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It has been said that to make a 'democracy work' we must ALL be willing participants and not merely casual (possibly vocal) observers. Those that do not exercise their right to vote have no basis to complain!

Although politics can at times be messy and, especially this year, confusing and downright ugly, it does not exempt us from voting. Our governmental process assures that everyone has a voice. That is the way it works! Without this privilege we are not better than any other country or culture.

It is important that we all take our vote seriously and exercise this right.



For more information on any aspect of the school, check out our web page at: www.Cornerstonebasalt.net.

Headmaster's Corner:

Silver Bells

Tickets sold to date: 58

What an awesome way to celebrate Thanksgiving this year! Come and enjoy an incredible evening of fun, fellowship, and fantastic food! Silver Bells is Cornerstone Classical's annual fundraiser, and each year it gets bigger and better. This year we are hosting our fundraiser at perhaps one of the most prestigious hotels in Aspen, the St. Regis (www.stregisaspen.com). 'Nestled at the base of the Aspen Mountain, amongst icy mountain streams, shimmering Alpine lakes and majestic snow-packed peaks, the St. Regis is a first-class, luxury destination resort' -- a picture-perfect venue for Silver Bells. **Welcome to the St. Regis!**

There is still time to purchase tickets and enjoy a spectacular evening at the St. Regis which includes cocktails, a cash bar, Silent Auction, Live Auction, exquisite three-course meal, a live band, and dancing! But perhaps the best part of the whole evening is that 100% of the proceeds come directly back to Cornerstone!

If you are looking for a fun and festive evening to help celebrate Thanksgiving and usher in the holiday season, Silver Bells is the place to be!



Tickets (*and a listing of the auction items*) can be found online on our web page www.Cornerstonebasalt.net

FREE PIZZA AND ICE CREAM

Currently, our student Silver Bells competition is in full swing. The winner of this competition, to be announced on Tuesday, November 22, before we break for the Thanksgiving holidays, will receive a FREE pizza and Ice cream party for the whole class! YUMMY!



The Logic and Rhetoric students have a slight lead with 11 tickets sold to date. Following closely behind them in second place are 2-4th graders with 10.

We have plenty of time to continue the selling of tickets and hopefully get a few more grades up on the leaders' board!

FREE TICKETS TO SILVER BELLS

FREE NIGHT'S STAY AT THE ST. REGIS

FREE BOTTLE OF WINE

All these could be yours if you sell 4 tickets or more!

For every 4 Silver Bells tickets that you sell, your name is entered into a drawing to be held on Tuesday, November 22. If your name is pulled from the bowl, you could be the proud owner of all of the above!!

The odds are stacked in your favor with the more tickets sold in multiples of 4!

Currently, we have three names on the list!

Is your's there?

(Of course these tickets also apply to the students' Free Pizza and Ice cream competition!)



Wall of Excellence

Mrs. DeBose has begun a 'wall of excellence' to celebrate and rejoice in the students' artistic and creative talents. To make it up onto the Wall of Excellence, the artist must demonstrate mastery of certain skills and have what is considered a 'finished' piece of work.

The name of every student who has a piece placed upon the 'Wall of Excellence' will be placed into a drawing for a Starbucks gift certificate at the end of the month.

October's Winner:
Gavin Webb-7th grade

Thanksgiving Break begins
Wednesday, November 23

Veterans Day Chapel
Monday, November 14
Adam Wano to speak
Students to lead worship

CAN FOOD DRIVE

Mr. Webb and the students that serve Feeding The Homeless took all of the collected food items that were brought to school to the homeless.

We managed to collect over 100 cans/boxes/bags of food!

Thank You for your help!

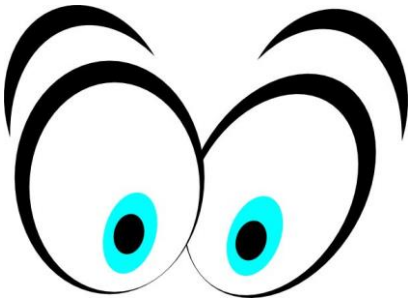
The students placed the food on the table and the homeless folks were allowed to come and choose what they wanted.

There were smiles on everyone's faces!

"The King will reply, 'Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.'"

Matthew 25:40





***Want to see something exciting?
Look at what we have to auction off at
Silver Bells...***

What are you taking home?

58 Tickets sold to date!

Silent Auction Items:

- 2 x Hair Cutting Certificates
- Liquor Gift Certificate
- Exquisite Piece of Jewelry
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- Thermostat
- Two Platinum Lounge Passes to X Games
- 2 x 3 day Music Passes for X Games (“Chainsmokers”)
- 5 Cases of White Wine (Francis Coppola Chardonnay)
- Iron Mountain Spa Day pass
- Soccer Coaching (Theo-English- from Basalt Select Soccer)
- PK-1 Themed Class Basket-“Wine Pull”
- 2-4th Themed Class Basket-Death by Coffee
- 5-6th Themed Class Basket-
- 7-12th Themed Basket-Griller’s Delight
- Ski Passes for Sonlight
- Starbucks Gift basket
- A Traditional 4 course Roast Beef English Dinner for 6
- Dinner for 4 with Wine
- Ride home in a Fire Engine
- Nominate a friend to Kiss A Pig
- 4 exquisite hand-painted glass Christmas ornaments
- Two-nights stay at the Redstone Inn
- One-night stay at Little Nell in Aspen
- A reproduction Buffalo Indian ‘heavy’ coat from Santa Fe Reproductions
- Furnace and Duct Cleaning
- 2 x 1 day passes to Glenwood Hot Springs pool
- 4 x bottles of wine (Pinot Gris), 4 x custom wine glasses, 1 custom wine stopper
- 2 x Bronco tickets
- 1 Home valuation
- 1 stereoscope (replica 3D imager from the 1800’s)
- Free Bread Making Class
- Original painting by local artist

Live Auction Items:

- **6-man Rafting trip**
- **Side of Beef (already processed)**
- **Scuba Dive House- Bonaire (Dutch Antilles)**
- **Live Painting**
- **House and vacation in Hawaii**
- **An evening (3 hours) of cocktail/dinner music**