



Culver City High School

Parent Newsletter

February 2015

Centaur Plus!

Wednesday February 5th was the start of our 10-week trial period of Centaur Plus. Without increasing minutes in the school day, the Tuesday/Thursday bell schedule will incorporate a 24-minute academic tutorial opportunity for all students in the subject of their greatest need.

This is a chance for teachers to give skill-based interventions as well as homework completion assistance based on the need of the student. The first day was a huge success. All students were in their Centaur Plus class on time and during the entire 24 minute period, there was not one student out of class.

As I visited various classrooms, students were engaged and collaborating with their peers and teachers. Please check our website for more information and the Centaur Plus Bell schedule.



Join Today!



CCHS PTSA

Consider sponsoring a teacher membership at \$6.50/member. For more information contact Starr Hastings, CCHS PTSA Membership Chair at starr.hastings@callison.com. Meetings are open to all. Join us to find out what is happening in your school! To get involved or be added to our email notification list or to contact us, send a message to: cchsptsaccusd.org
Next MeetingMarch 1st 7pm CCHS Library

The Friends of the
Sandy Segal Youth Health Center
Silver Anniversary

Honoring David LaRose, Judy & Michael Bauer
Saturday February 21, 2015

Check out our Website! CCHS.CCUSD.ORG

Activities

Green 5

Monday was our Green5 Launch Party during lunch in the student lunch area. Our new trash cans have been placed throughout the school with three sections – compost, recycling and landfill areas. Students Tyler MacIntosh and Evan Dumas have lead the campaign all year long and we are proud of them for continuing to increase the awareness of recycling. A big THANK YOU to Shea Cunningham for supporting us in these efforts as well as Assistant Principal Ms. Tarvyd.



2nd Annual CCHS Non-Profit Fair

Friday February 6th, CCHS held its 2nd Annual Non- Profit Fair. This is an excellent way for students to find organizations that will allow them to get involved within their community and complete their service learning hours as well. A variety of organizations were in attendance this year providing an opportunity for everyone to get involved and to learn about the different causes within our community. Thank you to ASB, Dr. Valverde ASB Director, and City Councilmember Jim Clarke.



Join us in celebrating Random Acts of Kindness Week with small gestures of kindness

Random Act of Kindness

Kindness Matters

We hope that you & others pay it forward.

Have a Great day!

Random Act of Kindness Week Feb9th-15th



Get Connected!

CCUSD has gone mobile. Stay in touch with Culver City Unified School District by downloading our new mobile app. Download on your mobile device today and select yes to receive push notifications with the latest news.

Upcoming Events

- February 18th Open House 5:30pm-7:30pm
- February 19th CCUSD Music Festival
- CCHS Talent Show 6pm-9pm
- February 26th Parent Engagement Night
- February 27th Scheduling Fair @ lunch

Counselor's Corner

Spring 2015 'EAST Coast' COLLEGE TOUR!

9th, 10th and 11th Grade Students: Are you interested in possibly attending Universities on the East Coast?

If so, take advantage of an opportunity offered to CCHS students to go on a one-week 'East Coast' College Tour next Spring of 2015 coordinated by Mrs. Mackey (Academic Counselor). You will have the chance to visit some of the top universities in the country in the states of Boston, New York, New Jersey, Connecticut and Rhode Island.

Colleges Campus Visited: Harvard, Yale, Princeton, MIT, Brown, Columbia University, Tufts University, Boston College, Boston University (BU), New York University (NYU) and Rutgers University

Departure Date: (*First week of Spring Break*) March 22nd - March 28th, 2015

Click on link www.EFExploreAmerica.com/Enroll and enter tour number: 1573453SC to learn details about the trip and payment plan options. Please see FLYER below for trip itinerary and cost. Airline flight, meals, and hotel accommodations are included in the price.

Speak with Mrs. Mackey in counseling office for more information.

Culver City High School Presents
CENTAUR

PARENT Engagement Night

Thursday | February 26th, 2015
5:30 PM - 8 PM

CCHS Welcomes ALL families to join us for this informative evening!
A series of mini workshops have been designed to answer your questions and provide valuable resources for all of our CENTAUR families.

- ✓ Jump-STARTING the College Application Process JUNIOR Year
- ✓ College Planning for 9th/10th Grade Students
- ✓ NCAA and Your Student Athlete
- ✓ Social Media
- ✓ Exploring Career Pathways
- ✓ Middle to High School Transition
- ✓ UC Admissions
- ✓ CSU Admissions
- ✓ Out-of-State College Admissions

Mini Workshops Topics Covered

Plus MORE...

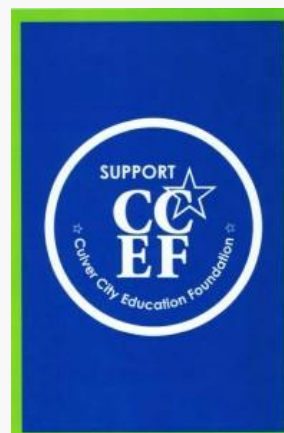


Scheduling Fair

February 27th@Lunch

Encourage your student to explore the various opportunities that CCHS offers at the scheduling fair.

Support the Culver City Education Foundation

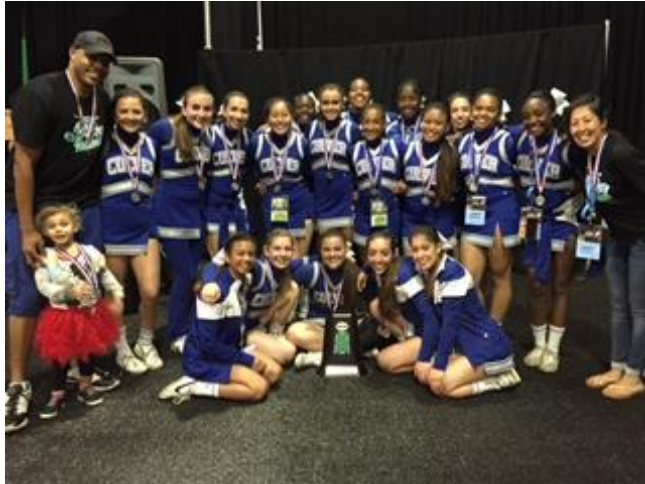


Parents can access student information through our Parent Portal. Log in often to access student attendance reports, teacher grade books, and grade reports as they become available. In order to access the Parent Portal, you must submit a signed "Use Agreement" form to the High School. One access code per family is generated in the Attendance Office.

Athletics



Congratulations to the CCHS Cheer team for winning 2nd in the nation at a recent National Competition in Orlando Florida.

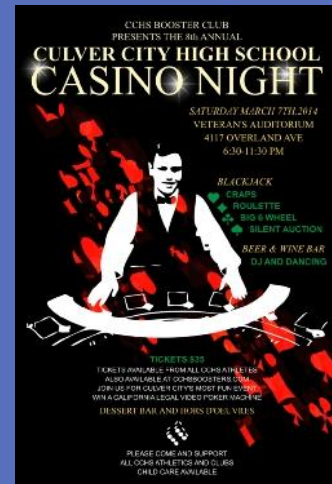


Please check our athletic website for updates on winter sports CIF Playoffs. Information will be available 2/15.

See's Candy Volunteer of the Year Larry Zeidman



Booster Club Casino Night March 7th@ Veterans Auditorium



- ❖ AVPA Open House February 18th
- ❖ CCUSD District Music Concert February 19th
- ❖ Spring Musical- A Chorus Line March 6th-14th
- ❖ Sony Film Screening March 19th

<http://www.avpa.org/>