The Colt Connection
June 8, 2025
The Final Edition

Mark Your Calendars

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June 9th - Gr 3 End of Year Awards - 10:45am

June 9th - North East Middle School Incoming 6th Grade Meeting at the Middle School - 5pm (more information attached to this email)

June 10th - End of Year Awards - Gr. 1 (9:15am), Gr. 2 (10am), Kindergarten (2pm), Gr. 4 (2:45pm)

June 11th - Early Dismissal Day 1:30pm

June 12th - Pre-K promotion (10:30am) and Early Dismissal Day 1:30pm

June 13th - Last Day of School; Fifth Grade Promotion Ceremony - 9:30am and Early Dismissal Day 1:30pm; Report Cards Issued

SCHOOL INFORMATION AND UPDATES

Teacher Changes for Next Year

On Friday, Ms. Ashley Kavanaugh, fourth-grade teacher, announced to her students she would not be returning to Leeds as a full-time teacher next year. We are deeply grateful for the care, creativity, and commitment she has brought to our school community. Thank you, Ms. Kavanaugh, for the lasting impact you've made—you will be greatly missed!

While we say farewell to Ms. Kavanaugh with heartfelt appreciation, we are also pleased to welcome Mrs. MaryAnn Guarneri to our Leeds family. Mrs. Guarneri will be joining us from Conowingo Elementary, where she has been a valued fifth-grade teacher. With a passion for student growth and a love for creating engaging classroom experiences, she brings a wealth of knowledge and enthusiasm to our team.

Mrs. Guarneri is very excited to begin this new chapter at Leeds and looks forward to getting to know our students, families, and staff. Please join us in giving her a warm welcome as she prepares to step into her new role in the upcoming school year!

Summer Office Hours - M-Th (8 am - 4:30pm)

Back-to-School Information

Based on family feedback provided in surveys we have conducted throughout the year, we are making some changes to our events at the start of the next school year.

On Thursday, August 28th, we will have a Back to School Meet and Greet from 2:45pm through 3:45pm. This event will allow students to visit their classroom, meet their teachers, and bring in any school supplies.

On Wednesday, September 10th we will have our Back to School Grade Level Informational Event from 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm. At this event, teachers will hold two separate meetings to accommodate parent/guardian schedules and those who have more than one child at our school. In these meetings, you will learn important school-wide information as well as grade-level specific information needed to ensure your child has a successful school year.

Next Year Teacher Information

Students will receive information about their teachers for the next school year by mail. These letters will be sent out around the second week of August.

This Week's Menu:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
School Choice	School Choice	School Choice	School Choice	School Choice

Community Resources

Please add the following CCPS 2025-2026 Enrollment Poster to your parent newsletter and website. English Poster Spanish Poster

If your child previously received Medicaid benefits please remember that there is no longer an automatic renewal. You can find more information on how to renew your child's benefits HERE.

Please continue to share **Brightpathcecil.com** with parent/guardians through your parent newsletter

Click **HERE** for the June ELA Express

A Final Note from Mr. Moon

I would like to start by thanking all of the families of Leeds Elementary School for this year - I have always worked at Leeds throughout my career in CCPS and I was extraordinarily excited to continue at Leeds upon being hired as a Dean of Students. I have always loved working here. However, as of July 1st, I will work at Bay View Elementary School in North East. While I am saddened to end my time at Leeds (and working with the students), I am excited for a new chapter.

Thank you for your partnership throughout the years, and I wish you and your children the best!

A Final Note from Mrs. Riser, Principal

Wow, we had such a busy, wonderful week. I would like to thank Mr. Bennett, Mrs. Siebold, and Mr. Blake for an amazing Fun and Fitness Event. May's weather sure didn't make it easy on us, but who would have guessed a Wednesday Fun and Fitness day where the entire school would be out together at one time would be such a wonderful experience? We have heard from many in our community about how much they loved the scheduling of this event. As always, we will be taking that feedback as we begin scheduling events for next year.

