostens will be at CHS on Tuesday, October 22 during all lunches.

## **National Bullying Prevention Month**

October is National Bullying Prevention Month. The goal: Encourage schools, communities and organizations to work together to stop bullying and cyberbullying and put an end to this by increasing awareness of the prevalence and impact of all forms of bullying on all children of all ages.

#KeepingUSafe #StompOutBullying #UHaveAVoice #UMatterinUCPS

## **World Day of Bullying Prevention**

#TeamUCPS Families we need your help! Please encourage your son/daughter to wear BLUE on Monday, October 7 to show support for World Day of Bullying Prevention! We want to SEE a SEA of Blue across our district on Monday!

## **Quick Links In Every Issue**

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CHS CHAOS Website	Cuthbertson Band Boosters
CHS School Website	Online School Payments
Prepay for School Meals	Here Comes the Bus

Questions or suggestions for Enews may be submitted to Mrs. Tautfest at [paula.tautfest@ucps.k12.nc.us](mailto:paula.tautfest@ucps.k12.nc.us).

### **CHAOS - Panera Night**

Please support CHAOS by eating at Panera at on Thursday, October 10 from 4 - 8pm! 11630 Waverly Center Drive, Charlotte, NC 28277

Panera will donate 20% of your meal when you show our flyer linked [HERE](#).

# Union County College Fair – this Sunday!



## Union County College Fair

**Date:** Sunday, October 6  
**Time:** 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm  
**Where:** Wingate University  
 McGee Center  
 220 N. Camden Street  
 Wingate, NC 28174



**Which colleges and universities will be in attendance?**

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Appalachian State University</li> <li>Averett University</li> <li>Belmont Abbey College</li> <li>Benedict College</li> <li>Bluefield College</li> <li>Brigham Young University</li> <li>Calicut College of Health Sciences</li> <li>Campbell University</li> <li>Carroll College of Health Sciences</li> <li>Catawba College</li> <li>Charleston Southern University</li> <li>Chowan University</li> <li>Clemson University</li> <li>Clinton College</li> <li>College Foundation, Inc.</li> <li>Concord University</li> <li>Converse College</li> <li>East Carolina University</li> <li>East Tennessee State University</li> <li>Elizabeth City State University</li> <li>Emory &amp; Henry College</li> <li>Fayetteville State University</li> <li>Ferrum College</li> <li>Full Sail University</li> <li>Gardner-Webb University</li> <li>Georgia State University</li> <li>Glenville State College</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Greensboro College</li> <li>Guilford College</li> <li>High Point University</li> <li>Hollins University</li> <li>Johnson &amp; Wales University</li> <li>Lander University</li> <li>Lebanon College</li> <li>Lincoln-Rhodes University</li> <li>Liberty University</li> <li>Limestone College</li> <li>Living Arts College</li> <li>Livingstone College</li> <li>Louisburg College</li> <li>Mans Hill University</li> <li>Meredith College</li> <li>Mid-Atlantic Christian University</li> <li>Mississippi State University</li> <li>North Carolina A&amp;T State University</li> <li>North Carolina State University</li> <li>North Greenville University</li> <li>Nova Southeastern University</li> <li>Pfeiffer University</li> <li>Presbyterian College</li> <li>Queens University of Charlotte</li> <li>Randolph University</li> <li>Randolph Community College</li> <li>Rowan College</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Salem College</li> <li>South Piedmont Community College</li> <li>St. Andrews University</li> <li>Sweet Briar College</li> <li>The University of Alabama in Huntsville</li> <li>UNC Chapel Hill</li> <li>UNC Greensboro</li> <li>The University of Tennessee Knoxville</li> <li>UNC Asheville</li> <li>UNC Charlotte</li> <li>University of Alabama</li> <li>University of Kentucky</li> <li>University of Lynchburg</li> <li>University of Mount Olive</li> <li>UNC Pembroke</li> <li>University of North Carolina School of the Arts</li> <li>UNC Wilmington</li> <li>University of South Carolina</li> <li>University of South Carolina Lancaster</li> <li>Wake Forest University</li> <li>Warren Wilson College</li> <li>West Virginia University</li> <li>Western Carolina University</li> <li>William Peace University</li> <li>Winston-Salem State University</li> <li>Wintthrop University</li> <li>Wofford College</li> </ul>
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UCPS  
UNION COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

This is a CACRAO event hosted by Wingate University.

