

Corunna Middle School - Parent Update - November 9, 2025

Calendar Items

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This Week

November 11	Veterans Day Observed - Wear Red, White, and/or Blue to show support! Veterans breakfast at 8:30 at CMS
November 13	Non-Subscription Popcorn Money Collected (\$0.25 per bag)
November 14	Popcorn Pop
November 14	CMS Drama Performance - Public Viewing at 7:00 p.m.
November 15	CMS Drama Performance - Public Viewing at 3:00 (new time) & 7:00 p.m.

Next Week

November 17	School Board meeting (7 p.m.) CHS media center
November 17	PTO Meeting (5:30 - CMS conference Room)
November 17	CMS Students Watch Drama Performance 8:00 - 11:00 a.m. (2 shows)
November 20	Non-Subscription Popcorn Money Collected (\$0.25 per bag)
November 21	Popcorn Pop
November 21	Locker Cleanout - All Grades (2:15 p.m.)

Athletic Schedule: Please turn to our [website](#) to find the most up-to-date athletic schedules!

Breakfast and Lunch

With the passing of a new state budget, all students will continue to eat **FREE** for Breakfast and Lunch.

CMS Lunch Menus: Check out our interactive website for breakfast and lunch [menus](#)

 MS Nov lunch Menu.pdf

Middle School Office Hours

If you need any assistance, we will be more than happy to help you! You can contact the school office by calling (989) 743-5641 or visiting us. Office hours are from 7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. each school day.

Drama Club

The drama club will continue their rehearsals this week. Please visit the Google Doc below to see specific information for the this week of rehearsal and performances.

CMS students will also be viewing Beauty and the Beast on November 17th.

 Beauty and the Beast Jr-final info

 B and B.png (For the public)

Cavalier Food Drive

Starting Monday, November 17 through Friday, November 21 CMS will be participating in our district-wide food drive. Our version will be a [money war/food drive](#). This will be a team competition and money and food items will be worth points. Dollar bills and pennies add points to a team, silver coins take points from a team. Score points for your team by bringing in food items. Each of the following items will be worth two (2) points each:: Belvita Breakfast Bars, Microwave Popcorn, Granola Bars, Canned Ravioli, Microwavable Ravioli Cups, Canned Spaghetti O's, Ramen Noodles, Microwaveable Mac and Cheese Cups, Poptarts, Crackers/Pretzels (Individual Snack Bags)

Food Support

With the announcement of a **temporary pause in SNAP-related benefits starting November**, community members may see an increase in food insecurity and the need for additional food support.

If you need support, please view the flyers below from the Shiawassee County Food Pantry and the Greater Lansing Foodbank for support. Please also reach out to the CMS office if your family is needing additional support

 [Shiawassee County Food Pantry Resources.pdf](#)

 [Nov-2025-Mobile-Flyer-v2.pdf](#)

CMS Helping Hands Family Information

During the holiday season, some Cavalier families find themselves in tight financial situations. In an effort to provide a little brighter holiday for our students and their families, we are asking you to complete this form if your family needs a little extra help this year. **This form must be completed and submitted by an adult family member for consideration by November 20, 2025.**

Please understand that there is always a greater need than can be met. We will do our very best to make sure that families requesting help will receive assistance but cannot guarantee a specific level of help. It is very important that we have a phone number or email contact so pick-up arrangements can be made.

CMS Helping Hands Family Form:

<https://forms.gle/76J5phKfbw8uUEf9>

CMS Helping Hands Donor Information: By completing this form, you are signing up to support a CMS family during this holiday season.

CMS Helping Hands Donor Link:

<https://forms.gle/Y2y5pZnTiVhFrz9j6>

CALLING ALL VETERANS

Please join us in honoring our veterans on Veterans Day. On November 11th, Corunna Public Schools will be honoring our veterans with coffee and donuts at 8:30 a.m. and a program at Corunna Middle School at 9:00 - 10:10. Please RSVP by November 3rd by calling 989-743-6338 or by emailing pfriess@corunna.k12.mi.us.

 Veterans Day Flyer.pdf

Water Bottles

Please remember, per our student handbook, Students are allowed to carry a water bottle with them throughout the day but only water is permitted in the hallways and classrooms. Please try to provide your student(s) with a plastic water bottle with a tight fitting lid. It is important that, should a water bottle fall or tip over, it limits the distraction to a classroom.

End of the 1st Marking Period

Our 1st marking period ended on Friday, October 24. Report cards were sent home this past week. If you have any questions about your child's grades, please be sure to reach out to the teacher.

Appropriate Clothing

With the temperatures dropping, it is recommended that students dress in layers. Students need to be appropriately dressed for the temperatures inside and outside of the building. We also recommend writing names or initials on the tag of student clothing. If students leave clothing around the building, it can be easily identified and returned.

