

# CHALLENGE SCHOOL



This Week's News

November 1, 2019

## Veterans Day Breakfast



**Monday, November 11, 2019 8:20-9:20 a.m.**

Please click [here](#) for information regarding our Veterans Day breakfast. Please RSVP to Mrs. Beattie ([cbeattie2@cherrycreekschools.org](mailto:cbeattie2@cherrycreekschools.org)) if you are interested in attending. Veterans or Active Military who would be interested in speaking at the event, please contact Mrs. Beattie.

## 2020-2021 Challenge School Application



The information for the 2020-2021 School Year Application is now on the Challenge School Website and the CCSD Gifted and Talented Office Website. If you are interested in applying for the 2020-2021 School Year for a sibling, please do not delay. **CURRENT STUDENTS DO NOT NEED TO REAPPLY.** Applications will be due in the CCSD Gifted and Talented Office by noon on **Friday, December 20, 2019**. The process has changed - be sure you read all the details on the [Challenge website](#).

## Spelling Bee



It's Spelling Bee Time! Please click [here](#) for information.

## CTE Nights



There are upcoming information sessions available for our 8th-grade students and their families regarding Career and Technical Education. These events are a great opportunity to learn about the programs available when they enter high school. Students can attend any of the

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## Upcoming School Events

### November 4

**TSA Meeting**

3:00-4:30

**Math Club**

3:00-4:00

**K-1st Computer Club**

3:00-4:00

### November 5

**Lego Robotics**

3:00-5:30

**Speech & Debate**

3:00-4:30

**Beattie Homework Help**






3:00-4:00

**Student Senate**

3:00-4:00

**K-1st Reading Club**

3:00-4:00

	<p>nights. Please see this <a href="#">&lt;flier&gt;</a> for more information.</p>	<p><b>November 6</b>  <b>Chess Club</b>  3:00-4:00</p>
<p><b>Chess Club</b></p> 	<p>Ready for the next round of Chess? Registration is now open for the November 6th-January 15th session. Visit <a href="http://www.summitschoolofchess.com">www.summitschoolofchess.com</a> to register. Questions? Call Jesse Cohen at 720-243-1450.</p>	<p><b>November 8</b>  <b>NO SCHOOL -</b>  <b>Non-Contact Day</b></p>
<p><b>Winter Driving</b></p> 	<p>With winter weather upon us, please be mindful of our school start time. Classes begin promptly at 8:00 a.m. each day for all grades K-8th. If the weather is expected to be inclement, please plan extra drive time. News sources will encourage you to double your drive time - if it normally takes 30 minutes, plan on 60 minutes. Please help our students and teachers get started on time.</p>	<p><b>December 3</b></p> <p><b>AAC Meeting</b>  5:30pm  <b>PASS Meeting</b>  7:00pm</p>
<p><b>High School Information for current 8th Graders</b></p> 	<p>Our new School Counselor, Ms. Emily Thomas, has put together a wonderful document full of information regarding upcoming CCSD High School Welcome Nights. See all the details <a href="#">&lt;here&gt;</a>.</p>	<p><b>District News</b></p> <p><b>Parents Information Network</b></p> <p><b>November 5</b>  9:15-11:15</p> <p><b>November 12</b>  6:30-8:30</p>
<p><b>PTCO Meeting</b></p> 	<p>You are invited to the PTCO meeting on Tuesday, November 12th at 6:30pm at Challenge School. Dr Hartley will be talking about the districts weekly mental health initiative. Ali Anderson and Lesley Murphy have been nominated to fill the position of Secretary for the PTCO Board; they will be voted in at this meeting as well. <a href="#">Click here for the full meeting agenda.</a></p>	<p>For information on November's meeting, please click <a href="#">&lt;here&gt;</a>  Please click <a href="#">&lt;here&gt;</a> for the calendar</p> <p><b>November 9</b></p> <p><b>Steam-a-palooza</b>  10:00-3:00  Please click <a href="#">&lt;here&gt;</a> for more information</p>
<p><b>Special Olympics Basketball Clinic</b></p> 	<p>Cherry Creek Special Olympics will now be offering an Athletic Basketball Clinic (ABC) program that will be available to all CCSD students in January! Please see the attached <a href="#">&lt;flier&gt;</a> for details and how to sign-up. See you on the court!</p>	

## Leaders of the PACK



Week of October 25

Ayaansh Aggrawal	Hannah Davis	Cyrus Ruterbories
James Boberschmidt	Radia Chowdhury	Boris Peretsky
Jason Siafa	Atlas Austin	Billen Ayele
Yvie Dykes	Sammy Gab-Ojukwu	Yahya Hussein
Ansley Martin	Raphael Melak	Kiara Rodriguez
Salma Sibriye	Odelia Song	Kaden Bustamante
Ben Cockayne	Jacob Courtney	Seamus Clark
Whitney Fosu	Caden Hain	Collin Hartman
Heidi Luna Valadez	Nathan Yang	

## PTCO Corner

### November 12

PTCO Meeting with Dr. Hartley  
as guest speaker  
6:30

### December 4

Spirit Night at Chick-Fil-A  
and Skate City  
5:00-8:00

See all of What's Happening  
<[here](#)> and check the  
[Facebook Page](#) for updates

PTCO needs help filling  
volunteer spots. Click  
<[here](#)> for details

## Feedback

We hope that you are getting all of the information that you need from this update. If you have ideas on how we could better keep you informed, please email [dbustamante@cherrycreekschools.org](mailto:dbustamante@cherrycreekschools.org).