

**Warrior Weekly 09-22-23**

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# CENTAURUS HIGH SCHOOL

## Warrior Weekly News

**09/22/2023**

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### Principal's Message

I have two important messages for you this week.

First,

We are entering the third and hopefully final week of the 7th annual Centaurus Academic Support Fund (CASF) fundraising campaign, and we have already reached 45% of our goal! The purpose of the CASF is to directly support academics at Centaurus, providing materials, equipment, student support services, and opportunities that allow us to provide the best possible learning opportunities for students.

The CASF funds a mini-grant program at Centaurus, where representatives from each academic department, administration, and the parent community decide which requests to fund.

In previous years, we were able to provide funding for a number of requests at Centaurus, including the following:

DNA Replication Modeling Kits for our Science Classes

Metalsmith Supplies for our Art Program

iMac Computers to support our Yearbook Class

3D Printers and VEX Robotics Equipment for the Engineering Program

Pottery Wheels for the Art Department

Indoor Plant Growing Area/Garden for the Science Department

Set of Mini One Electrophoresis to support Biology classes

Video and Still Cameras to support student media projects

Sonic Flame Tubes to demonstrate wave physics

Lab Quest Mini Units to support data collection in Science Classrooms

High Interest Leveled Reading Materials for English Language Learners

Extended Learning Field Trips

Flexible Classroom Furniture to support student collaboration

New Microscopes and Precision Scales to support labs in science classes

All families are encouraged to donate an amount meaningful to them-no amount is too big or too small! All donations are 100% tax deductible and directly benefit Centaurus High School academic programs. We hope that you will consider making a donation during our three week campaign. You will receive an additional email with a direct link to donate from BVSDSupport, but you can also access the donation site directly using this link ([Centaurus Academic Support Fund CASF](#)).

Second, it is time to say goodbye to the big stretch of potholes in our parking lot. I have known many of the potholes longer than I have known your children, but it is time for them to go. The BVSD Operations Department has come through for us and will be repaving a significant section of our parking lot on Sunday and Monday. The main driveway from South Boulder Rd. through the front of the school and down towards the stadium is going to be redone. On Sunday and Monday, all traffic will have to access CHS from Warrior Way.

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## Important Dates



September 25- No school for students- professional development day

October 3- Parent workshop- college funding coach

October 7- Homecoming Dance 7:00pm

October 9- No school for students- professional development day

October 11- Parent teacher conferences - virtual- more info to follow

October 19- Picture retake all grades

October 19- Parent teacher conferences - in person- more info to follow

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## What you need to know

### Student ID'S



Student ID'S are required to enter the school each day so make sure you have your new ID with you at all times. If you have a new ID that is not working please see Bruce in security or Cathy in the main office so we can get this fixed for you.

## NHS



### Apply to NHS!

Hey Juniors and Seniors! Do you need volunteer hours? Do you want to get involved? Do you want to strengthen your college apps? Join the National Honor Society!

Interest meetings are on both September 27th during 5th period academic time and after school and September 28th during 6th period academic time. All the meetings are in the library classroom, room 249. Please come if you are interested in joining.

Applications for the NHS are due on October 8th. You must come to a meeting to apply.

In order to be accepted, you must be a junior or senior, have a 4.0+ weighted GPA or a 3.75+ unweighted GPA. You must also have at least 10 hours of volunteer service during high school.

Email [jennifer.moeller@bvsd.org](mailto:jennifer.moeller@bvsd.org) or [shoshannah.turgel@bvsd.org](mailto:shoshannah.turgel@bvsd.org) for any questions you may have!

## College News



College funding coach workshop- More information [here](#)

Out of state College Fair- [Details Here](#)

Upcoming College Visits- [Link](#)

## Homecoming week



# Homecoming Events

Centaurus High

**September 30 - October 7**  
**Join in the festivities!**

**Pep Rally**  
**September 30**  
1:00 - 4:00 in the CHS North Lot  
Food Trucks, Games, and Music  
CHS performances  
Family Friendly

**Powderpuff**  
**October 04**  
Junior v Senior Flag Football  
In-n-Out Food Truck - presale info to come.  
Kickoff at 6:30, gates open at 6:00  
FREE EVENT  
Ends about 8:30

**HoCo Football Tailgate**  
**October 06**  
5:00 - 6:15 West of Field  
Food for sale  
Games and Music

**HoCo Football GAME**  
**October 06**  
Kick-off at 7:00  
\$5.00 cash entry  
Glowfest Theme! (Neon, glow sticks, etc)  
Halftime HoCo Royalty announcement

**HoCo DANCE**  
**October 07**  
7:00 - 10:00  
Semi-formal Dance  
*Dreaming Under the Stars*  
Tickets are sold during lunches in the commons starting September 25th  
\$15 a ticket  
No tickets will be sold at the door  
Non-CHS guests need a pass from the main office and returned to main office by Oct 4

For detailed information: **follow us on Instagram:**  
**@centaurus\_stuco**

Homecoming Dance:  
Dreaming Under The Stars  
October 7th  
7:00PM - 10:00PM  
Semi-Formal all school dance  
\$15 a ticket - purchase ticket here- [LINK](#)

All CHS students are invited.  
If bringing a guest, a guest form must be filled out from the main office.  
Only one guest per Centaurus student  
No guests over 20  
No Middle School or younger students allowed as guests.

