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Find Out What Color Guard Is All About At SPINFEST 2016

Chesterton High School will host its ninth annual SPINFEST for students in grades 7 and 8. SPINFEST will be a one-day clinic held on Friday, Nov. 4 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. (No School for Students) Registration for SPINFEST is due by Tuesday, Oct. 27 with the attached \$40 camp fee. Participants will learn flag basics, a flag routine, and a dance routine. Each camper will receive a Flag Pole with a flag, a Spinfest Shirt, and a

CD of the Music used for this years SPINFEST. A brief performance of the days events will start at 2:40 p.m. SPINFEST forms are available in the CMS Main Office or on the CHS Color Guard website located at www.duneland.k12.in.us (CHS, Academics, Department & Classroom Sites, Music, Color Guard) If you have any questions please contact Lisa Scheiber at the CHS Main Office at 219.983.3730.

CMS to Host First 5K Run/Walk to Benefit Veterans on Nov. 5

Whether you are a competitive runner, walker or someone who just enjoys a little exercise, an upcoming event has something for everyone.

Chesterton Middle School will host its first 5k Run/Walk on Saturday, Nov. 5 at 9 a.m. The proceeds from this event will benefit the Folds of Honor Foundation and is being sponsored in conjunction with the annual CMS Veterans Day Program to be held on Friday, Nov. 11. The Folds of Honor Foundation provides educational scholarships for children and spouses of military service men and women killed or disabled while serving our great nation.

Event fees of \$25 include a long sleeve

CHS to Present Fall Musical, *GODSPELL*, Nov. 18-20

The Chesterton High School Music and Drama departments will present their annual musical in the fall this year. The musical, *GOSPELL*, will be performed on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 18 & 19 at 7:00 p.m.; and Sunday, Nov. 20 at 2:00 p.m. at the CHS Auditorium.

Godspell is composed of various musical parables from The Gospel According to Matthew. The musical uses song and dance to teach various lessons including citizenship, kindness and generosity. Cast members include main characters Wyatt Lee as Jesus and Logan Ginther as Judas. Other featured cast members are: Mallory Benoit, Emily Coleman, Ashley Heilmann, Ally Henry, Rebecca

shirt if registered by Monday, October 24. Race day registration is also accepted at CMS starting at 7:30 a.m. for a fee of \$30. Online registration may be done at www.thtiming.com Online registration ends on November 4 at 3:00 p.m.

Awards will be presented to the top three in each age group category for both male and female.

Check-in and race day registration will start at 7:30 a.m. at Chesterton Middle School, 651 W. Morgan Avenue Chesterton, Indiana. Please park in the lot behind the school which is accessible off Porter Avenue by the Brown Mansion entrance.

Lane, Priscilla Sabourin, Danny Schmiegel, Julia Wahl, Simon Williger and Delaney Wright. Ensemble members are: Paige Fowler, Emma Healy, Elle Hodge, Holly Kittredge, Abigail Koster, Sam Kravitz, Olivia Lee, Steven Mayer-sky, Chloe Thomas, Jordan Tuel and Michelle Vasquez.

Tickets can be purchased online now at www.showtix4u.com, and will be available for purchase in the CHS Bookstore beginning Oct. 24 during school hours. Tickets for evening performances and the Sunday afternoon performance will be \$10 for adults, \$8 for students/senior citizens. Duneland staff passes will be honored for one ticket for each performance.

Staff and Students to Celebrate '50 Years of Westchester'

Westchester Intermediate School will celebrate 50 years of Westchester at a short convocation for students and staff on Friday, Oct. 28 at 2:30 p.m. in the Gym. This school event will also be open to the community. Community visitors please use Entrance 6 (Gym).

This event will track the progression of Westchester Middle School from its opening in 1966 to its transformation to an intermediate school in 2001. Speaking at the event will be former school administrators Tim McGinty, Al Eggers, Jim Ton, Kim Sigler, Terry Levenda and Don Deller.

In honor of this special day, students will experience many activities in celebration of the 50 years.

This year's Westchester Intermediate float in the annual CHS Homecoming parade was centered around a 60's theme with students in tie-dyed t-shirts.

