

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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HAPPY NEW YEAR

Stay Connected!

We invite you to stay connected with Cuthbertson High School on **Facebook** (Cuthbertson High School) on **Twitter** (#CHSCavaliers) and on **Instagram** (cuthbertsonhs_nc) You may subscribe to **CHS Enews** at <http://cuthbertson.ptsamail.com/>. We also update our school website regularly at <http://chs.ucps.k12.nc.us/>. Information and announcements are shared regularly, so please follow us so you never miss any Cavalier news!

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

UCPS will be closed December 23 – January 3. We look forward to seeing everyone back on Monday, January 6. We wish everyone a wonderful holiday season and happy new year!

Thank You PTSO!

Sincere thanks to our awesome PTSO for all they do for our staff – as well as their constant and ongoing support. You are the BEST!

Proctors Needed!

Calling all Proctors! We are looking for assistance with testing January 13-16. Testing starts each day at 8 and we are usually done by 12:30. If you are interested please email [Stephanie Austin](mailto:Stephanie.Austin) with the following information: Your name, email, your child's name if they attend CHS, and a contact number. Thank you for your support!

Exam Information

Click [here](#) for details on the upcoming final exams that will be given January 13-16.

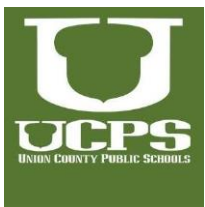


FFA Alumni and Supporters

The Cuthbertson FFA Alumni and Supporters has officially been chartered! The Cuthbertson FFA Alumni will be a booster organization to our CHS FFA, made up of former CHS FFA members, parents of current and past members, and other community supporters. You DO NOT have to be a former FFA member to join! The alumni meets on the first Thursday of every month. Please reach out to Alumni president Tom Lyons at thomaslyonsr@gmail.com with general questions or to be added to the mailing list. We look forward to hearing from you!

Attendance Reminders

It's that time of year, Cavaliers! Students who have 8 or more absences in any class before January 13 must see Ms. Rutowski to find out if they owe recovery time. Recovery sessions have been underway since October and time is running out! Students should see Ms. Rutowski TODAY during their lunch break to find out if they owe recovery time. Remember, **students can fail a class if they have too many absences and do not serve required recovery time.** Students - Don't take a chance, and don't ask your friends or teachers - ask Ms. Rutowski about your absences and recovery time!



UCPS Influencers

UCPS Influencers provides you with the opportunity to help us shine a light on the positive impact our employees have on others. Nominations are open, click [here](#).

Quick Links In Every Issue

Driver's Ed Information	Welcome to CHS Video	PowerSchool Parent Portal
Senior Breakfast Dates	UCPS Testing Calendar	Order Yearbooks Here
UCPS School Calendars	UCPS Parent Resources	Here Comes the Bus
School Menus	CHS Parent Resource Page	Prepay for School Meals
CHS PTSO Website	Cuthbertson Athletic Booster Club	Online School Payments
CHS CHAOS Website	Cuthbertson Band Boosters	CHS School Website

Questions or suggestions for Enews may be submitted to Mrs. Taufest at paula.taufest@ucps.k12.nc.us

Congrats to Health Science Students



Congratulations to Health Science II students in Ms. Heather Grant's class who are proud to be certified in CPR (BLS) and OSHA for Healthcare!

Animal Science Students Visit Farm



Mr. Shumate's Animal Science 1 students enjoyed a field trip to White Rock Dairy Farm, in Peachland, NC.

Looking ahead...

- January 6 – School resumes
- January 10 – Senior Breakfast
- January 13 – 1st block exam
- January 14 – 2nd block exam
- January 15 – 3rd block exam
- January 16 – 4th block exam
- January 17 – Makeup exams and last day of fall semester
- January 20 – Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday
- January 21 – Teacher Workday
- January 22 – First day of second semester

Chorus Sings at Biltmore!



The CHS Chorus under the direction of Ms. Rachel Waynick had the opportunity to sing at Biltmore on Dec. 18!

Tonight!



Students are invited to come out to ELF this evening!

Basketball Begins!



Friday night (Dec. 20) our basketball program will kick off the break with a home series against Piedmont! If you haven't noticed, our girls' team is on fire as they make a run to return to the state championship game. All students will be admitted for FREE - IF, AND ONLY IF - they arrive BEFORE tip-off of the girls' varsity game. Students that arrive after the tip-off of the girls' game will be charged the full admission fee of \$6. All other community members will be charged \$6 for admission.

Thanks for supporting our Cavs!



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](https://www.ucpsathletics.com/cabc).

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CABC would like to announce our 2020 fundraising gala...

