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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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We send out our Enews on Sundays via Blackboard Connect. If you don't receive it, update your contact information here! Enews editions are also sent out on our Twitter and Facebook pages and are collected on this page.



Holiday Break

CHS will recognize the holiday break December 20-31. Please note that the front office will be closed and there will not be a December 19 issue of the Cavalier Circular. It will resume January 2. Students will return to school January 3, 2022 for one week of school before final exams. We wish everyone a wonderful holiday season and a safe and restful break!

Final Exams

Our first semester last day of regular classes is Friday, January 7, 2022. Our exam schedule is: January 10 – 1st block exam, January 11 – 2nd block exam, January 12 – 3rd block exam, and January 13 – 4th block exam. Friday, January 14 will be a makeup day for any students who may have missed an exam due to illness. Second semester begins Wednesday, January 19, 2022.

Annual Giving

A very special thank you goes out to all those who contributed to our annual Union County Christmas Bureau Giving Tree project. It was a great success thanks to your generosity. Every recipient received gifts of clothing, shoes, hygiene products, gift cards, and much more. We are also participating in Toys for Tots. There is a donation box in our front lobby. Toys are due by December 16. THANK YOU to all who contributed to brightening the holidays of children right here in Union County!



UCPS Calendar Survey for '22-'23 School Year

Click <u>here</u> to participate in a survey about next year's school calendar. The survey closes December 15 at midnight.

Holiday Spirit Week

This week is Holiday Spirit Week and below are the themes for each day! Spirit Week is sponsored by our awesome Student Council!

Monday – Dec. 13 – Santa hat day Tuesday – Dec. 14 - Flannel shirts Wednesday – Dec. 15 - Red vs. green Thursday – Dec. 16 - Ugly sweater day Friday – Dec. 17 - Holiday PJs





Chorus / Theater Performance

Everyone is invited out on December 16 at 7pm in the CHS Auditorium. Our Chorus will be performing a winter concert, and our Theatre students will be performing three holiday one-act plays that they wrote themselves! Admission is free!

Grinch 5K - December 18



Click here for more information and to sign up!

Cava-Land

Our Class of 2022 Seniors were treated to a fun evening on December 3 at the magical "Cava-Land" drive-thru event! Seniors were invited to drive through 22 stations on campus to receive many treats such as beads, glasses, hot chocolate, gift cards, candy, and other small gifts. Special thanks to our amazing Senior Events Committee for organizing such a special and festive event for our Senior Cavs!











Chorus

The CHS Chorus directed by Mrs. Rachel Waynick recently had the opportunity to perform at the Southern Christmas Show and the Waxhaw Festival of Lights!





Band

The Cuthbertson Bands directed by Mr. Todd Ebert, Mrs. Katie Ebert, and Mr. Nick Carl performed at the annual Holiday Bazaar on December 4. Go, Band, go!





Bob Ross Night

More than 90 students and teachers enjoyed a social evening of learning to paint like Bob Ross on December 9. The artists were guided by CHS senior Michael O'Rourke (pictured left)! You can see some of their finished masterpieces below!







DECA

Our DECA students did a great job in competition December 7 with area DECA Chapters from Weddington, Marvin Ridge, Sun Valley, Cox Mill, Hickory Ridge, and Concord High Schools! They are advised by Mr. Michael Hicks and Mr. Steve Lyons. Next, they will compete in the DECA State Competition in February 2022.

Congratulations to the following Finalists / Medalists:

Principles of Business Administration:

Dawson Prewett, Snigda Kavuri, Jameson Dickey, Alex Bernacki, and Srujan Ponnapalli (1st Place Winner!) (photographed right)

Principles of Hospitality and Tourism:

Connor Mack

Principles of Marketing:

Lydia Roos

Sports and Event Marketing:

Payton Best and Wilson Schmidhausler

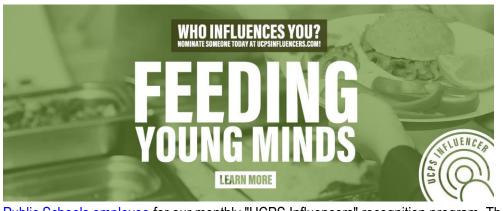
Personal Financial Literacy:

Kaitlyn O' Sullivan and Josh Collins

We are very proud of these Cavs!







<u>UCPS</u> Influencers

UCPS is revamping its employee recognition program and we want to know who influences you? We invite our employees, students, parents and community members to nominate a Union County

<u>Public Schools employee</u> for our monthly "UCPS Influencers" recognition program. The purpose of this award is to recognize employees who exemplify outstanding service through his or her work and influences others.

Yearbook





CHS Athletics



Season Passes

Cuthbertson Athletics is selling season passes for each sport season Fall, Winter, or Spring for \$40... or Year-long passes for \$60! Year-long and fall season passes are on sale. Single game tickets will be on sale at least 5 days prior to the event. Visit the Cuthbertson tickets link to purchase single game tickets or season passes:

https://www.ucpsathletics.com/cuthbert sontickets





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Questions or suggestions for additions to Enews may be submitted to our Media Specialist <u>Paula Tautfest</u>.

