Friday Parent Blast  
January 17th, 2020  
Attendance Line—720-886-8895

No School on Monday,  
January 20th

$1.85  

Pine Ridge serves Breakfast every morning  
from 7:30-8:00 am  

Make sure your child starts the school day with a nutritious breakfast in order to learn, grow and develop to their fullest potential.  

Please visit our website at CHERRYCREEKSCHOOLS.ORG to view our menus.  

Also, a reminder if your child qualifies for FREE lunch they also receive FREE breakfast!!

T.E.A.M. class is looking for newspapers!  
If you have any newspapers at home, bring them into PRE so that our 5th graders can add it to our compost bins. The compost bins are creating soil for our school from the fruit and veggie scraps that have already been collected. Bonus if they are cut and/or shredded! Have your student bring them to the T.E.A.M. room (202). Thank you for your help!

Thank you CCSD School Board!
Kindergarten Round Up for Pine Ridge Elementary is from February 3rd-February 7th. Please click below for registration information.

Kindergarten Round Up Information

Spring Pictures

January 29th — K, 1, 2
January 30th — K, 3, 4, 5

Congratulations to 4th and 5th graders that have been Cast!

Thank You to all that auditioned!

We are also looking for responsible and committed leaders to help out behind the scenes in our stage crew.

Performances: Friday, May 15th & Saturday, May 16th:

Contact Bailey Peoples at bpeoples@cherrycreekschools.org
For more information- Information Packet

PASS MEETING

January 23rd, 2020 | 8:00 am
PTCO (Parent Teacher Community Organization) Meeting
We welcome everyone’s participation: Parents, Teachers, and the Community.

Please join us for the next PTCO General Board Meeting:
Tuesday, February 25th, 2020 at 6:30 p.m.—Library

Other Upcoming PTCO General Meeting for 2020:

Facebook: [https://www.facebook.com/pineridgeptco](https://www.facebook.com/pineridgeptco)
Instagram: [https://www.instagram.com/pineridgeptco/](https://www.instagram.com/pineridgeptco/)
Email: preptco@pineridgeptco.com
Website: [https://sites.google.com/site/pineridgeelemptco](https://sites.google.com/site/pineridgeelemptco)

Amazon Gives
Are you shopping on Amazon for everyday essentials or that little something for yourself or others? Before you checkout your cart, switch over to Smile.Amazon.com and select Pine Ridge Elementary PTO as the charity you support! Every time you shop on Smile.Amazon.com (it will look like the regular amazon.com website), Pine Ridge Elementary PTCO will receive a percentage of your total from Amazon at no charge to you! Thanks for supporting our school, fellow Panthers!

King Soopers Community Rewards
Pine Ridge PTCO has an easy ongoing fundraiser with King Soopers that helps support our school. All you need to do is present your King Soopers loyalty card whenever you shop. Please log into your King Soopers loyalty account, and under Community Rewards, select Pine Ridge Elementary PTCO (#LT282) and enroll.

January Spirit Wear
Get those New Year's resolutions going with a 10% off coupon for select moisture wicking t-shirts to keep you cool exercising while shedding those extra holiday pounds off at the gym!
Bids & Blue Jeans Annual Auction

Saturday, February 29, 2020 6 - 10 p.m.

Last year’s school community survey results informed us you would like to see changes for this event and we listened! Our “Bids & Blue Jeans” Auction will be Saturday, February 29th from 6-10pm. Hosted at 2 Penguins Tap and Grill, it is a rustic theme for an entertaining date night out. Pull out your boots, wear your cute dresses, or wear your jeans!

Tickets are $55 per person and include a Mix and Mingle with teachers the first hour. To buy tickets and to participate in the online silent auction portion of the event please visit: preauction20.givesmart.com.

If you purchase your tickets to the auction by January 31st, you will receive an EXTRA chance to win an Apple Watch!

Teachers are currently preparing baskets for our Silent Online Auction portion of the event. Please reach out to your classroom teacher to see if they need any assistance. If you are unable to attend the event, you are still able to participate in the Silent Online Auction. There are many cool experiences for your family and for students such as being Principal for the Day or attending a tour of the PRE basement!

