



Inspiring World-Class Academic Achievement

Cornerstone Elementary Newsletter

August 30, 2024

Principal's Message

Mr. Vizzo & Mrs. Roth

Welcome Back! We are so excited to see all of our students again this year and meet all of the new students and families who have started at Cornerstone. We would like to take this time to welcome our new staff members:

- Katie Roth - administrative intern
- Turner Kurt - P.E. teacher
- Morgan Reynolds - specialized paraprofessional
- Jennifer Sanders - specialized paraprofessional
- Tayia Stanford - instructional paraprofessional
- Rox Reed - Food service
- Josh Deetz - custodian

We will be sending out a newsletter each month as well as posting updates to our Facebook page (Cornerstone Elementary School). If you have any questions or concerns that arise during the school year, please do not hesitate to reach out. We are looking forward to a year filled with growth and learning!

Upcoming Events

September 2: No School - Labor Day

September 9: No School - Fair Day

September 16: Haircut Day

September 17: Bosco's Pizza Night

September 19: Picture Day

September 26: Grandparents/Special Person Cookout

September 27: Leadership Rally (Wear Cornerstone shirt)

News from the Clinic

We will continue offering services with the Nurse Practitioner through Akron Children's. Contact the clinic for a consent form, or access it online through the district's Health Information page.

Guidance

Our guidance counselor, Melissa Wengerd is available to discuss questions or concerns as we begin the new school year.

Cornerstone News:

Dismissal Procedures

Walkers: Students walking home are dismissed from Door 3. The preschool parking lot is closed during dismissal. Please do not park in this lot to pick up your child from the walker door.

Car Loop: Students leaving in the car loop must be picked up by a vehicle. Please do not walk to the door to pick up your child. Pull as far forward as possible to allow us to load multiple cars at a time. To ensure quick identification, have your car tag displayed in your window at all times. Anyone not recognized, will be asked to provide photo ID.

Thank You

A big thank you to Parkview Christian Church and their work with the Play Lab. They spent an afternoon landscaping and cleaning up the playground so our kids can continue to enjoy an excellent outdoor space.

An additional thank you to Grace Church for their generous donation of snacks for our students to enjoy.

PTO

Cacee Payne President, Sara Norris Vice-President
Kaitlynn Arnholt- Treasurer, Secretary

The Dominos fundraiser will end on Tuesday, September 10th. Be sure to have all of your orders turned in prior to that date. Sales exceeding \$50 should be brought to school by an adult.

Our PTO meets the 3rd Thursday of every month. The meetings begin at 4:00 in the Cornerstone library. We hope to see you on September 19th!

Leader in Me:

Our school-wide WIG (Wildly Important Goal) is that 100% of Cornerstone students will come to class prepared and ready to learn. We will be tracking the progress of this WIG in the front entryway of our building.

Our first Leader Rally will take place on September 27th. We will be recognizing our students who have participated in Summer Reading Club. We will also be recognizing student leaders as well as emphasizing the importance of making good choices.

Free & Reduced Lunch
Students and families who may qualify for free or reduced lunch need to have an updated application filled out for this school year. If you would like one sent home, please contact the office or your child's teacher. You may also click on the link to fill out the application online:

<https://www.payschoolscentral.com/>