



OCTOBER 2023

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# REDHAWK SQUAWK

Central Private School  
Lower School Monthly Newsletter

## IMPORTANT DATES

### OCTOBER

- 3 Bidy Football at False River Academy  
4th: 5:30; 5th: 7:00
- 4 \$1 Dress Day
- 5 Bring Your Bible to School Day
- 6 Pink Out Dress or CP Spirit Dress for Home Game
- 10 Fire Safety Day (K3-1st)  
2nd Grade Field Trip- McGees LA Swamp Tour & Airboat
- 12 End of 1st 9-Weeks
- 15 Bidy Football vs St. Theresa  
4th: 2:00; 6th: 3:30; 8th: 5:00
- 17 1st Quarter Report Cards
- 21 Bidy Football vs Holy Family (4th only)
- 23 Fall Break (No School/No Aftercare)
- 24 Parent/Teacher Conferences (No School)  
Open House for Prospective Students for 24/25  
School Year
- 25 5th Grade Field Trip- Global Wildlife
- 26 1st Grade Field Trip- Instagator Ranch & Hatchery
- 27 K3/K4 Field Trip- Mrs. Heather's Pumpkin Patch  
Fall Parties (teachers will post details)  
Fall Themed Shirts and/or Neon Spirit Dress for  
Home Game
- 28 CP Annual Gala

### NOVEMBER

- 1 \$1 Dress Day
- 2 Safari Dress or CP Spirit Dress for Home Game
- 7 Fall Picture Retakes (Lower School)
- 8 STEM/STEAM Day
- 10 Veterans Day Program
- 14 3rd Grade Field Trip- State Capitol & Museum  
Progress Reports
- 17 K3/K4 Thanksgiving Feast & Program
- 20-24 Thanksgiving Break (no school)



Congratulations!! 2023 Homecoming Court Legacy Pages are kindergarten students who are the child and/or grandchild of Central Private School alumni. They were recognized during the Homecoming Court presentation ceremony on September 22, 2023. William Fish and Camille "Millie" Mondrick served as First Legacy Pages. First Legacy Pages carry the Homecoming Queen's crown and flowers.

Legacy Pages: Amelia Bogan, Opal Waites, Andrew Rivette, Blair Bankston, Mason Todd, Brody Barrett, Bryson Barton, Sawyer Phillips, Shaw Watts, William Fish, Christian Sharpe, Harper Norris, Millie Mondrick.

Families,

It is with great pleasure that we welcome the fall! This is my favorite time of year. I love the changing weather, the pumpkin-spice everything, and all of the holidays that are coming our way! Our calendar has many exciting events, dress days and field trips scheduled along with parent-teacher conferences. Please make sure that you look for communication from your child's teacher for conferences. I'd also like to encourage you to read our handbook which is posted on our website. It has a few changes and valuable information for families. I think you will find it very helpful. As always, if you have any concerns or questions, please feel free to contact me. I do appreciate your support and I always keep you and your children in my prayers.

Tessie Chambers

*Living The Redhawk Way Every Day!*



# Star Readers of the Month Congratulations!!

**50+ Point Club:** Emersyn Payne, Emalyn Heroman, Audrey Babin

**75+ Point Club:**

**100+ Point Club:** Ruth Milioto, Wyatt Stogner



## Grandparents' Breakfast

Thank you to our amazing PTF and each of our families for a successful Grandparents' Breakfast! It was a HUGE success with over 1,200 pancakes served to grateful, hungry family members!

### Tips from the Business Office

We are so excited to have each of you in the REDHAWK family! We are off to a great start in the new school year. Here are a few tips that may help you with school financial obligations and payments.

- Download the FACTS family app on your mobile device for quick access to your FACTS account!
- Credit cards are now accepted at all athletic events!
- Lunch accounts are required to have funds before purchasing items!

The business office is open Monday – Friday from 7am until 4pm. Please feel free to reach out to us at any time.

### Bring Your Bible to School Day

We are honored to participate in Bring Your Bible to School Day on October 5th. Students are encouraged to bring their Bible and/or favorite scripture to share. Scriptures will be read by students throughout the day.



### Parent/Teacher Conference

Parent/Teacher conferences are a chance to discuss your child's progress. CP's annual fall semester Parent/Teacher Conference day is Tuesday, October 24, 2023. Conferences will be scheduled in fifteen-minute intervals. We look forward to having our families on campus and appreciate your partnership in your child's education.

## School Survey

We are conducting a brief survey that will take approximately ten minutes of your time to complete. Your participation in this survey will yield meaningful results about our school's culture and programming. The survey is being conducted through a third party, SAIS (our independent school accrediting agency) and you will receive a link to the survey via email on October 1. The subject line will be "An invitation from Central Private School" and it will come from either [surveys@sais.org](mailto:surveys@sais.org) or [member@outbound.research.net](mailto:member@outbound.research.net) as the sender. Please add [surveys@sais.org](mailto:surveys@sais.org) and [member@outbound.research.net](mailto:member@outbound.research.net) to your email contacts to avoid having the message go to your spam folder. The survey will close on October 15, 2023.

**"The first point of wisdom is to discern that which is false; the second, to know that which is true."**

**Lactantius**



### CHARACTER TRAIT OF THE MONTH

#### DISCERNMENT

The ability to decide between right and wrong in accordance with biblical truths.

### SCRIPTURE OF THE MONTH

**"Give me an understanding heart so that I can... know the difference between right and wrong."**

**1 Kings 3:9**

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