



# The Chatter

Weekly Newsletter for Grades 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>

March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2024

*"We are a Seventh-day Adventist School established to educate, equip, and inspire students to be critical thinkers who serve others and reflect Christ's character."*

## SPIRITUAL LIFE NEWS



❖ **Next Week, CA is Praying for**  
Plant Services- Mr. Phillips, Mr. Dickson, Mr. Nudd & The Carolina Conference

❖ **Students of the Week**

Conner Standish  
Abigail Van Arsdale  
Amare Ward  
Lily Warner

❖ **Weekly Prayer Time**

Please join Pastor Tabor for prayer in the CA Middle lobby on Wednesdays at 8:05 am

❖ **Verse of the Week**

*Psalms 46:1*

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## Upcoming Events

- Mar 21<sup>st</sup> – Volleyball CA vs. Baylor @ Baylor JV 5 pm V 6 pm
- Mar 22<sup>nd</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Grades Published
- Mar 25<sup>th</sup> – Principal's Lunch, 11:45 am
- Mar 26<sup>th</sup> – Robotics Club, 3:30-5:00 pm
- Mar 26<sup>th</sup> – Golf Match vs. OCA, St. Jude, Boyd @ Brainerd Golf Course
- Mar 26<sup>th</sup> – Volleyball CA vs. Boyd @ CA JV 5 pm V 6 pm
- Mar 27<sup>th</sup> – Jazz Band, 3:30-4:15 pm
- Mar 28<sup>th</sup> – Grandparent's Day, CA Middle Gymnasium, 1:30 pm
- Mar 28<sup>th</sup> – Golf Match vs. SBA, OLPH, OCA @Brown Acres Golf Course, 4-6 pm
- Mar 28<sup>th</sup> – Volleyball CA vs. Silverdale @ CA JV 5 pm V 6 pm
- Mar 29<sup>th</sup> – **Easter Break, No School**
- Mar 30<sup>th</sup> – SonRise Easter Pageant, SAU Campus
- Apr 1<sup>st</sup> – Principal's Lunch, 11:45 am
- Apr 1<sup>st</sup> – Volleyball Game CA vs HABBA @CA JV 5 pm
- Apr 2<sup>nd</sup> – Robotics Club, 3:30-5:00 pm



*He is risen*

- Apr 2<sup>nd</sup> – Volleyball CA vs. Grace @ CA JV 5 pm V 6 pm
- Apr 3<sup>rd</sup> – Jazz Band, 3:30-4:15 pm
- Apr 4<sup>th</sup> – CA STEAM Expo, CA HS Gym, 6 pm
- Apr 6<sup>th</sup> – CA Ringers Worship Service, Chattanooga Hispanic, 10 am
- Apr 7<sup>th</sup> – Hope Twinkles, Collegedale Community Church, 8 am-6 pm

**Principal's Lunch, Monday, March 25<sup>th</sup>**

***You are Invited to Join Mrs. Hunt for a Pizza Lunch!***

Steven Guild, Natalie Gustafson, Benjamin Hocking, Joshua Houghton, Skyler Housley, Elijah Hybl, Olivia Jo, Sophia Jones, Nathaniel Joy, & Yara Soares

**Lunch Program – Menu A**

Meal Schedule Week A:

Monday – Hotdogs & Fruit  
 Tuesday – Spaghetti & Breadsticks  
 Wednesday – Pizza  
 Thursday – Bean Burritos & Fruit  
 Friday – Deli Sandwich & Fruit



Meal Schedule Week B:

Monday – Mac n Cheese & Nuggets  
 Tuesday – Fettuccine & Breadsticks  
 Wednesday – Pizza  
 Thursday – Bean Burritos & Fruit  
 Friday – Griller Sandwich & Fruit

**Lunch Menu Change**

Starting after Spring Break, the lunch menu will switch days. Fazoli's Spaghetti or Fettuccini will be delivered on Tuesday, and Taco Bell's Bean Burritos will be delivered on Thursday to aid restaurant staffing needs. This will continue through the end of the school year.

