### Monday, October 30th:

Boys' Basketball @ Read Mountain Middle School - 5:00 PM Girls' Basketball vs. Read Mountain Middle School - Home - 5:30 PM

#### Wednesday, November 1st:

\*Schools Closed - Parent/Teacher Conference Day

#### Thursday, November 2nd:

Boys' Basketball vs. William Byrd Middle School - Home - 5:00 PM Girls' Basketball @ William Byrd Middle School - 5:00 PM

# School News:

#### \*\*\*CSMS PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCE DAY - NOVEMBER 1, 2023\*\*\*

CSMS Parent/Teacher Conference Day is scheduled to take place on Wednesday, November 1, 2023, from 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM.

Please access the following link to schedule a meeting or a phone conference with your child's teachers:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040F4AADAD29A7FC1-45090414-parentteacher

The conference sign-up link may be accessed until October 29th at 5:00 PM. Conferences will be scheduled in 15-minute increments.

If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Truskey in the CSMS Counseling Office @ (540) 562-3900 Ext. 30010 or mtruskey@rcps.us

Thank you!

#### \*\*\*YEARBOOKS\*\*\*

CSMS Yearbooks are officially on sale for only \$35.00 until Monday, October 30th! On Monday, the price of a yearbook will increase to \$40.00. Reserve your copy today by placing your order online at www.yearbookforever.com We have sold out of CSMS Yearbooks for the past two years, so guarantee your copy by ordering today.

Thank you!

#### \*\*\*CSMS SCHOOL COUNSELING DEPARTMENT\*\*\*

#### \*Eighth Grade Parents - Student Academic & Career Plans\*

Eighth grade students recently met with school counselors to develop their Academic and Career Plans, (ACP). The ACP is a tentative plan for high school courses, developed by each student based upon graduation requirements, individual student interests and academic progress. The ACP is not students' registration for high school classes; the ACP is a planning document.

Each parent/guardian will receive an email from *Major Clarity*, which will provide access to their student's ACP. The subject of the email from *Major Clarity* will be: *Your Student's Academic Report*. There will be a link in the email that will provide access to your student's Academic and Career Plan (ACP). After reviewing your child's ACP, please take a moment to acknowledge receipt of the guiding document (electronic signature).

Please be aware that the ACP is a planning document, and it will likely change as your student progresses through high school.

Each student may access their Major Clarity account through ClassLink.

## \*Eighth Grade Parents – Roanoke Valley Governor's School\*

Governor's School Application Meeting Schedule for 2024-2025 Admissions:

**Tuesday, January 9th: 6:30 PM - Governor's School** 

Thursday, January 11th: 6:30 PM - Franklin County High School

Tuesday, January 16th: 6:30 PM - Governor's School

Thursday, January 18th: 6:30 PM - Staunton River High School

Tuesday, January 23rd: 6:30 PM - Governor's School

If you have any questions about ACPs or the RVGS application process, please contact your child's counselor:

Joan Farley (Last Names A-K) <u>ifarley@rcps.us</u> 540.562.3900 Ext. 30011 Erica Schurdell (Last Names L-Z) <u>eschurdell@rcps.us</u> 540.562.3900 Ext. 30012

Thank you!



School News:

\*\*\*PTO NEWS\*\*\*

#### \*\*\*SAVE THE DATE\*\*\*



- ▶ Saturday, November 18th from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM in the CSMS Gym
- ▶ Open to 7th & 8th Grade CSMS Students
- ▶ Tickets (\$5.00) will be sold during 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade lunches, during the week of the dance.
- **▶** Dress: Dressy Casual (RCPS Dress Code Applies)
- ▶ Please click on the following link: <u>FALL DANCE</u> to donate refreshments, help decorate the gym, and/or volunteer your time on the evening of November 18th. Thank you!

#### \*\*\*PTO NEWS\*\*\*

The Squire's Closet is now accepting donations!

The PTO is once again sponsoring the *Squires' Closet*; we are currently seeking donations including dresses, shoes, costume jewelry, dress pants, dress shirts, belts, ties, and blazers in preparation for the upcoming Fall Dance! All donations should be clean and in good condition.

Please contact our PTO President, Shelley Clemons, with any questions

@ Shelley.clemons@yahoo.com

Thank you for your support!

#### \*\*\*COMMUNITY CONVERSATIONS\*\*\*



#### Silence serves stigma - let's speak up!

Join the conversation as we get the facts about current substance trends and laws in our area. Hear from those with lived experience and learn how we can lead our kids with knowledge.

# Free event. Everyone is welcome.

Brought to you by Partnership for Community Wellness, Roanoke County Public Schools and the Roanoke Valley Collective Response Peer Recovery Network.

Scan the QR code to register & get notifications for upcoming dates & locations. bit.ly/form-get-the-facts.



