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CENTAURUS HIGH SCHOOL
Warrior Weekly News

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Principal's Message

We had a very busy day here yesterday at Centaurus! We had an incredible visit by Author Matt de la Peña, who presented to our students who have read many of his books. We also hosted our annual transition night where we welcomed the Centaurus Class of 2028 to our building and introduced them to our school. In addition, we hosted a large group of educational leaders from across the state to meet with our Newcomer Program teachers and students. As you may know, Centaurus is one of two BVSD High Schools to host a Newcomer program, which is for students who are new to our country. We are really proud of this outstanding program and the hard work of all of our faculty and staff in making this program successful.

All three of these things reminded me of why I am so proud of our staff, students, and community at Centaurus High School. It was a great day, as always, to be a Warrior.

Daniel Ryan
Principal

Important Dates

February 7- Virtual parent teacher conferences- 4:30pm-8:00pm
February 15- Virtual parent teacher conferences- 4:30pm-8:00pm
February 19- Presidents Day- No School
February 20- District professional development day- No School

What you need to know

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Centaurus parent teacher conferences will be held virtually on Wednesday, February 7th and Thursday, February 15. Invitations were sent out on February 1st. These invites were sent to the contact email address you have listed in IC (infinite campus).

If you are satisfied with your students' progress in class, feel well informed and don't have any questions, please know that you are not required to sign up for a conference. These conferences really are for parents and teachers to discuss students who need additional support in the class, or if you have specific issues or questions that you want to address. Also, if you just have a quick question for a teacher, please feel free to send them an email directly.

Staff Appreciation Committee

Parent/Teacher Conferences
CHS families, we need your help! We would like to serve dinner to our teachers and staff for Parent/Teacher conferences on Thursday, February 15th. We are coordinating a grain bowl bar, desserts, and drinks. If you can help with food or your time, please sign up here: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080849AAA72AA46-47633297-ptconference
If you would like to donate so we can purchase your items for you, please use this link: https://bvsd.revtrak.net/high-schools/ceh/Optional-Fees-2023-2024/#/v/ceh-teacher-and-staff-appreciation-fund

Questions? Email Traci Kirk at- tracikirk1@gmail.com

We Need Volunteers
Are you looking to be involved at Centaurus but don't have much time? Consider The Staff Appreciation committee! This group has the best of both worlds with a minimal time commitment AND a very high impact! We are looking for volunteers to help with planning events that show CHS Warrior Family appreciation for our teachers and staff throughout the year, including meals during conferences and staff appreciation week in May. We're open to new ideas and new members who can commit to some virtual planning meetings and/or occasional attendance at appreciation events! Please contact Traci Kirk on the committee at tracikirk1@gmail.com if you are interested.

Author Visit

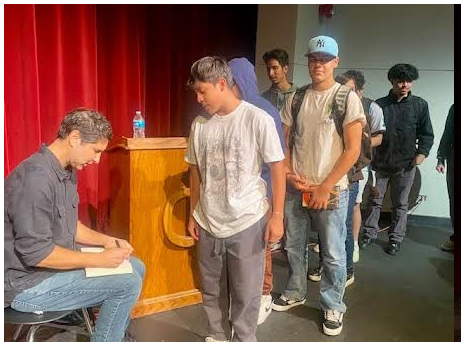
Mexican Whiteboy School-Wide Read
In-Person Author Visit

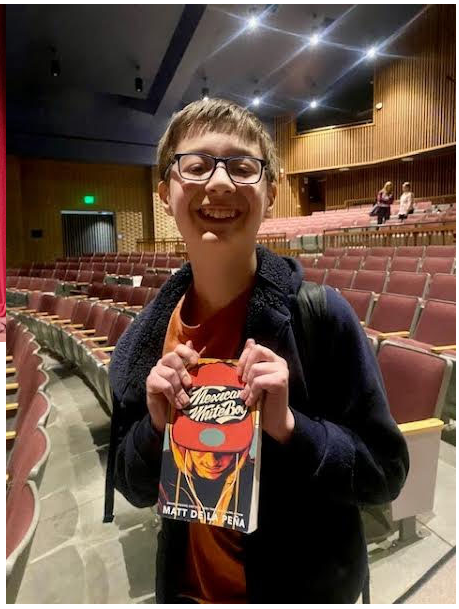
Centaurus hosted another school-wide read and author visit this past Thursday, February 2nd!

