Dear CCA families,

What an amazing school year we were a part of! As I look back on this year, I see so much dedication from staff to provide an in-person learning experience for all students; we made it all year without any closures. There was similar dedication from parents in keeping sick students home to help our facility stay open. Additionally, we were able to have field trips, parties, and parent visitors. It is amazing to realize how much we took for granted prior to Covid. I have been blessed to be a part of this amazing community for not just my three years as principal, but my years as a teacher aide and a classroom teacher. I appreciate all the support that has been given to me over the years and hope that CCA continues to be a shining star on the plains. To close out my final newsletter, I would love to borrow the words of a very kind and wise 2nd grade student, 'I will hold you in my heart forever'- Christie B.

Online registration for 2022-23 is now open for all students. For returning students, please log into your Infinite Campus Parent Portal to complete. For students who are new to the Re3J district, please use this <u>link</u> that is also provided on the district website under Parents and Students.

## **School Material Return:**

Please take a look around the house for any school materials, including but not limited to, power cords for Chromebooks, Math books, library books, other CCA materials and send them to school with your student tomorrow. Thank you.

#### **Report Cards:**

This year, our Report Cards will be issued electronically. Please log in to Infinite Campus to view report cards starting on Friday, May 27th.

## **After School Care:**

There will be normal after school care on Tuesday and Wednesday. There is no after school care on Thursday; early dismissal!

## **Summer Enrichment:**

- CCA does not offer a 'summer school', but we are proud to offer the online reading and math programs for each student. Students grades K-2 may access the Reading Eggs and Math Seeds programs for summer enrichment. Students grades 3-8 may access Moby Max to help diminish the 'summer slide'. Talk to your classroom teacher for more information about this convenient and free summer offering for students.
- Hudson Public Library will have a Summer Reading Program for students. The librarians
  will be at CCA on Thursday morning to explain their summer reading. You can also
  check the <u>Hudson Public Library Web</u> page for more information.

#### **END OF SCHOOL YEAR EVENTS:**

- May 24th: Middle School skating trip
- May 25th: CCA's 16th Annual Mini Relay for Life Day
  - Guest speaker and Mini Relay
    - For a \$1 donation that morning, students can get their hair colored before school.
    - Each class will dress in their own color KG red, 1st Blue, 2nd green, 3rd orange, 4th yellow, 5th black, 6th purple, 7th teal, 8th tie dye.
    - The Relay and the activities will begin at 2:00pm.
    - If you would like your child to wear a Relay bib, please use this link to print the bib and fill it out at home. Then send it on tomorrow and we will safety-pin it to your child's shirt at school.
    - During the Relay, there will be slushies for the students. Please send a small donation to help offset the cost of the treats.

We are only half way to our goal for a pie in my face, bring your money to get your hair colored on Wednesday morning.



- May 25th: 8th Grade Graduation Ceremony 7:00pm in the gym bring your lawn chairs.
- May 26th: Last Day of School
  - Families are welcome all morning! Please bring your own chairs, towels and sunscreen.
  - Pie in the face? If the students raised over \$1,000 for the ACS, I will get a pie in my face.
  - Hudson Library announcement starting at 8 on the basketball court.
  - 8:20 Awards followed by CCA's talent show

- o 10am we will begin the fun field day!
  - Parents, the following is the list of items we need to make this day a success:
    - Eggs (raw), please bring in tomorrow!
- After the Field day students will gather at the track to be dismissed and then SEWCFD Water Tank Goodbye Spray! Please do not let your child by the water truck if you do not want them to get wet! (weather and availability permitting)
- <u>Dismissal 11-11:30am</u> There will be no driveline and no access back into the school after the water is sprayed, please come to the playground to pick up your student.
- May 31st: Board of Directors meeting 5:30 in the Library and on Zoom
- August 10th: Middle School Transition Day for ALL middle school students 11-3:30
- The 22-23 calendar has been approved by our BOD.

## Yearbook Update from Ms. Rosling

Hello families of CCA! The yearbooks will not be handed out until the fall so that I could put all of our fun end-of-year activities into the book as well! So, with that in mind, keep sending me all those amazing end-of-year activity pictures! Thank you to everyone that has ordered!

Cassie Rosling cassierosling@re3j.com

## **STUDENT EVENTS:**

## **Pampered Chef fundraiser:**

Next year's 8th grade class is working hard to raise funds to go on their 8th grade trip already!

Below is a link to include in the newsletter for a fundraiser through Pampered Chef. This will be for next year's 8th grade class. The class will get 20% of all sales when we reach \$200 and 30% of all sales when we reach \$650. The fundraiser will be open through the end of the month. Parents please share the link on their social media pages. Questions regarding this fundraiser? Email staceydinges@re3j.com

https://www.pamperedchef.com/party/ccamay2022

# A note from the new girls basketball coach at the high school...

My name is Greg Wellesley and I am the new girls basketball coach at the high school. We are hosting a camp in June at the high school. This is for any 8th grade girls who are interested in playing high school basketball next season. My email address and phone number for players and parents who have guestions. Thank you so much!

Greg Wellesley, 8th Grade U.S. History Teacher, Head Girls Basketball Coach WCHS. 303-536-2763; gregwellesley@re3j.com



## Nurse's Update:

Cardinal Community Academy Families,

As we approach the end of the 2021-2022 School Year, it has been my pleasure to take care of and get to know each and every one of your children. I have thoroughly enjoyed being their school nurse and look forward to the year ahead to continue to build relationships with you, your children and the CCA community.

During the final week of school I will be closing out medications and handing them back to you personally. If you know your child has medications that are at the school please stop by in the office either at drop off or pick up to ensure all the medications are given back to you. I cannot send any medications home with the students – they must be signed out by a parent. Any medications that are not picked up a week after school ending will be discarded.

If your child currently takes medications at school or has a medication permission form on file at the school I will have a packet prepared for them for the 2022-2023 School Year. In taking this proactive approach, my goal is that if your child sees their pediatrician or healthcare provider during the summer months they can have these forms filled out in person at those visits. Please keep in mind that these forms are only good for the school calendar year (August 1, 2022 - May 31, 2023). You need to ensure that the form is filled out appropriately with those dates. As always, there must be one medication permission form for every medication the student takes.

Should you have any questions, please reach out to me at (303) 732-9312 or by email brooknighswonger@re3j.com.

I would like to thank each and every one of you, truly. Through all the different working relationships we had, I respected and appreciated that all of you want a strong education for your child.

I look forward to seeing you on Thursday!

Sincerely,

Maureen Lockette