

Cowboy Courier

September 9, 2016



*CMS empowers lives through **C**hallenges, **M**otivation, and **S**upport.*

Good afternoon! This short week really flew by! Thank you for supporting our school during our only school-wide fundraiser of the year. This is the final weekend of the event. The money helps us buy special instructional materials, provide professional development for teachers, and purchase curriculum enhancements for students. If you don't wish to participate in the fundraiser, we will thankfully accept any monetary donation. Forms are due next Thursday.

Today ended the 3rd week of school and our first progress check. Make sure you are watching HAC regularly to keep up with your child's grades. If you have questions, always feel free to email or call any teacher for help.

Our students and staff honored first responders today during a Patriot Day Parade. Thank you to our cheerleaders and AVID students for organizing the parade. Our choir also presented the National Anthem beautifully. It was our honor to recognize the visitors who came to be a part of our special event.

Just another week at the best middle school in Texas! Have a wonderful weekend!!

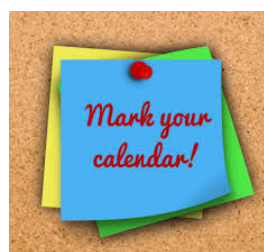
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Stay connected to CMS

We would love to have every family follow us on our Facebook page and Twitter. There are always great things happening at CMS you will want to know about.

<http://www.twitter.com/cockrillms> @CockrillMS @cmslc1

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Sept. 10

Volleyball Tournament

Sept. 11

Happy Grandparent's Day

September 12

7th Grade Football vs. Prosper @ MNHS

September 13

4:00-6:00pm Drama Rehearsal
8th Grade Football @ Prosper Eagle Stadium

September 14

4:00-6:00pm Drama Rehearsal

September 15

Fundraiser Ends
4:00-6:00pm Drama Rehearsal
Volleyball vs. Reynolds @ CMS

September 16

4:00-6:00pm Drama Rehearsal
6:00-9:00pm Orchestra Social @ Amazing Jake's

September 17

8th Grade "B" Volleyball Tournament

School Fundraiser Time

Thank you for supporting our school!! If you can't participate in the fundraiser and want to make a donation to the school, we will happily accept your support. These funds support all students at CMS! Student flyers came home yesterday. Call us if you have any questions.





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FADE AWAY

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YEARBOOK >

Jostens

Yearbooks are on sale till next Friday for the lowest price it will be all year (\$30), and if you choose to put your child's name on the front of their book (personalization fee of \$5.50) they can get FOUR FREE icons next to their name, a value of \$14.00 FREE. You can purchase online at www.jostensyearbooks.com. Please email our yearbook advisor Ms. Tarum at ntarum@mckinneyisd.net with any questions.



We must have a proof of residence for each child enrolled at CMS. This can be a utility bill that has your name and address. A cell phone bill can't be accepted. Please write your child's first and last name legibly on the bill and have your child drop it off in the front office.

PTO News

Help support our CMS PTO! You may ask, "What does PTO do?" Well, for starters, we provide weekly rewards for Cowboy ticket winners. We also provide funds to help support Cockrill Middle School events, including the Cowboy Round Up, the Honor Roll Assembly, the Creed Breakfasts, the Eighth Grade Celebration, Teacher Appreciation, and more.

Now that you know what we do, we'd like to remind you that our fall membership drive is in full swing, and we invite YOU to join! Each Friday in September and October, a PTO member's name will be chosen for your Cowboy to receive a gift card for one free item at the CMS school store (does not apply to spirit wear)! Get your membership forms in today!!

<https://cockrillpto.wordpress.com/membership/>