Our author this year was Matt de la Peña, an award-winning author and New York Times Best Seller. He writes for elementary, middle, and high school students. In 2015 Matt's second picture book, *Last Stop on Market Street*, was awarded the 2016 Newbery Medal. Many of his YA novels, like *Mexican Whiteboy*, are coming-of-age stories that feature young people exploring their identity and place in the world.

Students who attended the in-school event read and received their own copies of *Mexican Whiteboy*, either in English or Spanish–generously funded by both Impact on Education and the Friends of the Lafayette Public Library. The talk centered around how a reluctant reader becomes a best-selling author, how identity is multifaceted, and how goals can shift and change as we get older. Multiple students had the opportunity to talk with Mr. de la Peña, to have their picture taken, and to get their novel signed!

Thank you to all who participated. Please watch the school announcements for more CHS Library events. The more students who participate, the better!





Centaurus Orchestra

Come out to support Centaurus Orchestras!
*Concert on February 13th, 7 pm. Come join us for a night of amazing music. No tickets required, but donations accepted.
*Panda Express Fundraiser on February 15th. Anyone in the nation who orders in person (say you are supporting The Rosin Club/CHS Orchestras) or online (online code 919248) at any Panda Express will be able to support us.

The Warrior Scroll

THE WARRIOR SCROLL

The January edition of the Scroll is out on Friday, February 2nd!
Find our website at:
chswarriorscroll.com

Prom Dress Market

Broomfield Library is hosting their 2nd annual Prom Dress Market.
Skip the mall and opt for an eco-friendly way to shop for prom attire.
Bring your unwanted (and clean) formal wear or accessories to the Broomfield Library through March 8th!
For each dress, suit, pair of shoes or accessory you donate, you receive credit to trade for a new-to-you item of the same category.
Donations accepted at the 2nd Floor Reference Desk. Don't have anything to donate? That's ok!
All are welcome on shopping day. Shopping will take place between noon and 4 p.m. Saturday, March 9 in the Eisenhower Room.
Click here for all the details.

After Prom

Dine Out Fundraisers - Eat and Earn Dollars!
- THIS WEEK February 7
Chipotle 4:00pm-8:00pm
Online ordering code: D9K84LJ (last letter is a J)
548 W South Boulder Rd Unit D, Lafayette, CO 80026-8851

- February 28
Ruby Ru's all day!
Located super close to the school. Great menu options; give them a try

Volunteer Opportunities
- Thurs April 11th (late afternoon/evening) Decorate the Senior Hall of Fame Thurs April 11th (late afternoon/evening)

- Friday, April 12 - Decorate the entire YMCA space, register kids entering, deal in the casino, or serve food. Promise your kids won't notice you as the place is packed.

Donate Gift Cards
Gift cards are used for prizes in the Casino Room
Have some unused cards sitting in a drawer?
Pass them on to us! Sign up here so we know what you can get over to us.

Sports/Clubs

Registration will open on January 22nd.
The first official day of practice/tryouts for Spring Sports are as follows:
February 19 - Boys Volleyball, Girls Golf, Boys Swimming and Dive

February 26 - Baseball, Girls Tennis, Girls and Boys Lacrosse, Girls Soccer, Track and Field
A copy of a current physical is part of the registration form and needs to be uploaded into the registration system. Physicals are considered valid for 365 days.

