We are delighted to report we have achieved and surpassed our fundraising goal of $25,000 for the Centaurus Academic Support Fund Campaign. As of today, the end of our campaign, we have received 118% of our goal! That’s $29,400 that will directly support Centaurus academic programs - providing materials, equipment, student support services, and opportunities to provide the best possible learning opportunities for our students.

Soon CHS teachers will submit requests for mini-grants funded by the CASF. Representatives from each academic department, administration, and the parent community will decide which requests to fund.

Centaurus is incredibly fortunate to have such a giving community. We appreciate your enthusiastic support of this initiative!
Important Dates

- November 5: CASF Campaign ends
- November 10: Eight period schedule (late start)
- November 11: Veterans Day - No school
- November 11-13: Centaurus Theatre Company production - The Taming of the Shrew
- November 15: First day of winter sports
- November 16: Senior portrait and quote submission deadline (EXTENDED)
- November 22-26: Thanksgiving Break - No school

What you need to know

Winter Sports Registration Now Open

BVSD has a new online sports registration system. Please visit our Athletics webpage for more details. Winter sport practices begin November 15.

November 10 and 11

Wednesday, November 10 will be an eight period day (with late start). Classes will follow this schedule:

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There will be no school on Thursday, November 11 due to Veterans Day.

Centaurus Theatre Company - The Taming of the Shrew

Our very own theater group presents William Shakespeare’s The Taming of the Shrew next week. Showtimes are November 11-13 at 7:00pm and November 13 at 2:00pm. Visit centaurustheatrecompany.com to purchase your tickets.
Masks and School Badges

Students need to bring their own mask and student ID badge to school every day! Please provide masks for them to wear. If a student has not received (or has lost) their Centaurus ID badge, they need to visit the campus monitors for assistance.

Advisory Update

There will be no advisory next week due to no school Thursday.

Counseling Corner

Check here for weekly news from the Counseling department.

Headline News
Congratulations to the Marching Band for their 3rd place finish in the 4A State Competition on October 30th at Air Force Academy Falcon Stadium! The Marching Warriors earned their two best scores for the season, recording an 83.30 in prelims followed by an 83.95 to secure 3rd place in the State finals. What a season and way to go #CHSMarchingWarriors!

DECA Celebrations

DECA Warrior students had their first competition and held a community service food drive in mid October. On Wednesday the 20th of October, we competed against ten other schools in business role plays. We were very successful for the first time out. We had five first place awards and three second place finishers.

1st place
  - Kevin Duran and Joe Gardea Travel and Tourism Team
  - Braedon Blumfield and Brody Wood Marketing Management Team
  - Tryggvi Holt and Michael McCawley Business Law and Ethics Team
  - Victoria Hodgson and Amy Resendiz Salazar Hospitality Services
  - Nick O'Leary and Nick Rauscher Financial Services Team

2nd Place
  - Ashley Herbstreit Accounting Applications
  - Paige Johnson Human Resources
  - Michael Finnigan Sports and Entertainment

The students bought Coach Vermillion an egg trophy because he is an "Egg-celent Leader" for their team!
The Students also organized a food drive with Sister Carmen Center and spent October 23rd in the Centaurus parking lot collecting food and hosting a Trunk or Treat for a fun Halloween safe night (day). The DECA students collected over 900 lbs of food and gave a lot of candy away to little trick or treaters! It was an awesome day for community service!

DECA districts are on November 30th - our state qualifier; we hope to have great success!

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**Getting to know your Centaurus Team**

Centaurus High School is very fortunate to have a number of student teachers working here. We’d like to introduce you to a student from CU Boulder working with us this fall - Monica Herzog.

Hello Centaurus community! My name is Monica Herzog and I am a student teacher in the science department with Mike Ross and David Wood. In addition to teaching physics and physical science this term, I am also supporting the Esports team and Dungeons & Dragons club. My path to Centaurus (and CU Boulder's Master's program) has not been direct. A highlight reel of those twists and turns includes growing up in Connecticut, being introduced to rock climbing by my high school physics teacher, earning my B.S. in Physics from Bucknell University, engaging in astronomy research in Flagstaff, Arizona, and instructing wilderness expeditions (backpacking, rock climbing, and canoeing) with the North Carolina Outward Bound School. Fun fact - this picture is from a 50-day expedition I led, with some of the backcountry cinnamon rolls we baked!

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**Centaurus Community News**

Centaurus students’ work featured at The Collective - Community Arts Center
**Dia de los Muertos** Oct. 6 - Nov. 20
This colorful group show honors the traditions of Dia de los Muertos (Day of the Dead) and features several Colorado artists of varying backgrounds, including Inez Sanchez, Karen Yust, Alfredo Cardenas, Jose Mares, and Susan Simonds' Centaurus High School students - Our AP Spanish students made cigar box ofrendas (altars) for the display.

Visit The Collective at 201 N Public Rd, Lafayette, CO 80026 to enjoy these works!

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**Webb Telescope Launch Festivities at CU Boulder**

Fri., Nov. 12 evening – Two 20-min. Webb presentations in the planetarium, followed by Q&A.
  a 1st presentation by a CU professor who will explain why Webb is NASA’s next premier observatory and how she’ll use the telescope for her exoplanet research.
  a 2nd by a Ball engineer who’s just returned from French Guiana, where he’s been preparing the telescope for launch.
  a The observatory upstairs from Fiske will be open for night-sky viewing, too.

Sun., Nov. 14 afternoon – Webb Launch Party
  a Planetarium shows on Webb offered throughout the afternoon. The 1:30 show is in Spanish, and Spanish translators will be available throughout the event.
  a Telescope tours offered upstairs in the observatory.
  a Webb activities and displays, staffed by Ball engineers, will be offered throughout the planetarium.
JOIN THE WEBB TELESCOPE LAUNCH FESTIVITIES!

Ball Aerospace and CU Boulder’s Fiske Planetarium and Sommers-Bausch Observatory (SBO) invite you to special events celebrating the soon-to-launch NASA Webb Telescope. Experience the worldwide excitement at these free events.

“Lift Off! The James Webb Space Telescope” Presentations

What: Get a glimpse of the science that CU Boulder researchers will pursue using Webb and the amazing telescope technology designed and built by Ball Aerospace engineers.

Who: Dr. Meredith MacGregor, Assistant Professor, CU Center for Astrophysics and Space Astronomy; Ray Wright, JWST Sr. Systems Engineer, Ball Aerospace

When: Friday, Nov. 12, 7:30 – 8:30 p.m.; plus night sky viewing at SBO from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Where: CU Boulder’s Fiske Planetarium and SBO, 2414 Regent Dr., Boulder 80309

“Webb Telescope Launch Party!” Family Day

What: Enjoy hands-on Webb activities, planetarium shows, telescope tours and sunspot viewing.

Who: Party fun will be led by Ball Webb team members and Fiske Planetarium and SBO staff.

When: Sunday, Nov. 14, 12:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Spanish planetarium show at 1:30 p.m.

Where: CU Boulder’s Fiske Planetarium and SBO, 2414 Regent Dr., Boulder 80309

Note: Masks are required inside CU Boulder facilities regardless of vaccination status. Parking and COVID info: Fiske Planetarium | University of Colorado Boulder

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