



Cavalier Connection

Dr. Mark Murrell, Principal

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UPCOMING EVENTS

EOC RETEST

December 3 and 5

Non Varsity Choir / Orchestra Winter Concert

December 6 -7pm

Varsity Choir/Orchestra Winter Concert

December 10-7pm

Band Winter Concert

December 11 -7pm

Hope for the Holidays

College Park

2pm and 6pm

Tickets available at:

cassidyjoinedforhope.com/
hopefortheholidays

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Student Center, and
TWCP Staff/Yearbook

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I hope that you and your family had a wonderful Thanksgiving break. It is our hope that every student ends the semester on a positive note. In order to do this, I cannot stress enough the importance of every student being at school every day over the next 2 1/2 weeks. Also, it is equally important to work hard in each class to assure the highest amount of learning has taken place. If a student is struggling in a class, we encourage them to go to tutorials with their teacher. Attendance and hard work will benefit all concerned. Thank you for your help in making sure your student is in attendance each day and they are prepared for success.

Mark

The feedback site for our 2019-2020 calendar is now live.

<https://www.conroeisd.net/about/school-calendar-process/>

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NEW TO CAVALIER CONNECTION



**CONROE ISD
Police Department**
Safeguarding the future...together!



Children In Santa's Dreams

The CISD Police Department would like to invite you to help us make a child's dream come true. On Monday, November 12th, 2018 the CISD Police Department will start collecting "NEW" unwrapped gifts for boys and girls of all ages. These gifts will be wrapped and given to families who, without our support, may not otherwise have a wonderful Christmas.

**In 2017, Children In Santa's Dreams provided gifts
to 822 children in 350 families.**

All gift donations should be made by
Friday, December 7, 2018

to ensure the gifts will be wrapped in time for Santa to deliver.

**To have a toy collection bin placed on your campus or for any questions,
you may contact any CISD Police Officer or call/email:**

Sergeant Julie M. Thompson
(936) 709-8921
jmthompson@conroeisd.net

Many thanks and have a Merry Christmas!

Children in Santa's Dreams

The Police Activities League (PAL) has founded a Christmas program dedicated to less-than-fortunate children in the Conroe Independent School District. The need criteria for this Christmas Program is based on personal references from counselors, teachers, principals, and other school staff who work with children every day. Counselors work with parents and PAL in order to maintain the anonymity of our less-than-fortunate children. Children in Santa's Dreams provides gifts and stockings for our children enrolled in school and their siblings who may be too young to attend school. Citizens, service organizations, and youth organizations are invited to participate by donating new, unwrapped gifts and/or by attending an annual wrapping party where all donated toys and gifts are organized by age and gender. Each volunteer receives a family identified only by a number. The volunteer is asked to pick out gifts for each child listed and wrap the gifts selected. (The number of gifts each child receives is determined by the amount of donations and number of students referred by the program.) In past years 1-3 gifts per child have been given, with the addition of one game per family. Since 2002, Children in Santa's Dreams has helped make 30,333 children's Christmas a little merrier with gifts and stockings.



SENIOR BANNERS

The College Park Cheerleaders have a an opportunity for you to show your Cavalier Senior pride.

[Order here](#)

**December 15th
deadline
Order now**

BARNES AND NOBLE - ORCHESTRA

Saturday, Dec. 8

The Cavalier Orchestra will be providing holiday music inside Barnes and Noble at the Mall from 10:00 AM-8:00 PM. Take a day to do your holiday shopping and support the orchestra program with a percentage of your purchase. This is also a store discount day for teachers!

Commitment Pride Honor Success Attitude Character Perseverance Integrity Respect Responsibility

COUNSELOR'S CORNER

College Board School Code

447642

Family Connection website:

[https://connection.naviance.com/](https://connection.naviance.com/family-connection/auth/login/?hsid=cphs)

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Progress Report Dates

1st 9-weeks: 9/7, 9/27

2nd 9-weeks: 11/2, 11/30

3rd 9-weeks: 2/1, 2/22

4th 9-weeks: 4/12, 5/3/5/24

Report Card Dates

1st 9-weeks: 10/13 PAC/
student

2nd 9-weeks: 1/12 PAC/
student

3rd 9-weeks: 3/22 PAC/
student

4th 9-weeks: 6/8 (Mailed)