All departments are doing lesson revolv-

ing around the number 50 and / or 1960's.

Lunch and recess will have special contests and prizes will be given (50th student in lunch line, etc.)

The WIS Choir will perform Penny Lane (song from 1966) to kick off our convocation as well as a slide show of past pictures from yearbooks will be in the background while the former principals speak.

All faculty and staff will be wearing maroon and gold commemorative t-shirts for the celebration.

For Your Information

The First Grading Period will end on Thursday, Oct. 20 for all Duneland School students. Reports cards are no longer distributed to students in paper format and will be posted to

your student's Portfolio Tab of your Skyward Family Access Parent Portal on Friday, Oct. 28. Parents will have the option of printing out their student's report card. If you have any questions or need assistance, please contact your child's school. Please contact your child's school as well if you are having problems accessing your Skyward site.

Fall Recess: There will be no school for all Duneland School students for one day only on Friday, Oct. 21 for a Fall Recess. School will resume on Monday, Oct. 24.

No Open Swim: There will be no open swim at the CHS Pool on Wednesday, Oct. 19 due to Fall Recess.

School Conferences: The fall elementary/intermediate/middle school teacher/parent/student conferences are scheduled on Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 2 and 3. Individual conference times will be scheduled with teachers at each of the respective schools.

On Wednesday and Thursday, all students will follow this early dismissal schedule: Elementary at 1:45 p.m., Intermediate at 1:35 p.m., Middle School at 2:25 p.m. and CHS at 2:10 p.m. All elementary and intermediate students will be picked up 10 minutes early and the intermediate schools day will begin 10 minutes early at 8:05.

There will be no school for ALL Duneland School students on Friday, Nov. 4.

Halloween Trick or Treat: Chesterton High School Student Government will host its third annual *Halloween Trick or Treat* event at CHS on Thursday, Oct. 27, from 5-7 p.m. for all children sixth grade and younger. Families will begin at Entrance #1 and proceed down the main hallway to receive candy from representatives of CHS groups/club and community organizations who are dressed up, followed by cookies, cupcakes and punch in the Cafeteria. There will also be pictures and music. Clubs will dress appropriately for little ones, i.e. in Disney, Pixar and superhero characters, etc., but NOT scary or grotesque characters. Student Government is asking for a \$5 per family donation to benefit Frontline Foundations, Inc., an addiction assistance organization in Chesterton because "Drugs are scary, but getting help shouldn't be."

Collect goodies for troops: Hurst Orthodontics will place candy donation boxes in all of the schools on Monday, Oct. 31 to be picked up Wednesday, Nov. 9. For several years, Dr. Hurst has donated any candy to a non-profit organization that sends the candy to our soldiers serving overseas and domestically. This is a "small bit of home" to these men and women and it helps them to make friends with the locals. Last year with your support and help Dr. Hurst collected 900 pounds of candy. In addition this year, Hurst Ortho will also be accepting cash donations to help Supporters of Military (SOM) to ship as many packages as possible. Letters and cards for the troops would be very welcome, as well.

CHS Strength Training Camp: Chesterton High School will conduct a six-month camp, for students in grades 4-8, focusing on proper and safe lifting technique in numerous strength training exercises. The camp will be held in the CHS Fieldhouse/Weight Room.

In addition to general strength training, the athletes will be introduced to many sport-specific training concepts to improve performance in

their respective sports. The campers will be trained in many areas, including, but not limited to: strength/power training, core training/bodyweight and TRX, plyometrics, speed/agility training, sport-specific, Prehabilitation and other injury-prevention.

The camp will be conducted by Shane Nelson, MSS, CSCS, CHS Strength and Conditioning director. Sessions will be held on Mondays and Wednesdays from 6-7:15 p.m., beginning Monday, Nov. 7. Cost of the camp is \$60/month per student or \$90/month per family. Checks should be made payable to CHS. Any questions should be directed to Shane Nelson at (219) 983-3762 or by email to shane.nelson@duneland.k12.in.us.

