

November 18th, 2019

INTRODUCING NCA'S ONLINE APPAREL STORE!

Check out what's available for children, youth, and adults at NCA's online apparel store!!!

- Go to <u>ncastore2019.itemorder.com</u>
- Order the same way you would at any other online store, and support your school at the same time. ⊕
- Orders need to be placed by Monday. December 2nd.
- Items will be delivered to New Covenant Academy or shipped approximately 2 weeks after the store closes.
- NOTE that NCA logo sweatpants WILL BE ALLOWED ON FRIDAYS at school.

NCA's "GIVING TREE:" WOW! Blessings to all who took a tag from our "Giving Tree" to help a local family this Christmas season! So many have jumped on this – and that is <u>wonderful</u>.

There are a few tags still left, plus you can help simply by donating non-perishable food items. Than you for your willingness to help make a difference.

WE'RE ALMOST THERE!!!! The PTF now needs only volunteers from 11:00AM until 1:30PM for the holiday meal! If you can help, even for only part of the time, please email the PTF at ptf@ncalions.org. Thank you so much!

UPCOMING BUS SCHEDULE CHANGES:

- **SOUTHERN TIOGA:** Southern Tioga schools have a half day Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday of next week (Nov. 25th, 26th, & 27th).
 - On Monday and Tuesday NCA has a full day of school, so the buses will run as follows:
 - **Liberty Bus (normally bus 661):** The bus will pick up NCA students as usual in the morning. After school, the buses will take any Blossburg students to the Blossburg high school for parents to pick up at 2:40PM; then they will drop off the rest of the students at Liberty high school at 2:50.
 - **BUS 20 WILL ONLY RUN IN THE MORNING BOTH DAYS.** Parents must arrange transportation home for their children both Monday and Tuesday.
 - On Wednesday, Nov. 27th, both NCA and the Southern district have half-days. ALL SOUTHERN DISTRICT BUSES will pick up students as usual in the morning; after school, they will pick up our students at school and drop them off as usual, but earlier. The Liberty bus will pick up students from NCA at 12:20; bus 20 will pick them up at 12:40.

NORTHERN TIOGA:

- On Monday and Tuesday there will be no changes in transportation.
- On Wednesday, Nov. 27th, both NCA and the Northern district have half-days. The buses will pick up students as usual in the morning; they will return to NCA at 11:20 to pick up students and drop them off as usual.

WELLSBORO:

- On Monday and Tuesday there are no changes in transportation.
- On Wednesday, Nov. 27th, both NCA and the Wellsboro district have half-days. The buses will pick up students as usual in the morning; they will return to NCA at 11:25 to pick up students and drop them off as usual.



THANKSGIVING MEAL FOR ALL STAFF & STUDENTS: On Friday, December 6th, NCA will provide our annual Thanksgiving meal for all NCA students and staff, including turkey, mashed potatoes, stuffing, corn, cranberry sauce, a cookie, and a beverage. Gluten-free options will be available. (There is no charge for this lunch.)

LIVE NATIVITY: The Heritage Village and Farm Museum in Troy, PA is looking for middle school and high school students to portray Joseph, Mary, wise men, and shepherds in the Live Nativity at their "Christmas in the Village" event. The event is December 1st from 1:00 -4:00PM. Please contact Barb at (570)786-9482 or email her at bbarrett362@comcast.net if you would like to participate or have any questions.

THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION: "Let's Go Fishing" is the name of an upcoming Thanksgiving Celebration at the Tioga County Fairgrounds. All are invited, so spread the word! There are lots of giveaways for those who attend; see the attached flyer below for more information.

Holy Child Parish (the Roman Catholic church here in Mansfield) is having a free Thanksgiving dinner this year like they have for many years - the meal is from 10:00AM -2:00PM on Thanksgiving Day; all are welcome to join. If you are interested in **volunteering**, you may call their office at (570) 662-3568.

LUNCH: Attached is the lunch order form *for the next two weeks*. Please return it by this Friday. Thank you!

