

June 14, 2018

Dear Parents/Guardians and Sixth-Grade Students:

There is excitement in the air as the faculty and staff at CVCA are busily preparing for the addition of sixth-grade students, the future Class of 2025! In addition to new students, this change brings about new plans, classes, teachers, and physical changes to our building and property. We welcome students to this new time of life and growth as they expand their circle of friendships and have new opportunities to mature mentally, physically, and spiritually.



Such a transition deserves special attention, and one way we are doing that is through a two-day camp adventure for incoming sixth graders. The CVCA year of classes opens on Tuesday, August 14, but we will begin the year by heading to IGNITION 2018 at Camp Carl, located east of Ravenna. These two days will go quickly as the sixth-grade students get to know one another while enjoying a variety of outdoor activities such as swimming, horseback riding, rock climbing, team building initiatives, various sports, and more. This trip will provide an exciting opportunity for students to build new relationships with other sixth graders and their teachers, as well as to grow in their relationship with the Lord through daily chapels, devotional times, and planned activities. In the evenings, we anticipate a great time of singing, sharing, and reflecting around the campfire and during cabin times. We greatly appreciate your prayers, asking that the Lord will, once again, bless these young lives in response to the work of His Spirit.

On **Tuesday, August 14 at 7:15 a.m.**, please accompany your student through the Middle School Entrance (behind the gym). They are to bring their packed items with them. Students will return to CVCA on Wednesday at 5:00 p.m. Please be there when they arrive as your children will be excited to share their experiences with you!

You will find all the forms you need by clicking [HERE](#) and scrolling down to the IGNITION section. There you will find a packing list and link to register for this adventure and pay the \$50 IGNITION fee.

There is a need for parents to serve as cabin chaperones and for a medically trained person to accompany us. If you enjoy working with kids this age and are interested in participating, please complete the Chaperone Application and obtain the Pastor Referral Form located (also in the Ignition section of our website). **These must be returned to Janet Weaver at CVCA by July 10. Chaperones need to be available for an early evening meeting on, August 6.**

The \$50 IGNITION fee will be applied toward bus transportation, one night's lodging, four meals, evening snacks, and the use of the facilities at Camp Carl. Students will also receive a t-shirt which can be worn on Spirit Wear Fridays and other CVCA "Spirit Days." Any donation you might like to make toward financial assistance for a family in need, or toward additional expenses, would be greatly appreciated since a significant portion of the IGNITION 2018 costs exceed the fee. If you are sending a donation in addition to the payment of \$50, you will receive a receipt for your contribution. **Please complete the [registration](#) for your child by July 6 so that a correctly sized t-shirt can be ordered.**

We are looking forward to getting to know your student as he/she enters this new and exciting time of life. We hope this adventure will serve a meaningful purpose at this time of transition, as well as be a whole lot of fun! Also, **mark your calendar for Thursday, September 6**, at 6:45 p.m. when your family is invited to an evening of fun and fellowship. It will begin with ice cream sundaes followed by a time to hear students share about IGNITION 2018 and enjoy a video and photos of the experience. You will also be able to meet the parents of some of your student's new friends. More details about this evening will be emailed to you.

If you have any questions or would like further information, please email Janet Weaver at [jweaver@cvcaroyals.org](mailto:jweaver@cvcaroyals.org) and/or visit the Camp Carl website at [campcarl.life](http://campcarl.life).

In His Service,

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