Exam Schedule

Fall Exams: 12/14-12/19

Spring Exams: 5/24-5/30

Seniors Spring: 5/16-5/21

STAAR Testing Schedule

12/3-12/7, 4/9-4/11

EOC Testing Window

5/6-5/10

AP Testing Dates

5/6-5/17

SAT Test Dates

8/25, 10/6, 11/3, 12/1, 3/9, 5/4,
6/1

ACT Test Dates

6/8, 10/27, 12/8, 2/9, 4/13,
6/8, 7/13

PSAT

10/10 during school

Late arrival for Seniors 11
am- Commons

Cavalier/Peer Tutoring

(2:45-3:45)

TWCP School Website

Peer Tutoring-CCC

PTO Meetings

9:00 a.m. LGI 1

9/12, 10/31, 11/7, 12/5, 1/9,

2/13, 3/6, 4/10, 5/22

PTO "Parent's Night Out"

Fundraiser - TBD

Dosey Doe's Big Barn

PTO Brown Bag Lunches

@ 11:00 am - LGI

10/18, 11/15, 1/17, 4/17

Fall Semester Exam Schedule

Friday, December 14th

1st Period	7:20am-7:52am
2nd Period	7:59am-8:31 am
3rd Period	8:38am-9:10am
4th Period (EXAM)	9:17am-11:17am
5th Period	11:24am-1:20pm
6th Period	1:27pm-1:58pm
7th Period	2:05pm-2:35pm

Monday, December 17th

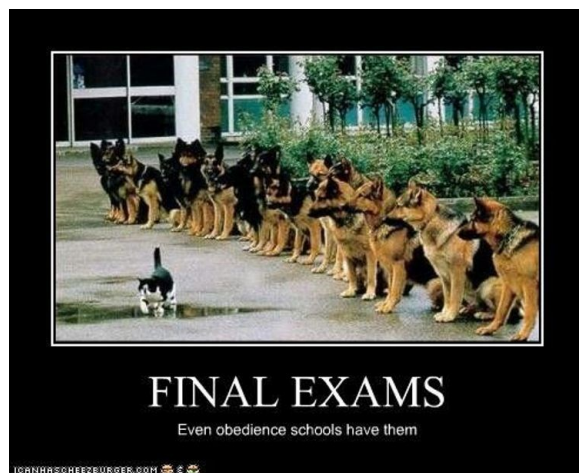
1st Period (EXAM)	7:20am-9:20am
2nd Period (EXAM)	9:30 am-11:30 am

Tuesday, December 18th

3rd Period (EXAM)	7:20 am-9:20am
5th Period (EXAM)	9:30am-11:30am

Wednesday, December 19th

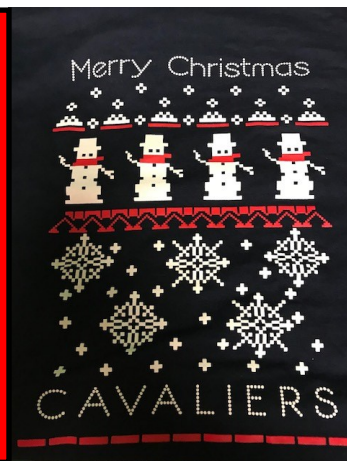
6th Period (EXAM)	7:20am-9:20am
7th Period (EXAM)	9:30am-11:30am



IMPORTANT REMINDERS



Spread some
Cavalier Cheer
with CP Holiday
short sleeve
T-Shirts!



\$10 while supplies last, in sizes S-L.

Cash or check only.

