

**Warrior Weekly 3-1-24**

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**Principal's Message**

Our teachers and students have done a lot of work over the past two school years around literacy. We have been implementing cross-content literacy strategies in all of our subject areas, and I am really proud of the way our teachers have implemented this important work. I am also very proud of the growth that our students have shown over the past two years, as measured by both the PSAT/SAT and the CommonLit assessment. We saw substantial growth across the school, and also in all grade levels and specific student groups. The CommonLit assessment is being given three times during the 23-24 school year: Beginning of Year (Fall), Middle of Year (Winter), and End of Year (Spring). I highly encourage parents to view the reports for their student, and including instructions below. Please note that the most important thing that we focus on is growth, and I ask that you do the same.

Parents and students can find individual score report letters for CommonLit in the IC Parent Portal using [these parent/student directions](#).

Daniel Ryan  
Principal

## Important Dates



March 25-29- Spring Break- No School  
April 12- Prom - Lionsgate Event Center  
May 18- Graduation- CU Events Center- 4pm

## What you need to know

### Centaurus Parking Lots on Saturday March 2nd



Centaurus families, it is important that there aren't any cars left in the parking lot for the big winter percussion competition tomorrow! Please make sure that your car is not left in the parking lot overnight.

### Regional Science Fair



It was a great year for Centaurus students at the Regional Science Fair! Mr. Mattys and Mr. Cady had the pleasure of working with the 16 CHS projects (22 students) who presented their projects to the SF judges. Many awards and recognitions for this group, and 4 projects (and 1 alternate) going on to compete again in April at CSU at the Colorado Science & Engineering Fair (CSEF).

[Here is a slideshow with photos at the recognitions each group earned.](#)

### The Warrior Scroll



The February Edition of *The Warrior Scroll* will be published today, Friday the 1st of March! Go to [chswarriorscroll.com](http://chswarriorscroll.com) to read up on the presidential election, super bowl ads, and the bathrooms at CHS.



# The Warrior Scroll

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February Edition      Friday, March 1st      [chswarriorscroll.com](http://chswarriorscroll.com)

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**FEBRUARY EDITION**  
NEWS WRITTEN FOR WARRIORS—BY WARRIORS



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### TEDxCU Renaissance Advertisement



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Fundraiser for NDA nationals competition

Next week's happenings:

WEEKLY SCHEDULE						
CENTAURUS ATHLETICS & ACTIVITIES						
MARCH 4-9						
<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
7:30 PM: Poms Showcase (Main Gym)	5:30 PM: Boys Volleyball vs. Severance (V)	10:00 AM: Girls Golf @ MeadMont Scramble (Twin Peaks Golf Course)	4:30 & 6:30 PM: Girls Soccer @ Niwot (JV & V)	ALL DAY: Poms @ NDA Nationals (Orlando, Florida) 4:30/5:30/6:30 PM: Boys Volleyball @ Arvada West (C/JV/V)	ALL DAY: Poms @ NDA Nationals (Orlando, Florida) 9:00 AM: Girls Tennis - CHS Invitational	9:00 AM: Track & Field @ Monarch Invitational

Grad Plus



Students are in the midst of enrolling for courses including Grad Plus Opportunities: Grad Plus offerings include college credit courses, industry certifications, internship and apprenticeship opportunities, and more.

Encourage your high school student to reach out to their school counselor about available opportunities and pathways. Click [HERE](#) to find out more.

Is your student looking to take Advanced Placement/IB/Concurrent Enrollment College Classes next year? Check out our wide variety of offerings at Centaurus High School [HERE](#).

If you have any questions, please email your Grad Plus Site Lead, Wendy Pearson, on [wendy.pearson@bvsd.org](mailto:wendy.pearson@bvsd.org)

### ASCENT Eligibility Celebration

We are excited to announce we have a new ASCENT partner, University of Northern Colorado! The Accelerating Students through Concurrent Enrollment (ASCENT) program provides one free year of college tuition at Front Range Community College, Metro State University, or University of Northern Colorado. A year of tuition at Front Range Community College is about \$3,700, Metro State is about \$6,700 and University of Northern Colorado is \$11,300!

