

# Christ the King Catholic High School

## CRUSADER WEEKLY



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Dear Crusaders,

Labor Day Weekend is upon us. Let us take this time to thank God for what has been provided to us through the labor of our hands. Let us also remember in prayer those who are unemployed. We can be the face of Christ to those in need by assisting with the search for gainful employment.

Meet the Teacher Night was a huge success. Thank you for cooperating with the schedules which listed your loved ones temporary classrooms. We expect to begin the moving process into permanent classrooms on Wednesday. The entire process may take two weeks.

I must say that your sons and daughters are very positive and effervescent people. They bring a light and joy to the building. They have a wonderful ability to cope with change. This is one of the hallmarks of future success. Just today, one of last year's seniors came back to visit. He is doing very well in college and indicated that he felt well prepared for the transition. The times go by quickly. Soon your children will be taking that next step onto a bright future.

Enjoy the Weekend!

Sincerely,  
Dr. Semmler

## Week in Review



Sophomore swimming standout Tim Connery, a member of the CTK Men's State Championship Swim Team, just returned from representing TEAM USA during the Junior Pan Pacific Championships in Fiji. Tim was selected for this prestigious international competition based on his performance this summer at the US National Championships in Irvine, CA.

The Junior Pan Pacific Championship is the highest level international competition in 2018 for swimmers aged 18 and under. Tim not only made the team but performed very well in a number of events. His highest finish was 5<sup>th</sup> place in the 100 Breaststroke.

Connery said of his experience, "It was an honor to be selected for the team. I loved representing the US in a meet at this level and hope to be able to do it again in the future!"

Last year at CTK, Tim led the Men's Swim Team to its 2<sup>nd</sup> State Championship. He won two individual events, two relay events, set three state records, and was twice named an All-American.

<http://www.swimnc.com/ncs-swimmers-strike-gold-in-fiji/>

Tim returned to the school on Thursday, August 30th, and was greeted by the entire CTK Community. Both the cheer squad and swim team welcomed him with signs and chants as he entered the building, and the rest of the school lined the halls to cheer him on.



## Week in Review



Congratulations to our Spanish Teacher Mrs. Canache for becoming a U.S. Citizen this week! This is her second year of being a part of the CTK community, and we could not be more proud!

### FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 7th - CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NIGHT -

Any Catholic School Student who comes in their school uniform will be admitted to our athletic contests for free. Games include JV Volleyball, V Volleyball, V Soccer and V Football.

## CRUSADERS VS VILLAINS

This fall athletic season the Bishop McGuiness Villains will meet the Christ the King Crusaders five times. The Villains have already challenged CTK in Boys Soccer and will compete in another Boys V Soccer game, JV Girls Volleyball, V Girls Volleyball and Boys V Football.

Mrs. Tracy Shaw (Principal of Bishop McGuiness Catholic HS) and Dr. Carl Semmler are quite proud of their schools and have a friendly challenge for each other. Whichever school wins 3 of 5 fall events, will require that the losing Principal wear the competition's school shirt for an entire week. This competition will culminate with the CATHOLIC BOWL Football Game at McGuiness on Friday, September 21.

Dr. Semmler was overheard saying, "I look forward to see Mrs. Shaw wear our colors." Mrs. Shaw was overheard saying that, "Dr. Semmler must not be feeling well, he is delirious." OH IT'S ON!!!!

*CTK Athletic Association*

# *Fall Classic Golf Tournament*

PRESENTED BY:



**TRUMP NATIONAL GOLF COURSE  
MONDAY, OCTOBER 8TH, 2018**

ALL PROCEEDS FROM THIS EVENT WILL GO TOWARDS EQUIPPING THE NEW WEIGHT ROOM WITH WEIGHTS AND WORK OUT EQUIPMENT AS WELL AS SUSTAINING A LOW STUDENT ATHLETE PARTICIPATION FEE BY FUNDING OPERATIONAL COSTS.

## **THE TOURNAMENT WILL INCLUDE:**

- Breakfast sandwiches
- Lunch
- A 19th Hole Award Reception with heavy hors d'oeuvres
- An open bar throughout the day
- And a great swag bag!

## **INTERESTED IN PLAYING IN THE TOURNAMENT? SPONSORING THE EVENT?**

Head on over to [CTKGolfNC.com](http://CTKGolfNC.com) for registration, as well as a preview of our wonderful sponsorship options.

For more information, contact Joe McCourt at 704.996.2958 or [info@ctkgolfnc.com](mailto:info@ctkgolfnc.com)

## Upcoming Dates, Reminders, and Events

- *Christ the King is searching for a Part-Time Spanish teacher for two sections of Spanish I for the 2018-2019 school year (8:00-9:30 M-F). Please email Marissa Vandenberg at [CTK-Resume@ctkchs.org](mailto:CTK-Resume@ctkchs.org). Ideal candidates will have the knowledge and skills needed to help CTK students discover the relationship between faith and reason in their disciplines; have a desire to work in a cross-curricular fashion; and have demonstrated an expertise in using technology to enhance student learning.*
- Crusader families if you are interested in starting or joining a carpool this year, please fill out the Opt-In form below to indicate your interest in joining a carpool at CTK. Please view the Form Responses to view others who are interested in starting or joining a carpool. These links are also on PlusPortals. *Note, any information you share will be visible to the CTK community.*
  - [CTK Opt-In Carpool Finder](#)
  - [CTK Carpool Form Responses](#)
- Any student who wishes to have a lunch visitor must fill out the Lunch Visitor form on PlusPortals.
- Let the countdown begin! We are scheduled to begin our “move-in” to the new building on September 5!
- On Tuesday, September 4, the following colleges will be visiting CTK from 11-12:30: University of South Carolina, UNC Asheville, Lynn University, Campbell University
- All class photos are Tuesday, September 11th. Order forms were sent home with all freshmen, sophomores and juniors. There is no pre-ordering for Seniors. Senior proofs will be sent via email and ordered online.

# **Get Involved!**

## **September 5:**

6:30 pm-8:00 pm: Ronald McDonald House of Charlotte

## **September 7-9:**

various volunteer opportunities: Lake Norman Special Olympics Sailing Regatta:  
Lake Norman Yacht Club

## **September 22:**

7:30 a.m.-11:45: Ingersoll Rand Bike Ride water station: 160 Wilkinson Rd,  
 Mooresville, NC.

Contact Mrs. Dawn Bonen-Clark for more information- [dmbonenclark@ctkchs.org](mailto:dmbonenclark@ctkchs.org)

# Athletics

## September 4th

Varsity Soccer vs. Lincoln Carter, Away, 6pm

Girls Golf vs. Gaston Day, Home, Skybrook, 4pm

Cross Country vs. Northwest Cabarrus Meet, Frank Lisa Park

## September 5th

JV Soccer vs. Lincoln Carter, Away, 5pm

## September 6th

Varsity Volleyball @ Statesville Christian, Home, 5:15pm

Girls Golf vs Davidson Day, Home, Skybrook, 4PM

## September 7th

Football vs. Winston-Salem Prep, Home, 7:30PM

JV & Varsity Volleyball vs. Bishop McGuinness, Home, 4PM

Men's Soccer vs Bishop McGuinness, Home, 4PM



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