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A Message from Principal Brooks

Dear families,

I wanted to take a minute and welcome two new members of the CHMS family...Mr. Jon Capen and Ms. Makeda Johnson. Mr. Capen joined us a few weeks ago following Mr. Ferri's retirement. He is teaching 7th grade science and knows many of you as he lives in our community. Ms. Johnson has come on board to fill in for Ms. Jacobs who recently gave birth to a healthy baby boy, Finnegan! Ms. Johnson joins us from University Park Creative Arts Academy where she served as a literacy coach. We are so grateful to have both of them on our team

Our registration process for next year will be starting up at the end of this month. We will host our rising 6th grade families the week of March 24th and our in-house 7/8 grade students on the 31st. Be on the lookout soon for more information. Also, applications for NJHS went home this week. If your child is applying please make sure that he/she takes the application process seriously as these are scored on a rubric. They also need to be submitted on time in order to be considered for membership. If you have any questions, please reach out to [Ms. Valerie Johnson](#).

March

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| 13 | Teacher Luncheon |
| 14 | Cavalier Family Day Out-
Papa Murphy's |
| 19 | Cavalier Family Day Out
- Menchie's |
| 20 | 8th Grade Celebration
Meeting |
| 20-26 | Book Fair |
| 26 | Cavalier Family Day Out
- On the Border |
| 27 | Teacher Workday |

April

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| 9 | Teacher Workday |
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March 13 is the next Teacher Luncheon. Sign up to bring food or help serve. All help is greatly appreciated!

[Sign Up](#)

Have a great week,

Jamie

Useful Links



8th Grade Celebrations Are Coming

8th Grade families be on the lookout for a letter coming home with your student with important information and dates regarding end-of-year events and promotion ceremonies. There are plenty of exciting things to celebrate the last year of middle school.

Please remember that these events are paid for by the 8th Grade End of Year Event Fees paid by each 8th grade family. You can pay them now on www.pay4schoolstuff.com.

Volunteers are Needed

Anyone in interested in making this celebration outstanding, please attend an interest meeting on Friday, March 20 at 9:30 AM in the PTO room (right beside the office).

News from AK

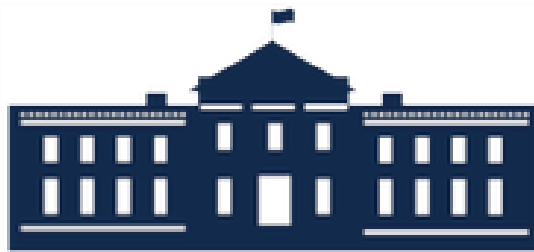
AK Football Interest Meeting

April 21, 2020



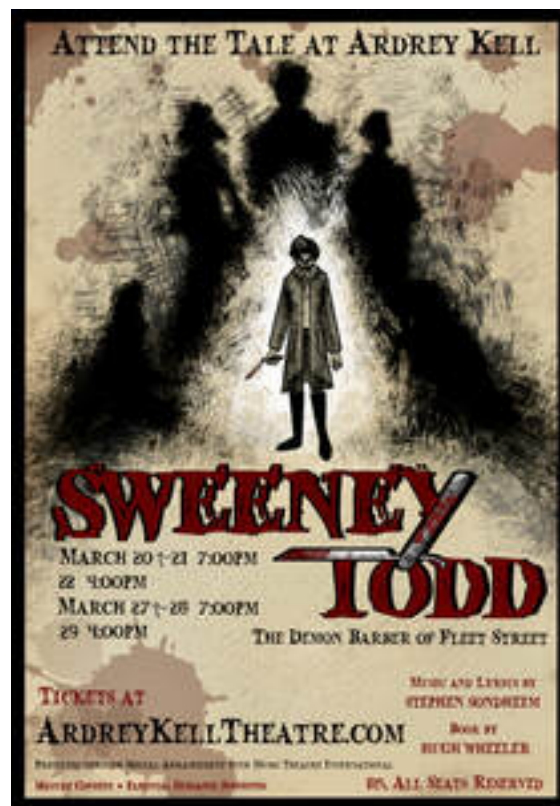
There will be a football interest meeting for all rising freshmen who are planning on playing football at Ardrey Kell. The meeting is for students and parents. Join Coach Greg Jachym on Tuesday, April 21 at 6PM in the AK Auditorium.

[Questions?](#)



**Wishing the 8th
Graders a
wonderful & safe
DC trip!**

AK Theater Presents



March 20-22 and March 27-29

\$15 - All Seats Reserved

Mature Content

Parental Guidance Suggested

Odyssey of the Mind Team takes 1st at Central Region Tournament

Taran Karthik Bellam, Sneha Kethan, and Nethra Gopalakrishnan, 6th graders at CHMS, were part of a team that took home 1st place in their division at the Central Region Tournament. The team now advances to the State Tournament on March 21, 2020.

Their team also won the prestigious Ranatra Fusca Award for their outstanding out of the box thinking and creative style. This award was only given to 2 out of 80 teams competing.

Congratulations Taran, Sneha, and Nethra! Good Luck at States!

Supporting CHMS is Tasty



Papa Murphy's March 14, 2020 from 11:00 AM to 8:00 PM

Cavalier Family Nights Out are a great way to help CHMS PTO raise money to help CHMS. Local businesses give a percent of the profit from each family event. Don't forget to mention that you are with CHMS.



Menchie's Frozen Yogurt March 19, 2020 from 3:00 to 8:00 PM

Cavalier Family Nights Out are also an opportune time to socialize and catch up with your school community. What is better than time with friends while raising money for your school?

If you would like to contribute information to the Courier, please email [CHMS PTO](#). All submissions are due by Thursday in order to appear in the Courier for Sunday. Please note that as of September 15, 2019, the Courier will be biweekly.

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