

Good morning, Condors! Here are your Daily Announcements with Melanie and Adriana.

Please stand for the Pledge of Allegiance.

Ready, begin: I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the republic for which it stands: one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

Please be seated.

- February is Black History Month. Every day this month we will share information and facts on the Daily Announcements. Did you know that In 1940, Hattie McDaniel became the first black person to win an Oscar. She took home the Academy Award for her supporting role in *Gone With the Wind*. It took 24 more years for Sidney Poitier to become the first Black man to win the Best Actor award for *Lilies of the Field*, and 62 years for Halle Berry to win the Best Actress prize for *Monster's Ball*.
- Hey Condors, our badminton tournament continues today with the semifinal and final rounds. Who will be our champions?? If you won your match yesterday, make sure to meet in the gym with your partner once lunch starts to get the tournament started.

- Applications for next year's ASB Cabinet are available now in room 2. These are the positions we elect at our annual Election Convention. The positions are President, Vice President, Speaker of the House, Commissioner of Social Activities and Commissioner of Pep and Athletics. This is a great way to get involved and have your voice heard.
- The library media center is closed today.
- Students this is the last week of Blind Date With a Book come get one before Friday
- Tomorrow February 27 we will have our next 5 Star Student redemption day at lunch.
- Attention Seniors, this week Hartnell College will be visiting your English classes if you didn't see them yesterday, they will come tomorrow, Friday, February 27th to help you apply to Hartnell College. If you have a social security number, you will need to have it ready during Hartnell's workshop. Stop by the Counselor's Office if you have any questions.
- Hello Seniors, Senior Baby Photos and Senior Quotes have been extended until the end of this week. We are accepting pet photos, friends photos and any photos

you would like to share with us. Come by Room 31 during lunch or break to share your photos. Also reminder that Senior and Staff Superlatives Voting will end this week. And one more thing, this is your last chance to preorder the yearbook for 80 dollars. Prices will go up to \$85 so don't wait.

- The Class of 2026 will be selling class sweaters! If you are interested you can pick up an order form from the class officers in the forum. If you purchase a sweater before March 6th you are eligible to get a discounted price, so order as soon as possible!
- Now its time for our Daily Shout Outs. Mrs. Hern wants to shout out her awesome students and she says, "For being so kind, understanding and responsible during this past week I was sick. The crazy weather got to us all, and yet we persevered through coughs, sniffles and sneezes. A huge THANK YOU to every student who stepped up to help out with reading aloud when my voice was gone, to go on tissue-box runs to save our noses, offering each other cough drops and even just checking in to ask how I was feeling. Your maturity, teamwork, and compassion did not go unnoticed. You reminded me that our classroom is more than just a place to learn. It's a community that takes care of one

another. Thank you for making a challenging week so much brighter. I'm lucky to have each of you!"

- And today's lunch special is pork pozole. Yummy!!!
- Have a great day Condors!!