Here is the registration link: 2024 Spring Sports Registration Link2024 Spring Sports Registration

Payment for Winter Sports is made through the RevTrak System under Team Sports Items. Spring Sports Participation Fee

Team Information By Sport; CHS Spring Sports Team Information
There are district teams for Boys Swimming and Dive, and Boys Lacrosse (hosted by Monarch). Girls Lacrosse (hosted by Fairview) Boys Volleyball (hosted by Centaurus)
Registration for these sports can be found at the host school's athletic websites.

If you have any questions, please call the Athletic Office at (720) 561-5369 or email randy.herbstreit@bvsd.org

Cheer Mini Camp
Your Centaurus High School Cheer team will be holding a Cheer Mini camp for kids ages from 5 - 13. Participants will receive a t-shirt, bow, admission to a basketball game and amazing cheer skills training by the CHS Warriors Cheer Team!

We will hold 2 clinic training days and one performance day. Clinic days will be as follows:

Monday: February 5th from 5:00 - 7:00 at CHS.
Tuesday: February 6th 5:00 - 7:00 at CHS.

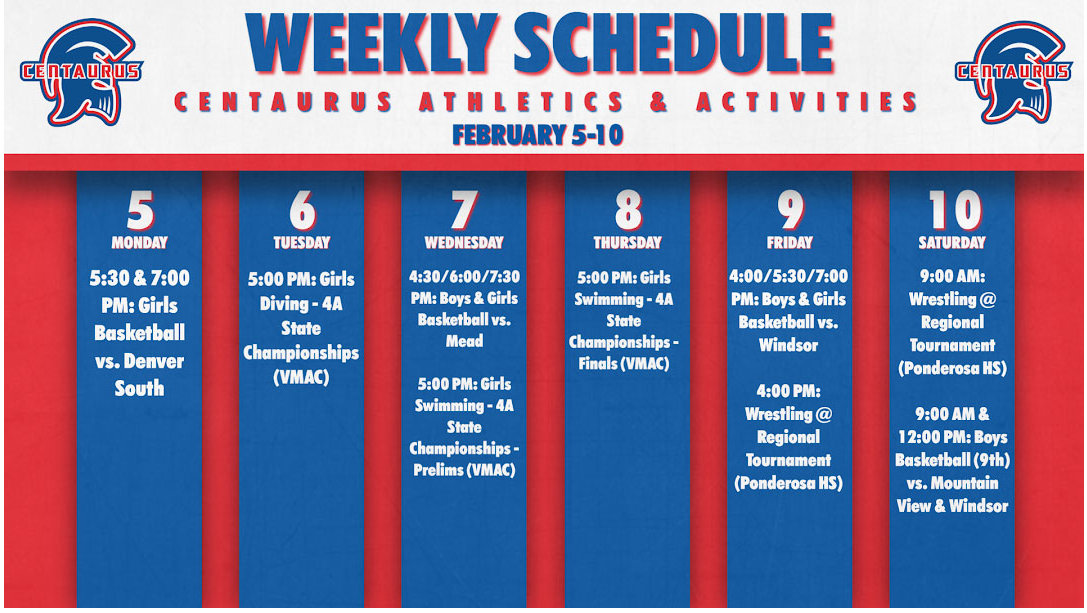
The CHS mini cheerleaders will be performing during halftime of the boys basketball game on Friday, February 9th. Performance day information will be given to parents on February 6th.

Cost:
1st Family Member: $80.00
Each Additional Family Member: $65.00
BVSD Employees: $50.00

Registration forms should be completed for each student attending. Please register by February 2nd.

