

Warrior Weekly 3-8-24

Cathy Kakavas <cathy.kakavas@bvsd.org>
Draft To: Cathy Kakavas <cathy.kakavas@bvsd.org>

Fri, Mar 8, 2024 at 3:10 PM



CENTAURUS HIGH SCHOOL

Warrior Weekly News

03/08/2024

Quicklinks

- [CHS Website](#)
- [School Calendar](#)
- [BVSD Calendar](#)
- [Lunch Menu](#)
- [Student Council](#)
- [Warriors Booster Club](#)
- [Band Boosters](#)

Principal's Message

As you may know, Centaurus is going to have some incredible improvements done to our building as a result of the bond that BVSD voters passed last year. Some of the more significant work will include:

An addition to our Engineering wing, including new lab and classroom improvements

A remodel of the Special Education Intensive Learning Centers

Additional single stall bathrooms

Auditorium improvements

Outdoor athletics field and facility improvements including a new Press Box, as well as auxiliary gym improvements, Building system updates and interior updates (HVAC, Lighting, flooring, etc)

Starting next week, you will begin to see the initial work commence, as we will begin to have materials and equipment delivered and we will have the site of the future Engineering addition fenced off for safety. Please know that this construction will not be nearly as disruptive as our last bond project, and the construction should not interfere much with our school day. I will keep you updated as the project

progresses, especially if there is something that could cause a disruption. I am really looking forward to these improvements, and I think that they are going to make our great school even better.

Daniel Ryan
Principal

Important Dates



March 21- Coffee with the Principal- 9am @ Centaurus
March 25-29- Spring Break- No School
April 12- Prom
May 18- Graduation- CU Events Center- 4pm

What you need to know

Engineering Newsletter



[LINK to latest engineering news](#)

Centaurus Orchestra



An inspiring performance by our amazing Orchestra at Regionals on Wednesday morning! Kudos to Ms. Murphy and our wonderful students on a captivating effort!



Updated COVID-19 Guidance



In alignment with the March 2024 updates from the CDC and the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE), we have updated our guidance for students and staff who test positive for COVID-19. The updated guidance aligns recommendations for a range of viral respiratory illnesses such as Flu and RSV.

If someone tests positive for COVID, Flu, RSV, or is experiencing any respiratory illness
They should stay home until symptoms are improving and for at least 24 hours after fever has resolved without the use of fever-reducing medications
When going back to normal activities, [take added precautions](#) over the next five days, such as hand and respiratory hygiene, masks, physical distancing, and/or testing when you will be around other people indoors.
Please remember, regardless of COVID status - stay home when sick
You can find more information on COVID-related illness and other common illnesses and guidelines for school attendance in CDPHE's [How Sick is Too Sick and through your school's health team.](#)

Safe gun storage saves lives



As you may have heard, U.S. Department of Education Secretary Miguel Cardona and the White House have joined the effort to promote the safe storage of firearms through public appearances and the new safestoragesaveslives.com website.

Understanding that firearms are now the leading cause of death among children in the United States and that secure firearm storage is an important part of keeping families safe, the Boulder Valley School District, in collaboration with parents in our community, took action. Three years ago our Board of Education passed [Resolution 21-12 in Support of Secure Storage](#) and the district has been regularly communicating the [Be SMART message](#)

Secure all guns in your homes and vehicles
Model responsible behavior around guns
Ask about unsecured guns in other homes
Recognize the role of guns in suicide
Tell your peers to Be SMART

Together we can keep our children safer. We fully support the efforts by Secretary Cardona and Everytown for Gun Safety and encourage everyone to learn more at [BeSMART](#) and [Safe Storage Saves Lives](#) and take action to save lives.

