

2023-2024 College Pathways

Weekly News--Week of October 23

If wrinkles must be written on our brows, let them not be written upon the heart. The spirit should never grow old.

~ James A. Garfield

Do you ever take before and after pictures to document a journey you've been on, like a hike up a 14er? Or do you ever look at old pictures from your childhood or your early adult years? Or maybe pictures of your own children when they were born and compare them to more recent pictures? Doing any of the above will undoubtedly leave you reminiscing on the ups and downs you faced in the moments forever captured in those photographs. We know that life presents challenges we have no choice but to face. Hardship and setbacks are inevitable, and sometimes we find ourselves trudging through seasons of life that feel endless. While the wrinkles on our face and scars on our body serve as evidence of these trying times, what growth do they represent? When we feel beaten down, we must always remember that the difficulties in life tend to have silver linings, outcomes that hopefully remind us that we are stronger and wiser than we were before.

Enjoy this final full week of October!

In Partnership,

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Announcements

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Tuesday, October 24

- Mill Levy Override Virtual Information Meeting, 6 -7 PM - Information below.

Tuesday, October 31

- CP Canning Event sponsored by NHS - More info to come.

Wednesday, November 1 - Thursday, November 2

- Cash-4-Casual

Friday, November 3

- Game Night, 6 - 9 PM, CP Classrooms

November 9 - 18

- TCA Musical Theatre Performances - Information below.

Now thru November 28

- Wreaths Across America - Information below.

NEW AND STILL IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

- **Meet our new front office assistant** - Mrs. Kristeen Murillo officially joined the CSP/CP front office last week. If you have an opportunity, welcome her to her new position.
- **District 20 Mill Levy Override (MLO) Informational Meeting** – Tuesday, October 24, 2023, from 6-7pm. District 20 CFO, Becky Allen, is hosting a virtual MLO info session just for TCA families. Click the link to attend via Microsoft Teams. [Educational MLO Presentation for TCA Community](#).
- **Student photos in Infinite Campus** - If you recognize your student's photo in Infinite Campus is incorrect, please let Mr. Peterson or Mrs. Hille know.
- **TCA Veterans Day Assembly** - Friday, November 10, from 9:30 - 10:45 AM, at TCA North (main gym). If you and your family members would like to attend, please complete [THIS](#) RSVP form by Friday, November 3.
- It's the last week for **Let's Get Organized** - Tuesdays (JH) and Wednesdays (HS) in Mrs. Wehrman's office. The group will explore organization and time management with a focus on equipping students with skills and tools for success. Please feel free to pass this info to your student. No rsvp is needed. All students are welcome to attend! If you have questions, please contact Mrs. Wehrman at twehrman@asd20.org.
- **TCA High School Theatre Department presents the Anastasia Musical.** Shows are November 9th, 10th, and 11th at 7:00 pm and November 12th at 3:00 pm and November 16th, 17th, and 18th at 7:00 pm. Tickets for Adults are \$12, Children and Students are \$6, Staff and Senior Citizens are \$8 and Titan Club Members no cost. Purchase your tickets online at: <https://www.payschoolsevents.com/events/details/28379>
- **WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA** - As TCA continues to support the Wreaths Across America Program, there are several ways you can participate. TCA Families can donate a wreath to be placed at Pikes Peak National Cemetery (deadline Nov. 28th) or volunteer for the wreath laying ceremony on Saturday, December 16th @ 9:00am. Please click wreathscrossamerica.org/co0024 for more information.
- The newest issue of the **Palmarium** can be found [here](#).
- **UPDATED CP school calendar** - Due to a change to the state testing week in April (now April 15 - 19), the CP school calendar has been updated. The new calendar can be found [HERE](#).

IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

- **Looking for ways to bless our staff?** Food is always welcome! We have a "Sunshine Cabinet" in the Staff Lounge that we like to keep stocked with snacks and goodies for staff members to enjoy throughout the week. If ever you want to contribute a treat to the cabinet (whether store bought or homemade, savory or sweet), items can be dropped off in the CSP/CP office.
- **TCA Athletic Game Safety** – All Elementary and Junior High students who attend TCA athletic events must sit with an adult during the event for supervision purposes. Unfortunately, we have noticed types of behavior that could lead to injury or students getting in trouble. We desire to promote a safe atmosphere for all spectators; thus, no personal sporting or toy ball of any kind will be allowed into events. We thank you for your partnership in this endeavor.



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