UCPS Tip Line

PTSO News

New Senior Patio

At the end of the 2020-2021 school year we made a donation to CHS to use for a new Senior Patio. We are so happy to announce that the project is complete! New tables, concrete and landscaping were installed and have already been enjoyed this school year. There is a plaque displayed honoring the PTSO's donation. We'd like to say thank you to all of the families who supported us last school year so that we were able to make this project a success. We hope the patio will be enjoyed for many years to come!





December Teacher & Staff Appreciation

This month we will be hosting a catered lunch for our wonderful teachers and staff. We'd also like to give them each a gift. Please click here for more information and to sign up!

Spirit Wear/School Store

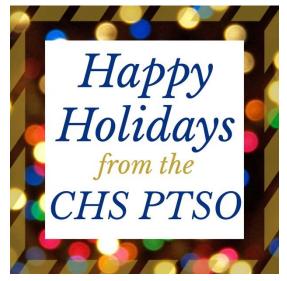
Shop with us, support CHS and show your Cavalier spirit!

FREE Stocking Stuffer with \$50 Purchase!

Crewneck Sweatshirts ON SALE for \$16!

Please click here for more information and to shop!





Happy Holidays

Happy Holidays and a wonderful Winter Break to all who have supported us this school year!

CHS PTSO Meeting Notice December 13, 2021 6:30 PM in CHS media center cuthbertsonhsptso.com

December Meeting Notice

Our next meeting will be held on December 13, 2021 at 6:30 PM in the CHS media center. Please click here for more information.

Invest in CHS

Did you know that the CHS PTSO is funded almost entirely from the donations of Cuthbertson High School families? We don't ask you to buy wrapping paper, cookie dough or another coupon book. Instead, we encourage all families to "Invest in CHS" with a tax-deductible donation. The dollars raised are invested in teacher and staff appreciation initiatives, special programs, specific school needs and student scholarships. The CHS PTSO is dedicated to supporting our teachers, staff, students and CHS as a whole.

Please click here to Invest in CHS!



Thank you to the following families for partnering with us as we endeavor to make a difference in our school and community!

Abouzeide, Acevedo, Allen, Andress, Anglin, Arce, Bair, Baldwin, Barber, Batista, Best, Bitting, Black, Blewett, Borgelt, Boutilier, Brown, Bryden, Carilli, Carter, Connolly, Cook, Cosentino, Cronk, Curtis, Cushing, Dannaker, David, Deal, Deatherage, DeRonne, Dickinson, Didugu, Dion, DiPiazza, Eblen, Fishman, Frattaroli, Gallagher, Gaziano, Geis, Gettinger, Giglio, Grant, Hammond, Harris, Hennis, Herdegen, Hively, Hoffman, Holt, Hoover, Houlihan, Hubatka, Huizing, Hurley, A. Johnson, W. Johnson, Kavuri, Keiter, Kwaku, Levantis, Loeber, Malinowski, Mann, Marryat, Martinho, Matthews, McAuliffe, McCadden, McDermid, McKinney, Melton, Miller, Misurale, Moore, Moritz, Mrozienski, Mueller, Murray, Mustard, Nasta, Nesbitt, Norton, Nguyen, Patel, Pike, Powell, Quas, Rathbone, Reyes, Richards, Roy, Ryan, Safrit, Salzwedel, Sanfilippo, Sanni, Schmidhausler, Schuster, Shaqqo, Sholar, Simmons, Skarbek, Sofsian, Spizzirri, Stephenson, Stone, Sweeter, Taylor, Thiem, Thomas, Tipton, Torres, Vaccaro, Ward, Williams, Zavasky

CHS PTSO
Membership
2021-2022
Please Join Us and
Support CHS!

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Please join us and support CHS! Your membership fees will help support teacher and staff appreciation initiatives, special programs, specific school needs and student scholarships. Membership for the school year is \$10 per family or \$5 per teacher or staff member.

Please click here to join!

2022 Senior Events

Webpage: https://www.cuthbertsonhsptso.com/2022-senior-events.html

Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/cuthbertsonparents2022 Instagram: https://www.instagram.com/chs_seniorevents22





Volunteer

Volunteer List: Please join our 2021-2022 volunteer list! This list will be used to notify parents of volunteer opportunities throughout the school year. Note: If you were on our list last school year, you do not need to join this one.

<u>Please click here to join our list!</u> Please click here for more volunteer information!

Community Partnerships

AmazonSmile: You shop, Amazon gives! Through the AmazonSmile program Amazon will donate 0.5% of eligible purchases to your charity of choice. You simply use your existing Amazon account to link it with AmazonSmile and then choose "Cuthbertson High School PTSO" as your charity. You pay the same prices as always but earn money back for us! Please link with us here: https://smile.amazon.com/ch/26-4493530



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