Purchase Your Brick and Leave Your Legacy: Boys & Girls Clubs of Porter County is inviting the general public to be part of a historic project. Individuals have the opportunity to order a brick that will be fixed in the entry-way of new Duneland Boys & Girls Club in Chesterton. A personal brick can be customized, viewed and ordered in three sizes including the \$500 Executive's Circle Brick, \$250 Investor's Circle Brick, and a \$100 Mentor's Club Brick by visiting bgcpoco.org/bricks.

2017 Spring Lacrosse Registration for grades 1-12 will be conducted at the Thomas Library, 200 W Indiana in the Bertha Wood Room (2nd Floor) on Saturday, Nov. 5 from 10 a.m.-Noon; Wednesday, Nov. 9 from 5-7 p.m. and Sunday, Nov. 13 from 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. or online at www.chestertonlacrosse.com beginning on Saturday, Nov. 5. Lacrosse is a fast-paced game that incorporates many of the same skills and strategies as soccer, hockey, football and basketball. For more information email dunelandlax@gmail.com

Duneland Swim Club 2016-17: Duneland Swim Club on-site registration continues throughout the season from 3:15-3:45 p.m. on specified trial dates (listed below), at the CMS Pool. Use CMS Entrance #9. All NEW swimmers must bring a copy of their birth certificate. Swimming begins on these dates from 4-4:50 p.m. Monday through Friday and goes to the end of the remaining trial period. Trial #3-Oct. 24; Trial #4-Nov. 14; Trial #5-Dec. 5; Trial #6-Dec. 26; Trial #7-Jan. 16.

More information the duneswim.com homepage. Please Contact Coach Christy by email at kallayfamily@comcast.net with any questions.

**CHESTERTON HIGH SCHOOL
CHS College & Career Center:
College/University Reps for
October:**

25 Hope College (10-10:45 Career Ctr) and Albion College (2-2:45 Career Ctr)

**November:
1** Ivy Tech (11-1)

Scholarship Info: See Mrs. Arthur in the CHS Career Center located in the Guidance Office for an application and more information.

Horatio Alger Scholarship applications are online at www.scholars.horatioalger.org. Due Oct. 25

Coca-Cola Scholarship applications are available online at <https://connect.cocacolascholars.org/sslpage.aspx?pid=646> Due Oct. 31

The Danforth Scholars Program at Washington University in St. Louis is accepting nominations. See Mrs. Arthur in the Career Center

for more information. Washington University must receive forms by Nov. 15

Jack Kent Cooke Foundation Young Scholars Program applications are available online at <http://www.jkcf.org/scholarship-programs/college-scholarship/>. Due Nov. 30

Elks Nation Foundation Most Valuable Student Scholarship applications are available at <http://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/mvs.cfm> Due Nov. 30

NFIB Young Entrepreneur Award applications available at www.NFIB.com/YEA. Due Dec. 18

Next Generation Hoosier Educators Scholarship nomination forms and applications available at <http://www.learnmoreindiana.org/cost/financial-aid-and-scholarships/next-generation-teacher-scholarship/> Due Dec. 31

2017 Profile in Courage Essay Contest information and application is online at www.JKFKLibrary.org/essaycontest. Due Jan. 4

Jim & Betty Dye Scholarship applications available at www.dyescholarships.org. Due to Mrs. Arthur by March 1.

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School Calendar

Thursday, October 20, 2016

Senior Pictures & Retakes
End of 1st Grading Period

Friday, October 21, 2016

7 p.m. NO SCHOOL-Fall Recess
CHS Boys V FB IHSAA
Sectional-TBD

Saturday, October 22, 2016

9 a.m. CHS TG ISSMA Scholastic
Marching Band Finals-Indy
CHS Boys V SCR-IHSAA
Semi-State vs/W. Noble-St.
Joe

10 a.m. CHS Girls V VB-IHSAA

10:30 a.m. Sectional-M'ville
CHS B&G V CC Semi-State-
New Prairie

4 p.m. CHS Girls V VB-IHSAA

6 p.m. Sectional-M'ville
CHS Boys V SCR-IHSAA
Semi-State Championship
game-St. Joe

Monday, October 24, 2016

7 p.m. CLASSES RESUME
CMS 7&8 Band Fall Concert-
Aud.