School Store while supplies last. *Shirts are unisex Gildan 50/50

Pep Rally Dates

10/5, 10/26, 11/8,
1/25 (NEAT),
Spring Pep Rally: 3/8,

Senior Information

Senior Lighting: 8/20
Sr. Parent Info Night: 9/11
Mandatory Senior Mtg. w/
Dr. Murrell: 4/13
Prom: 5/3
Honor Grad Breakfast: 4/30
Senior Awards Night: 5/20
Senior Picnic: 5/23
Graduation Practice: 5/23
Graduation: 5/23
PTO Grad Night: 5/23

Early Release Days

10/5 and 12/20, 3/9 - 11:30 am
School Holidays (Students)
9/3, 10/8, 11/19-23, 12/20-1/7,
1/21, 2/18, 3/11-15, 4/19-22,
5/27

Important Dates

8/20 Senior Lighting
Ceremony 7pm
8/23- Open House 6pm
8/27 -Sr. Parent Info/
Financial Aid Night 6:30
9/10 -9th/10th/New to TX
Parent Information
Night—6:30 pm
9/17- Jr. Parent Information
Night 6:30 pm
11/7 PTO "Eyes Wide Open"
7pm Auditorium
1/17-Incoming 9th graders
Parent Info Night 6:30pm
1/31-Upperclassman Parent
Info Night 6:30 pm
2/7- "Everything Under the
Sun" Information
Night Class Fair 5:30
Advance Course
Information 7PM
4/12- Sr. Meeting w/
Dr. Murrell
4/17- NHS Induction
Ceremony 6pm
4/18- PTO Party Crashers
6pm
4/30 -Honor Graduate
Breakfast at
Woodlands Church
8am (Invitation Only)
5/3- Prom
5/3 -Panoramic Picture
Sr.'s will be released after picture



**PTO Meeting: December 12,
2018 at 9am in the LGI**

**Check out our website
[here](#) for all things PTO!**



*Save
the
Date*

Families in Transition Program

Who we are: We are community volunteers who support homeless, vulnerable students and their families in Conroe ISD.

What we do: Provide support in transition including temporary transportation, tutoring and meeting basic needs (i.e. food, warm clothes).

Why are we doing this? Conroe ISD has over 1,000 students who are potentially homeless and we want to help them however we can.

How can you help? First, sign up [HERE](#) on Conroe ISD's website as a volunteer. We are NOT part of CISD but their background checks help provide security for the families in need. After you receive an e-mail from CISD stating you passed the background check, forward that e-mail to info@fitmoco.org with your name, e-mail and phone number to be added to the contact list. Then, review the e-mails (sent out around the 1st and 15th of each month) of any needs you can meet!

Contact us at info@fitmoco.org if you have any questions, concerns or know of families who are in need.

Please send a note with your child and have them drop off the note at the attendance office (located at the front entrance of the school) preferably before school begins. Your child will receive a pass to be released from class at the time specified on the note. **We DO NOT release students to Uber Drivers or Taxi Service for ANY reason.**



The note should include:

o Student's Name o Date of Release

Time of Release o Parent /Guardian Name and Signature o Contact Phone Numbers o Permission to Drive Off Campus (if applicable)

You can also call the school to request an early release for your student. Please call at least 1 hour in advance in order to give the student office-aides ample time to locate your student. **A pass to leave early will not be sent to a student if we do not receive the request before 1:30 pm.**

Due to high call volume, sending a note is the preferred method

5/20-Senior Awards Night
7pm-Auditorium
5/23 - Graduation Practice
5/23- Senior Picnic
5/23 - Graduation 7:30 pm
Cynthia Woods Mitchell
Pavilion

Online Information

[AST](#)
[Campus Life](#)
[Cavalier Connection](#)
[Child Nutrition](#)
[CISD Calendar](#)
[CISD Website](#)
[Exemption Policy](#)
[Faculty/Staff](#)
[Parent Access Center](#)
[Parent Resources](#)
[TWCP Website](#)
[What Bus Do I Ride?](#)
[Webstore](#)

ADMINISTRATION

Dr. Mark A. Murrell
Principal
Dr. Susan Caffrey
Academy Headmaster
Mr. Clint Holden
Associate Principal of
Administration
Dr. Susan Hersperger
Associate Principal
Curriculum /Instruction
Ms. Melanie McCarthy
Associate Principal
Facility Operations

Assistant Principals
Danny Johnson
A-Ci
Lee Koslosky
Cj-Gol
Mitch Marriott
Gom-Led
Victoria Brinkman
Lee-O
Kelsea Meredith
P-Sh
Ashley Wallace
Si-Z

COUNSELOR'S CORNER

Counselor Web page, [click here](#)



The Bright & Beautiful
Therapy Dogs and volunteers will be back again this year
for the students right before finals.

