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Coloma High School Newsletter

December 2014

Principal, Mr. David Ehlers

MISSION STATEMENT:

We are dedicated to fostering pride in the school, the community and nourishing a positive self-image for every student. Our belief is that all students can and will learn best when excellence is expected; educational achievement will be obtained only when students are encouraged and challenged to attain this excellence.



FROM THE DESK
OF
PRINCIPAL,
DAVID A. EHLERS

As December ends please keep in mind that the end of the second marking period and semester exams are just around the corner. Please help your student stay on top of school work, attend school regularly, and prepare for exams.

I am excited to tell you that beginning January 5th, **ALL CHS students will be receiving a FREE breakfast** everyday in their first hour classroom!! Breakfast will be distributed to classrooms by 7:30 each day and students should report to classrooms as they arrive to eat. This is an excellent opportunity for each and every student at CHS. Research continually shows that students who eat breakfast perform at much higher levels than those that do not. Thank you to our food service director, Mrs. Mazigian and our new superintendent, Mr. Bush for making this happen for our students.

Please have a safe and wonderful holiday break!!!

COUNSELOR'S CORNER

College Goal Sunday will be held at Lake Michigan College Pappas Student Services Center on February 8 from 2-4 p.m. College Goal Sunday will help you fill out/complete your FAFSA (Federal Application for Student Aid) form.

What to bring:

- Parents/guardians' and student's social security number
- Student PIN number from FAFSA and parent's PIN number from FAFSA
- Your W-2 forms or other records of money earned
- Your 2014 Federal Income Tax Return
- Your 2014 untaxed income records-social security, temporary assistance to needy families, welfare, veterans' benefits, etc.
- Your 2014 bank statements
- Your 2014 business and investment mortgage information, business and farm records
- Your alien registration card (if you are not a U.S. Citizen)

Pre-register for this event at:
www.lakemichigancollege.edu/financialaid

HAVE A HAPPY NEW YEAR!!
Mrs. Megyese

VISION:

TOGETHER.....

STRIVING AND
WORKING FOR

EXCELLENCE IN
EDUCATION



UPCOMING DATES

January 5—
Classes resume

January 14—
1/2 day 9-12 Exams

January 15—
1/2 day 9-12 Exams
End of 1st Semester



2014 HOLIDAY DOOR DECORATING CONTEST



First Place Winner—

Mr. Kramb's 1st hour welding class. The tree and the reindeer were made in the welding room.



Second Place Winner—

Mrs. VanNiel's 6th hour chemistry class.



2014 HOLIDAY DOOR DECORATING CONTEST (Continued)



Third Place Winner—
Mrs. Moore's 3rd hour Business class.

2014 HOLIDAY DOOR DECORATING CONTEST PARTICIPANTS



Left—Mr. Stephens'
class.

Right—Mrs. Houston's
class





2014 HOLIDAY DOOR DECORATING CONTEST PARTICIPANTS

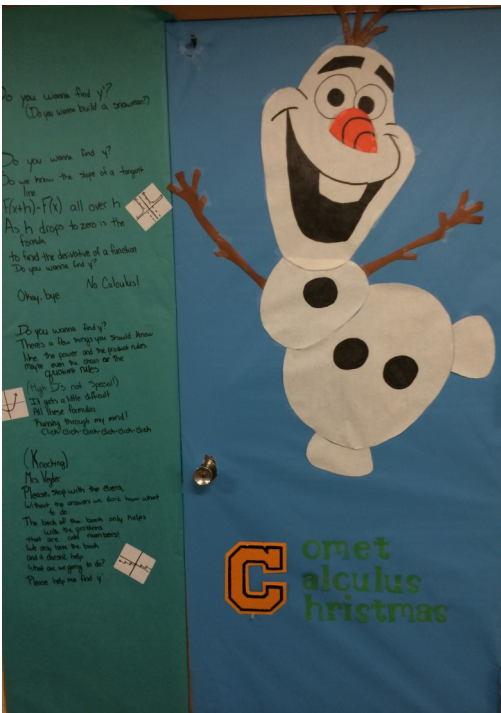


**Top Left—Mrs.
Selvidge's class.**

**Top Right—Mrs.
Haley's class**

**Bottom Left—Mrs.
Vegter's**

**Bottom Right—
Mr. Klee's class**



Mr. Daniel's class





2014 HOLIDAY DOOR DECORATING CONTEST PARTICIPANTS



**Top Left—Mrs.
Glisson's class.**

**Top Right—Mrs.
Kimmerly's class**

**Bottom Left—Mr.
Roberts'**

**Bottom Right—
Mr. Baumgartner's
class**

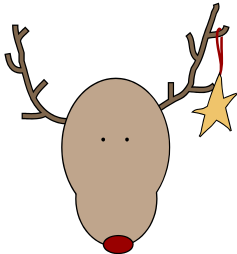


Mr. Ford's class





LOTS OF SCHOOL SPIRIT
SHOWED UP ON THE DOORS





UGLY CHRISTMAS SWEATER DRAWING

Mr. Ehlers held a drawing on Wednesday, December 17 for all staff members who wore an ugly Christmas sweater that day. The winner of the drawing received a \$25 Amazon gift card.

Congratulations to Mrs. Glisson!



EARTH SCIENCE *by Mrs. Tonya Kimmerly*

Back by popular demand: EARTH SCIENCE! We are excited to once again be offering Earth Science to Coloma High School students. Offered to freshman as semester course, students will learn about the various systems such as the hydrosphere (water), lithosphere (rocks), and atmosphere (air) that make up our planet and solar system. The intent is to see the Earth as a system made up of parts that interact.

Science is a way of understanding nature. As students learn these concepts, they will also be learning how science works and why it is important for even non-scientists to understand the processes that scientists use to examine our world. This course will fulfill part of the science graduation requirement and help prepare students for the upcoming state standardized testing.

The Earth science standards focus on:

1. The nature and practice of scientific inquiry
2. The Earth system and the movement of elements, compounds, and energy through it
3. The solid Earth and its hazards
4. The fluid Earth and its hazards
5. The history of the Earth and the universe

For a complete list of content expectations visit http://www.michigan.gov/documents/mde/Essential_Science_204486_7.pdf



**COLOMA HIGH SCHOOL
DECEMBER STUDENTS OF THE MONTH !!**

Congratulations to:
(l-r) Senior—Jacklyn Zvonar, Junior—Kevin Clark,
Sophomore—Destiny Motton, Freshman—Ryley Watson



MORE DATES

**January 16—
No Students, Teacher
Work Day**

**January 19—
No School, MLK Day**

**January 23—
Report cards will be
sent to you via e-mail**



**COLOMA HIGH SCHOOL
FACULTY AND STAFF
WOULD LIKE TO WISH
STUDENTS AND PARENTS A
VERY HAPPY HOLIDAY!!!**