Invitations to eligible seniors and their families have been sent out to join our ASCENT celebration on March 14th from 5:30-6:30pm at the Ed Center

For more information on our ASCENT program, and to see how your student could become eligible for a year of FREE COLLEGE TUITION, please email your Grad Plus Site Lead, Wendy Pearson, on [wendy.pearson@bvsd.org](mailto:wendy.pearson@bvsd.org).

or ATTEND OUR LIVE ONLINE ASCENT INFORMATION PRESENTATION on MONDAY MARCH 4, at 6.30pm.

[Join with Google Meet](#)  
[meet.google.com/rcb-kmqg-igw](https://meet.google.com/rcb-kmqg-igw)

### Boulder TEC

Don't forget, you can join the brand NEW Natural Resources program at Boulder TEC in the 2024-2025 school year. This program is available to both juniors and seniors, and is perfect for anyone who is interested in pursuing a career in natural resources like water and solar as well as other environmental fields like land management and wildlife. [Instagram video](#)

Whether you want to learn more about conservation, geographic information systems, or you just want to learn outdoors- this program is for you! To learn more about this program, check out our [program website](#). Both college credit and industry certifications are available.

[Apply for your spot in Natural Resources](#), or any other of our 16 programs today.

Questions? Please reach out to [bouldertec@bvsd.org](mailto:bouldertec@bvsd.org) or your high school counselor for more information.

## After Prom



### Financial Support and Donating Gift Cards

[Donate directly to the After Prom](#), and we'll maximize your contribution for prizes and entertainment. Between cash and prizes alone we give away \$10,000!

### Cold Hard Cash

Pay with a [Credit Card](#) or [PayPal](#) or donate money via check. Please make checks payable to CSNAP and mail your donation to CSNAP, PO Box 452, Lafayette, CO 80026. We welcome your Employer's Donation Match; submit our Centaurus Safe Night After Prom name non-profit Federal Tax ID # 47-1287165.

### Buy or Re-Gift Restaurant and Entertainment Gift Cards

Have some unused gift cards sitting in a drawer? Or, do you want to buy a specific gift card? [Sign up here](#) so we know what you can get over to us. Then, at your convenience, drop them off at the CHS front desk.