Weather permitting, they will be outside in the
commons (atrium) during all the lunches on Tuesday, December 11-
Thursday, December 13th.

PARENT INFORMATION NIGHT

January 17

Incoming 9th grade Parent Information Night, 6:30-7:30

January 31

Upperclassmen Parent Information Night, 6:30-7:30

February 7

Everything Under the Sun, 5:30-7:00

CPHS WEDNESDAYS

November 28 Session

Generation Texas Week
Financial Aid Information

[http://twcp.conroeisd.net/wp-content/uploads/
sites/53/2018/11/CPHSFinancialAidGuide-11-28-2018.pdf](http://twcp.conroeisd.net/wp-content/uploads/sites/53/2018/11/CPHSFinancialAidGuide-11-28-2018.pdf)

Counselors

Jessica Beckham

Lead Counselor

Debra Creel

College and Career

Mary Edgerly -9th

A-Lee

Shannon Andersen-

9th Grade

Lef-Z

Cindy Doud

A-Car

Tiffani Jaqua

Cas-Fl

Melissa Paris

Fm-H

Delorean Hogan

I-Mar

Chiante Deal

Mas-Pq

Jamie Slabaugh

Pr-Sp

Tammy Morrow

Sq-Z

LUNCH DROP-OFF POLICY:

Safety is the upmost importance for our students. For the safety of our students, all lunches brought in to school for your student will need to be signed in at the front office. Lunches will be taken to the AP office for the students to pick-up. There will be NO food deliveries accepted by any outside vendor. Our students know that the AP office is the location to pick up items. Thank you for your help and cooperation.

You can also find us on Facebook and Twitter



The Conroe Independent School District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, or age in its programs and activities and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. The following persons have been designated to handle inquiries regarding these non-discrimination policies:

Title IX Coordinator, 3205 W. Davis, Conroe, Texas 77304; (936) 709-7700 and the Section 504/ADA Coordinator, 3205 W. Davis, Conroe, Texas 77304; (936) 709-7670



Debra Creel, College and Career Counselor dcreel@conroeisd.net

Wendy Jones, CCC Assistant, wgilesjones@conroeisd.net

Parents...now is the time to complete your FAFSA or TASFA. The priority deadline at most schools falls in December or January.

FAFSA: www.fafsa.ed.gov

Who can fill out the FAFSA:

<https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/eligibility/basic-criteria>

Who can fill out the TASFA: Students that are classified as a Texas Resident who cannot apply for federal financial aid using the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) are encouraged to complete the TASFA.

FAFSA has a You Tube Channel FULL of AMAZING helpful (short) videos: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCEnu3BHoR9IYgBnCbqQdgmA>

Could I be exempt from paying tuition at a Texas Public College:

<http://www.collegeforalltexas.com/apps/financialaid/tofa.cfm?Kind=E>



GRAD NIGHT INFORMATION



2019 College Park Grad Night @ Main Event

Check-in: 11PM May 23, 2019

Event Ends: 5AM May 24, 2019 Pre-registration forms [here](#)

\$50 - September 12th - May 17

At the door sales \$60 Cash only!!!

GradNight tickets are not included in Sr. Dues



CP Friends and Family:

Looking to make a year-end tax deductible donation? Please consider contributing to CP Grad Night to keep our seniors and community safe the night of graduation.

The committee is ready to make some extra fun plans for this event that will only be possible with support from our parents from all grade levels. The lock-in event costs almost \$40,000, and we try to keep ticket prices at a reasonable level to allow as many seniors as possible to attend. Any monetary donation will be appreciated, but if you are a family sponsor of \$100 or more, you will have your name on signage at Grad Night held at Main Event May 23-24 and be listed as a Grad Night Sponsor in the graduation program insert.

Please fill out the attached form and either mail it to the address listed on it or drop donations at the front office. You will receive a receipt for contributions over \$50. Sponsorship are going fast, so get the one you want now!

For more information, go to the "Donate" tab at cpgradnight.org



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Class of 2019

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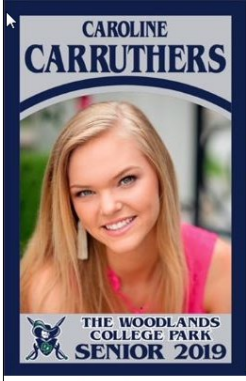
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Senior Yearbook Ads

Please contact Jennifer Walton at jwalton@conroeisd.net for more information.

