Corunna Middle School Announcements

Monday, May 5, 2025

School Hours: 7:45 a.m. - 2:35 p.m. Office Hours: 7:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

<u>Daily Introduction</u>: Good morning, staff and students. Here at CMS, we are true **<u>CAVS</u>** because we....

Choose KindnessAccept ResponsibilityValue SafetyShow Respect

Please stand and join me for the Pledge of Allegiance.

This Week

Week of May 5-9 Staff Appreciation Week - Say "thank you" to a staff member this week.

Monday, May 5 Detroit Day - Wear Lions, Tigers, Redwings, or Pistons Gear

Wednesday, May 7 6th Grade Camp Copneconic Trip
Wednesday, May 7 Wear Your Cavalier Kindness Shirt

<u>Thursday</u>, May 8 Non-Subscription Popcorn Money Collected (\$0.25 per bag)

Friday, May 9 4th/5th Grade Mobile Sky Dome Planetarium Experience (During School)

Saturday, May 10 Corunna High School Graduation (3:00 p.m.)

B.O.O.S.T. Club (6th and 7th graders only)

B.O.O.S.T. Club will be in session this week (May 5-9). Due to the Camp Copneconic Field Trip on Wednesday, 6th graders will have B.O.O.S.T. Club on Tuesday after school and Thursday during lunch/recess. 7th graders will have B.O.O.S.T. Club on Tuesday and Wednesday after school until 3:30 p.m. Please contact Mr. Herrick with any questions. (sherrick@corunna.k12.mi.us)

4th/5th Grade Mobile Sky Dome Planetarium Experience

The CMS PTO has generously paid for our 4th/5th grade students to have a Mobile Sky Dome Planetarium experience here at school on Friday, May 9. The planetarium will be set-up in the gym. We will have five, forty-five minute sessions during the school day. Each student will be participating in one of our sessions.

6th/7th Grade Bowling Experience

The CMS PTO will be paying for all 6th and 7th graders to go bowling at Riverbend Bowl on Monday, May 12. 6th graders will attend in the morning from approximately 9:00-10:30 a.m. 7th graders will attend in the afternoon from approximately 12:15-1:45 p.m. Students will not need any money for bowling or shoe rental but can bring extra money if they would like to purchase food/drinks during the event.

Attention Current 5th Grade Parents!

If you think your child is going to be interested in participating in band next year as a 6th grader, please read the linked letter from Mr. Luft. There will be an informational parent meeting on Wednesday, May 14 in the CMS cafeteria at 6:00 p.m. If you have any questions, please email Mr. Luft (cluft@corunna.k12.mi.us).

6th/7th Grade Art Show

On Wednesday, May 21, 2025, Corunna Middle School will be hosting our annual art show for our 6th and 7th graders. There will be a variety of student work on display that evening from 6:00 to 6:45 p.m. Families will be able to walk through the halls and see the art and ask the artists questions. The following students will be involved:

 All of our 6th graders have the opportunity to participate because they have had an art exploratory for the past 3 years. They will be able to create a display with pieces from 4th, 5th and 6th grade. If you would like your child to participate, please fill out this Google Form: 6th Grade Art Show Participation

- ASAP! For more information, please see the 6th Grade Art Show Parent Letter.
- Our 6th graders who have selected the year-long Art elective will automatically be participating in the art show and will have multiple pieces/projects on display. These students do not need to fill out the participation form above.
- Our 7th graders who have selected the year-long Art elective will automatically be participating in the
 art show and will have multiple pieces/projects on display. These students do not need to fill out the
 participation form above.

CMS Talent Show

We are excited to announce that our annual CMS Talent Show will take place on June 6! Please think about the talents you would like to share with us this year. If you want to create a duo, trio, or small group performance, start planning NOW! There is a sign-up sheet in the office. **Once sign-ups end, you will be assigned an audition time on May 19 or 20.** Your performance must be ready by the audition date so Mr. Windnagle and Mrs. Rowe can give you any necessary feedback for improvement if you are selected for the final show. We look forward to seeing your talent!!!

