PRINCIPAL’S WEEKLY UPDATE

Dear Cottonwood Parents and Students,

I hope your family had a wonderful Thanksgiving break!

We are very excited to have our face-to-face learners return on Monday, November 30!

We are thrilled to welcome our new ESL English teacher, Megan Reschke, to our faculty. Megan is coming to us from Colorado. She is replacing Vivian Gates, who moved into the core English department here at Cottonwood High School.

It is Charity Week! The kickoff will be on Monday, November 30, and will end on Friday, December 18. This year all donated funds will go directly to the Cottonwood Food Pantry. Our fabulous student body officers have been working endlessly to create fun, safe and motivating activities to encourage students to donate. Please see additional details below!

We would like your input about support that we can offer parents! Please take five minutes to fill out the form below in English or Spanish (copy/paste):

ENGLISH:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfFpzn_OIAAt0gUVNHiCfJKEy-uRlbTaHOBXXT_AYSS9pCpg/viewform

SPANISH:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfJIC9xDacPTyfZ55YvSsbTvwaQXjPHhMLBRZbZbu_C8AjGg/viewform

Once again, we are thrilled to welcome our face-to-face learners back to school on Monday!

Sincerely,

Terri Roylance
CONGRATS COTTONWOOD DEBATE!

The *Skyhawk Smackdown* tournament took place last weekend. With over 1,000 competitors from seven different states, it was an honor to have several students place in the top ten!

**Oratory:**
Katrina Boskovic, 9th place

**Extemp:**
Ryan Dillon, 3rd place

**Lip Sync:**
Trinity Medina, 4th place

**Declamation:**
Nava Sharma, 4th place
Matthew Cessna, 8th place

**Novice Spar:**
Kate Wilkins, 1st place

**Dramatic Interpretation:**
Trinity Medina, 3rd place

CHARITY WEEK DETAILS FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 30 - DECEMBER 4

**TREE FESTIVAL**

By popular demand, the *Cottonwood Tree Festival* is back! This is an opportunity for Cottonwood organizations and teams to donate a decorated holiday tree to the festival. The trees will be on display in the commons for a few days and then will be auctioned off. The funds earned from the auction will be donated to the Cottonwood food pantry!

**CANDY GRAMS**

Candy grams are small treats that students can purchase for another person to be delivered in class (or picked up for distance learners). Candy grams will be sold this week, Monday - Wednesday during both lunches and before school. Then, every Thursday in December during 4th period, our student body officers will deliver individually wrapped treats from Schmidt's Pastry Cottage, Great Harvest, and Target (candy canes).

**ACTIVITIES**

**Monday**
Virtual assembly
Candy gram lunch sales
Tuesday
Art Club portrait sales begin
Candy gram lunch sales

Wednesday
Grilled Cheese Night!
Candy gram lunch sales

Thursday
Half court shot tournament at boys basketball game
Concession sales at boys basketball game
Money collection at boys basketball game
(Note: Girls basketball night is during Week 3)
Candy gram delivery during 4B

Friday
Money collection at girls basketball game
Online donations through Cottonwood webstore

REMINDERS
Please check your student's grades at least once a week. If there are any questions or concerns, please reach out to the teacher. All teachers' email addresses can be found on the Cottonwood website.

Grab-n-go breakfast and lunch are available every day at 10:30 - 11:00 am, for all distance learners. Go to the cafeteria. FREE!

Download the Cottonwood app to stay informed!

Cottonwood Instagram:
Cwoodcoltsocial

Cottonwood Twitter:
@CottonwoodHS

Cottonwood website:
www.schools.graniteschools.org/cottonwoodhigh/

Cottonwood athletics:
Cottonwoodcolts.org

Cottonwood counseling center:
Coltcounseling.com
CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 30 - DECEMBER 5

Monday, November 30
A Day
Face-to-face students are back!
Improv show, auditorium, 7:00 pm

Tuesday, December 1
B Day

Wednesday, December 2
A Day

Thursday, December 3
B Day
Boys basketball @home vs Taylorsville HS, 3:30, 5:15, 7:00 pm
Girls basketball @Park City HS, 3:30, 5:15, 7:00 pm
Swim @home vs Highland HS, 3:30 pm

Friday, December 4
A/B Day
Distance learning day for all students; check CANVAS for a short assessment/assignment in all A and B day classes
Boys basketball @Payson HS, 3:30, 5:15, 7:00 pm
Girls basketball @home vs Alta HS, 3:30, 5:15, 7:00 pm

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**CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 7 - 12**

Monday, December 7
**B Day**
Boys basketball @Kearns HS, 3:30, 5:15, 7:00 pm

Tuesday, December 8
**A Day**
Girls basketball @Cyprus HS, 3:30, 5:15, 7:00 pm
Wrestling @Highland HS, 5:30 pm

Wednesday, December 9
**B Day**
Boys basketball @home vs Pine View HS, 3:30, 5:15, 7:00 pm

Thursday, December 10
**A Day**
Swimming @home vs East HS, 3:30 pm
Wrestling @Brighton HS, 5:30 pm

Friday, December 11
**A/B Day**
Distance learning for all students; check CANVAS for a short assessment/assignment in all A and B day classes
*Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*, auditorium, 7:00 pm
Boys basketball @home vs Bear River HS, 7:00 pm

Saturday, December 12
Freshman basketball @Cyprus HS, 10:30 am
*Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*, auditorium, 12:00 pm and 7:00 pm
Cottonwood High School Performing Arts Department

Presents

Joseph

and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat

Lyrics by Tim Rice  Music by Andrew Lloyd Webber

December 11, 12, 14 at 7pm
December 12 at 12pm
Tickets available at cwoodtheatre.com

* Masks will be required for ALL audience members

Presented by arrangement with Concord Theatricals Inc.

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