Amazing live auction options will be available for bidding only to those who attend the event! Don’t miss your chance to win big on live auction items like a night at the Gaylord, an Apple Watch, and many others. Please share with your friends and family!

In addition, we partnered with YMCA, who will host a Kids Night to help with those who need childcare. Kids age 2 (potty trained) through 12 are eligible. The Kids Night will be offered from 6-10pm at the Wheatlands Clubhouse and will include dinner, arts, crafts, games, and a movie. Cost is $15 per child. Please see the attached link and know they are only able to take the first registered 50 children: http://bit.ly/37UzZtt.

Based on your feedback, funds we raise from this event will go towards much needed school playground improvements...YAY!

More information is available on our website at: https://www.cherrycreekschools.org/pineridge. This will be a great evening of laid back fun, games and a special opportunity to support our school!

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Box Tops for Education – Help support Pine Ridge education programs by buying General Mills products!

How to Earn Cash via Receipts and the App or Mobile Website

1) Download the App and/or Access the Mobile Website. Search Box Tops for Education in the app store of your mobile device. In lieu of the App, you can choose to access the Box Tops for Education Mobile Website via your smartphone or tablet.

2) Register for an Account. Search for Pine Ridge by name, city, or zip code.

3) Shop. Keep your receipt!

4) Redeem your Receipt. Redeem the Box Tops for Education earnings from your purchase by scanning your full receipt with the App or Mobile Website within 14 days of your data of purchase as indicated on the receipt.

The Traditional Clip Program – You can earn cash for your school by clipping the Official Box Tops for Education logo from the packages of purchased participating products.

1) Check the expiration dates on your Box Tops. Throw out expired Box Tops, they can’t be accepted.

2) Clip ‘em or rip ‘em. Box Tops don’t have to be cut perfectly, but should be cut reasonably close to the dashed line. Just be sure the expired date is visible.

3) Put your Box Tops in a baggie.

4) Send the baggie of Box Tops to your child’s teacher.

Collection Date: The week before break (March 9-13, 2020) Thanks for helping our school!
PASS MEETING

January 23rd, 2020 | 8:00 am

What is PASS?.... PASS stands for Partnership for Academically Successful Students! PASS serves the purpose of engaging community members in meaningful and effective partnerships that lead to positive outcomes for all students, but more specifically, students of color. We need your voice regarding how parents and educators can work toward achieving the goal of educational equity.

Pine Ridge Elementary School
6525 S Wheatlands Pkwy
Aurora, CO 80016
A light breakfast will be provided

https://www.cherrycreekschools.org/Page/4015
Cherry Creek School District Community Event

Buffalo Bandits vs. Colorado Mammoth
Saturday, January 25th – 7:30PM – Pepsi Center

** Alternative Date: Saturday, February 15th – 7:30pm

Upper Level Starting at $10
Lower Level Starting at $20

A portion of each ticket purchased will be donated to the school of your choice

To purchase, please visit: https://mammoth.teamkse.com/ccsd1920/

USE PROMO CODE: MAMCCSD

Contact kaie.clark@teamkse.com or (303)-575-1908 with any questions or for orders over 20.
CAFECITOS!

Un evento para escuchar las voces de las familias que hablan español de las escuelas de Cherry Creek

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CTHS Presents

7th Annual CREATE Expo

February 29, 2020
8am - Noon

All K - 5th Graders Welcome!

Enjoy a morning of creative thinking, hands-on, STEAM focused learning activities

Register now at http://www.ccsdcreate.com
CHERRY CREEK DISTRICT CHESS TOURNAMENT
Saturday, February 29, 2020

Enroll early...tournament will be limited to the first 200 students who sign up

DIVISIONS: Grades K, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Middle School (6-8), and High School (9-12). Similar age groups may be combined. Students must attend a school in the Cherry Creek School District to play. This is a non-rated tournament. USCF rules will apply.

ENTRY FEE: $20.00 per child. Money and registration MUST be received by Saturday, February 22, 2020. There will be no on-site registration. No confirmation letters will be sent.

