

**TO: TAVELLI PARENTS**  
**FROM: MS. CHRISTINE HENDRICKS, PRINCIPAL/LINDA FOREMAN, OFFICE 488-6725**  
**DATE: THURSDAY, JANUARY 16, 2020**  
**SUBJECT: IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS and DATES**

**SKATE PARTY TONIGHT! – SEE YOU AT ROLLERLAND, WE WILL BE SKATING FROM 5:00-8:00 P.M. MAKE SURE TO MENTION TAVELLI TO GET A \$1 DISCOUNT FOR THE EVENING’S ENTERTAINMENT. PROCEEDS GO TO OUR DREAM TEAM PROGRAM. SEE YOU AT THE RINK! 🐾**

### **Tavelli Important Dates to Remember**

**Jan. 16** Kindergarten Registration for 2020-2021 Students, 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.  
**Jan. 16** Dream Team Skate Party, 5:00-8:00 p.m., Rollerland 🐾  
**Jan. 16** Spirit Day—dress as your favorite movie character  
**Jan. 17** 1<sup>st</sup> Consideration School of Choice Deadline, Noon  
**Jan. 20** No School for PSD Students, Martin Luther King Jr. Day  
**Jan. 27-31** Tavelli Great Contest Challenge  
**Jan. 29** PTO Meeting, 5:30-6:30 p.m., Media Center 🐾  
**Feb. 17** No School for Pre-K-12 Students, Staff Collaboration Day  
**Feb. 26** PTO Meeting, 5:30-6:30 p.m., Media Center

🐾 Denotes a Wellness Event

🐾 Denotes a PTO Sponsored/Volunteer Opportunity or Funded Event

- 1. Tavelli is participating in The Great Kindness Challenge!** -- What is it: The Great Kindness Challenge is a proactive and positive bullying prevention initiative that improves school climate and increases student engagement. The Great Kindness Challenge - School Edition is one week devoted to performing as many acts of kindness as possible on campus. Using kindness checklists, students accept the challenge and show the world that KINDNESS MATTERS!
- 2. Spirit Day Tomorrow!** – Tavelli Students have filled our letter “E” with positive Tiger Paws, so we will have a spirit day tomorrow. Students may come dressed as their favorite movie character. Please remember to wear appropriate clothing for the school day.
- 3. Just a reminder from the PTO that there are many ways to provide financially for our student services without spending any extra money!!**
  - Do you shop at American Furniture Warehouse? If so, 2-4% of your purchases can be donated back to Tavelli!!! Tavelli is now a registered school partner with AMF!! When you check out, just let the store know you'd like your funds to be directed to Tavelli (partner code TVLLI6). Share this news with your friends, family and neighbors!!! It's free money for Tavelli! So far, we have earned \$165 this year through this program!
  - Box Tops: Simply download the app and scan your grocery receipt each time you shop!
  - King Soopers: Register your loyalty card online and earmark your funds to be directed to Tavelli. We have 145 households participating in the King Soopers loyalty card program, and from October to December of 2019, we raised over \$3000 for Tavelli!"
  - Turn in your Morning Fresh Milk Caps to the school office!
  - Continue to order Spirit Gear (available on the PTO website).

We (and our students) thank you for all your support--our students love their field trips, Eco Week, clubs and other activities that are supported by these funds! 🐾

**4. Clubs and Enrichment Classes Available at Tavelli** – We have added a Mad Science Enrichment Class, Magic, Mysteries, & Movies to our available clubs at Tavelli and Kid’s Yoga is back after break. Other ongoing clubs available include: Girl Scout Daisy Troop for Kindergarten and First Graders, and Chessmates. **Flyers are available in the parent information area in our front entrance.**

**5. Looking for Answers?** – The Tavelli Website has lots of information for all your questions. Please visit our website: <https://tav.psdschools.org/>

**6. Take note:** Please do not park in front of our neighbors’ mailboxes or driveways. Our mail carrier requested that we remind people to leave an area around mailboxes free so the mail can be delivered safely and in a timely manner. You are free to park in the bus lane daily from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

**7. Morning Drop Off Information** – All our exterior doors lock at 8:50 and staff who work in the back parent drop off area must leave at that time to attend to their duties in the building. If you are dropping your child off after the bell rings at 8:50, please come around to the front. You can send your child into the building and we will sign them in. Thanks for your help with this.