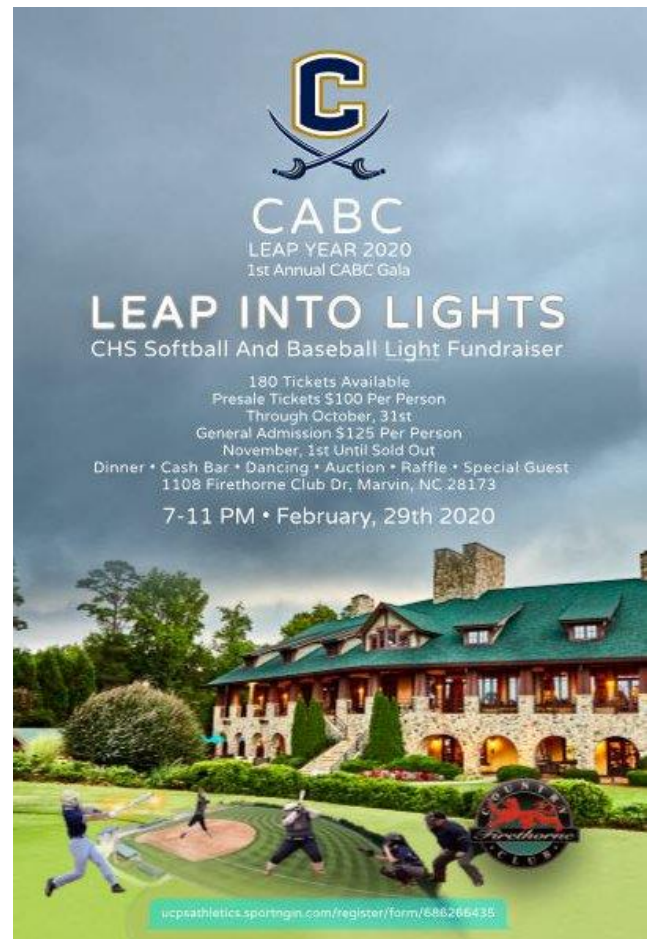
“LEAP INTO LIGHTS”


February 29th, 2020 7pm-11pm

Firethorne Club in Marvin

It will be a fun night of dinner, dancing, auction, raffles and a special guest. Proceeds will go towards the purchase and installation of stadium lights for the softball and baseball fields. Currently there is no lighting equipment at the fields for them to play after dusk. These fields are used by both Cuthbertson High School and Middle School teams.

ONLY 180 tickets are available. Purchase your presale ticket \$100pp. November 1st ticket price will increase to \$125pp until sold out. Click link below to purchase your online tickets. Take advantage of the LEAP year extra day and come out for a great night. Purchase your tickets online here. Any questions can be emailed to our CABC President at president@gocavs.org.




CABC
 LEAP YEAR 2020
 1st Annual CABC Gala

LEAP INTO LIGHTS
 CHS Softball And Baseball Light Fundraiser

180 Tickets Available
 Presale Tickets \$100 Per Person
 Through October, 31st
 General Admission \$125 Per Person
 November, 1st Until Sold Out
 Dinner • Cash Bar • Dancing • Auction • Raffle • Special Guest
 1108 Firethorne Club Dr, Marvin, NC 28173
 7-11 PM • February, 29th 2020

ucpsathletics.sportngin.com/register/form/686266438

PTSO News

Thank you to all the families who have partnered with the PTSO and helped to support our initiatives this year. We wish you all the happiest of holidays, a peaceful winter break, and look forward to making 2020 the best year yet at Cuthbertson High School. With your support, we certainly will.

December Teacher and Staff Appreciation

Happy Holidays CHS parents! The PTSO will be hosting a catered holiday lunch for our CHS teachers and staff on Friday. We are still in need of desserts. Homemade and store-bought desserts are welcome! Please have desserts ready to eat and not require a fridge or freezer. Please bring desserts to the CHS main office today, from 7:15am-3:15pm or tomorrow, Friday, 12/20, from 7:15am-10:15am. Please mark them with "PTSO Hospitality." Thank you to all who signed up already!

Calling All Seniors!

PTSO Scholarship Opportunity! The CHS PTSO is proud of you and would love to award you for your accomplishments! Graduating Seniors please apply before April 24, 2020 [by clicking here](#) or downloading from the PTSO website. For additional information please email chscommunitypartnerships@gmail.com

Join us for the next Senior breakfast on Friday, January 10th!
#SeniorYearsHere

Spirit Wear

The School Store is now CLOSED until after the new year.



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! <http://www.cuthbertsonhsptso.com/ptso-membership.html>

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 allisonbmatthews@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, Cushing, Cutler, Daniels, Darfler, Das Gupta, D'Errico, Dion, DiPiazza, Eaton, Eblen, Fahy, Faulkner, Gettinger, Giglio, Gilchrist, Gist, Green, Groce, Gunaseelan, Harper, Harris, Hayner, Herdegen, Hicks, Hoffman, Holmes, Horne, Hrenyo, Hubatka, Huelle, Hunter, Jipson, Johnson, Kim, Knibbel, Kroeger, Kruszewski, Kwaku, Lim, Mackey, Maddex, Mahoney, Malinowski, Margulies, Markiewicz, Marton, Matthews, McConnell, Melton, Mills, Misurale, Mrozienski, Mulvihill, Nali, Ngwainmbi, Norwood, Omoletski, Osterberg, Pistani, Recher, Reinartz, Renda, Riley, Rivers, Sanfilippo, Sarno, Satina, Schwarzmans, 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

Amazon Smile

Don't forget to add CHS to your Amazon account at 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!](#)



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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!**

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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!!**