# Coachella Valley HS Highlights

It's Great To Be An Arab!

Week of October 11th

HIGHLIGHTS - CVHS VOLLEYBALL TAKES THE DVL TITLE









#### A MESSAGE FROM YOUR ADMINISTRATION

This week we hosted grade assemblies for all of our students. This included Policies, Procedures, Expectations, ASB, and Athletics. Our students were full of spirit and school pride and we are looking for a great kick off to the 2nd Quarter. Please visit the school website to view the presentation shown to all of our students. <a href="https://cvhs.cvusd.us/coachella-valley-high-school">https://cvhs.cvusd.us/coachella-valley-high-school</a>





Who Are We?

ARABS!!!



What Do We Have?

PRIDE!!!



How Do We Show It?

SPIRIT!!!

#### ASSESSMENTS AND TECHNOLOGY

#### **PSAT**

Thank you to all of the parents that help get your kids here on time for the PSAT. Your children did an amazing job and we tested 1,228 students.



## **iPADS**

iPads are provided for all CVHS students. If your student has not picked up their iPad, the Library is open Wednesdays 1pm-2:30pm for pick up. A parent/ emergency contact must be present. If you need a different time, please contact our school library at 760-848-1829.



#### **TECHNOLOGY HELP**

If your child is having any issues with their iPad, their WIFI connection or with logging in and accessing apps., please have them submit a work order at the link listed below.

https://www.cvusd.us/studenthelp



#### **HIGHLIGHTS - SOPHOMORE CELEBRATION**

Teachers nominated and recognized our Arabs for their Freshmen Year Distance Learning Academic, Citizenship and Engagement. Many students walked away with multiple awards. It was AMAZING to Celebrate Together!



#### **COUNSELOR CORNER**

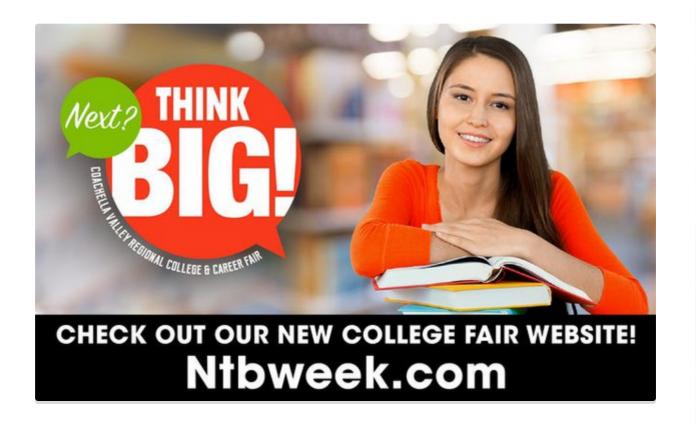
## College & Career Workshop

On October 13th, seniors participated in a full-day workshop where they listened to CSUSB, COD, and had a Q & A opportunity to listen to former CVUSD Alumni.



## Virtual Regional College & Career Fair

On October 14th, all students had the opportunity to attend the virtual college and career fair in which counselors were present to answer questions from our CVHS Students and to engage them throughout the presentation.



## **Lunch Time Financial Aid and College Application Workshops**

Oct. 14th - Counselors started hosting our lunchtime workshops which will be held every Tuesday and Thursday during both lunches.

## **HIGHTLIGHTS - MIGHTY ARABS TAME THE LIONS**







## **TEACHER FEATURE**

## John Zembo

Mr. Zembo is a Rockstar, and a father of two amazing young men! He has fully taken on our Mighty Arabs Freshmen Lead. Mr. Zembo started off by organizing and leading our first awards assembly of the year followed by the Freshmen Class Assembly. We all look forward to the many future events he will host this year! Thank you Mr. Zembo for all that you have done so far.



## **CAMPUS SAFETY**

## **Schoolwide Assemblies**

CVHS Students did a Fantastic Job this week with active listening and participation in the School Wide Policy Assemblies. Students will receive PBIS IDs (Mandatory) this Monday October 18 in their 2nd Period Class.



## PBIS/SEL

As a unified team, the staff of CVHS are working towards supporting our students Social Emotional needs as well as guiding them in learning appropriate skills and behaviors needed to be successful in the classroom and career settings. On Tuesdays every student will be participating mini lessons/activities on dealing with Social Emotional Learning. Every Thursday students will be receiving mini lessons on classroom survival skills and appropriate behaviors through our Positive Behaviors, Interventions and Supports lessons.



#### ATHLETICS - STUDENT ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

### **VOLLEYBALL**

On the court Mia Sifuentes had a stellar game against rival Indio HS in a Championship match and produced like champions do. She had 17 kills and also 7 aces to help pace her team and show the

#### GIRLS GOLF

Ashley Hernandez 10th grade had a great week on the links by continuing to grow her game and building some confidence going into next season. Great job Ashley.

