

Cushing News

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HANOVER SCHOOL –September 2015



Friday
September 18th
Back to School
Dance - 6pm

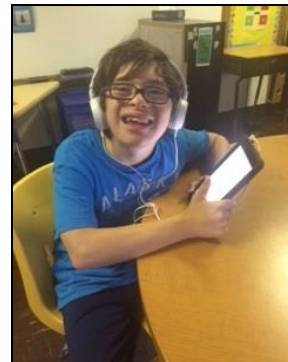
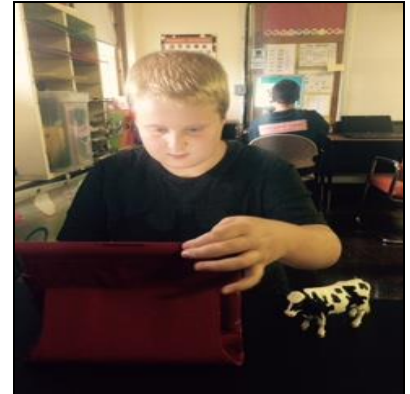
Wednesday
September 23rd
Chorus and
Student
Council
Assembly 1:30

Soccer,
Cheerleading,
Flag Football
and Tennis
begin!!! Stay
tuned for
events!

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Welcome Back!

Students returned to school ready to learn, work and play on September 10th! Ozzy Benson works on the iPad, Marissa Fleming, Graham Earl, James Mulligan and Sean Murphy get right to work in the Culinary Program, Uly Abeles uses technology in his classroom and Jessica Pucino is all smiles on the ball field!



Fall Family Weekend September 25-26

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 25

Join us from 2:00 - 3:30 for Parent Teacher Mini-Conferences followed by a Flag Football Game from 4:00 - 5:00 and a Tailgate Dinner from 5:00 - 6:00.

Enjoy socializing with other Cushing parents over great pastries and desserts at a reception in the Sister Inn from 6:30-7:30!

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 26

Start off with a Staff and Family Talent Show from 10:00 - 11:00.

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Parent Advisory Council Meeting – Lots to discuss!! Future of the PAC, election of officers, future topics and improvements in Cushing – Family communication!

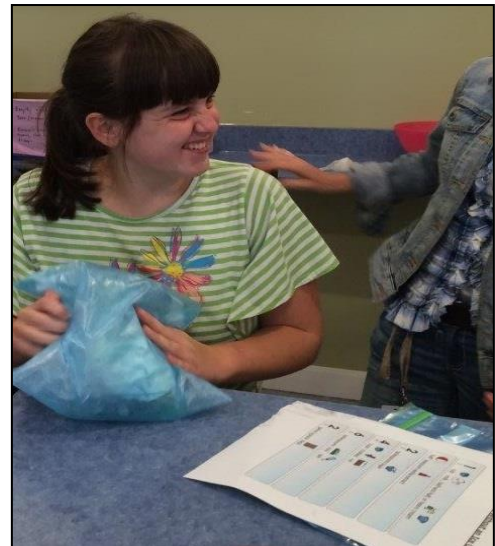
11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Harvest Festival and BBQ Lunch!

Summer learning outside the classroom!

The young women in Clarinda Hall have been busy in the community this summer! Kym Doherty, Physical Therapist, Alexia Scalata, Speech and Language Pathologist, and Amy Segal, Occupational Therapy Assistant created a collaborative group called Girls Just Want to Have Fun, which focuses on the young women learning how to explore and access resources in our surrounding community. The group visited Yarn's End at 1112 Washington Street in Hanover. Yarn's End is owned by Alison and Bob Schirone. Their business model "brings diversity, creativity and community together" which aligns perfectly with our mission at Cardinal Cushing. Alison created a unique class for the young ladies to weave yarn to create a beverage coaster. She graciously donated her time and supplies and intuitively adapted the activity based on each student's strengths.

Sophie Nash, Cory Milton, Sarah Martin and Jona Ghelli first chose their yarn and set up their individual loom. They each wove the yarn over/under and across to loom using a tapestry needle with a blunt end to create a unique yarn coaster. As they worked, the young ladies chatted and shared their work with each other.

Our Therapy Team also took the learning to the residences this summer with a lesson on making ice cream without an ice cream maker!! Visuals were created so Shannon O'Connell and her housemates could follow instructions for summer time fun! If you would like copies of the visuals used to make home made ice cream please call your Student Program Coordinator today!



Important Reminders!

ATTENTION DAY STUDENT PARENTS:

Attending Fall Family Weekend??

Activities and supervision will be provided for our day students until 4:00p.m. You can pick your child up at the Recreation Hall at 4:00p.m. to attend the Flag Football Game. A movie will also be offered in the Recreation Hall from 6:30p.m. - 7:30p.m. for the day student's whose parents are attending the dessert reception.

Fall Family Weekend

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to register for the weekend!