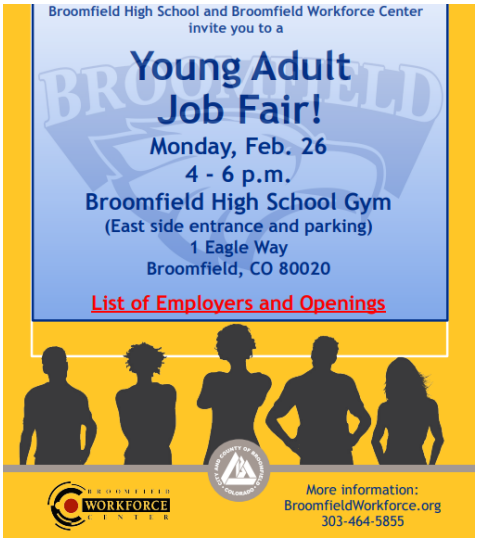
Register here

If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to Coach Thorne at sheryl.thorne@bvsd.org



Grad Plus

Hello Students!
This year's summer job fair will be held at Broomfield High School on Monday, Feb. 26, 4 - 6 p.m.
Many jobs that are available are in Boulder County. Check out the list HERE



Advisory Update

February 8, 2024
9th- Course selection presentation
10th-Job interview skills/internships
11th- Academic time
12th- Professional email etiquette

Counseling Corner

Check here for the latest news from the Counseling department.

Drop In Tutoring Schedule

Athletics News

Boys Basketball

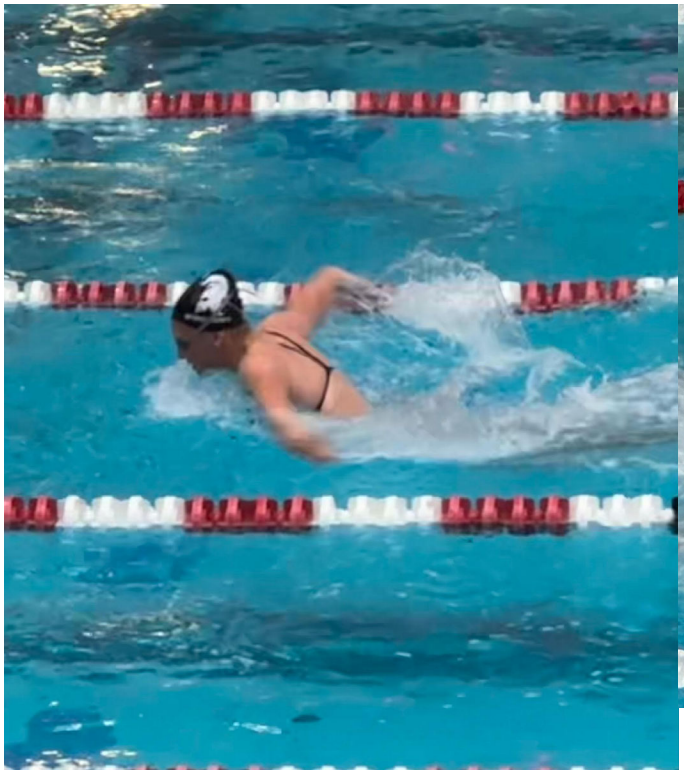
Boys basketball defeated Greeley West 61-39!

