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(Note - this is the best info we have at the time of publication, but dates do change on occasion)

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
20	21 *Periods 0-7	22 *Periods 0-7	23 *NO EARLY RELEASE! *Periods 0-7 *No Jag Time	24 *Thanksgiving	25	26
27	28 *Periods 0-7 *Food Drive!	29 *Periods 0-7 *Food Drive!	30 *Blocks (2,4,6, Advisory) *Jag Time: Link Crew Check in, Campus Cleanup	Dec 1 *Blocks (1,3,5,7, Advisory) *Jag Time: Clubs & Activities *Food Drive!	2 *Periods 0-7 *Fall Recognition Assembly *Food Drive!	3
4	5 *Periods 0-7	6 *Periods 0-7	7 *Blocks (2,4,6, Advisory) *Jag Time: School Business	8 *Blocks (1,3,5,7, Advisory) *Jag Time: Tutorial	9 *Periods 0-7	10
11	12 *Periods 0-7	13 *Periods 0-7	14 *Blocks (2,4,6, Advisory) *Jag Time: Clubs & Activities	15 *Blocks (1,3,5,7, Advisory) *Jag Time: Tutorial	16 *Periods 0-7 *Winter Arts Assembly	17 *Winter Break Begins

NEWS and INFORMATION

1. We have amazing kids at North Creek!

Girls Volleyball

Team: **8th Place at State!** Great job girls and what a fantastic season!

2. North Creek Food Drive for the NCHS/Skyview Food Pantry

NCHS is holding a **ONE WEEK ONLY** food drive to stock the shelves of the NCHS/Skyview Food Pantry. **All donated food benefits families in our community!** Send your student with donations where they will drop it off in 1st period. The 1st period class with the most donations will win a donut party!

To see what is needed, click here:

<https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1bffPnyzKXxP744pog-q87WDuPu8BdulcM1gPgRLnOmg/edit?usp=sharing>

3. PTSA Holiday Gift Card Drive

Holiday Giving - Gift Cards for Kids in Need

Deliver by December 9th!

This holiday season, the North Creek/Skyview PTSA Food Pantry is collecting \$25 gift cards to provide to food pantry families in need in our North Creek and Skyview community. Please consider donating one or more **\$25 physical gift cards (or eGift Cards)** from Target or Fred Meyer. **Our goal is to collect 150 gift cards for kids in need.**

Due to IRS restrictions, PTSA's must collect **physical gift cards or eGift Cards**- we cannot purchase gift cards with monetary donations.

Ways to donate by December 9th:

- ★ Purchase a \$25 electronic gift card to either Target or Fred Meyer. Click our website for full instructions if you have questions. Please deliver to our email nchs.sms.foodpantry@gmail.com
- ★ Drop off \$25 Physical Gift Cards -both NCHS and SMS families can drop off at Skyview, we are ONE pantry (in the locked box in the Skyview Middle School attendance office - it will be emptied daily)!



Please sign up here so we know how close we are getting to our goal.

All donations will be delivered to food pantry recipients on December 14th.

As a reminder, since the North Creek and Skyview Food Pantry serves both school communities, NCHS and SMS families may use the drop off box at Skyview to donate gift cards. NCHS PTSA and SMS PTSA are both 501c3 non-profit organizations.

Thank you for considering a donation and please contact Melissa Kline if you have any questions. To request food please visit our website here:

<https://northcreekptsa.com/Page/Food%20Pantry/Request%20food>

4. **Winter Wishes!**

Students and staff may fill out the Google form linked here (<https://forms.gle/DGt5TrynZJgHMNWcA>) to request a gift to be purchased by ASB and delivered to a North Creek recipient of your choice. The form to request wishes closes on Friday, November 11th, 2022.

Winter Wishes are intended to spread winter cheer, make people feel special, build inclusion and community, and give uplifting surprises to lift the spirits of our fellow Jaguars. You may request that ASB purchase and deliver your wish to a peer, staff member, or class period. We will make gift deliveries in December.

And mark your calendars for Friday, December 9th! We'll be sharing hot cocoa, apple cider, and cookies before school in the Commons for a collective community Winter Wish treat!

RECURRING ITEMS

1. **Helping NCHS students and families**

Please support students in our community by donating to our campaign. We are partnering with InvestED, a statewide nonprofit, to help meet the basic and academic needs of our most vulnerable students. One hundred percent of funds raised will support promising young people who are experiencing hardships beyond their control.

Each year, InvestED provides urgent funds to students from your community. When a teacher, counselor, coach – or any staff – see a student who has a need, they are able to tap into InvestED funding to provide an immediate and discreet solution. A warm coat, testing fees, track shoes, band uniforms, ASB cards, art supplies, hygiene kits, prom dresses, tutors, or medical exams for participation in athletic programs...the list is long. No matter what the need, InvestEd funds make a **BIG IMPACT**, at **LITTLE COST**, with **NO FUSS**. Without financial support from InvestED and community



support, from people like you, many children lack access to enriching activities or supports that promote their academic achievement and personal growth. Donate today and help spread the word to your family and friends. These are your kids and they need your help. Every contribution makes a big impact.

(All donations are tax-deductible and acknowledgement letters will be provided to you directly by InvestED). InvestED is a 501(c)(3) organization. Tax ID: 23-7189670. Contact them for more information.

To make a donation click the link below.

<https://invested.org/campaigns/north-creek-high-school>

2. **November Crossword**

Here is the student-created crossword puzzle for November! Enjoy!

★ <https://crosswordlabs.com/view/nchs-november-crossword-2022-by-tarun-krishnamurthy>

3. **Sports Schedules**

To access all the sports schedules so that we can go out and support all our Jaguar student-athletes, click [HERE](#) and bookmark the site!

4. **COVID Update**

The Department of Health (DOH) requires schools to inform families and students of COVID-19 cases and potential outbreaks. Last week, there were a total of 5 confirmed cases in students who attend North Creek. The accuracy of our data depends on self-reporting. Thank you for continuing to let the school know if your child tests positive for COVID-19. To view additional information, including school and district trends visit the [District's COVID-19 data dashboard](#). The dashboard is updated weekly on Monday evenings.

If your child is exhibiting [symptoms of COVID-19](#) please keep them home and test for COVID-19. Families can order [free COVID-19 tests from the state](#). Together, we can keep our schools healthy and safe.