Register at <http://bit.ly/UCCollegeFair2019>



WINGATE  
UNIVERSITY



Tuesday, October 8 is an Early Release Day for students.

Wednesday, October 9 is a Teacher Workday with no school for students.

## CABC




### CABC Membership Levels & Benefits

Blue/Gold Membership					
Year	Cost	ID Badges	Parking Pass	Dinner	Membership Gift
2019-2020	\$350	Entire Family	1 Per Family	\$20 Food Voucher	Your Choice: 2 Premium Gifts From Spiritwear Tent

Legacy Membership					
Year	Cost	ID Badges	Parking Pass	Dinner	Membership Gift
2019-2020	\$150	2 ID Badges	None	No	Your Choice: 1 Premium Gifts From Spiritwear Tent

Chevalier Membership (Cavalier Student Membership 2019-2020)					
Year	Cost	ID Badges	Parking Pass	Dinner	Membership Gift
2019-2020	\$75	1 ID Badge	None	No	Student Swag

Did you know that your CABC membership helps pay for all the field maintenance at both Cuthbertson Middle and High Schools? The CABC also pays for the gymnasium floors to be refinished as well as many other items. Supporting the CABC helps create a beautiful and safe environment for the Cuthbertson athletes to play on. You can purchase your membership online at

<https://www.ucpsathletics.com/page/show/5019931-booster-club-membership>

## Academic Awards Ceremonies

The Academic Awards ceremonies from spring semester of last school year are being held during Cavalier period this week 10:50-11:30 according to this schedule:

10<sup>th</sup> grade – Tuesday, October 1.      11<sup>th</sup> grade – Wednesday, October 2.      12<sup>th</sup> grade – Friday, October 4.

Students who meet the following qualifications will be awarded a letter. Letters will be awarded at the conclusion of each academic semester. Students who meet the qualifications more than once will be awarded a gold bar to pin on the letter for each semester during which they meet the qualifications.

Requirements for earning an Academic Letter:

- The student must be in the 9th, 10th, 11th, or 12th grade.
- The student must have an overall semester average of 90, computed by averaging the grades received in all courses in which the student is enrolled. The student may earn no semester grade less than "85" to be considered.
- In determining overall average and minimum grade requirements for students taking AP courses, five (5) points should be added to the numerical grade received for the semester for each AP Course.

## Make It in Union County Week



**September 30th - October 4th**  
Check [www.makeitinunioncounty.com](http://www.makeitinunioncounty.com)  
for info about tours and the Showcase  
**Showcase - Evening of 10/3/2019**  
**at South Piedmont Community College**  
4209 Old Charlotte Highway

## **Senior Website!**



The CHS Senior webpage is now online at:

<https://www.ucps.k12.nc.us/Page/6708>

Please check it often for graduation information and updates related specifically to Seniors!



VENDORS WANTED!  
**CUTHBERTSON**  
**HOLIDAY BAZAAR**  
Cuthbertson High School  
Saturday, 12/14/19 9AM – 4PM  
Email [cuthbertsonfundraising@gmail.com](mailto:cuthbertsonfundraising@gmail.com)

## College Application Week

CFNC's College Application Week is the week of October 21-25. Any senior that has not applied to college is encouraged to do so during this week!

Guidance will have computers available during lunches and the Cav period to complete college applications.

Click [here](#) for a list of participating colleges. Visit the [CFNC website](#) for more information.



## PTSO News

Did you know?

44 members of our teachers and staff celebrated a birthday in July, August, and September?

Your support enabled the PTSO to make their day a little sweeter. Our hospitality committee left a "birthday bundlet" with our best wishes in their boxes last week.



