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May 8, 2026

IMPORTANT Our last day of school is May 21, 2026. At 9:30 AM, students will be dismissed through the front doors to meet their parents and attend the CCA Carnival. The activities will take place on the north side of the school. If the weather is inclement, the carnival will be set up in the gymnasium. Students may wear casual clothing on the last day of school.

Service Hours Attached to this newsletter is the Service Hour Log for the 2025-2026 school year. Please record your hours and send the log to the office on or before May 31, 2025.

Student of the Month Congratulations to Lovisa Wise who is recognized as May's Student of the Month. Lovisa is a 4th grader in Mrs. Estrada's class. Costa is grateful for the support of the Elks Lodge who has sponsored this wonderful program for students in Galesburg.

CCA Teachers Appreciation Week Thank you, CCA and parent volunteers, for tasty treats and gifts received this week. Costa teachers and staff appreciate your generosity and kindness.

Library Books If your student has a library book at home, please return it to school as soon as possible.

Costa Auction Thank you to Auction Committee Chairs Ashley Hanson, Nicole Hroziencik, Charlene Sullivan, and to our parent volunteers for their leadership, organization, and countless hours of work dedicated to making the event such a success. The Costa Auction was a memorable evening. We are grateful to those who attended the event and supported it through their giving. Congratulations to Todd VanVelsor, \$10,000 raffle winner and to Reymond Martinez and Jim Malley, who each won \$1000.

Altar Servers Attention incoming 5th-9th graders, St. Crescent Parish is in need of Altar Servers. If you are Catholic and attend church in St. Crescent Parish and would like to be trained to be an Altar Server for weekend Masses as well Costa Masses during the school year, please contact Anthony Wilson at antjohn1992@yahoo.com. Thank you for your consideration!

Field Day for K-8 grade students is on Tuesday, May 12, at 12:30 PM. Students may wear casual clothing to school that is suitable for athletic events. Tennis shoes should be worn. All students should bring a refillable water bottle to school. If your child is attending Aftercare, please consider sending an extra set of clothing as students will be playing water games during field day.

Eighth Grade Events Parents and students have received detailed information from Mrs. McCarthy and Miss Norton pertaining to the 8th grade end-of-year events. If you have further questions, please contact these ladies. amccarthy@costacatholicacademy.org or mnorton@costacatholicacademy.org. Important dates are included on the bottom of this page.

Basketball Camp registration forms are due on Wednesday, May 20.

Sports Banquet Please return the attached reservation form by Monday, May 11.

Important Dates

May 9 Garden Club Plant Sale at the Costa shelter 9-2 PM

May 12 K-8 Field Day 12:30 PM

May 12 CCA Meeting at KC Hall 6:30 PM

May 13 Raindate K-8 Field Day 12:30 PM

May 14 Mass and Confession at IHM 8:15 AM

May 15 Last Day of Attendance for 8th grade

May 15 8th grade Honors Assembly 8:30 AM

May 15 8th grade Retreat (following assembly and lunch)

May 16 Graduation Dance 6-8 PM

May 18 Sports Banquet Cafeteria 5:30 PM

May 19 8th Grade Graduation Corpus Christi Church 5:30 PM (Reception at McAteer Center following Mass and Graduation)

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May 21 CCA Carnival 9:30 AM