4th and 5th Grade Teacher Requests for the 2024-2025 School Year

If you are interested in submitting a teacher request for consideration for your soon to be 4th or 5th grader, we have a form that needs to be completed and submitted by Friday, May 16 at 3:30 p.m. This form can be printed off using the link provided or picked up in the middle school office. Completed forms can be scanned and emailed to idettman@corunna.k12.mi.us (please be sure to look for an email verifying it was received), or dropped off in the CMS office between 7:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. CMS 2024-2025 Teacher Request Form

Spring M-STEP Testing

Each spring, all students in grades 4th-7th participate in the State Assessment known as M-STEP. All grade levels at the middle school complete the English Language Arts and Math assessments. Please make sure your child arrives at school on time and gets plenty of rest. Math testing will take place **this week** on May 6 and 8. Make-ups will be offered the week of May 12 for any student who is absent or needs additional days to finish. Included is a link to the bell schedule on testing dates: CMS Testing Bell Schedule

*Please note: Cell phones, smart watches, blue-tooth headphones/earbuds, and other electronic devices are not allowed in the testing room. Students will be asked to place these items in their lockers during testing (cell phones are always stored in lockers). If a student forgets, the teacher will ask the student to place the item(s) in a box on his/her desk before testing begins. Once testing begins, if a student has one of these items, the student's test and the tests of others in the room could be invalidated. Please help us ensure test integrity by encouraging your student to leave these items at home

Elective Class Selection for Next Year's 6th/7th Grade Students

during testing days or to make sure items are stored in lockers. Thank you for your help!

Next week (May 15 for current 6th graders; May 16 for current 5th graders), Mrs. Dettman will be meeting with students during the school day to explain what an elective class is and the different choices students will be able to pick from. Each student will receive an elective sheet that will need to come home and be signed by a parent. Students will need to have sheets turned in by Friday, May 23.

Multiplication Madness

Today's Multiplication Madness competition will be between the Princesses and the Dominators to see who will move on to the finals.

House Top Point Earner of the Week

Agriculturalists	Joseph Berry - 18 points
Lumberjacks	Ashlynn Briseno - 25 points
Three Fires	Lillian Wilkinson - 22 points
Voyageurs	Kryslynn Lucius - 21 points
Industrialists	Brantley Dietz - 18 points

House Rankings

Top House: Industrialists with 5,952

Second Place House: Three Fires with 5,669 Third Place House: Agriculturalists with 5,654

School Sponsored Opportunities for Students

Summer Youth Sports Camps

The Corunna Athletic Department will be offering several different Youth Sports Camps this summer! Click on the Corunna Youth Summer Camps 2025 Flyer for registration and payment information.

Registration & payment for camps is due by **Friday**, **May 30** and must be turned into the Corunna High School office. <u>NEW</u> this year, we can accept Credit/Debit card payments! (in person at CHS only). Checks can be written to: Corunna Public Schools and with the name of the camp in the check memo. If you have additional questions, please contact the coach of the camp or the Corunna Athletic Office.

Corunna Summer Swim Lessons

Corunna Community Education will once again be offering summer swim lessons. There are three sessions:

Session 1: June 16 - June 27 Session 2: July 7 - July 18 Session 3: July 21 - August 1

Please see the flier for more specific information and call 989-743-6338 to reserve your spot. Swim Lessons

Corunna Summer Open Swim

The Corunna Public Schools' pool will be made available for open swim again this summer. Open swim is available from June 16 - August 1 (pool is closed for maintenance June 30-July 4) during the following times: Tuesdays and Thursdays - 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays - 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon

The cost is \$3.00 per person per visit or you can purchase a swim pass for 10 visits for \$25.00. Open Swim

Community Event Information

Corunna Youth Football

Registration for flag football (K-4 grade), cheerleading (3-8 grade), and tackle football (3-8 grade) will be starting soon - May 17, 21, and 30. Please see the flier for more details.

Curwood Festival - "Fire and Glow" Show

The Owosso Twirling Gems are sponsoring a "Fire & Glow" Show on Friday, June 6 at 9:00 p.m. as a part of the annual Curwood Festival. If you would like to participate in the show, practices will be held on May 5, 12, 19 and June 2. Please see the flier for more details.

Important Recurring Reminders

"NO PEANUTS PLEASE"

Our amazing student population will include a student with a <u>life-threatening</u> peanut allergy. Please plan for 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. **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 Suggestion