### **Have you joined yet?**

A family membership is only \$10, and does not come with any additional obligations. Your dues go directly to support programs and events for Cuthbertson Students and Teachers.

Please join online today! [Click here to become a member!](#)

### **Want to volunteer?**

If you would like to be added to our volunteer list, please sign up on the link below. This is THE list that the PTSO uses for all volunteer requests, event notifications, and requests for food/drink/supplies for our various events! [Click here to be notified of volunteer opportunities throughout the year!](#)

If you are interested in getting more involved as a member of one of our committees, please contact Allison Matthews at [allisonbmattthews@yahoo.com](mailto:allisonbmattthews@yahoo.com)

### **Have You Invested in CHS?**

A donation to the PTSO's **INVEST IN CHS** is **tax deductible**. Your donation will directly fund teacher appreciation activities, student programs, and additional funding for classroom supplies and educational support items to benefit our students. Our 2019-2020 goal is \$9,500. We need your support! Please make your **INVEST** donation on line today via credit card or PayPal [here](#)!

### **WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE FOLLOWING FAMILIES FOR THEIR INVEST IN CHS DONATIONS. YOUR GENEROSITY MAKES A DIFFERENCE!**

Acevedo, Ackerson, Anderson, Atkins, Baldwin, Ballantyne, Benz, Black, Borgelt, Boutilier, Campbell, Cannon, Chester, Chettri, Christensen, Clayson, Connor, Cotton, Cutler, Daniels, Darfler, Das Gupta, D'Errico, Dion, DiPiazza, Eaton, Fahy, Faulkner, Gettinger, Giglio, Gilchrist, Gist, Green, Groce, Gunaseelan, Harper, Harris, Hayner, Herdegen, Hicks, Hoffman, Holmes, Horne, Hubatka, Huelle, Hunter, Jipson, Johnson, Kim, Knibbel, Kroeger, Kruszewski, Kwaku, Lim, Mackey, Maddex, Mahoney, Malinowski, Margulies, Marton, Matthews, Melton, Mills, Misurale, Mrozienski, Mulvihill, Nali, Ngwainmbi, Norwood, Omoletski, Osterberg, Pistani, Reinartz Renda, Riley, Rivers, Sanfilippo, Sarno, Satina, Schwarzmman, Seaman, Shaffer, Sills, Simmons, Sinople, Smith, Sparks, Spizzirri, Steinhaus, Stone, Stover, Strasswimmer, Swafford, Swan, Sweeney, Tate, Terry, Terwilliger, Thomas, Tunstall, Tyree, Valdez, Walser, Ward, Warren, Weisberg, Whalen, White, Williams, Williams, Woland, Wooten

## Calling All Seniors!

Anyone needing to pick up their hoodie or tee shirt may do so at lunches on Thursday 10/10. Parents can pick up yard signs at any time in the main office, seniors can only pick them up at the end of each day. **#SeniorYearsHere**

## Spirit Wear

Spirit wear can be ordered online at any time from the PTSO website, <http://www.cuthbertsonhsptso.com/spirit-wearschool-store.html>. Anything ordered online will be available for pick up during lunches on most Thursdays from the school store located next to the cafeteria. The store is open next on 10/10.



## Amazon Smile

Don't forget to add CHS to your Amazon account at [www.smile.amazon.com](http://www.smile.amazon.com). Amazon will donate 0.5% back to CUTHBERTSON HIGH SCHOOL. Please note that this allows the school to benefit every time you make a purchase from Amazon – at absolutely **NO ADDITIONAL COST** to you, making it a win/win for everyone! For senior parents, it's a great way to give back to the school while you are shopping for graduation gifts and outfitting your child's dorm room. Please click on the above link and designate Cuthbertson High School as the beneficiary of this program.



## Stay Up to Date

Don't miss out on the news and happenings of the PTSO and CHS this year!

"LIKE" us on [Facebook](#) and Bookmark our [website](#)!



