Junior High Announcements

October 20, 2026

THIS WEEK'S ROTATION

Monday: NAVY
Tuesday: CRIMSON
Wednesday: NAVY
Thursday: CRIMSON
Friday: NAVY

ACTIVITIES

Wednesday, October 21st

- 3:30- Fast Pitch Softball vs. Lewis-Palmer (Early Release- 2:45)
- 3:45- Slow Pitch Softball @ Lewis-Palmer (Early Release- 2:30)

Thursday, October 22nd

- 3:30- Slow Pitch Softball vs. Eagleview (Early Release- 2:45)
- 4:00- Fast Pitch Softball @ Eagleview (Early Release- 2:45)
- 4:00- JH Wrestling vs. Chinook Trail

Announcements

- JH Boys' Basketball Registration will open on October 12th and close on November 9th . Please register on Bound and pay the sports fee on Infinite Campus (See the directions below).

To Pay Your Fee:

Login to infinite campus and select your student.
Go to the Fees tab
Scroll all the way to the bottom and select Optional Fees
Select the fee for the sport you are registering for and add to cart
Continue the checkout process in your cart
If you believe you qualify for Free/Reduced Fees or need to set up a payment plan, please contact finance at (719) 488-6237.

PICTURE RETAKE DAY TODAY, OCT 20th

JH TIME 8:00—9:30am

Jr. High Parents,
If you're satisfied with your child's picture, no further action is required.
If you purchased and were unhappy with your Picture Package, please send your Picture Package to school with your student on Retake Day. Your Retake Picture Package will be produced and shipped to the school four weeks after Retake Day. *Please note, if your child is photographed on the original **and** Retake Picture Days, the Retake picture will replace the original picture in certain products, like the yearbook.*
Students who were absent for Picture Day should come to school prepared to have their picture taken. If you have not preordered, please use the Retake Order Code 0668KEF to place your order at https://inter-state.com/Order. To see your Order History, check your Inter-State Account.
Find answers to Retake Day questions here.

FROM MR. POLLARD

Hallways at Lunch Time:
Students may not be in the JH hallways at lunchtime except to go directly to their club. When you enter a club at lunchtime, you must stay in that club for the remainder of that day's lunch period.

ATTENTION 7TH GRADE PARENTS--PARENT EMAIL OPT IN

OPT-IN PARENT EMAIL LIST
Here's how to "OPT-IN" to these emails
The "opt-in" email list is for parents to receive emails about volunteer opportunities and information about school events.
This is not a requirement. The class parent coordinator will send out detailed information about these events with how to purchase tickets and sign up to volunteer. If you would like to opt in you can send an "OPT-IN" email to tcaclassof2032@gmail.com
with your child's name, your name and your email address that you would like to have added.

WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA—CASUAL FOR A CAUSE OCTOBER 27, 2026

For several years, TCA has purchased wreaths to lay at Veterans' gravesites at Memorial Gardens on Airport Road for National Wreaths Across America Day. Home - Wreaths Across America
TCA Junior High is supporting Wreaths Across America by hosting a "Casual for a Cause" day on Tuesday, October 27th, where students may choose to donate $5 to this effort, and they may wear casual clothing instead of their usual TCA school wear.

Naturally, students may wear their regular approved school wear if they choose not to participate in the Casual for a Cause day.
If students choose to participate in Casual for a Cause day, please select appropriate clothes for the day. **As always, respect and modesty are our top priorities**:

*Sweatpants and blue jeans are permitted, but they must not have rips or tears or holes in them.
*Clothing should be free of holes
*Clothing should not be tight or revealing.
*Leggings, "jeggings," "yoga pants," and tights are not appropriate as the outermost layer but may be worn under a skirt or shorts of appropriate length. A long sweater or sweatshirt is ***not*** an approved substitution for a skirt or shorts of appropriate length as a top layer over leggings.
*"Onesies", pajamas, robes, and other nighttime wear are not permitted.
*Shorts, dresses, and skirts must still meet dress code guidelines (dresses and skirts must touch the kneecap, and shorts may be up to four inches above the kneecap)
*Clothing must not have messages or imagery that are disrespectful, violent, or demeaning.
*Students may not wear hats during the school day.
*Students may wear their regular approved school-wear if they choose not to dress casually.

If students or parents have any questions about whether a particular casual item is overly casual or potentially unapproved, please contact Mr. Pollard or Mr. DiPretore.

JH PICTURE INFORMATION

JH Picture Information—The first batch of photos went home with students—if you did not receive your order, depending on your order timing, they will be shipped to your home or in a later batch to the school.
If you did not order and want to, order proofs with all the information to order were handed to students.

1. Online ordering https://inter-state.com/FlyerEntry/0561KSF .is available before and after Picture Day. **This event's Order Code is 0561KSF**. Shipping and handling charges may apply to orders placed after Picture Day
2. Picture Make-Up Day will be Tuesday October 20.

If your order is missing, please submit a Missing Order Form Order Status - Shop
If you have questions, please contact the JH Office at 484-0091. Thank you!

LIBRARY NEWS

The L'wordle winner for September is Declan Swiontek. Please visit the library to collect your prize.

YEARBOOK

YEARBOOK ORDERING: Celebrate your TCA 8th Grader! Custom Yearbook Ads on Sale Now
Express love and congratulations to the 8th grader in your life with a personalized ad in the TCA Junior High Yearbook. ¼ page $40. 1/8 page $25. Ads are accepted on a space-available basis. Submit your ad to guarantee your space!
Order now at Yearbookordercenter.com, code 16022. Need help? Tech support: 866-287-3096

YEARBOOK PHOTOS: Calling all parents - professional, amateur, and wanna-be photographers. The junior high yearbook needs your photos! We want to represent 2026-27 with a great variety of photos and include ALL of our students. Please submit photos at **YearBookShare.com**. Enter our school code of **tcajh**.
If you have any questions, feel free to email Lisa Deen at ldeen@tcatitans.org.

FROM TCA ADMINISTRATION--ATHLETIC GAME SAFETY

Dear TCA Families,

Please remember that **junior high students must be accompanied by an adult and remain seated in the stands throughout the HIGH SCHOOL games**. This expectation helps ensure appropriate supervision and a safe, enjoyable environment for everyone.

Please also note that **personal sporting equipment and toy balls of any kind are not permitted** at the game. Students who are disruptive, defiant, or unwilling to follow these expectations will be required to leave the event with their accompanying adult.

Thank you for partnering with us to make TCA athletic events safe, welcoming, and enjoyable for our entire community.

RESOURCES

TCA North Campus Carpool Procedures
Healthy Meals For All
TCA Employment Site
Jr. High After School Labs

IMPORTANT DATES

OCTOBER 2026

Tuesday, October 20 – Picture Retake Day
Tuesday, October 27 - Casual4ACause - raising money for Wreaths Across America

NOVEMBER 2026

Friday, November 6 – NO SCHOOL -- Staff Inservice
November 23--27 -- NO SCHOOL – Thanksgiving Break

The Classical Academy Junior High

Support Hours:
Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Website: **TCA Junior High Homepage**
Location: 975 Stout Road, Colorado Springs, CO, USA
Phone: 719-484-0091

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