Sports/Clubs





WEEKLY SCHEDULE

CENTAURUS ATHLETICS & ACTIVITIES

MARCH 11-16



11 MONDAY	12 TUESDAY	13 WEDNESDAY	14 THURSDAY	15 FRIDAY	16 SATURDAY
NO EVENTS SCHEDULED	4:00 PM: Baseball vs. Pomona (JV) 4:00 PM: Baseball @ Pomona (V) 4:30/5:30/6:30 PM: Boys Volleyball vs. Boulder 4:00 & 6:00 PM: Girls Soccer @ Denver North	6:00 PM: Football Meeting with Coach Carlson (Fish Bowl) 7:00 PM : Spring Musical (Auditorium)	3:00 PM: Track & Field @ CHS (JV) 4:00 PM: Baseball vs. Longmont (JV) 4:00 PM: Baseball vs. Thornton (V) 4:00 PM: Girls Soccer @ Monarch (JV) 4:00 PM: Girls Soccer @ Peak to Peak (V) 5:00 PM: Boys Volleyball @ Mountain View (V) 7:00 PM: Spring Musical (Auditorium)	3:30 PM: Girls Tennis @ Steamboat Springs Invite 7:00 PM: Spring Musical (Auditorium)	8:30 AM: Track & Field @ Douglas County Invite (Echo Park) 9:00 AM: Girls Tennis @ Steamboat Springs Invite 9:00 & 10:30 AM: Boys Volleyball @ Boulder (JV & V) 2:00 PM: Spring Musical (Auditorium) 4:00 PM: Baseball vs. Fairview

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

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 or your high school counselor for more information.

AFTER Prom



150 Volunteers Required - After Prom takes a Village

Parents of 9-12 graders please commit a few hours and invite your extended family and close family friends to help! You don't get this type of opportunity often, so live it up and commit now.

The three opportunities are:

Thurs., April 11th, 5-9 pm, [hang senior posters](#) at the Lafayette YMCA.

Fri., April 12th, 8:30-4:30, [pick a shift to decorate](#) at the YMCA. We have amazing custom decorations to be hung, taking students around the world!

[Night of event](#), starting at 10:15 pm Fri. 4/12 check students into the event, run a casino table (training provided), host the karaoke or movie room, help give out \$10K in prizes, serve food to hungry kids, or oversee the inflatable, ice rink, or swimming pool.

We've raised \$14,000 of our \$18,000 goal. Click [here](#) to give. Thanks to parents and community members for your financial and in-kind donations! Discover the amazing After Prom sponsors [by following us](#) on Facebook.

Students can find all important Around the World Safe Night After Prom details (when, where, ticket sales, waiver) [here](#).

Advisory Update



March 14th

9th- Tutor Time/MYAP

10th-Tutor Time/MYAP

11th- Tutor Time/MYAP

12th- Senior Class Photo-Tutor Time/MYAP

Counseling Corner



[Counseling department link](#)

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

US History and World History Sessions are every Tuesday, from 7:30-8:30 AM in Mr. Donnelly's Room (Room 130)

AP U.S. History help / review sessions will run every Wednesday, from 7:30-8:30 AM in Mr. Ramsey's Room (Room 130)

Athletics News

Boys Volleyball



Our boys volleyball team held their **FIRST EVER** match on Tuesday vs. Severance. Shout-out to Coach Edbrooke and our student-athletes on a terrific effort - the future is bright with this program!

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:

4-12-24

Save the Date

Junior-Senior Prom

LIONSGATE EVENT CENTER IN LAFAYETTE
8 PM - 11 PM

Getting to know your Centaurus Team

Aida Hubbard- IB Teacher- French- Maestra de francés



Bonjour tout le monde!

I am a Romanian native from Transylvania. I did my undergraduate studies in Romania (majoring in French) and took my MA in French Literature from CU Boulder in 2003. I have more than 20 years of teaching experience between Romania and the USA. I am an eternal student. I enjoy learning, especially languages (I already speak 5 languages and am currently learning turkish). I love spending time with my family (my husband Ron and my boys Marc and Greg), reading, hiking, traveling and learning about history and cooking, I love teaching and I think I am fortunate to be part of the Centaurus community. Merci!



District News

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

Icons used found at flaticon.com

Boulder Valley School District (BVSD) would like to continue connecting with you via email. To set preferences for which types of messages are sent to your email address, activate your free [InfoCenter](#) account. If you prefer to stop receiving emails from BVSD, follow this link and confirm: [Unsubscribe](#). Please note that if you unsubscribe, your email address will be placed on the "blocked list" for the remainder of the current school year and will no longer receive BVSD school or district emails that are distributed through our SchoolMessenger service.

SchoolMessenger is a notification service used by the nation's leading school systems to connect with parents, students and staff through voice, SMS text, email, and social media.

--
Cathy Kakavas