In addition, I need to give Mrs. Morgan a huge shout-out on this year's Career Day. This year, as always, our older students were captivated by the careers they learned about in the morning. In the afternoon, Mrs. Morgan added a Touch a Truck event for our younger students. Our students in grades PreK-2, attended presentations outside that shared careers with cool vehicles. You know it's a great event when you hear students say, "I don't want it to be over." I have added many pictures of Career Day at the bottom of this page. A big thank you to everyone who shared their careers with our students.

Finally, I big thank you goes to Ms. Hannah Rash, Mr. McFadden, and Mr. Moon for planning another successful night at the Aberdeen Ironbirds to listen to our talented students sing and play the Star Spangled Banner. Everyone did an awesome job. As I walked around in my Leeds gear, many baseball fans and employees stopped to tell me how wonderful our students did on the field.



As we wrap up another school year, I want to take a moment to express my heartfelt gratitude to our incredible students, dedicated staff, and supportive families. This year has been filled with growth, learning, and memorable moments that have made Leeds an even stronger community.

To our teachers and staff—thank you for your unwavering commitment and passion. Your hard work makes a lasting difference in the lives of our students every single day.

To our families—your partnership and encouragement have been invaluable. Thank you for trusting us with your children and for being such an important part of our school community.

As we look ahead to summer, I hope you all find time to rest, recharge, and enjoy time with loved ones. We are already looking forward to welcoming everyone back in the fall for another exciting year of learning and growing together. And as always, please feel free at any time during the Summer to reach out to me with any questions.