7th Grade Trip to Gettysburg and Washington DC

7th grade students have the opportunity to attend the Washington DC and Gettysburg trip this year. The trip will take place March 16-18. The total cost for a student in a quad occupancy room is \$739. The first deposit of \$295 is due by October 24, 2025. Adults wishing to attend and stay in a double occupancy room would pay \$869. More information can be found on the flyer below or by emailing Mr. Herrick at sherrick@corunna.k12.mi.us. Students not attending the trip would still be expected to attend school on these days for instruction. Not attending school would be considered an absence.

 DC&Gettysburg.pdf

Treasures of Eastern Europe Trip June 2027

Mrs. Hilewsky, CHS teacher and Global Travel Coordinator, is offering an EF Tour trip to Eastern Europe in June 2027! This 12-day *Treasures of Eastern Europe* tour includes some of the safest destinations in all of Europe: Croatia, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Slovenia, and a 3-day custom extension to Vienna, Austria and Krakow, Poland with a visit to Auschwitz-Birkenau. The tour is open to students in grades 6–12 and parents, siblings, grandparents, etc. We have a private tour, so act now to reserve one of the 7 spaces left! Learn more and [enroll here](#). Contact Mrs. Hilewsky with any questions.

Yearbooks

Yearbooks are now on sale! Purchases can be made either in person or online. To order online, simply visit yearbookforever.com and search for Corunna Middle School. To order in person, pick up an order form in the office and bring cash or check payable to Corunna Middle School.

Parent Ads

Any 7th grade family wishing to place a send-off ad in the yearbook, please contact Mr. Smith via email at csmith@corunna.k12.mi.us. The deadline to purchase a parent ad is March 1st.

Popcorn Pops - Volunteers Needed

We need volunteers for each of our popcorn pops (Popping lasts from 7:00 - 8:30 a.m. on Friday mornings). Our students love these each week, but we can't do it without you! Please consider asking grandparents, aunts, uncles, etc. to volunteer if you are unable to do so as a parent - [Popcorn Pop Volunteer Sign-up](#). If you cannot access the sign-up sheet, please contact the office at 989-743-5641 to sign-up!

Corunna Middle School PTO

Corunna Middle School PTO is looking for volunteers to join! Volunteers help our students, teachers, and families throughout the year. The PTO meets monthly - Dates in attachment. Interested parents can contact Kerri LaFramboise at klaframboise@corunna.k12.mi.us

 PTO Flyer.pdf

 PTO Meeting Dates

7th Grade Red Cedar League

The Red Cedar league is offering a fall league to middle school teams this year. This season is much shorter than their winter season. Games start on Nov 8th and go for 4 weekends (skip Thanksgiving weekend) followed by a Tournament, ending in mid-December. This league serves as a good "tune up" for middle school basketball. The teams would practice one or two nights a week. The middle school coaches are unable to coach in this. The team would be coached by a parent/volunteer.

Ala Carte

Ala Carte items are available for 6th and 7th graders at Corunna Middle School! If you would like to deposit money electronically, please do so by visiting corunna.familyportal.cloud. If you send cash or check with your student, they can give it to a food service worker at breakfast or lunch. Any cash or checks received will be deposited into their accounts as we do not keep very much change in the registers. Thank you for your understanding. Any questions, please contact Andrea Spencer, Food Service Director at 989-743-8232

 Ala Carte Menu

"NO PEANUTS PLEASE"

Our amazing student population will include students with life-threatening peanut allergies. We are asking you to start thinking now about snacks and lunch items that you can send to school that do not include peanuts. Attached, you will find a PDF with ideas. Our breakfast and lunch menu will be

peanut-free. Each room in the building will have specific protocols to follow and they may be different. **One way to help is to have your child brush their teeth and wash their hands AFTER they eat breakfast before coming to school.**

[No Peanuts Please](#) [Peanut Free Snack Suggestions](#)

Community Event Information

Recovery Pathways  Recovery Pathways About us.pdf  Recovery Pathways Referral Page.pdf

Veterans Day  Veterans Day Flyer.pdf

Middle School Wrestling  Wrestling Flyer.pdf

Corunna Middle School Beauty and the Beast  B and B.png

Festival of Trees and Light Parade

The City of Corunna's Light Parade will take place on **December 5** at 6:30 p.m. in downtown Corunna. The Historical Village will be open for the Festival of Trees on **December 5, 6, 7, 12, and 14** from 6:00- 9:00 p.m. at McCurdy Park.

Questions?

Please contact the middle school office at (989) 743-5641 if you have any questions.

Go Cavs!