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Day Without Hate is coming on April 26, 2019. It seems like a long time away, but now is the time to order your amazing Day Without Hate t-shirt for this year! It's the best deal around - just \$5 each - and all profits go to scholarships for Jeffco high school students who have helped make this annual observance a truly impactful day. For more information about Day Without Hate, please go to http://daywithouthate.org/. To place an order for your t-shirts, please fill out this form so Bell's Interact Club can place our school order. More information including this year's design is on the form or you can contact Nancy Paricio at nparicio@jeffco.k12.co.us. **Orders are due by noon on Thursday, March 14 to be guaranteed**.



Hello All - Screenagers tickets are going fast, as we're opening up registrations to area schools and incoming students to Bell. We do want Bell students to have first dibs though on seeing this most informative screening! If you haven't yet, please register to reserve your spot. Remember, students are FREE and parents are only \$5. Click here to register and for more information:

https://impactflow.com/event/presented-by-bell-middle-school-pta-10160

**Reminder - Bell After School Policies - We are unable to provide general supervision for students after 2:20, as teachers and admin are involved in meetings most afternoons. Therefore, unless with a teacher (for clubs, tutoring, etc.) or involved in the Middle School Sports Program after school, all students are to leave Bell by 2:20. If students are waiting for rides after 2:20, they must be in the office. This is to ensure the safety of all our students. Thank you.

LOST AND FOUND: Are you missing a winter coat, sweatshirt, lunch box, or water bottle? Our Lost and Found is <u>OVERFLOWING</u>. If you are missing an item, please have your student look through the lost and found bin, or feel free to come in and take a look. **All items will be donated before Spring Break**.

CMAS 2019

As you are probably aware, the state required CMAS testing window is approaching. Please **save these dates** to ensure as many students as possible are here for testing sessions. While we will hold make-up sessions, students tend to do better when they test with their peers. Participating in make-up sessions also pulls students out of the classroom during instructional times. It is also important that students arrive on time. Students who arrive after a session starts cannot go into their classroom until after the testing session is complete. Thank you for helping ensure every student can do his or her best!

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CMAS Test Schedules:

Testing Schedule - 6th Grade

• April 2, 3, 4 (all day)

Testing Schedule - 7th & 8th Grade

• April 9, 10, 11 (all day)

Testing Schedule - 8th Grade Science

April 16 (all day)

Cell Phones & CMAS

Cell phones **may not** be in any testing session during the above testing dates. Students are encouraged to:

- Leave their phones at home
- Store their phones in the locker all day
- Leave their phones in the front office

If a student is found with their phone in a testing location, disciplinary actions will be taken.

No Contact Day for 6th & 7th Grade Students

On Tuesday, April 16th we have scheduled a flex day for our 8th grade students to complete the 2019 Science CMAS test. Only 8th grade students will be attending school on this day. Please make note of this important day on your calendars.

<u>Argentina Trip Update</u>: 7th graders who are interested in the 8th grade summer trip to Argentina (June 2020) have an opportunity to sign up by April 2nd and receive a \$100 discount off of the tour fee. Please contact Lori Ranney <u>lori.ranney@jeffco.k12.co.us</u> for more information. You can also visit the tour website at explorica.com/ranney-6094 for more information.



Students, you're invited to join us for the new **Rubik's Cube Club!** We will meet on Tuesday, March 12th from 2:15pm - 3pm in room G27 with Officer Hall and Mr. Haberkorn. We'll be teaching ways to solve the cube and discuss competition and games in the future. NO EXPERTISE NECESSARY!! Please bring your own cube!

BOBCATS OF THE WEEK CONGRATULATIONS! Keep up the good work! GRADE 6:

Amelia Brown for being Accountable Emilie Pallagi for being Accountable

GRADE 7

Janet Harshfield for being Accountable Presley Kirkpatrick for being Respectful

GRADE 8

Adrian Blazejczyk for being Respectful Sydney Hard for being Optimistic

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Is your **son planning to play Football at Golden High School next year?** Do not miss this important meeting about the upcoming season.

Football Meeting:

Monday, March 18th

6:30 pm check-in & **6:45pm** meeting in the Golden High School Library.

This is a **very important parent/player meeting** for the 2019 Football season. **Please have your son and at least one parent attend.** I will cover important information about the upcoming season.

Agenda:

- 1. Program Vision/Player Expectations
- 2. Important Spring/Summer Dates & Cost
- 3. How to get involved as a Parent
- 4. Frequently Asked Questions
- 5. Booster Club Announcements

Thank you in advance for taking time out of your day to attend. A parent will have to sign showing you attended the meeting and received the information. Have a good day and GO DEMONS!!

Coach Yano <u>FOOTBALL WEBSITE</u> **Jared Yannacito**, Head Football Coach at Golden High School



MULTI STEM is hosting the 2nd annual **free Discover STEM event** for parents and elementary/middle school students! The Bug Chicks will be emceeing and giving an inspiring keynote talk!

Date/time: Saturday, March 16, 2019, 10am-12pm

<u>Location</u>: Baerresen Ballroom (Tivoli 320), Auraria Campus, 900 Auraria

Pkwy, Denver, CO 80204

Parking: FREE in 7th Street Garage only

Discover STEM is a free, family-friendly event for K-12 students, parents and educators featuring hands-on activities, resources, prize drawings and more! Experience virtual reality, play with robots, learn about 3D printers and examine the wonders of nature. Check out our <u>event page</u> for updates and more information! No registration required.