THIS WEEK AT CCHS Academics, Artistry, Athletics, Attitude

October 18 to October 22

Please check our "This Week at CCHS" posted on our website along with an up to date CCHS Events Calendar <u>http://cchs.crps.ca/</u>.

PLEASE READ: School Council

We need your support. We held our first school council meeting virtually on **September 21 at 7:00pm.** While this first meeting was held virtually, we did not have many families join the meeting. I encourage you to join our school council meetings. The commitment is small, with the school council meeting only once a month for ~ an hour with little to no extra commitments outside of these meetings. The school council is an advisory body to the principal and is a wonderful place to come and learn about our school and provide feedback on how our school can best meet the learning needs of our students. This upcoming meeting includes our AGM where we share the happenings at our school for last year and look forward to the coming year by revisiting our goals and selecting the executive positions for the upcoming year. Please come join us and learn about these roles and how you can support our awesome little school. CCHS Virtual School Council Meeting Oct 19 @ 7 pm (Link)

COVID INFORMATION – student masks

Students are required to wear masks in the public areas in the school as per both directives outlined by <u>Alberta Health Services</u> and the Canadian Rockies <u>Reentry</u> <u>plan</u> for 2021/22. We want to thank families and students for supporting this important protocol. At the start of the school year we were giving students masks when they forgot to bring one to school until they could get into the routine. Now that we have been back at school for 7 weeks, students now know the expectations and should be familiar with the routine. **Please remind your student to bring a mask to school.** We are finding some students are simply relying on the school for their mask. We cannot continue supply masks because students are forgetful. If you are unable to provide a mask for your child, please notify us and we will provide cloth masks for your student.

School Fees

Canmore Collegiate High School fees are now available on PowerSchool Parent Portal. Debit or credit card payments can be made online through your Parent Portal https://powerschool.crps.ca/public/. As per Canadian Rockies School Division's Administrative Procedure 503, payment for school fees is due 30 days after invoicing. Please contact Sarah Mckay (sarah.mckay@crps.ca) to make payment arrangements if unable to pay within 30 days or if you have any questions.

<u>Sport</u>

It's exhilarating to have our sports teams back competing in school with the support of our community. Teams in school provide our students with an opportunity to have a well balanced school experience. While limited spectators are allowed in alignment with our Covid 19 protocols, please remember that all spectators are required to wear a mask and socially distance when cheering on our Wolverines.

Please continue to check out upcoming dates on our school website calendar.

For more detailed information please check out our daily announcements.

The Week Ahead

*** Full Roster of sport -<u>check the school calendar</u>

Monday October 18, 2021

• Grab and Go Breakfast – Carts in the hall 8:00am – 8:15 am. Start up your day with a healthy breakfast. Also Grab a snack for class.

Tuesday, October 19, 2021

- CCHS Virtual School Council Meeting @ 7pm (<u>link</u>)
- Photo Retake Day
- GSA Regular Meeting @ Lunch Mr. McQueen's class (all welcome)

Wednesday, October 20, 2021

- Wolvergreens Regular Meeting @ Lunch Mme. Suffields class (all welcome)
- Student Council Regular Meeting @ Lunch Mr. Skinner's class (all welcome)

Thursday, October 21, 2021

• Synthetic Biology Team - Regular Meeting @ Lunch Room 1001 - come check it out !

Friday October 22, 2021

• Grab and Go Breakfast – Carts in the hall 8:00am – 8:15 am. Start up your day with a healthy breakfast. Also Grab a snack for class.

Some Key Dates you do not want to miss.

- November 2 Last day of Quarter 1 classes
- November 3 Parent Teacher Student Interviews 5-8
- November 4 Parent Teacher Student Interviews 5-8
- November 5 Parent Teacher Student Interviews 8:30 11:30

Other Information Student Attendance

A reminder that if your student will be late for class or leaving class early, please Call the attendance line at 403-678- 6192 ext 1.

Lates:

All students who are late for class must obtain a late slip from the office. A late slip from the office does not excuse a student from being late. The late slip is a way that administration communicates with the classroom teacher if the student's late is an excused or unexcused late.

Leaving class early:

If your student must leave school early for the day or for part of the day, for an appointment, please notify the school. Students must sign in and out of the office if they are leaving school or returning after an appointment (note this in not required during lunch hour).



Check out the Post Secondary Link on our school website to learn about upcoming information! Link to the website is here

Extra Curricular News

As a school we are working hard to balance the requirement to keep our students safe with social distancing, good hand hygiene and masking, with extra curricular initiatives. We do ask that students who are not directly working with teachers or involved in an extracurricular activity leave school at 3:30 so that we can properly clean our spaces.

Adulting 101

October session: The Nutritious Kitchen Class

This class is good for youth in grades 10-12 who are interested learning how to cook simple, healthy and budget friendly meals. The 90-minute zoom class will be led by a registered dietician. In the class you will learn how to cook meals that are

- Healthy
- Delicious
- Easy
- Budget-friendly
- Great for 1-2 people

You will also learn where to get the best healthy recipes and who you can follow on social media for healthy eating inspiration! At the end of the session participants have an opportunity to win an Adulting 101 bag filled with cooking and nutrition essentials.

Pre-requisites: none

Equipment needed: computer with access to Zoom **When:** October 19: 7:00-8:30 p.m. Register here https://bit.ly/canmoreadulting101 or email fcssadmin@canmore.ca

CRPS Homestay Program - Hosts needed 2021/2022

Our homestay families are an integral part of the International Student Program. CRPS is now accepting host applications for the Homestay Program for the 2021/2022 school year. Remuneration of \$1,025 is paid monthly per student. CRPS has COVID-19 protocols that international students must follow prior to arriving and upon arrival, including a mandatory 14-day quarantine period. For more information please <u>click here</u>.



Parents please ensure you can logon to Parent Portal. Look for the PowerSchool button on our school webpage or <u>click here</u>. This is where you will access daily updates on your student's marks and attendance, school fees and more. Final term report cards are also shared with you through Parent Portal and are not mailed out from the school.

** Alberta Education has now made student access to their official transcript of marks available to all grade 10- 12 student available through a myPass account (<u>myPass.alberta.ca</u>). Grade 10 marks will first appear after the first semester.

Check out our Daily School Announcements <u>here</u>. 2021 -2022 School Calendar

Missing important happenings at CCHS? But are awash in emails? Find information through one of the medium listed below. Get connected become involved.

- Follow us on Facebook (here)
- Join us on Twitter for quick updates. @CCHS_Canmore
- Follow us on Instagram cchs.canmore
- Follow our YouTube channel for happenings at CCHS in 60-90 secs. <u>Collegiate</u> <u>Corner</u>
- Check out our Daily School Announcements <u>here</u>.
- 2020/2021 Student Handbook is <u>here</u>. Find important CCHS dates such as parent/teacher interviews, course change information, exams and much more.

News

Bow Valley Settlement Services Information Newsletter now posted-<u>Now found here.</u>

**In response to parent feedback to make the "This Week" more streamlined we have moved much of the recurring information such as how to Pay School Fees, Excuse Abscences, Get a Transcript of Grades etc... to this HOW TO page. We hope this helps. Please feel free to contact the Principal Chris Rogers (<u>chris.rogers@crps.ca</u>) with feedback or suggestions or use our feedback <u>link here</u>