**Grandparents Day**



CA Middle's Grandparent's Day Celebration is on Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 1:30 p.m. in the CA Middle Gymnasium. Grandparents will enjoy a showcase from our music ensemble groups followed by classroom tours. Students are encouraged to invite their Grandparents or a person who plays a meaningful role in their life to attend. Students are free to be dismissed early with their grandparents or stay to finish the remainder of their day.

**CA High School Parent Overview Night – For 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Families**

This is a notice for parents of new high school students considering Collegedale Academy for 2024-25. We look forward to meeting you and sharing with you about life at CA during **Parent Overview Night on Tuesday, March 26, 2024, at 5:30 pm in the CA auditorium** located in the high school building – 4855 College Drive E, Collegedale, TN 37315. All new CA high school students' parents who attend this evening are eligible for an application fee credit (the early bird \$75 fee – use the code CA75 when paying the application fee in the payment section of the application). The credit is available if the student's online application is completed and submitted by March 31, 2024, **AND** at least one parent attends and SIGNS IN at Parent Overview Night. The application fee is paid online, and the credit will be awarded to the student's account upon enrollment in August 2024.

Applications may be completed and submitted before the meeting. To manually access the application, go to [collegedaleacademy.com/apply](https://collegedaleacademy.com/apply).

### **CA HS Freshman Course Selection**

On April 22, 2024, the CURRENT CA 8th graders will meet with the high school registrar to select their courses during school time. The high school registrar will outline the few options rising Freshmen have in their course selections and help answer their questions about their high school academic goals. Changes can be made in the student portal until June 15, 2024.

For **ALL** prospective students, please call our admissions team listed below for a tour, an opportunity for your student to shadow and/or have a meeting so we can get to know each other better.

High School Admissions/Enrollment/Scheduling a tour:

Angi Howell – <mailto:ahowell@collegedaleacademy.com> or 423.396.2124 x 5015

High School Transcripts or Course questions:

Carmen Alvarez – <mailto:registrar@collegedaleacademy.com> or 423.396.2124 x 5003

### **2024-25 School Year Applications**

Applications are now open for new and current students in Early Childhood (preschool-aged) – grade 12. Note: Early bird application fee (\$75) is available from Jan – March 31. The regular application fee (\$100) begins April 1. With a completed application, a spot in the upcoming year's class will be held for returning students until Jan 31. On Feb 1, all new and returning applicants will acquire a class spot in the date order of their completed application. Class spots are secured once acceptance letters are sent to each student. This year, we have moved our re-enrollment application to PowerSchool Enrollment, and you will reapply in your parent portal. Please login to the parent portal and click the "Returning Student Update" button on the lower left. Please read and use the discount code "CA75" for the \$75 early bird application fee. This code will apply until March 31. [Parent Portal](#)

For brand new students to CA, Apply [Here](#)

If you have any questions, please get in touch with your building registrar. For grades 9-12, email: [registrar@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:registrar@collegedaleacademy.com). For grades EC-8 email: [hoffman@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:hoffman@collegedaleacademy.com)

### **Alumni Golf Classic Tournament**



We invite you to support Collegedale Academy's 21st Annual Alumni Golf Classic Tournament by becoming a sponsor and or **registering to play!** You do not have to be an alum - all are welcome!

**Date:** Friday, April 12, 2024

**Time:** Registration begins at 7:00 am with a shotgun start of 8:00 am

**Location:** The Ooltewah Club

**Purpose:** Supporting CA's Athletic Department

**Register/Sponsor Link:** <https://www.collegedaleacademy.com/alumni/alumni-weekend/golf-classic-registration-form/>

### **Collegedale Academy Alumni Weekend**

We are excited to welcome all CA alums back to campus on April 12– 13, 2024, for Collegedale Academy’s Alumni Weekend/Homecoming. Homecoming is a special time to reconnect with old friends and reminisce over shared memories. While all are invited, we are honoring graduates from the honor years ending in 4's & 9's'. [Check out all the weekend activities](https://collegedaleacademy.com/alumni) – [collegedaleacademy.com/alumni](https://collegedaleacademy.com/alumni) or scan the QR code for the webpage with the weekend’s schedule.