SPORTS NEWS:

New Covenant Academy has been blessed with talented athletes this year! - we have over 20 young men and women participating in our basketball program! The Athletics Department has released an early version of the 2019-2020 schedule:



- The 2019 -2020 basketball season begins tonight (Monday, Nov. 18th), with our boys taking on the Williamsport Alternative School for the first time. Tip off is 5pm.
- The boys also travel to Elmira this Friday and Saturday (Nov. 22nd & 23rd) for the Gordon Sheffler Tournament. The NCA boys' first game is against the Elmira Defenders at approximately 6:30 pm at the Ernie Davis Community Center in Elmira, NY. Saturday's game is TBA at the same location.
- Next week the girls' and boys' teams start a streak of 5 straight home games. Come out and support our student athletes!
- The match originally scheduled with **Hebron on December 20th** was originally to include both a boys' and a girls' game. Hebron no longer has a girls team, so this will be a bovs' **game only**. (If we can find a replacement girls team that may change.)
- The **December 3rd** match scheduled against **Twin Tiers Christian Academy** was to be a boys' game only. Due to circumstances impacting Twin Tiers, this game will now be a boys' game and a girls' game.
- Players should receive an updated game schedule today.

If you have questions about your sports fee or anything else, please contact Mr. Griffin at johng2@ncalions.org.

REMINDERS:

NCA's CITRUS FRUIT SALE orders are due November 26th.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

THANKSGIVING BREAK/HUNTER DAYS: NCA has a half-day of school Wednesday, November 27th, followed by Thanksgiving vacation and Hunter Days break. **School resumes** Wednesday morning, December 4th.



Lets Go Fishing!

THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION ~

FIRE TURKET

FOR EVERY FAMILY

(WHILE SUPPLIES LAST)

GIVEAWAYS

FISHING GEAR | TVS | GIFT CARDS | YETI & MORE!
LIVE MUSIC WITH AN ENCOURAGING MESSAGE

NOV 22-24 DOORS OPEN at 6:15 pm

"text "turkey2019" to 474747



TIOGA COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS 2258 CHARLESTON ROAD WELLSBORO, PA 16901

REGISTER NOW at REVIVALTODAY.COM/LETSGOFISHING ALSO GET ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

*Please note this menu covers two weeks. There is no lunch Wednesday Nov. 27th through Tuesday December 3rd because of Thanksgiving break.

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Name: _____

Grade_____

Lunch orders are due <u>no</u>
<u>later</u> than Friday at 10am
for the following week.

Monday 11/25/19	Tuesday 11/26/19	Wednesday 12/04/19	Thursday 12/05/19	Friday 12/06/19
CHEESEBURGER W/ CHIPS & APPLESAUCE # of meals x \$2.50	Spaghetti & Meatballs Cheese Toast \$3.00 # of meals x \$3.00 =	SUBWAY \$3.50 Six-inch subs on 9 grain wheat bread with American cheese, lettuce, tomato and cucumbers Turkey Ham Veggie Delite Cold Cut Combo # of six-inch subs x \$3.50 =	PIZZA \$1.50/SLICE PLAIN # of slices: PEPPERONI # of slices: SAUSAGE # of slices: Total number of slices x \$1.50 =	HOLIDAY MEAL Turkey, mashed potatoes, stuffing, corn, cranberry sauce, and cookies and a beverage. GF options will be available FREE for all students and staff
Milk \$.35	Milk \$.35	Milk \$.35	Milk \$.35	Milk \$.35
2%= \$	2% = \$	2%=\$	2%=\$	2% = \$
Chocolate = \$	Chocolate = \$	Chocolate = \$	Chocolate = \$	Chocolate = \$
Daily Total \$	Daily Total \$	Daily Total \$	Daily Total \$	Daily Total \$
Payments <u>must be</u> sub	mitted with this form.	Please note that		Weekly Lunch Total
Checks payable to NCA.		students will not be able to charge lunch or milk.		\$