Wednesday, October 26, 2016

7 p.m. CMS 7&8 Bell Choir Concert-
Aud.

7-8:45 p.m. CHS Open Swim-Pick up 9 pm

Thursday, October 27, 2016

5-7 p.m. Stud. Gov. Halloween Trick Or
Treat

Friday, October 28, 2016

Student Report Cards avail-
able on Parent Access
BA Box Tops & Frozen Friday-
Cafeteria
CMS 7&8 Book Fair-Media Ctr

2:30 p.m. WIS 50th Day Convocation

6-8 p.m. CMS 7&8 Fall Dance-Golds-
borough Gym

7 p.m. CHS Boys V FB-IHSAA 6A
Sectional-TBD

Saturday, October 29, 2016

WIS Manda Run

CHS TG ISSMA Exhibition Perf.-
Lucas Oil Stadium, Indy IN
CHS B&G V CC-State-Terre
Haute

Monday, October 31, 2016

CMS 7&8 Book Fair-Media Ctr
thru 11/3

1 P.M. LIS Fall Book Fair thru 10/4
LES K-4 Halloween Parade/
Party

Wednesday, November 2, 2016

Parent-Teacher Conferences
LES K-4 Book Fair Media

LIS Veteran's Day Program

8:45 a.m. IM Early Dismissal

1:35 p.m. EL Early Dismissal

1:45 p.m. HS Early Dismissal

2:10 p.m. MS Early Dismissal

2:25 p.m. BR Book Fair

2-7:30 p.m. Fall Sport Awards-Aud.

7 p.m. CHS Open Swim-Pick up at 9
p.m.

Thursday, November 3, 2016

WIS Awards Ceremony
Parent-Teacher Conferences

1:35 p.m. IM Early Dismissal

1:45 p.m. EL Early Dismissal

2:10 p.m. HS Early Dismissal

2:25 p.m. MS Early Dismissal

2-7:30 p.m. BR Book Fair

Friday, November 4, 2016

NO SCHOOL -Optional Conf.
Day/CHS Inservice

5:30/7 p.m. CHS Girls JV/V BB-Highland-H

Saturday, November 5, 2016

9 a.m. CMS 7&8 WR Inv.-Grimmer

9 a.m. CMS 5K Run Walk for Veterans-
CMS

FB=Football CC=Cross Country SCR=Soccer
VB=Volleyball TN=Tennis B&G=Boys & Girls
TG=Trojan Guard

School Menus*

(*School menus are subject to change without notice)

Elementary and Intermediate Menu

Monday, Oct. 24, 2016

Chicken Fries, Fruitables Juice Box, Mandarin
Oranges, Cheetos, Jello, Milk

Tuesday, Oct. 25, 2016

French Toast Sticks w/Syrup, Sausage Patty,
Hash Brown Stars, Fruit or Juice, Milk

Wednesday, Oct. 26, 2016

Chicken Nuggets, Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy,
Orange Slices or Rosy Applesauce, Romaine
Garden Salad, Rice Krispie Bar, Milk

Thursday, Oct. 27, 2016

Loaded Nachos Supreme, Lett/Tom/Salsa/
Sr. Cr., Refried Beans, Diced Pears or Apples,
Milk

Friday, Oct. 28, 2016

Cheese or Pepperoni Pizza, Green Beans,
Corn, Peaches or Juice, Milk

Chesterton Middle School Menu

Monday, Oct. 24, 2016

Chicken Patty on Bun, Tater Tots, Apple
Slices, Milk

Tuesday, Oct. 25, 2016

Beef Taco, Bean Salad, Mandarin Oranges,
Milk

Wednesday, Oct. 26, 2016

Barbecue Pork, Corn, Banana, Cheesz-it, Milk

Thursday, Oct. 27, 2016

Popcorn Chicken, Sweet Potato Fries, Apple-
sauce, Milk

Friday, Oct. 28, 2016

Pepperoni Ripper, Salad, Sidekick, Chocolate
Pudding, Milk

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