

COLVILLE HIGH SCHOOL



The mission of Colville High School is to promote academic excellence by providing all students an education that empowers them to reach their goals beyond high school in a safe and caring environment.

Spring 2019

“COLLEGE TRACK” PARENT MEETING

Colville High School will host a college preparation night on Thursday, March 7, at 5:30 PM. The goal of this night will be to communicate with parents the steps necessary to prepare your child for the college experience. Topics of the evening will be FAFSA, College Applications, SAT, College-in-the-Classroom and Running Start.

SCHOOL SAFETY

School Safety is always important to the staff at Colville High School. Any student, parent or community member that has a safety concern is encouraged to contact our school at 509-684-7800 and make us aware of the concern. Occasionally, a person may feel uncomfortable doing so and may wish to remain anonymous when reporting a safety concern. The Colville School District subscribes to a safety alert system called SafeSchools Alert. This is a way a concerned student, parent or community member may report an unsafe situation or a “tip” and remain anonymous. There are 4 easy ways to report:

Use the internet: [HTTP://1145.alert1.us](http://1145.alert1.us)
Send an email: 1145@alert1.us
Make a call 1-855-4ALERT1, ext 1145
Send a text: #1145@tip+your tip message to ALERT1
The information reported will be passed on to school officials for action. Remember always call 911 if there is an emergency!

EMERGENCY DRILLS

Throughout this spring we will practice a variety of emergency drills. During practice drills, we do not contact parents ahead of time, and normally we do not pre-warn students. Upcoming drills for CHS will be lock down drill, fire drill, shelter in place, etc. These will be held at different times of the day, i.e. during class, breaks, or lunch. Rest assured that for any event, other than a practice drill, the school would immediately send out a parent notification via school messenger. This being said, it is extremely important that you have accurate phone numbers listed for your children who attend Colville School District. If you have a cell phone and you do not receive text messages from the schools you need to send a Y to 68453 to Opt In. Again, if you change phone numbers or drop your landline, please inform your school office

SAT in the SCHOOL DAY

On Tuesday, April 23, Colville High School will offer the SAT during the school day free to all Junior students. SAT during the school day is beneficial for students by eliminating common reasons for not taking the SAT, such as:

1. Financial -- The cost to the student is removed;
2. Time/availability -- Testing on a weekday does not interfere with work or family obligations that are scheduled on the weekend;
3. Transportation/location -- Students no longer have to worry about transportation or trying to locate the testing site;
4. Comfort/Stress -- Less worry about travel and cost, plus being in familiar surroundings may reduce the traditional anxiety that goes along with testing.

We are very excited to see the student results.

CHS YEARBOOK SALES

Yearbooks will be on sale through the end of the school year. Any unsold books will be available to purchase on the day of distribution. The cost of the yearbook is \$40.00 and an additional \$5.00 to have a name printed on it. **You must order by April 26 to have your name on the book.** Yearbooks will be distributed the last week of school. Seniors will need to make arrangements to pick up their yearbook at CHS during the last week of school.

UPCOMING CALENDAR DATES

March 4 – CHS Choir Concert
March 4 – Progress Report Day
March 7 – CHS Classical Evening
March 7 – Parent Night College Track Info
March 14-15 – Jazz Band to U of Montana
March 18 SBAC Periods 1-2-3 for the day
March 19 SBAC Periods 4-5-6 for the day
March 20 SBAC Periods 1-2-3 for the day
March 21 SBAC Periods 4-5-6 for the day
March 21-24 – Spring Drama Presentation
March 25 – Conference Day – No school
April 1-5 – SPRING BREAK
Apr. 27 – Jr./Sr. Prom
May 9 – Progress Reports
May 3 – 6 – Band Tour
May 14 – CHS Spring Concert – 7pm
May 15 – Benchwarmer Banquet
May 21 – CHS Spring Band Concert
May 27 – Memorial Day – No School
May 28 – Sr. IES Summit 8-12n
May 28 -- Springfest 12n – 2:45pm
May 29 – Sr. Awards Night – 6pm
June 1 – Graduation – 11am
June 12 - LAST DAY of School – HALF DAY
June 13-14-17 – Snow days if needed
June 17 – July 18 – Summer School

SUMMER SCHOOL FOR GRADES 7-12

CHS will be offering Summer School again this year to help students gain the skills and credits necessary to be successful. It will run from **June 17 – July 18 Mon - Thu 8am – 11:30am** (no school on July 4-5). Course offerings will be Math (7-8 Grade, Pre-Algebra, Algebra and Geometry) or Reading /Writing (7-8 Grade Reading and Writing); possible online options for high school students. This is open to

students who will be in grades 7-12 next year. There is no cost to students. Students will receive a lunch daily. To register your student, please call Sandy Smith in the CHS Counseling Office at 685-2805 by June 8. There will also be Summer School at both the Hofstetter and Fort Colville Elementary Schools. Contact those schools respectively for more information.

NEA uses WPA (Washington Prep Athletics) Network for Athletic Scheduling

With spring sports approaching and with the many possible schedule changes due to inclement weather, you may want to subscribe to the WPA network. Northeast “A” League athletic directors are using this web site for contest scheduling. As a subscriber to NEAleague.com you can be immediately notified of any change to an athletic schedule. Parents of CHS athletes will still receive School Messenger phone messages of last minute schedule changes. WPA network subscribers will receive notices through their smartphones of all schedule changes as the AD makes the change. League standings and results are readily available for most leagues across the state, as well as NEA league standings and results. You can check out the website by clicking “Athletics” at www.colstd.org and navigating to the NEA league web site. All current athletic schedules, rosters, and travel information are available there. Use the orange subscribe button to sign up for immediate notifications of schedule changes. Find us on Facebook a Colville Indian Athletics.

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Caring for students today, tomorrow, together.

Now Hiring Part-Time School Bus Drivers

To qualify, you must have a valid driver's license, a safe driving record and be able to pass a background check and drug test. Apply online today to work at the Colville, WA location: apply.firstgroupcareers.com
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