**8. School of Choice** – If your children have already been accepted as school of choice and are attending Tavelli this year, there is no need to fill out a school of choice application for them for next year. Younger siblings who have not attended Tavelli must be registered as school of choice students. **If you have moved out of our attendance area and would like to continue to attend Tavelli next year, please fill out a school of choice application for your student.** Applications are found online at [www.psdschools.org](http://www.psdschools.org). **The school of choice deadline for all PSD students is noon Friday, January 17, 2020.** If you have questions, please contact the Tavelli office, 488-6725.

**9. Recycle and Help the Art Room** – Ms. Robinson would gladly accept any empty toilet paper, wrapping paper or paper towel tubes for art room projects. You may drop off your donations at the Tavelli office.

**10. A Few Reminders for Parents** – a) If your child is absent from school, please call our attendance line at 488-6726 to let us know your child will be out of school for the day. The office needs daily notification of any absence. In case of extended absences, please let us know when your child will return. b) If your child will be changing after school dismissal plans, please be sure to send a note or give the office a call to explain the change. c) If you need to pick up your child early, please be sure to stop at the office to sign your child out. d) Breakfast begins serving at 8:15 a.m. and the first bell rings at 8:45 a.m. Thank you.

**11. Eat Lunch with Your Students!** – Tavelli welcomes any visitor who would like to eat with their child during their lunch time. If you are eating in the cafeteria with just your child, you may use the back table in the cafeteria for that purpose. If you are eating with your child and some friends, we ask that you eat with the classroom group. If you wish to take your child outside for a picnic lunch in our nature area, please let the lunchroom attendant know that you will be taking your child outside. We can only allow parents to take their own children out of the building for lunch. Thank you for your help! Lunch money can be loaded onto each student's account, or parents can apply for free/reduced meal benefits at [www.psdschools.org](http://www.psdschools.org)

**12. Volunteers at Tavelli** – All Poudre School District volunteers are required to register or update their profile at the PSD website to volunteer at Tavelli or any other school in the district. Any unregistered volunteers or those not cleared by the District will not be allowed in the classrooms. Please make sure to go online to <https://www.psdschools.org/> and follow the directions to register as a volunteer. Don't have access to the web? We can get you registered here at school, just stop in at the office and we can help you get this done. 🐾

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

<b>Jan. 18</b>	PHS Cheer Little's Camp, for girls and boys ages 4-14, PHS Wrestling Gym, 12:00-2:00 p.m., Info. <a href="http://www.poudrecheerboosters.com">www.poudrecheerboosters.com</a>
<b>Jan. 22</b>	PSD Parent Workshop, <i>Marijuana and the Teenage Brain</i> , Fort Collins High School, 6:00-7:00 p.m., info/rsvp Bethany Condon, <a href="mailto:bethanyc@psdschools.org">bethanyc@psdschools.org</a>
<b>Jan. 22</b>	Mental Health Night at Olander, 6:00-8:00 p.m., Free food and Childcare provided, Dinner served from 6:00-6:30 p.m., Olander Media Center
<b>Feb. 5</b>	PSD Parent Workshop, <i>Drug Culture: Music, Clothing, Parties, and more</i> , Fort Collins High School, 6:00-7:00 p.m., info/rsvp Bethany Condon, <a href="mailto:bethanyc@psdschools.org">bethanyc@psdschools.org</a>
<b>Feb. 19</b>	PSD Parent Workshop, <i>Vaping and other substances</i> , Fort Collins High School, 6:00-7:00 p.m., info/rsvp Bethany Condon, <a href="mailto:bethanyc@psdschools.org">bethanyc@psdschools.org</a>



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