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[CHS Staff] Fwd: Warrior Weekly 08-16-24

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Principal's Message

Welcome back Warriors! How exciting it was to watch another year begin as the new principal! We had a wonderful week, welcoming our newest Warriors and our returning Warriors! Our C-Squad leaders did an exceptional job welcoming the class 2028 and it is always so cool to see our 9th grade walk through the Welcome Tunnel as a start to their journey in high school. I got to lead the group and it was amazing.

The energy flowed even stronger with the return of our 10-12 grade on Thursday. It is surprising how a summer can fly by and now, our returning Warriors continue one more year on their pathway to graduation. It is going to be an amazing year! We want to make sure our partnership with parents starts out strong and supportive this year. As such, students should come home with information about classes, and we ask that you please check in with them and go over any class expectations/syllabi that they receive. If they seem confused, please have them reach out to teachers with any questions as

the teachers can clarify for them directly. It is super important that they understand the expectations of their classes, the online class platforms, and the way to get help--should they need it--from teachers during Academic Time or scheduled office hours. Early advocacy is key for success!

The first few weeks are crucial for setting the habits for a successful semester. Remember too, on an open campus, attendance is key for success. Students who keep a 95% or greater attendance remain on track to graduate and are building the stamina and skills to get to and through college. Great attendance also ensures that our students are getting access to the teacher and the content they need to be successful. Setting healthy time management and advocacy skills are keys to achievement.

As the new principal, I look forward to seeing you at our events this year! I believe it is going to be a great year!

Your voice is important to me. If you haven't had a chance to fill out the parent survey, I would still love to hear from you!

[Please hit this link an fill out the quick google form.](#)

Thank you so much!
Carlyn Carroll
Principal

Important Dates



August 26- Back to school night
August 16 - Picture day 10-12 grades/new ID's
September 12- FET meeting- 5:30pm-7:00pm
September 19- Coffee with the Principal @ Centaurus High School- 9am
October 5- Homecoming Dance

What you need to know

Crayons to Calculators



If you need assistance with school supplies please reach out to Carmen Faucette, Community Liaison, at Centaurus High School.

carmen.faucette@bvsd.org

720-561-7551

From the Health Room



Welcome Warriors to the new school year at Centaurus High School. This is a reminder that if your student has any medical needs that require medications at school, we will need a Medication Authorization form signed by your provider. This includes any over the counter medications such as tylenol, benadryl, or supplements such as vitamins. Students with epipens or inhalers will also need a Colorado Standard Care Plan filled out. This link will give you more information on medications at school. <https://www.bvsd.org/departments/post-detail-page/~board/health-services/post/medications-in-school>. Please feel free to call or email if you have any further questions. Have a great year!

Wellness Center



Students at Centaurus High School now have access to a Wellness Center – a caring and supportive space dedicated to promoting your child’s mental well-being. The Wellness Center is staffed by a full-time Mental Health Advocate and has the support of counseling team and administration. We encourage you to visit the Wellness Center during back-to-school night and encourage your child(ren) to visit. Thank you to the BVSD foundation, Impact on Education, for providing the funding to open our Wellness Center!

A message from the yearbook staff



The yearbook staff hopes this message finds you well and that your student is having a fantastic start to the school year! We have a couple of important updates to share regarding yearbooks and senior portraits. Yearbooks Are Now on Sale!

We are excited to announce that yearbooks for this academic year are now available for purchase. Capture the memories and milestones of this school year by ordering your copy today for just \$70. To place your order, visit yearbookforever.com and follow the easy steps to secure your student's yearbook.

Senior Portraits Deadline

A friendly reminder that senior portraits are due by October 31st. These portraits are a significant part of our yearbook, and it's crucial that they are submitted on time to ensure they are approved and included. Please visit our [yearbook website](#) for more information on requirements and submission instructions.

We're looking forward to celebrating another fantastic year with our students and appreciate your support in making this a memorable one. If you have any questions or need further assistance, don't hesitate to reach out to the yearbook advisor at brenna.johns@bvsd.org.

Thank you for your attention to these important details!

Student Parking Passes



We are sold out of student parking passes. We are unsure if new spots will become available in the wake of construction, but if they do, I will let you know. I encourage students and families to carpool if possible. In addition, we have limited Visitor parking for parents and community members out front, and would like for those spots to remain open for meetings and visits. Thank you.

2024/2025 Free breakfast and lunch - reduced fees



Free & Reduced Price Program Applications

Although school meals are free, we strongly encourage eligible families to fill out the [Free and Reduced Price School Meal application](#); doing so might qualify your family for reduced fees and impact funding for your school. If your family received an email with a F&R notification letter for the 2024-25 school year through DirectCert, you must fill out the sharing form linked within the letter to share your status with your school to receive benefits.

If you have not received a notification letter and your household income is within the guidelines to qualify ([found on right side of FRL webpage](#)), fill out the Free & Reduced Price School Meal application found in your Infinite Campus Parent Portal of Infinite Campus under More > Meal Benefits. More program info can be found on our site. If you have questions, please contact Lola Campos-Herzfeld at dolores.campos-herzf@bvsd.org.

Grad Plus



[CHS Grad Plus Site Lead Wendy Pearson](#)

Sports/Clubs



Football

The annual Centaurus Warriors Football BBQ will take place on Friday, August 30th starting at 5:00 pm, prior to the varsity home opener against Boulder High School, on the grass area just west of Spangenberg stadium's main entrance. This event is a fundraiser for the Centaurus HS Football program. The BBQ will end at 6:15 pm prior to the 7:00 pm kickoff.

All food and drinks provided at the BBQ will be pre-ordered and pre-paid directly through RevTrak. You can pre-order and pay now at this [RevTrak Warriors BBQ link](#) or by scanning the QR code below which automatically takes you to the online pre-order and payment: SHOW proof of purchase receipt at the BBQ to enjoy your pre-game meal.

Boys Golf

Shout-out to our boys golf team for competing in the first league event of the year at Eagle Trace Golf course on Wednesday. The team is young (we graduated our entire varsity team from last year) and hungry to get better under the tutelage of our new head coach, Bill Kipp.



WEEKLY SCHEDULE

CENTAURUS ATHLETICS & ACTIVITIES

AUGUST 19-24



19 MONDAY	20 TUESDAY	21 WEDNESDAY	22 THURSDAY	23 FRIDAY	24 SATURDAY
NO EVENTS SCHEDULED	8:30 AM: Boys Golf - Granite Peaks League Meet #2 (Indian Peaks GC)	NO EVENTS SCHEDULED	4:00 PM: Softball @ Alameda 4:00 PM: Boys Tennis @ Riverdale Ridge 4:30 & 6:30 PM: Boys Soccer vs. Cheyenne Mountain (all levels) 4:30/5:30/6:30 PM: Girls Volleyball vs. Peak to Peak (Red/C/JV/Varsity)	8:00 AM: Boys Golf - Granite Peaks League Meet #3 (Flatirons GC) 7:00 PM: Football (V) @ Denver North (All City Stadium)	8:00 AM: Boys Tennis (V) - Centaurus Invitational 9:00 AM: Football (C/JV) vs. Denver North 9:00 AM: Boys Tennis (JV) @ ThunderRidge Invitational 10:00 AM: Softball @ Timnath

Advisory Update



August 22, 2024
Grades 9-12- Welcome to advisory/nuts and bolts



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