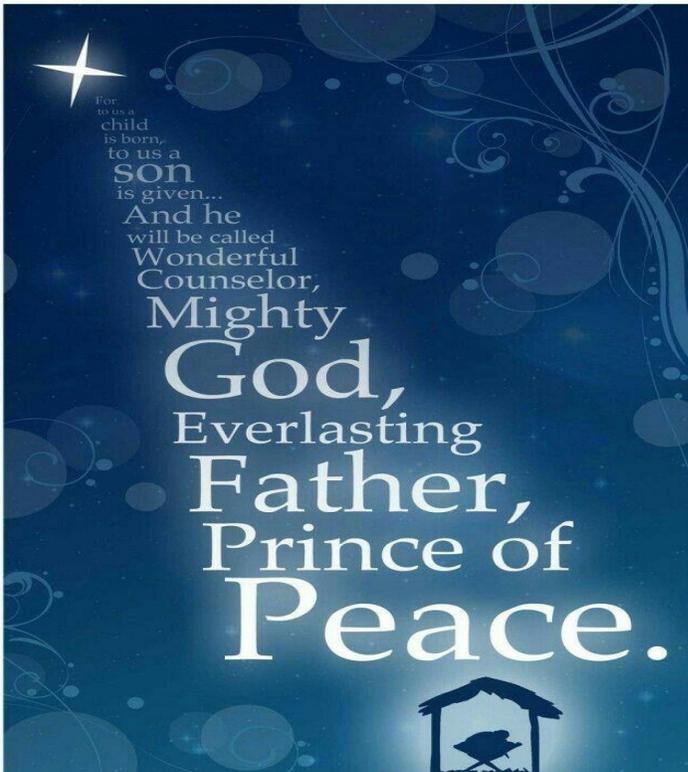


**OUR FINAL NEWSREEL OF 2018!**



*From All of Us at  
Community  
Christian  
School,  
We wish you  
A very blessed  
Christmas!*

*Dianna*  
Marianne Cooney  
B. Hough  
P. Park  
Paul DeLakunt

*Rachel Ajiel  
Jenny Deason  
Lillian  
T. Cupp  
C. Burnett  
Robin Abel*

**Inspiring Minds. Engaging Hearts. Building Character.**



**LET'S COME TOGETHER TO PRAY FOR OUR SCHOOL!**

On Thursday, January 10, parents and supporters of CCS are invited on a 'prayer walkabout' through our school, praying for our students, staff, and board. Considering that there are varying levels of comfort with praying out loud in a group, we want to provide an atmosphere that is mindful of that. Therefore, we will be providing a self-guided prayer time where you can quietly pray as you walk through the school. There is power in prayer!



**WOM @ The Chophouse**

We invite you to join us for an evening of collaboration and sharing about our word of mouth strategies. Our hope is that we will provide one another with the tools to confidently promote and invite others into our Community Christian School community.

SAVE THE DATE: We have booked Thursday, January 17 at 7:30pm at the Drayton Chop House. We hope that you will join us as investors in sharing the excitement surrounding the benefits of Christian Education, especially here at Community Christian School.

We have the exciting opportunity and privilege to be active participants in continuing to grow the legacy of our school, we hope that you will join us.

Interested? Please RSVP by clicking this link [RSVP Here](#) or using the following web address: <https://goo.gl/forms/sD9QNfgoltjygGEs1>

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Fri. December 21 Dec. 24 – Jan. 4	Last day of class before Christmas Christmas Holidays (no school)
Mon. January 7	School Resumes
Tues. January 8	Hot Dog Lunch
Sat. January 12	Family Skate Evening

Congratulations to those who are celebrating a birthday over the holidays:

Landon Vos	December 24
Stephanie Mohle	December 25
Makayla Kabbes	December 31



### Spare Bus Driver Needed

Community Christian School, Drayton owns and operates our own buses and we are looking for two or three spare bus drivers. If you are interested and would like more information, please contact the school at 519-638-2935 or [principal@ccsdrayton.org](mailto:principal@ccsdrayton.org). We will pay for the licensing and training of our spare drivers.

### FYI:

- **Last Day of School in 2018!** – Friday, December 21. It will be a full day of classes!
- **Directory Update** – Please note the following change in your directory:
  - 519-771-0217 Dan & Amanda Kabbes new phone number
- **Grade 3 to Grade 8** are off to see **Jack & the Beanstalk** at the St. Jacobs Country Playhouse today! Have a great time!
- **Students!** During the Christmas holidays please check the following:
  - Are my **inside shoes** and gym shoes in good condition? Do laces need replacing?
  - Do I have enough supplies left at school (pencil crayons, erasers, pens, and paper?)
  - Do my **gym clothes** need mending? Gym clothes should be washed and put into a bag with the student's name on it, and returned on January 7.

### Dates to Remember:

- **Hot Lunch Schedule for January** – Thank you Room Mothers!
  - January 8 – Hot dog lunch
  - January 15 – Sub Sandwich lunch
  - January 22 – Pizza lunch
- **Family Skate Evening** – Saturday, January 12, 2019 from 7pm to 9pm
- **Grade JK through Grade 6** – Monday, January 28, 2019 from 1pm to 3pm
  - Permission forms will go home in January
- **Grade 7 & 8 Hockley Valley Resort Ski Trip** – Monday, January 28, 2019
  - Cost per Student/Parent:

Lift & Lesson only – Ski = \$23.80	with Rental (incl. Helmet) = \$34.00
Lift & Lesson only – Snowboard = \$34.30	with Rental (incl. Helmet) = \$42.50

## Other Items:

Grade 7/8

Grade 1/2



### Door Decorating Contest!

Here are a couple of examples of our classroom doors!

### Grade 8 Students - VS - Staff Volleyball Game Tomorrow!

We are looking forward to a great game!

### Gift Cards

If anyone need gift card over the holidays, please contact:  
Sheree DeVries at 519-638-7799 or [sheree.devries@gmail.com](mailto:sheree.devries@gmail.com)



## Requested Announcements:

Drayton Reformed Church invites you to “**FINDING HOPE in the midst of ANXIETY AND DEPRESSION with Kimberly Whyte**”. Wednesday, January 9, 7:30 pm at Drayton Reformed Church (74 Wellington Street, S. Drayton, across from Drayton Heights Public School). Kimberly Whyte is a Registered Psychotherapist and works as a Christian Counsellor with By Peaceful Waters. She has her undergrad from Emmanuel Bible College and a Masters degree from Laurier University. She serves as an adjunct faculty member in the counselling department at Emmanuel Bible College. Kimberly is passionate about being a support to those who are encountering challenging times in their lives.

## FROM Grade 1/2:

We have had such a fun week! We decorated and delivered cookies, watched a play in JK/SK and observed STEM cars in Grade 3/4, had our sight word party, and are eagerly awaiting the games afternoon tomorrow. Thank you again to everyone who sent in cookies and helped us decorate and deliver. Our community really appreciated this Christmas blessing.

**Oopsie bags and indoor shoes** are coming home on Friday. Please check that shoes are still a good fit and “oopsie” clothes are seasonally appropriate / well stocked!

Have a wonderful Christmas break - see you in the New Year!



“To you is born this day in the city of David,  
a Savior, who is the Messiah, the Lord.  
This will be a sign for you: you will find a child  
wrapped in bands of cloth and lying in a manger.”  
Luke 2: 11 – 12 (NRSV)