Senior Dues - \$110.

Senior class dues are for all the activities throughout the school year; these can be paid online through the [Webstore](#). Please see Mrs. Brinkman or Mr. Koslosky when the school year begins for more information, or if you are having difficulty paying senior dues.

Please note:

**Senior Dues are optional. Seniors do not have to pay any dues to graduate. *Seniors who graduate early may still pay dues and participate in all activities. *Any senior attending prom MUST pay dues. *An early graduate cannot go as a date to prom. They are considered seniors and must pay dues.*

Senior Dues Cover:

- * Senior Lighting
- *Senior T-Shirt (Spring)
- *Prom Ticket (Sr. Only)
- *Senior Picnic

Senior Dues do NOT Cover:

- *Cap, Gown or Graduation Announcements
- *Prom Date Ticket *Homecoming Ticket
- *Panoramic Picture *Prom Pictures
- *GradNight '19 via www.cpgradnight.org**



Cavalier News



"CAVALIER OF THE WEEK"

Cathy Smith

English



STUDENT
PARKING

(VOE)
VERIFICATION OF
ENROLLEMENT
INFORMATION:

VOE 's can be requested in
the grade level office.
Please be aware that there
could be up to a 24 hour
processing period.



**TWCP- DRIVER EDUCATION
CLASSES:**

CPHS Driver Education Class:

For registration go to [www.esc6.net/
driversed](http://www.esc6.net/driversed) and click on "Register Now"
look for the TWCPHS emblem click on it
and begin registration.

*For more information, please contact Chris
Hemphill 936.435.8325 or chemphill@esc6.net*



Monday thru Thursday

2:45 pm -4pm

College and Career Center

2nd semester start date TBA



The 2019 yearbooks are on sale now!
Starting this year we are a spring de-
livery book. This means the books will
be passed out in May before the kids
leave for the summer. So deadlines to
buy will be sooner than usual.

**The deadline to reserve a yearbook
is Feb. 1st!**

Please go to webstore to buy your copy today!

*If a yearbook was purchased for 2017-2018 they will be
available for pick up at the front office.

*2018-19 Yearbooks can also be ordered on the webstore.



2018-19 HOSA Club



Cavalier News



TWCP DECA: This year, our DECA chapter is so excited to have over 100 competitors registered for our District Career and Development Conference on January 19, 2019! We hope to bring as many of them as possible to our state competition in Dallas and our international competition in Orlando as the year progresses. Our chapter has been hard at work preparing for competition through meetings, informational lectures, and competition workshops. As competition approaches in just a few months, we would like to ask for help from our Cavalier community!

There are many ways through which you can support our chapter.

- A Professional Member within DECA is an adult in the workforce who provides aid and assistance to our chapter. As a professional member, you have the ability to judge at the district and state level, attend chapter events, mentor students as they prepare to compete, and more. Increasing our chapter's professional member base allows us to increase our allotments to international competition, letting us bring more students to Orlando with us. If you are interested in becoming a professional member, please email collegeparkdeca@gmail.com for further information!
- If you are interested in judging any of the 56 events students will be competing in, we would appreciate your time greatly. This would require a time commitment from 8 AM to 1 PM on Saturday, January 19. You would receive a continental breakfast, lunch, and a small gift in exchange for your help.

If you are interested in learning more, see this informational brochure here: <https://tinyurl.com/ycvar8y2>. If you would like to sign up as a judge, you can do so here: <https://goo.gl/YuWMZR>. Thank you for your consideration and continued dedication to the success of our chapter!

We would also like to give a quick thank you to our corporate sponsor, InterLab Supply, for their continued support of our chapter.

CHEER NEWS

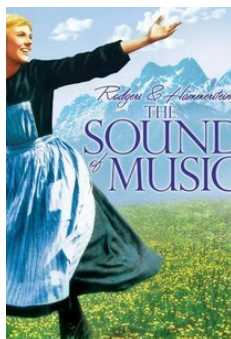


2018-19 UNICEF Club

CAVALIER EXPRESS:

The Cavalier express is open during all lunch periods. We will have spirit shirts and items, as well as Pep Rally T's, football tickets, and much more. Stop by and say Hi!

