

TO: TAVELLI PARENTS
FROM: MS. CHRISTINE HENDRICKS, PRINCIPAL/LINDA FOREMAN, OFFICE 488-6725
DATE: THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2024
SUBJECT: IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS and DATES

Tavelli Important Dates to Remember:

Sept. 1-30 PTO Spirit Gear Sale/Student Directory 🐾
Sept. 13 PTO Movie Night, Tavelli Field, 7:45 p.m. 🐾
Sept. 17 Picture Day
Sept. 20 Dream Team Tutor Applications Due
Sept. 20 PTO deadline for \$25 King Soopers gift card (see note) 🐾
Sept. 23 No School for PSD students, Staff work day
Sept. 26 Dream Team Tutor Training
Sept. 27 Canvas Community Classic Football Game, 7:00 p.m. Canvas Stadium, CSU
Sept. 30 PTO Student Directory Deadline 🐾
Oct. 1 Dream Team starts 🐾
Oct. 2 PTO Meeting, 8:30-9:45 a.m., Tavelli 🐾
Oct. 3 Dream Team Fundraiser at Rollerland, 5:00-8:00 p.m.



🐾 Denotes a PTO sponsored event/funds

🚶 Denotes a Wellness event

- 1. Family Movie Night** – Check your children’s backpacks for a bag of microwave popcorn that you can pop and bring back tomorrow night (9/13 at 7:45 pm) when we watch Migration (PG, 1 hour 22 min) on the Tavelli lawn. Don’t forget chairs and blankets. Children must be accompanied by an adult and the playground will be closed for safety. In the event of unfavorable weather, we will move into the cafeteria, so please avoid sticky drinks and treats if we move indoors. This is a drug- and alcohol-free event. Please no pets and no glass. 🐾
- 2. School Pictures** – Next Tuesday, September 17th is picture day here at Tavelli. Skillman Photography will be at Tavelli to take photos of all students. If you would like to purchase a package, order forms are coming home with every student today. Please fill out the order, including payment in the envelope provided and return it to your child’s classroom picture by the 17th. If you send cash, please include exact change.
- 3. Do You Have a Green Thumb?** – Our Tavelli garden on the southwest side of the building could use some additional people to help with watering chores. Please visit this site to sign up:
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090C4AAEA728A5F85-51178170-teacher>
Thanks in advance for your help!
- 4. Spirit Gear** -- Order from Sept. 1-30 to get this year's new Tiger gear, which includes new shirt designs, hoodies and a ballcap. All purchases by students and family members will help PTO earn 10% back for student and staff programs. A flyer went home last week or you can place your [order here](#). 🐾
- 5. Dream Team Tutors, We Need You!** – If you are a 4th or 5th grade student interested in becoming a Dream Team Tutor, please make sure to fill out the application that was sent home, **Applications are due next Friday, September 20th**. If you have questions, please contact Mr. Deakin rdeakin@psdschools.org 🐾
- 6. King Soopers Community Rewards** -- Want to win a \$25 King Soopers gift card? Just a couple minutes of your time can help us earn money with the shopping you already do at any Kroger brand store (even out-of-town family members can participate!). Instructions for linking your shopper card to Tavelli PTO (#HA811) are on the Donate page of www.TavelliPTO.org. Send a screenshot of your enrollment to TavelliPTO@gmail.com by Sept. 20 and be entered to win the gift card. 🐾

7. Tavelli Directory – PTO is creating a student directory and we invite you to participate! Please go to <https://tinyurl.com/TavelliDirectory2425> by Sept. 30 and enter your contact information. The directory will be shared electronically only with participating families. *This PTO-sponsored directory is for personal use only and is not to be used for sales or marketing. Tavelli Elementary is not responsible for this directory or information included.* 🐾

8. Canvas Community Classic - Come cheer on PSD high school football teams at the Canvas Community Classic on Friday, Sept. 27 at Canvas Stadium! Students are encouraged to wear any Tavelli shirts they already have. Wellington plays Timnath at 4:30 p.m. and Poudre takes on Rocky Mountain at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are free for PSD students and staff and \$15 for adults. Tickets will be available at CSURams.com soon or at the gate on game day.

9. New Time for PTO Meetings! - Please join us the first Wednesday of the month from 8:30-9:45 am at Tavelli or via Zoom. All dates and the Zoom link are on the Tavelli PTO website, www.TavelliPTO.org. 🐾

10. Safety First! – Parents, when you are dropping your students off or picking them up in the back loop, please have your child exit and enter your vehicle from the passenger side. We also ask that you keep your student in the car until you reach the drop-off/pick-up area where staff is available to help. We have had some instances of students running across the flow of traffic to reach the building. If everyone follows the procedure, drop-off and pick up will go much more smoothly. Thanks for your help with this.

11. Student Absences – **When your student is missing school, please call the attendance line, 970-488-6726 or report the absence on parentvue.** If your child has a fever of 100.4 or higher or has vomiting or diarrhea they must remain out of school until 24 hours have passed since the last symptoms were experienced. In the case of fevers, students must be fever-free for 24 hours without fever-reducing medication. Thanks for helping us control the spread of illness!

12. When Tavelli PTO raises money, your students win! – There are numerous ways you can help PTO earn money and pay for student experiences. For instance, do you shop at American Furniture Warehouse or get milk from Morning Fresh Dairy? When you mention Tavelli PTO at AFW checkout and turn in your milk caps to the Tavelli office, those companies give back. Learn more at <https://www.tavellipto.org/donate> 🐾

13. Visitors/Volunteers in the Building – Once again, visitors and volunteers will be asked to check in at the office before going into a classroom, the field or the cafeteria. Please bring your Driver's license or Colorado ID with you into the office, where it will be scanned into the system. All visitors and volunteers are provided with a badge to wear for the duration of their time at school. A staff member will accompany visitors if they are moving through the building. Due to PSD guidelines, we will not be allowing visitors to accompany their children to the playground after lunch. To register as a volunteer, please go to: <https://www.psdschools.org/community/volunteers>

14. Let's be Good Neighbors – If you are coming to school to volunteer, or you are having lunch with your child and will be on the premises for some time, please make sure you haven't parked in front of our Miramont Drive neighbors' mailboxes. The post office requires that 5 feet on either side of a mailbox be clear, or the mail won't be delivered. If you are coming to school after 8:30 and leaving before 2:30, it is perfectly fine to park in front of our building in the bus lane. Thanks for your cooperation!



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