If you have any questions or need updated contact information, please email CA’s alumni coordinator, Angi Howell, at [ahowell@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:ahowell@collegedaleacademy.com) or call the school at 423-396-2124.

### **Dos Bros Spirit Night**

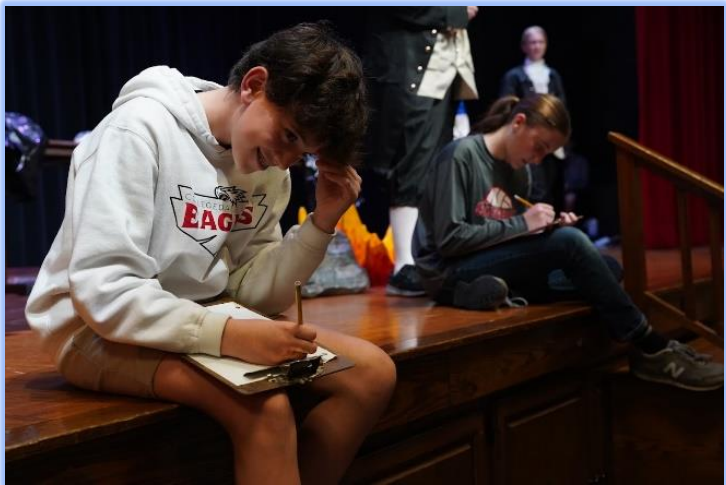
On Tuesday, March 26, Dos Bros in Ooltewah will host a Spirit Night for the Collegedale Pathfinder Club from 3:00 to 8:00 p.m. During that time, 30% of any sales made with the mention of Collegedale Pathfinders will go towards expenses for the 2024 International Camporee in Gillette, WY. Mark your calendars and join us at Dos Bros, 5975 Elementary Way #111, Collegedale...and be sure to mention Collegedale Pathfinders.

### **Hassle-Free, No Cooking Night**

Don't miss the haystack & hot dog grab-n-go Pathfinder Fundraiser. Come to the Collegedale Church Upper Parking Lot on Wednesday, April 3, from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m. and grab (-n-go with) a haystack or hot dog for supper. Haystacks are \$6 for a regular size or \$4 for a small one. Hot dogs are \$2 each. Drinks and chips will also be available for \$1 each. Pay by cash, check, credit card, CashApp, or Venmo at pick up.

### **March 8<sup>th</sup> Pi Day Shenanigans**





## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

### ATHLETICS

#### **Middle School Athletic Director**

Jeff Morris – [jmorris@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:jmorris@collegedaleacademy.com)

### MUSIC

#### **Caroliers and CA Ringers**

Holly Greer – [hgreer@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:hgreer@collegedaleacademy.com)

#### **Orchestra**

Tami King - [tking@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:tking@collegedaleacademy.com)

#### **Band**

Greg Lindquist - [glindquist@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:glindquist@collegedaleacademy.com)

### CA REGISTRARS

#### **Carmen Alvarez**, Head Registrar- Grades 9-12

423.396.2124 or email [registrar@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:registrar@collegedaleacademy.com)

#### **Heather Hoffman**, Assistant Registrar- Early Child- Grade 8

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### SCHOOL COUNSELOR

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To refer a student for services, please click [here!](#)



Audrey Kim – 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Natalie Gustafson – 4<sup>th</sup>  
Mrs. Trott – 7<sup>th</sup>  
Juan Felipe Sandoval – 8<sup>th</sup>  
Luke Loeffler – 13<sup>th</sup>  
Duncan Baker – 15<sup>th</sup>  
Alyssa Rawson – 15<sup>th</sup>  
Morgan Chandler – 18<sup>th</sup>  
Mrs. Tatum – 19<sup>th</sup>  
Eduardo Fernandez – 20<sup>th</sup>  
Campbell Murdoch – 21<sup>st</sup>  
Giuliani Banuchi – 22<sup>nd</sup>  
Ryan Iwanczyk – 22<sup>nd</sup>  
Gage Kenyon – 23<sup>rd</sup>  
Isaiah de La Cruz – 25<sup>th</sup>  
Josh Houghton – 25<sup>th</sup>

## ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM

### PRINCIPAL

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