

TO: TAVELLI PARENTS
FROM: MS. CHRISTINE HENDRICKS, PRINCIPAL/LINDA FOREMAN, OFFICE 488-6725
DATE: THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2020
SUBJECT: IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS and DATES

Tonight's the night to take off from cooking dinner and head to BeauJo's Pizza for the PTO fundraiser. A second flyer is coming home with the oldest and only today. YOU MUST HAVE THE FLYER TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS FUNDRAISER. Thanks for supporting Tavelli classrooms and students. 🌸

Tavelli Important Dates to Remember

Feb. 1-29 Healthy Kid's Club 5210+ Challenge 🌸
Feb. 13-Mar. 26 Creative Comp Camp, Thursdays, 3:30-5:00 p.m., Tavelli Computer Lab
Feb. 20 PTO Fundraiser at Beaujo's Pizza 🌸
Feb. 26 PTO Meeting, 5:30-6:30 p.m., Media Center
Feb. 27 Kindergarten Game Night, 6:00-7:00 p.m., Tavelli Cafeteria 🌸
Mar. 2 No school for Preschool and Elementary School students, teacher workday
Mar. 3 First Day of Tavelli Running Club, Grades K-2 8:00 a.m.-8:30 a.m. Tavelli field 🌸
Mar. 5 First Day of Tavelli Running Club, Grades 3-5 8:00 a.m.-8:30 a.m. Tavelli field for 🌸
Mar. 10 3rd Grade STEAM Music Performance, "Blast to the Past", 10:00 a.m., Gym
Mar. 11 3rd Grade STEAM Music Performance, "Blast to the Past", 10:00 a.m. 6:00 p.m., Gym
Mar. 16-20 No School for PSD Students, Spring Break
Mar. 27 Tavelli Battle of the Books, Grades 3-5 during specials time: 5th grade: 9:35-10:20; 3rd grade: 10:20-11:05; 4th grade: 11:10-11:55, Tavelli gym

🌸 Denotes a Wellness Event

🌸 Denotes a PTO Sponsored/Volunteer Opportunity or Funded Event

1. Get Ready to "Blast to the Past" With Tavelli's 3rd Graders! -- The 3rd Grade STEAM Encore Musical Performance is based on the "5 Regions of America". Synopsis: It is the year 2210 when one of the biggest tourism industries is Time Travel Historical Tours. The Conductor of Engine #9 guides the guests on a tour of 5 historical events from 1836-1965. The "Blast to the Past" Tour witnesses Martin Luther King's "I have a dream" speech, Mark Twain piloting his steamboat, Amelia Earhart's final flight departure, Davy Crockett's last stand, and the celebration of the beauty of America with Katharine Lee Bates.

Performances for the school are March 10th and 11th at 10:00 and March 11th at 6:00 p.m. for the Tavelli Community.

2. Sign up now for Spring Running Club – Our spring running club will begin again the week of March 2. Once again, we will have running club on Tuesdays (Kindergarten-2nd grade) and Thursdays (3rd-5th grade) from 8:00-8:30 a.m. and will continue through May 9th. Look for the blue sign-up sheet coming home with all students today; participation will be limited to the first 200 runners to register.

3. CMAS Testing is Approaching! – The Colorado Measures of Academic Success testing window opens in March/April. Tavelli will be administering this standardized test to students in grades 3-5. We will be testing Tuesday-Thursday mornings in grades 3-5 the weeks March 30, and April 6th. The week of April 13th we will be testing 4th and 5th graders. If possible, we encourage parents to schedule appointments and days out of school around these times. Thanks for your support.

4. One Week Left of the 5210 Challenge! – Please remember to keep marking your calendar with all your healthy habits-- 5 servings of fruits and/or vegetables; 2 hours or less of recreational screen time; 1 hour or more of physical activity, 0 sugary drinks and at least 9 hours of sleep a night. Students with 80 checks will receive a free t-shirt courtesy of Healthy Kids Club. If you complete the blue family log you could win a \$50 King Soopers gift card! Please make sure to turn in your logs the first week of March. If you haven't already, please check out the Healthy Kid's Video starring some of our own Tavelli students. <https://youtu.be/S74ObqGjiH0> 🌸

5. Creative Comp Camp Still Has Openings –There are twelve spots left in the second session, and that session is now open to continuing students from the first round of classes. The second round begins April 2nd—sign up now to ensure a spot! <https://forms.gle/U1mNtzpWh1U2M7gf7>

6. Kindergarten Game Night – All kindergarten families are invited to attend the Kindergarten Game Night Friday, February 27th from 6:00-7:00 p.m. in the Tavelli Cafeteria. Please come with your favorite board game and share the fun with other kindergarten families. See you there! 🐾

7. Join Us for the Next PTO Meeting – Our next meeting will be next Wednesday, February 26th from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Please come join us! 🐾

8. Pets on School Grounds – It has been noted that we have had an increasing number of pets on school grounds, especially during student drop-off and pick-up times of the day. Per Poudre School District Policy ADG pets are prohibited on school grounds during school hours. This helps keep our school grounds clean and safe. Thanks for your cooperation.

9. Clubs and Enrichment Classes Available at Tavelli – Classes available at Tavelli: Kid’s Yoga, Girl Scout Daisy Troop Flyers are available in the parent information area in our front entrance.

10. 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.

11. 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.

12. 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.

13. 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.

14. 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

15. 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.)

Feb. 28-Mar. 1 Rocky Mountain High School Baseball Kids Camp, \$75—Info. And registration www.rmbaseball.net
Feb. 29 Little Shop of Physics 29th Annual Open House, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Colorado State University Lory Student Center, Free,
Mar. 4 PSD Parent Workshop for Spanish Speakers, *Drug Culture: Music, Clothing, Parties, and more*, Fort Collins High School, 6:00-8:00 p.m., info/rsvp Blanca Mael, bmael@psdschools.org before February 26, 2020



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