#### **GIRLS TENNIS**

Lydia Rodriguez continues her incredible streak of going unbeaten in her career at CVHS the past 4 seasons and with just two more matches against CCHS and DMHS. Good luck Lydia and continue to make us proud.

#### **CROSS COUNTRY**

This week the spotlight is on Senior Sheila Castro and Junior Luis Bojorquez. Both these young students transferred in from other schools but have bought into what it means to have ARAB PRIDE. Keep training hard and show the rest of the DVL what you are made out of at finals.

#### **FOOTBALL**

On the gridiron LB Dominick Ramirez had a great game leading the team in tackles. Dominick had 10 tackles, 1 pass defensed and 1 forced fumble. Keep up the good work Dominick.

## STUDENT ACTIVITIES OFFICE

## **HOMECOMING TICKETS**

Homecoming dance tickets are now on sale in the Activities office room 54.

#### ASB OPEN OFFICER POSITIONS

-Students needed for ASB positions in sophomore and freshman grades.

#### WEEKLY LUNCH ACTIVITIES

Join us for our weekly lunch activities on Fridays to earn spirit points and PBIS Rewards points.

## **ASB SPIRIT ITEMS**

Spirit items are available in the Activities Office for purchase. Come check out our shirts, masks, pom

## **HAPPY BOSSES DAY!!!**



Thank You, Thank You, Thank You to our Fantastic Staff!!

## **SPOTLIGHT ON THE ARTS**

## **CVHS MIGHTY MARCHING ARABS**

October 16th our Marching Arabs will travel for their 1st competition in 2 years!!

- 10/16 Hemet West Valley Performance time 1:12pm
- 10/16 Indio High school Performance time 7:40pm

## **DRAMA CLUB**

Meets every Saturday from 8am to 1130am See Mr. Johnson for more information!!

#### **LIBRARY**

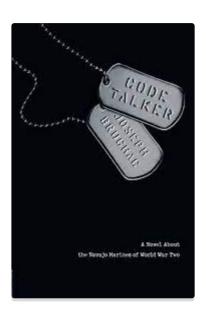
#### **CVHS BOOK CLUB**

The CVHS Book Club will meet on Thursday, October 14th from 2-3pm to discuss *The Joy Luck Club* & choose a new title for our next read.

## Featured Book - Code Talkers: A Novel About the Navajo Marines of World War II

Throughout World War II, in the conflict fought against Japan, Navajo code talkers were a crucial part of the U.S. effort, sending messages back and forth in an unbreakable code that used their native language. They braved some of the heaviest fighting of the war, and with their code, they saved countless American lives. Yet their story remained classified for more than twenty years. Joseph Bruchac brings their stories to life for young adults through the riveting fictional tale of Ned Begay, a sixteen-year-old Navajo boy who becomes a code talker. His grueling journey is eye-opening and inspiring. This deeply affecting novel honors all of those young men, like Ned, who dared to serve, and it honors the culture and language of the Navajo Indians.

(https://www.goodreads.com/book/show/175395.Code\_Talker)



#### **AVID**

Seniors started their application process. The junior AVID class and Mr. Hoy created survival kits for the seniors as a good luck gesture. The seniors class celebrated College Kick Off with a toast and a lunch activity.



#### CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION

#### **CTE STUDENT AMBASSADORS**

Congratulations to the 2021-2022 CTE Student Ambassadors who were officially welcomed with a meet, greet, and eat lunch today.

#### They Are:

#### Grade 12

Ramses Bautista (Cisco Networking)

**Angel Torres (Hospitality Management)** 

**Maritza Alvarez (Hospitality Management)** 

**Fatima Lopez (Health Patient Care)** 

**Karen Leal (Hospitality Management)** 

**Hector Romero (Agriculture)** 

**Ernesto Cobos (DDP)** 

Josiah Hernandez (PSA)

Litzi Vega-Ruiz (M&B Health)

**Everardo Rojas (Hospitality Management)** 

Andrea Ibarra (M&B Health)

**Leylah Alli (Health Patient Care)** 

Grade 11

Isaac Avalos (Cisco Networking)

Melissa Perez (Engineering)

Abigail Avalos (PSA)

Ruben Magana (PSA)

**Kimberly Garcia (Hospitality Management)** 

Alyssa Rivera (Hospitality Management)

Juan Bojorquez (Gents Alliance Envoy)

**Fredy Centeno (Engineering)** 

Look for them at lunch A and B on Friday November 5 at the Academy and Pathway Rush where they will be talking to students about the benefits of all CVHS CTE programs.







#### **AGRICULTURE & FFA**

The CVHS FFA officers participated in the Imperial Section Open/Close contest on Wednesday October 13th. During this event the 6 officers recite from memory the roles and responsibilities of the officers and prepare to open a simulated meeting of the FFA Chapter. The team is judged based on accuracy, inflection, body language and posture. Our officer team placed 5th in the competition. They were very excited to have beaten other teams and are eager to continue and improve their skills for their next competition at the Perris FFA competition.