## Orchestra Fundraiser for Homecoming Week



IN-N-OUT Burger (Fundraiser for the CHS Orchestra Program)  
Tickets are on sale now, but will only be available until October 2nd!

ALL students, staff, families welcome!

WHEN - Wednesday, October 4th  
4:00-6:30pm (rain or shine!)  
Before Powder Puff Football Game

WHERE - Centaurus High School, the semi-truck will be parked in front of the school (come early to avoid long lines)

WHAT - Each \$5 ticket includes a burger or cheeseburger, bag of chips, and soda/lemonade. (Grilled cheese and plain burgers available by request)

**HOW** - Buy a \$5 ticket (cash or check made out to The Rosin Club) for each person in advance. For sale before school at the main entrance.

**WHY** - 75% of the ticket sales goes **DIRECTLY** to The CHS Orchestra Program and the other 25% goes to the In-N-Out Burger Foundation to prevent child neglect/abuse.

The event is open to the CHS community! You can take your meals to go OR stay and bring blankets/chairs for a giant picnic before the Powder Puff Football Game.

**TICKETS ARE ONLY SOLD IN ADVANCE.  
CASH OR CHECK**

**We will unfortunately not have any to sell the day of!  
Tickets not replaceable or refundable!**

**The last day to purchase your tickets is the morning of October 2nd, so please don't wait! Tickets are limited!**

## YEARBOOKS



A message from the yearbook staff! The 2023-24 school year is underway and we are hard at work creating **YOUR** next yearbook. Don't miss out on owning your copy! We sold out last year so buy fast and buy early! Yearbooks are currently on sale for \$70 and can be purchased at [yearbookforever.com](http://yearbookforever.com).

Are you a graduating senior or the parent of one? Don't forget that Senior Portraits are due on October 31st and Senior baby ads are due by November 18th! Instructions to upload your portrait or to purchase an ad for your senior can be found on our website.

Got yearbook questions? You can find answers to your questions and important deadline information on our [Yearbook Website](#).

## Grad Plus



Are you a high-school student interested in becoming a teacher or school counselor? Check out TREP - Teacher Recruitment and Education Preparation Program. This program pays for your first two years of college education while also providing support services to prepare you to be the best teacher ever! Want to learn more? [Check out the link HERE!](#)

## Sports/Clubs



CENTAURUS ATHLETICS & ACTIVITIES					
SEPTEMBER 25 - 30					
25 MONDAY	26 TUESDAY	27 WEDNESDAY	28 THURSDAY	29 FRIDAY	30 SATURDAY
4:00 PM: Softball @ Englewood	NO EVENTS SCHEDULED	4:00 PM: Softball @ Platte Canyon	4:00 PM: Softball @ Middle Park  4:30/5:30/6:30 PM: Girls Volleyball @ Greeley West	4:00 PM: Softball vs. Englewood  4:00 PM: Boys Soccer (Level C) @ Skyline  7:00 PM: Football (V) vs. Mountain View	8:00 AM: Girls Volleyball - CHS Level C Invite  9:00 AM: Football (C/JV) @ Mountain View  9:30 AM: Cross Country @ Boulder (Viele Park)

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## Advisory Update



September 28  
9-12th grades  
Homecoming Assembly

## Counseling Corner



[Check here for the latest news from the Counseling department.](#)

## Drop In Tutoring Schedule



**Free Drop In Math Tutoring Is Back!**  
Tuesdays, after school from 4 - 5 in the Library. Come and do your homework, get help, retake assessments. A CHS Math teacher will be there ready to help. If you would like to come on Tuesday morning before school (7:40 - 8:25), please scan the QR code on the poster in your math room to let us know you are coming. **BE A MATH WARRIOR!**

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## Athletics News

### Football





Football picked up their second win of the season with an impressive 42-13 in the rain over Hinkley! Shout out to our Cheer and Poms teams, along with our great students, for sticking it out for all four quarters!

## Cross Country



Congratulations to Senior Jacob Schwarting on earning Colorado MileSplit Boys Performer of the Week! Jacob has won both events we have participated in thus far this season - way to go Jacob! (Photo - B. Reyes)

<https://co.milesplit.com/articles/338906/colorado-boys-performer-of-the-week-september-13-16>

## Volleyball



Girls volleyball picked up back to back wins over Skyview and Thornton and have moved to 4-2 on the season!

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## Celebrating Centaurus Seniors



### Messages for Class of 2024

Seniors Graduation Date:  
Saturday, May 18th at 4:00pm - CU Events Center

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## Getting to know your Centaurus Team

Academic Interventionist- Heather Patik





**Hello Warriors!**

**My name is Heather Patik, and I am your Engagement Specialist at Centaurus High School! My family and I are proud to have called Lafayette home for the last 20 years and raise our three daughters, Ava (2023 Centaurus graduate), Brayde (Sophomore at Centaurus), and Beau (6th grade at Angevine) in this community. I'm always up for a challenging hike, a tough workout, a good book, a Warrior game, and a seat at any beach. My passion is to create meaning for students to become their best version of a Warrior and develop a purpose to succeed at Centaurus. You will find me working throughout the school, so please don't hesitate to stop me to say hi. I look forward to working with all students I can support and assist in providing opportunities for you to thrive as a Warrior! Go Warriors!**



## [District News](#)

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