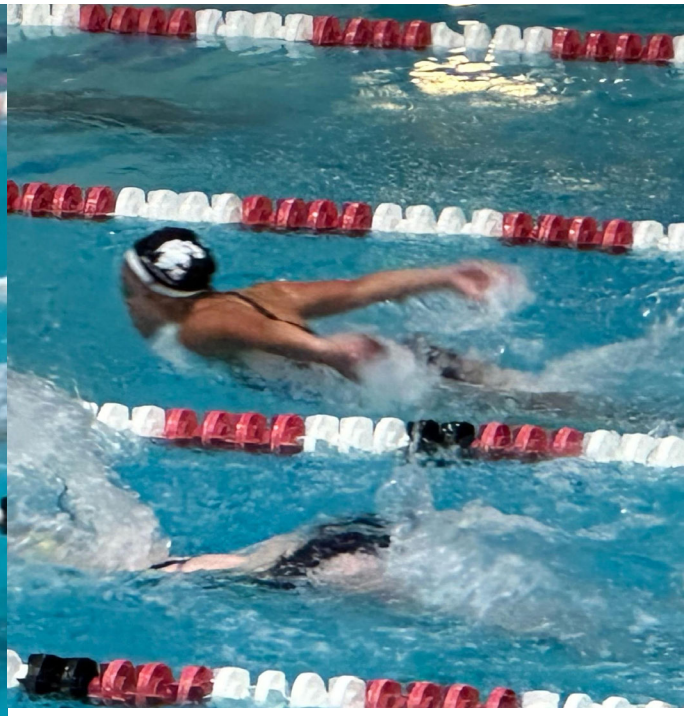
Girls Basketball

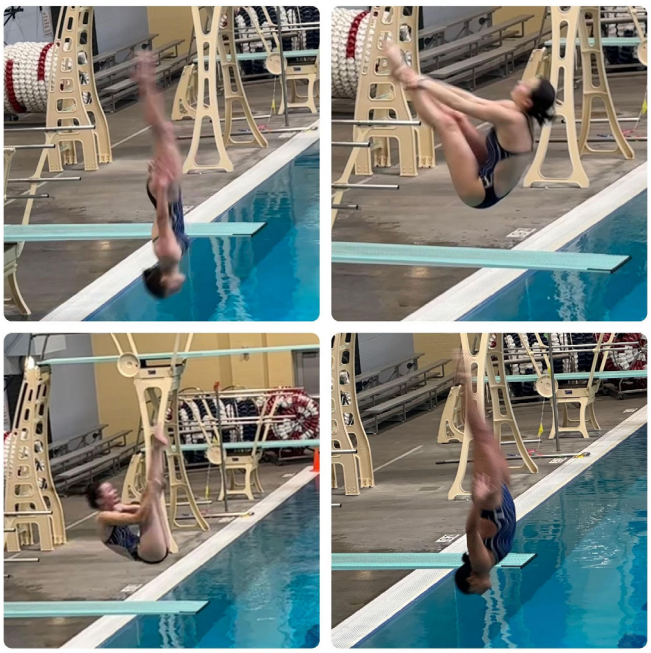
Girls basketball overcame a double-digit deficit in the final moments to defeat Greeley West 32-30!

Girls Swim and Dive

Girls Swimming & Diving put together another impressive performance, defeating Greeley West 213-151!







Celebrating Centaurus Seniors

Messages for Class of 2024

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

After Prom Hall of Fame Posters
POSTER INSTRUCTIONS
The After Prom Senior Hall of Fame poster instructions and group workshop details are now available. Don't wait until the last minute; it's intended to be fun while honoring your senior(s). After displaying at the after prom party and school, you can display the poster at your personal family celebrations.

Prom:

Getting to know your Centaurus Team

Kitchen Manager- Candy Ma

My name is Candy, your kitchen manager. Welcome to a day at my job. Everyday I start my day serving breakfast. And then I will prepare breakfast according to the menu for the next day. Monday will be busier because the fruits and vegetables for the week will arrive in the morning and need to be received, check the quantity and quality and then transfer them in the cooler. The next step is to prepare salad bar items. Usually I would prepare 12 various veggies and a pan of salad mix. In the meantime I also process cooking. On Wednesday and Thursday we serve the kids an hour in on these two days. The time on these two days is relatively tight and also busy. I usually use batch cooking methods to ensure food quality and freshness. At first lunch I would like prepare enough foods to last until the second lunch begin. Before first lunch starts, if I have a spare minute I'll get the foods for second lunch going. Sometimes I might need to cook again d epending on if the menu items are students favorite. So you probably won't see me outside of the cafeteria often, I am either serving or cooking your foods. After the students have finished eating, participate and maintain cleanliness and sanitation of kitchen are next steps. I maintain accurate inputting orders, receiving and production records of salad bar, breakfast, lunches and collecting meal count data and also responsible for recording money collection, bank deposit, closing and generating all these information on the computer at t he end of day. Last but not least, I will work on orders. You may not know that all the produces, fruits, hot foods, supplies needed for the week have to be ordered three weeks in advance. Overall these are my main focus daily. In 2024, may everyone have another great year at Centaurs. Thank you!!

District News

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