



# *This Week at The Crossroads School*

*Week of September 25, 2006*

## **Upcoming Events**

<b>Sept 25</b>	PAC Meeting
<b>Sept 29</b>	School Closed
<b>Oct 13</b>	Progress Reports
<b>Oct 19-20</b>	School Closed
<b>Oct 26</b>	CTBS Testing (8 <sup>th</sup> )
<b>Nov 13-17</b>	Amer. Educ. Week
<b>Nov 23-24</b>	Thanksgiving
<b>Dec 5-7</b>	Student-Led Conf.

## **Projects & Assessments**

<b>6<sup>th</sup> Grade Humanities</b>
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<b>6<sup>th</sup> Grade Math/Science</b>
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<b>7<sup>th</sup> Grade Humanities</b>
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<b>7<sup>th</sup> Grade Math/Science</b>
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<b>8<sup>th</sup> Grade Humanities</b>
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<b>8<sup>th</sup> Grade Math/Science</b>
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## **Newsletters Available ONLINE**

[www.thecrossroadsschool.org](http://www.thecrossroadsschool.org)

Parents – Our weekly newsletters are now available on our website. Simply click on “Crossroads News” for a copy of the current newsletter and a list of all archived editions.

## Thank You Parents and Staff

Thanks to everyone who helped make our 2006-07 Back to School Night a great success. It was wonderful to see so many enthusiastic parents who share our excitement about the school year. Thanks especially to Ms. Sams who coordinated the event this year! Students whose parents attended Back to School Night will have a dress-down day this Thursday.

## Early Dismissal Procedures

In the event that a child needs to be picked up early due to an illness, an appointment or a family emergency, it is necessary for the parent/guardian or an approved designee to sign the child out in the school office. Students can not be dismissed without an adult signature.

## Mentoring Program

Crossroads will be continuing our Mentoring Program again this year. The program, now in its 4<sup>th</sup> year, matches professionals from the Baltimore area with students at Crossroads. Students meet with their mentors twice each month during advisory and visit their mentors at work from time to time. We want to thank Comcast, Constellation, Cummins Power, Northwestern Mutual and Living Classrooms Foundation for once again partnering with us for this important program. Our first mentoring sessions will take place on Tuesday, September 26.

## Touchdown Tuesdays

Every Tuesday throughout football season a different player from the Baltimore Ravens will be visiting Crossroads to meet with students. Students are selected for this honor by showing the Five Promises and working hard in all areas. This is a unique opportunity for students to interact with members of the NFL and learn about their lives on and off the field.

## New Contact Information

The Crossroads School has a new phone number. Parents can reach a receptionist at the school Monday-Friday from 7:30-5:00 by calling **410-276-4924**. Please use the following extensions: Main Office x 259, Mr. Conrad x 265, Ms. Sams x 201, TCAP x 208, Special Education x 308, Ms. Nunn x 304.