Fall Production Information:



The Sound of Music- By Rodgers and Hammerstein

Further information will be available at TWCP Fine Arts Dept.
Performances are January 24, 25, 26 at 7:00pm
Two performances Saturday- 2:00pm and 7:00pm

The Importance of Being Earnest

By Oscar Wilde

Auditions: January 29

Performances: February 28, March 1, 4, 7, 21 at 7pm



December 6, 2018 –Winter Concert Non Varsity

December 7, 2018 - Winter Tour and Winter Party from 7 pm to 9 pm

December 10, 2018 –Winter Concert Varsity



Our homepage for orchestra is www.cporchestra.com Students need to maintain current contact information CHARMS: www.charmsoffice.com.

User name is cporchestra. Password is your student ID number.

Fall 2018 Semester Events:

Thursday, December 6, 7:00 PM: CP Winter Orchestra Concert (Sinfonietta, Philharmonic, Camerata)-CP Auditorium.

Monday, December 10, 7:00 PM: CP Winter Orchestra Concert (Chamber, Symphony)-CP Auditorium.

BARNES AND NOBLE -ORCHESTRA Saturday, Dec. 8

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Cavalier Band Winter Concert

Tuesday, December 11th at 7pm TWCP Auditorium



College Park Athletics



The College Park golf teams had an exceptional week despite the tough weather conditions. On Monday, November 12th, the JV boys team won the Conroe Tiger JV Invitational held at Westfork Golf Club. Ethan Stallons led the team with a 89 followed by Jack Paylor 91, Thomas Brunson 94, Sean Keene 96, and Jake Kirby 105. Ethan Madeley shot 91 playing as a medalist. On Wednesday, November 14th, the Varsity "B" team finished 4th and the JV boys finished 8th at the Magnolia West Invitational held at High Meadow Ranch. Leading the team was Max Castillanos' 79. He was followed by Steven Drabbant 83, Drew Brotherton 84, Josh Rutledge 90, and Chris Kulis 100. The JV boys were led by Mason Moore's 83. Other scores were Mariano Aguirre 89, Mason Combrink 92, and Carson Draeger 92.

Over the November 16th & 17th weekend, the Cavaliers captured the title at the Crown Colony Panther Classic. The team was led by Beau Autery's 4th place individual finish with scores of 74-80. Other Cavalier scores were Hayden Heinle 87-78, Adrian Aguirre 80-85, Finlay Clark 88-88, and Ryan Smiley 86-93. The boys weren't the only victorious team as the Lady Cavaliers captured the Huntsville Lady Hornet Invitational held at Westwood Shores in Trinity. Freshman Alana May finished 3rd individually with rounds of 86-83. 2 Cavaliers finished in a tie for 4th place, Kate Lee 86-86, and Roxanna Irani 89-83. Other players were Elizabeth Stallons 89-87, and Emily Madeley 92-95.

This weekend marked the first time in school history that both the varsity boys and girls won on the same weekend.

BOYS BASKETBALL



Dec 7 CP vs Klein Collins 7pm
Dec 11 CP vs Klein Forest 7pm
Dec 14 CP vs ORHS 7pm
Dec 17 CP @ Mayde Creek 7pm
Dec 20 CP @ Klein Oak 7pm
Jan 3 CP vs Klein Cain 7pm

Dec 4 CP vs TWHS 7pm
Dec 11 CP vs Klein Forest 7pm
Dec 14 CP @ ORHS 7pm
Dec 20 CP vs Klein Oak 7pm
Jan 3 CP @ Klein Cain 7pm
Jan 5 CP vs Klein 7pm

GIRLS BASKETBALL



Dec 6 CP vs Bryan/TWHS
Dec 8 CP @ Klein Cain Invite
Dec 12 CP vs Cy Creek/Klein Oak
Dec 15 CP @ Houston Duals
Dec 21 CP @ Turf Wars Clear Brook
Jan 4-5 CFISD Tournament Berry Center
Jan 9 CY-Ranch/Klein
Jan 16 CP vs Caney Creek



PICS FROM THE PARK