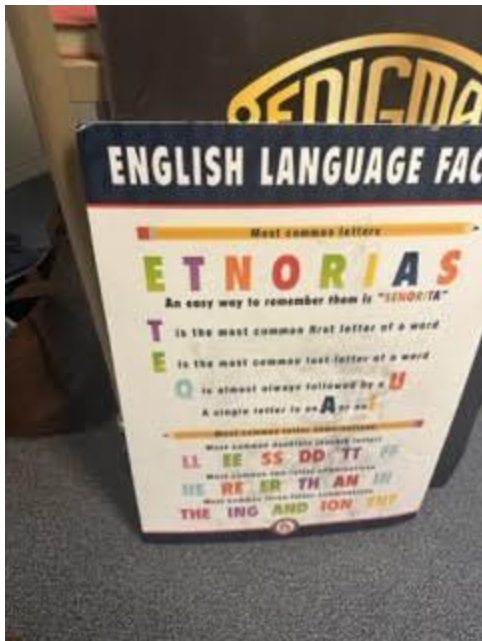
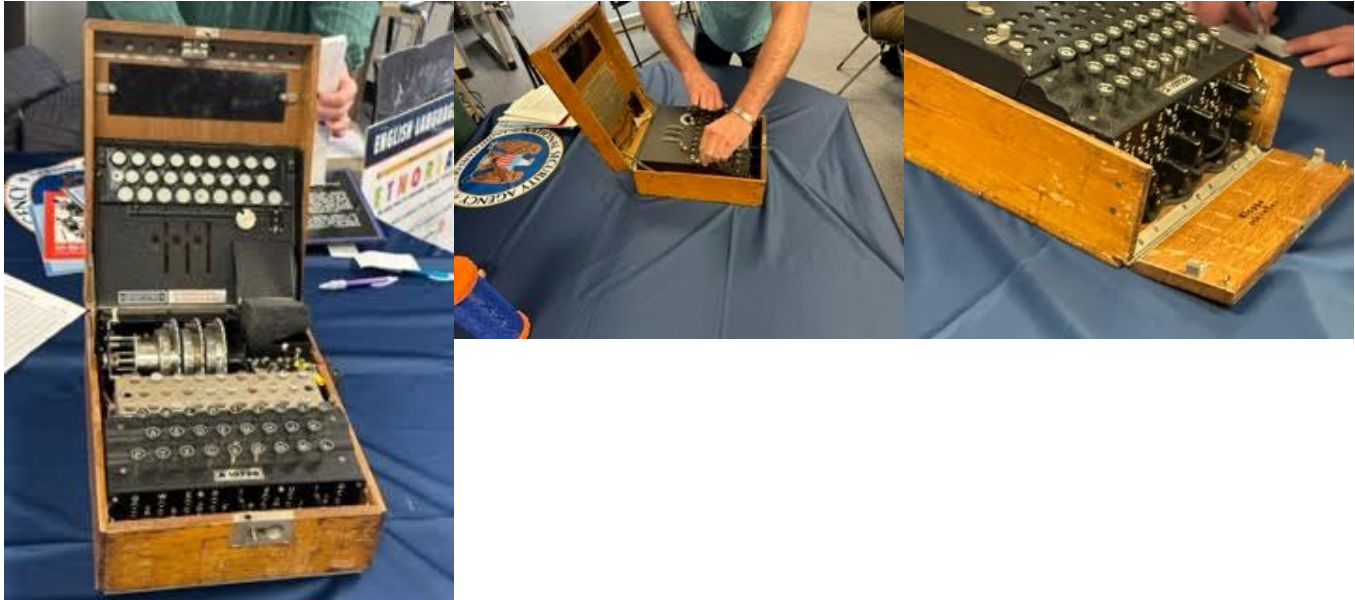
Sign-Up Now for Volunteer Opportunities

- Thurs April 11 (late afternoon/evening) [Decorate](#) the Senior Hall of Fame Thurs April 11 (late afternoon/evening)
- Friday, April 12 - Decorate the entire [YMCA](#) space, register kids entering, deal in the casino, or serve food.

Fun stuff going on in the Engineering wing!



Carrie Black and Darren Greer from the NSA were here Wednesday to present to Ms. Root's Cybersecurity class. They brought an original Enigma machine that was used to encode Nazi communications during WWII. As part of the cryptography unit, the class watched the Imitation Game. The students have been exploring ciphers in class to see how to keep data safe on the internet with RSA encryption.



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Advisory Update



March 7th

9th- Strengths explorer assessment

10th- Mental health check in

11th- College presentation

12th- Job application and Linked-In

## Counseling Corner



[Counseling department website](#)

## Drop In Tutoring Schedule



The English Dept offers after-school tutoring in the library on Wednesdays from 4-5pm

Art club tutor time Tuesdays after school from 4-5pm in the Pottery room

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## AVID Field Trip



Thursday, February 22nd

Centaurus AVID classes at the Denver Nuggets college fair at Ball Arena! Thank you to the Denver Nuggets for hosting this wonderful event.

## National Honor Society



Friday, February 23rd

Shout-out to our amazing National Honor Society for helping with trash pickup this morning! A great deed to start a great Friday!

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## 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 2024:

4-12-24

Save the Date

Junior-Senior Prom

LIONSGATE EVENT CENTER IN LAFAYETTE  
8 PM - 11 PM



## District News

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10300 South Boulder Road, Lafayette, CO 80026  
Main Office: 720-561-7500 / Attendance Line: 720-561-5358

*Icons used found at flaticon.com*

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