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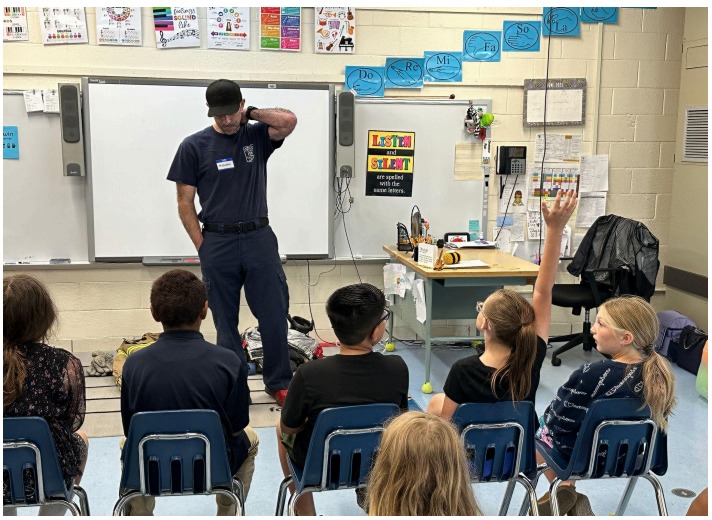
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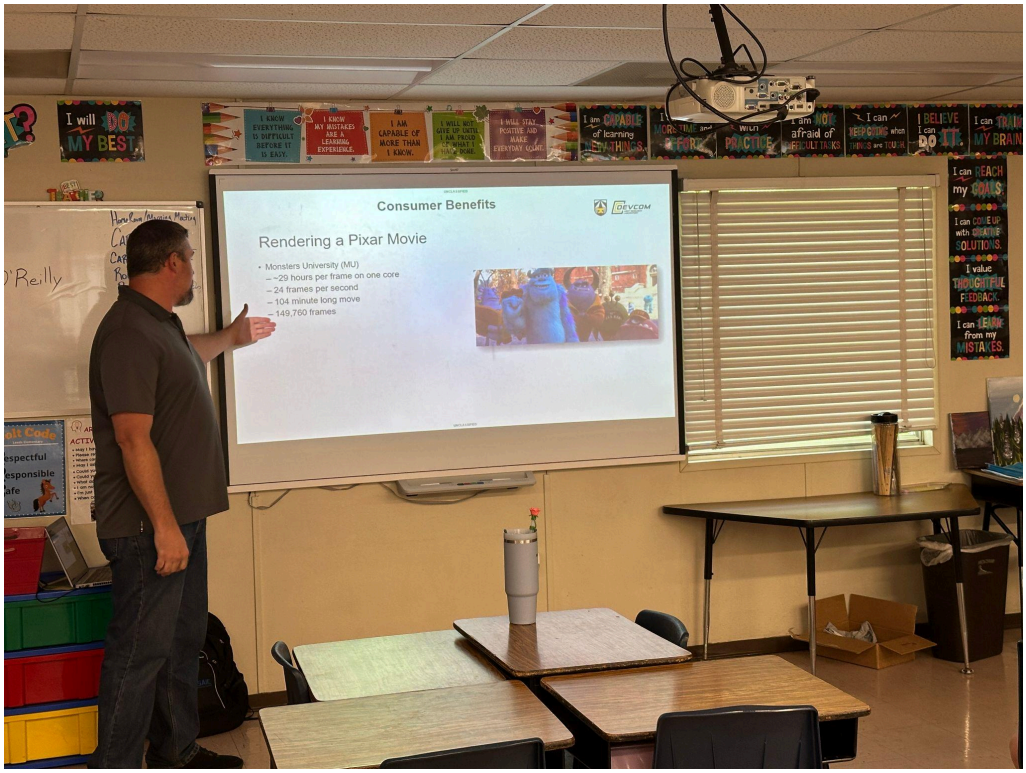
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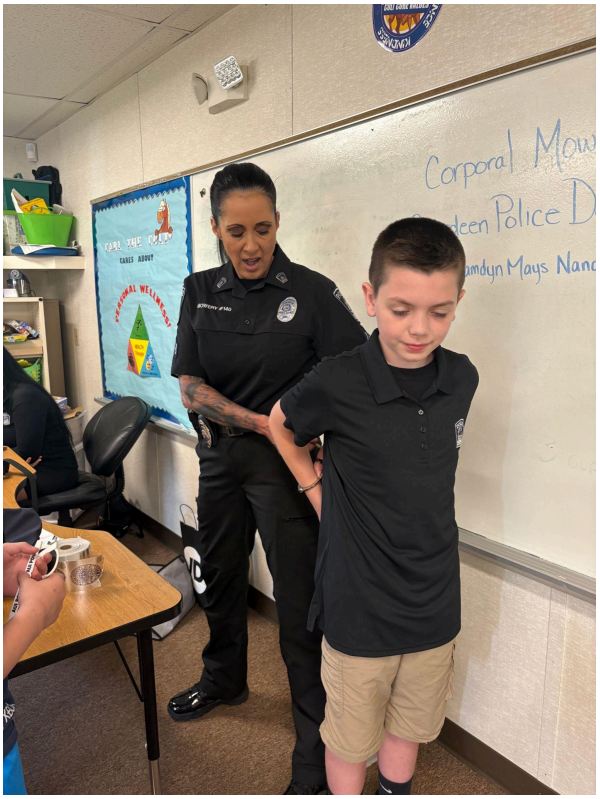
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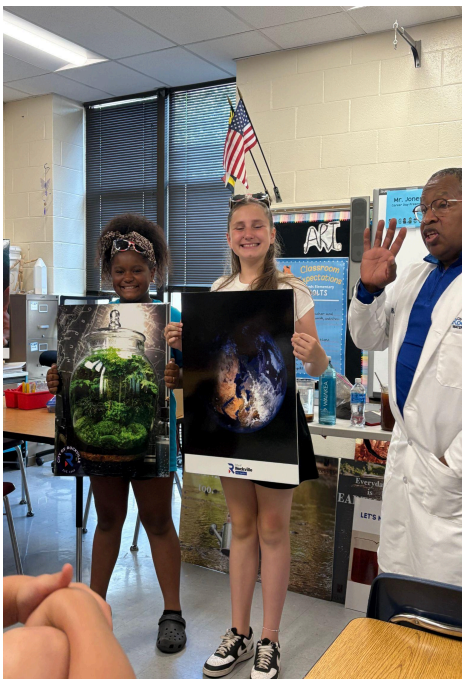
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