

# CHALLENGE SCHOOL



This Week's News

May 17, 2019

## End of Year Schedule



Please see the End of Year Schedule [here](#). There is A LOT going on and you don't want to miss a beat!

## Field Day



Calling all Parents and Grandparents and VOLUNTEERS! We are gearing up for Field Day. We need volunteers for this to happen. If you haven't completed your 25 volunteer hours, then this is a great way to complete them and have fun.

Thursday, May 23rd, 2019  
Middle School Field Day @ 8:00a-11a  
Elementary Field Day @ 12:30p-2:30p

To Volunteer for Elementary Field Day, click [here](#). To Volunteer for Middle School Field Day, click [here](#). For MIDDLE SCHOOL field day, we are accepting prepackaged snacks (granola bars, popcorn, chips, etc) and small bottles of water, capri suns or gatorade. Please drop off at the front office and label MS FIELD DAY. We will see you out on the field. Thank you!

## School Supplies 2019 - 20

The school supply list for the 2019-20 is available. Please view the school supply list [here](#). If you would like to order your school

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## Upcoming Events

**May 20**

PACK Pride Awards Assembly  
2:25PM

**May 22**

- Team C Field Trip - Utah Pool
- 8th Grade Continuation - 4PM



## 2019/2020 School Year Important Dates

supplies and have them delivered directly to the school through Edukit, please click [here](#).

As we close out the 2018/2019 School Year, we are preparing for the 2019/2020 School Year. Please mark your calendar with these important dates for the beginning of the year:

**Check-In Day:** Thursday, August 1, 2019

**Incoming 5th Grade/New to Challenge Middle School Student Orientation:** Friday, August 9, 2019 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

**Middle School (Grades 5-8) First Day of School:** Monday, August 12, 2019

**Elementary School (Grades 1-4) First Day of School:** Wednesday, August 14, 2019

**Kindergarten First Day of School:** Thursday, August 15, 2019

**Middle School Back to School Night:** Wednesday, August 14, 2019

**Elementary School Back to School Night:** Thursday, August 15, 2019

The Challenge School **2019/2020 School Year Calendar** can now be found on our [website](#).

## NJHS Award



Congratulations to Eshaan Palanati! He has been selected as a recipient of the 2019 National Junior Honor Society Outstanding Achievement Award.

## Inside/Out Program Registration

All Challenge school students are welcome to register for the CCSD Summer Inside Out Program offered by the CCSD Advanced Academic and Gifted Services

## May 23

- Field Day
- Lost and Found Pick-Up

## May 24

Last Day of School  
11am Dismissal

## District News

The 25th Annual Cherry Creek Middle School Golf Tournament will be held on Thursday, May 30, 2019. For more information, click [here](#).

CCSD high schools offer various summer camp options. For a full view of the offerings, click [here](#).

The Creek Adventure Program is proud to announce that the 2019 CHALLENGE COURSE and ROCK CLIMBING summer camps are open for registration! Week long camps are offered the week of June 3rd and June 10th, 2019. Camps are open to incoming 6th, 7th, 8th & 9th graders (fall 2019). Incoming 9th graders are encouraged to consider Rock Camp, Session 2 (Rock session 2 is also open to all middle school grades). For more information, click [here](#).

If you're interested in playing basketball at Cherry Creek High School, do not miss the opportunity to train with State Championship Cherry Creek Varsity players and coaches. Attend the Girls Middle School Camp from June 3rd - 6th. Click [here](#) for more information

Smoky Hill High School is offering a Mini Buffs Cheerleading Camp on June 8th from 10am - 12pm. For more details, click [here](#).



Office. For information on how to register for the summer program, click [here](#).

### Challenge Change 2018-2019



Contributions from the Challenge School community totaled \$1,696 collected by the Challenge Change Leaders during Mini Course #3. Over Mini Course #4, the Challenge Roundtable determined the organizations that would benefit from our philanthropic efforts. Hunger-Free Colorado is one of those organizations. For ways to help them out, click [here](#).

### Summer Food Service Program 2019



Come join us! Hot lunch served daily at the following locations: Overland High School, Horizon Community Middle School, Meadow Point Elementary. Free for all children 18 and younger. May 29 - July 26, 11 am-1 pm. Mon-Fri. Closed July 4th. Visit [www.fns.usda.gov/summerfoodrocks](http://www.fns.usda.gov/summerfoodrocks) or text FOOD to 877-877. For more information, click [here](#).

### APPLY FOR FREE & REDUCED MEALS for 2019-2020



How do you apply for Free and Reduced-Priced Meals for the 2019-20 school year? Go to [www.ccsdcafe.org](http://www.ccsdcafe.org) to apply online or click [here](#). Families who wish to apply for free and reduced-price meals must apply each school year.

### ECS Summer Camps

Come join our CCSD students who get to experience the amazing adventure of full-day camps in CCSD. Enjoy field trips, guest speakers, crafts, games, outdoor play, and much more. Register now for ECS summer camps in CCSD and your summer enrollment fee will be waived! For more

## PTCO Corner

### SKATE CITY PASSES

Passes will be available for purchase after school on May 20 & 21st. They are only \$3.00 and with the pass you will be able to skate for \$1 admission all summer long. Grab your pass for family members and neighbors so you can have some fun this summer.

### Box Tops for Education

The next submission date is not until November, but you can bring any box tops you currently have to your child's teacher. They will be picked up from the school office on **Thursday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>**, after school. Please make sure they are not expired. Thank you for your participation, as our school has earned **\$417.70** this school year from collecting Box Tops! Please email me with any questions to [Kelli Hustad](mailto:Kelli.Hustad).

Looking for Easy ways to get in your volunteer hours for the new school year? Consider overseeing a PTCO committee or event. Most of the work can be done on your own time from your work or home office. Please click [Volunteer needs](#) here to see a list of current openings. If interested, please contact [challengeschoolvolunteer@gmail.com](mailto:challengeschoolvolunteer@gmail.com)

We are looking for your feedback. Please consider filling out the PTCO survey found [here](#).

Remember: We are asking for 25 hours of volunteer time per family. Log your volunteer hours at <https://www.helpcounterweb.com/ci/volunteer>



information, click [here](#) or visit the ECS [website](#).

Please contact the Challenge School PTCO with any thoughts, questions or ideas at [ptcochallenge@gmail.com](mailto:ptcochallenge@gmail.com)

### Wolf Watch



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If you are interested in Wolf Watch for next year, please view the information [here](#).

### Leaders of the PACK



Kai Westgard	Daniil Pestov	Alina Sevick
Kamsi Onuorah	Om Khurana	Annika Hartman
Nobel Woldu	Ms. Lamb's Dance Crew	Kinley Wolfe
Yusuf Hanif	Katie Spaur	Paige Helfrich
Eli Valdez	Liam Margittai	Dara Gopal
McKay Larsen	Annika Ulasewich	Kahari Wilbon Williams
Jay Deshpande	Kenneth English	Riley Follweiler
Amber Namugenyi		Berkeley Bowler

## 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 [broth3@cherrycreekschools.org](mailto:broth3@cherrycreekschools.org).