

TO: TAVELLI PARENTS  
FROM: MS. CHRISTINE HENDRICKS, PRINCIPAL/LINDA FOREMAN, OFFICE 488-6725  
DATE: THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2023  
SUBJECT: IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS and DATES

### Tavelli Important Dates to Remember:

Feb. 27	Read Across America Spirit Week, wear your favorite hat 🌸
Feb. 28	Read Across America Spirit Week, wear bright colors 🌸
Mar. 1	Read Across America Spirit Week, wear your Tavelli T-shirt 🌸
Mar. 2	Read Across America Spirit Week, wear your pajamas or comfy clothes 🌸
Mar. 2	An Evening of Reading, 5:30-6:30 p.m. 🏃
Mar. 3	Read Across America Spirit Week, dress as what you want to be when you grow up 🌸
Mar. 9	Battle of the Books Competition, Specials time for 3-5 grade 🌸
Mar. 9	Dream Team Skate Party, 5:00-8:00 p.m. Rollerland
Mar. 11-19	PSD Spring Break
Mar. 23	PTO Meeting, 6:00-7:00 p.m., Tavelli Media Center
Mar. 27-Apr. 28	CMAS Testing Window
Mar. 27	Tavelli Running Club begins 🏃

🌸 Denotes a PTO sponsored event/funds

🏃 Denotes a Wellness event



**1. Celebrating Reading All Week Long** – Next Monday marks the beginning of Read Across America Week and we are celebrating with a week's worth of spirit days. Help us celebrate by coming in your favorite hat on Monday, February 27<sup>th</sup>. The remainder of the week's spirit days are Tuesday—you shine like a star, so wear bright colors; Wednesday is Tavelli t-shirt day; Thursday, dress in your pajamas or comfy clothes, Friday dress as what you want to be when you grow up! Looking forward to a week of fun while we celebrate reading. 🌸

**2. Come Join Us for an Evening of Reading** – Thursday March 2 we will continue our celebration of Read Across America week with an evening of reading in the Pods. Bring your favorite stuffy, books and a grown-up to share the joy of reading for an hour, 5:30-6:30 p.m. We hope to see you there! 🌸

**3. Healthy Kid's Club 5210+ Challenge** – The Challenge ends next Tuesday, February 28<sup>th</sup>. Submit your log online at [www.redcap.link/2023challenge5210](http://www.redcap.link/2023challenge5210) Online submissions will be accepted beginning the 28<sup>th</sup> and the final day to submit is Sunday, March 5<sup>th</sup>. 🏃

**4. Get Ready for the Battle of the Books!** – The competition date is set—Thursday, March 9<sup>th</sup> all the hard-working teams will be competing against each other for the opportunity to go to the district competition. The contest will be held in the Tavelli gym, the times are as follows: 4<sup>th</sup> Graders, 8:55-9:40; 3<sup>rd</sup> Graders, 10:35-11:20 and 5<sup>th</sup> Graders 11:50-12:35. Parents are invited to attend, please enter the school through the south-west door by the gym. Good luck to all our teams! 🌸

**5. The Tiger Trek Walk-a-thon is March 30th!** --Tavelli PTO's biggest fundraiser of the year kicks off next week when students will bring home pledge packets to start collecting individual monetary donations that will support our new nature center, field trips, wellness programs, teacher appreciation, community events and more! Businesses can help us now through sponsorship of the event. **Look for the business sponsorship form in your child's weekly folder today and remember that pledge packets are coming home March 1st. Is your child interested in designing this year's shirt? Please see the flyer attached to this note.**



**6. Tavelli Running Club is returning!** – We will be hosting our Spring Running Club beginning the week of March 27<sup>th</sup>. Running club for 3-5 Graders will be Monday mornings, K-2 Graders will run on Thursday

mornings. Look for a sign-up sheet coming home March 2<sup>nd</sup>. Running club will be limited to the first 100 runners in each group. 🐾

**7. Young Rembrandts Art Program is Coming to Tavelli** – We will be hosting this art program on Fridays from 3:30-4:30 beginning Friday, March 24<sup>th</sup>. Classes will be held in the Art Room. Enroll online at [www.youngrembrandts.com/fortcollinsco-cheyennewy/](http://www.youngrembrandts.com/fortcollinsco-cheyennewy/) An electronic flyer is also attached to today's email.

**8. Tavelli PTO has a new website!** [www.TavelliPTO.org](http://www.TavelliPTO.org) -- Learn about upcoming events and be the first to know about volunteer opportunities using the PTO newsletter sign up at [www.TavelliPTO.org](http://www.TavelliPTO.org). You can also participate on the PTO Board or become a general member through the Join Now link. All interests and abilities are needed and encouraged! 🐾

**9. Chess Wizards is Offering Chess Lessons at Tavelli** – Join the Chess Wizards community today for fun, friendship, and some serious chess skills. All experience levels are welcome. Classes will be offered in the Science Lab from 3:35-4:35 p.m. on Thursdays beginning January 19<sup>th</sup>. Check out the program here: [www.chesswizards.com/](http://www.chesswizards.com/)

**10. Second Round School of Choice** – The second round for school of choice is now open. If you have moved out of the Tavelli attendance area, but want your students to continue to attend here, please go to <https://www.psdschools.org/schools/school-options-choice> and register for school of choice. Students who have already been accepted for school of choice and are attending this year do not need to register, but siblings who have not yet been accepted as school of choice will need to register.

**11. Please Keep Your Child Home if They Are Not Feeling Well** – If your child is experiencing any signs of illness (fever, chills, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fatigue, muscle or body aches, headache, sore throat, congestion, runny nose, nausea, vomiting or diarrhea) please keep them home and contact the attendance line at 488-6726. Our Health Office Technician, Monica will be contacting families with ill students. If your student is home with COVID-like symptoms and hasn't had a known exposure, you may administer an at-home COVID test. Please take a photo of the result and email it to Monica Smith, our Health Technician at [msmith@psdschools.org](mailto:msmith@psdschools.org) Thanks for your help with this.

**12. Cash for Caps** – If you have milk delivered from Morning Fresh Dairy, we can use your **clean** caps! Morning Fresh will give us five cents per cap turned in. There is a collection box for your **clean** caps available in the Tavelli Office. 🐾

**13. Link Your King Soopers Card to Tavelli!** – By linking your King Soopers card, Tavelli PTO will collect 5% of your grocery bill. Check out the Tavelli PTO website for instructions. 🐾

**Community Dates to Remember** (*Please note: Poudre School District does not endorse or take responsibility for programs or activities sponsored by other organizations.*)

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| <b>Feb. 25</b> | Rocky Baseball Camp, Rocky Mountain High School, Ages 8-11 9:00 a.m. to Noon, \$75/camper register: <a href="http://www.rmbaseball.net">www.rmbaseball.net</a>   |
| <b>Feb. 25</b> | Mini Impalas Dance Clinic, \$40 includes t-shirt, sparkly barrette, dance clinic and entrance to showcase, Poudre High School Registration <a href="http://www.poudrepoms.com">www.poudrepoms.com</a>              |
| <b>Mar. 25</b> | Fossil Ridge Cheerleading Mini Clinic, Grades K-5, \$50 includes t-shirt, poms, snack 9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. FRHS gym, Infor., <a href="mailto:frhsminiclinics@gmail.com">frhsminiclinics@gmail.com</a> 858-864-6022 |

Please visit the Tavelli Website <https://tav.psdschools.org/>