# Cuthbertson High School PTSO

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## INVEST IN CHS! (FORMERLY KNOWN AS INVEST IN A STUDENT)

### FUNDRAISER CAMPAIGN!

2019-2020 GOAL = \$9,500 = WE NEED YOU!!

Cuthbertson High School appreciates your support! Your tax deductible donation to the CHS PTSO will directly fund CHS needs and programs during the 2019--2020 school year, including educational support items and PTSO student scholarships. **AS OUR ONLY FUNDRAISER**, the CHS PTSO is asking parents and other supporters of CHS to invest in our present and future by ***Investing in CHS***. This benefits **ALL** of OUR students!

Please consider a tax-deductible gift in the amount of \$50. However, any amount you can contribute is tax-deductible and is **GREATLY APPRECIATED!**

We have ONE convenient way for you to make your donation-

**\*\*\*ONLINE\*\*\*** - Visit the PTSO website via [www.cuthbertsonhsptso.com](http://www.cuthbertsonhsptso.com) then go to the tab "Support the PTSO" and then go to the tab "INVEST in CHS" to make your donation online either by Credit Card or PayPal. We greatly appreciate your Support!!

Parents/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Do you need a receipt? Yes / No

**THANK YOU** FOR CONTINUING TO SUPPORT CHS AND OUR STUDENTS – WE COULD NOT BE THE GREAT SCHOOL WE ARE WITHOUT YOUR SUPPORT!

**\*\*\*Cuthbertson High School PTSO is an IRS 501 (3)(c) registered Non-Profit Organization, please consider contacting your company's HR Dept to see if they participate in a Matching Gift Program!!**





# PREPARE

## FREE ON-DEMAND AND LIVE CONTENT

UCPS students have access to free on-demand and live content through Naviance and Kaplan. See below for upcoming events and registration links.

**SEP**  
21

### College Essay Essentials with Story2

Start with finding a topic. Finish with a full essay. Admissions experts from Story2 teach you how to write powerful college essays using proven storytelling methods.

**OCT**  
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### Skills You Need for Success in College

What does it take to be successful in college? Check out a seminar and let our experts guide you to better decisions on your journey.

**NOV**  
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### How Standardized Tests Work

Our seminars give you the inside scoop on the exams, so you'll understand everything you need to succeed.

To register for these events and see additional details, visit <https://www.kaptest.com/partner/naviance/free/academic-skills>.

For more information or to view additional events, visit <http://bit.ly/UCPScollegecalendar>.

## FAFSA Every Day!

### Getting into High Gear with FAFSA Completion



**Date:** Saturday, October 26, 2019

**Time:** 9 AM - Noon

**Place:** South Piedmont Community College  
Old Charlotte Highway Campus, Library  
4209 Old Charlotte Highway  
Monroe, NC 28110

**Contact:** Allison Wilkinson Poff

**Phone:** 704-290-5842

All students planning to enroll in the 2020 fall semester will need to complete a 2020-2021 FAFSA application. Applicants should have their 2018 tax documents available to assist with the application process. Generally, students who are less than 24 years of age will need parent information and verification to file correctly.

Remember: If you are unable to attend this event, visit our financial aid offices in Monroe or Polkton to receive financial aid assistance.

# COLLEGE READINESS PARENT SERIES

Offered by the UCPS Department of College Readiness

## SESSION TITLE

## DATE

Getting Ready for College

September/April

Paying for College

October/May

College Entrance Exams 101

November/March

College Recruiting for Athletes

November/March

Choosing the Right Path in HS

December

For more information and to register, please visit <http://bit.ly/UCPScollegecalendar>.

# COLLEGE READINESS RESOURCE CENTER

Make an appointment to ask about all things related to college readiness!

Open to all UCPS students, grades 8-12.

For appointments:  
<http://bit.ly/collegereadinesshelp>

## UNION COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY, MONROE BRANCH

Mondays & Thursdays - 4:00-7:00 pm  
Saturdays - 1:00-3:00 pm