TIMES: Check in is 8:00 to 8:30 a.m. The Players Meeting is at 8:30 a.m. (All competitors must attend). Round 1 begins at 9:00 am. Each round will take approximately one hour. There will be no scheduled lunch break and no food will be provided. Players should bring their own sack lunch and snacks to eat in between rounds. This is a 5-round, non-elimination tournament - players should plan to participate in all five rounds. The tournament should end around 3:00-3:30.

TIME CONTROL: Time control is G/30 (30 minutes, per player, per game). A clock may be placed on games still in progress 40 minutes after the round start time, with each player getting 10 minutes. Most of the children are not experienced with chess clocks. We will explain how to use the clock to the children, as needed.

PRIZES: In each division, the top finishers will be awarded trophies. Participation awards will be given to non-trophy winners. Awards ceremony will follow the final round and will occur mid-late afternoon, after Round 5 is completed. Ties for trophies will be broken with the following tie-break systems: 1. Modified Median 2. Solkoff 3. Cumulative.

LOCATION: Overland High School, 12400 E. Jewel Ave; Aurora (Enter west side of Overland High School off Jewel Ave. (just east of Peoria St.), go south to the rear of Overland HS and park. Enter Overland HS from the south entrance.

SUPERVISION: Good behavior of all participants is expected. All players 12 years old and younger must have a parent/guardian present for the entire tournament. While parents are not allowed in the competition area once a round begins, parents are required to supervise their children between each round. If it becomes clear a child does not have supervision between rounds, he/she will forfeit the opportunity to compete further and will be asked to leave.

QUESTIONS: Todd Bardwick, 303-770-6696, tbardwick@yahoo.com

Mail checks and the attached entry form to: Cherry Creek Chess
1 Red Fox Lane
Englewood, CO 80111

Lunch will not be provided. Bring snacks, beverages, and lunch for your child. Every child needs adult supervision for the entire tournament. Parents are not to drop off their children for the day and leave them unattended.

No confirmation letters will be sent. If your registration arrives after 200 players are registered, you will be notified at the phone number listed on your entry form. Checks will be deposited after the tournament.

For any last minute tournament updates, please refer to the Cherry Creek District Website > Programs and Services > Gifted and Talented Services > Chess Tournament

If the district cancels activities/events on February 29 due to inclement weather, the Tournament will take place on Sunday, March 1st (same times).

PLEASE SAVE THIS PAGE FOR YOUR OWN INFORMATION
2020 CHERRY CREEK SCHOOL DISTRICT CHESS TOURNAMENT
REGISTRATION FORM

NAME___________________________________________________

ADDRESS________________________________________________

CITY _____________________ ZIP CODE ____________

HOME PHONE ________________ ALTERNATE PHONE ____________

SCHOOL __________________________ GRADE____ MALE___FEMALE___

PARENT’S NAME ____________________________________________

EMAIL ADDRESS (PRINT CLEARLY) ______________________________

USCF RATING ________________
(For pairing purposes only. If you do not have a rating or don’t know what a rating is, leave blank.)

Parent/Guardian Signature_______________________________________

Please attach a check for $20.00 made out to Cherry Creek School District and mail with this entry form to: Cherry Creek Chess
1 Red Fox Lane
Englewood, CO 80111

Entries must be received by February 22, 2020

SIGN UP EARLY!
TOURNAMENT IS LIMITED TO THE FIRST 200 STUDENTS

Photos will be taken at this event for potential coverage on the Cherry Creek School District website. If you do not want your child’s photo published, please contact Todd Bardwick on tournament day.
CHERRY CREEK SCHOOL DISTRICT
CAREER FAIR
Saturday, February 29, 2020

Questions?
Email us at:
jobfair@cherrycreekschools.org
An Equal Opportunity Employer

LICENCED

SPECIALIZED SERVICES

EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT

TRANSPORTATION

Onsite Interviews 8AM – 2PM
Fremont Building
14603 E Fremont Ave
Centennial, CO 80112

- Sign up at:
  http://cherrycreekschools.org/jobfair
- Fill out an application online at:
  http://applyto.cherrycreekschools.org/workspace/