



M-CHS DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Monday, February 6, 2023

It's a great day to be alive and to be a Panther!

Today's Activities

8:00am - M-CHS Transitions @ Purgatory Adapted Skiing
4:30pm - 5:30pm - Girls Soccer Open Gym
5:30pm - District Accountability Zoom Meeting

Tuesday, February 7, 2022

11:35am - Army National Guard In Commons
11:35am - French and Spanish Club Meeting in Room 2203
4:15pm - SCYC Afterschool Tutoring
4:30pm - Baseball Open Gym @ Evangel Church Gym

*****Panther Highlights ***by Mr. Horton**

The wrestling team hosted Monte Vista HS in an IML cross-over match on Thursday. The Panthers came up just short in their final match before the regional tournament. The Panther wrestling team will head to Glenwood Springs Thursday afternoon to compete in the 3A West Regional Wrestling Tournament. Good luck wrestlers!

NEW NEWS:

Hey Panthers, ready to dance away some of the winter blues? Student Government is hosting a Valentines spirit week ending with our Winter Informal Dance on Feb. 17th from 8 to 11! Dress up Days are as follows: Monday - Grandparents Day - Dress like your favorite grandparent, Tuesday - Valentine's Day - Wear your Valentine's best Red/Pink or protest with Black, Wednesday - Check Homeroom for Category, Thursday - Comfy Day - wear your dress code appropriate comfy clothes. For More Information, see your student government representatives or Mrs. Reynolds!

A recruiter from the Army National Guard will be on campus during lunch February 7th. They will host a push up challenge and give away prizes to the top male and female contenders!! Stop by and test your strength and endurance!

The French and Spanish Club will be having a Valentines Party on Tuesday, February 7th during lunch in Room 2203! Bring a homemade sweet or make a Valentine card for your sweetheart, friend or maybe your crush and earn Euros and Pesos!

Guess what Panthers! Gear up and SCYC have teamed up to take you to Flagstaff, Arizona on an overnight college field trip! This trip is completely FREE! Food and hotels are funded by the SCYC and 21st Century Grant. Contact Mr. Rogers with questions at trogers@cortez.k12.co.us or see the posted flyers for more info!

Panthers, do you want to enhance your high school summer experience? Calling all 8th-11th grade students to join the college outreach for a free virtual event to learn on how you can enhance your summer! Join the virtual event on Wednesday February 1st or Thursday, February 2nd from 7:00pm-9:00pm. See the counseling office for more information or the posted flyers.

Yearbook Pre Sales are happening everyone! Save \$10 when you Pre Order your yearbook between now and the end of May. See the posted flyers and scan the QR code! Don't Miss out!

OPPORTUNITY OF THE DAY: SOUTHWESTERN COLORADO LIVESTOCK ASSOCIATION

Southwestern Colorado Livestock Association is pleased to announce we will be offering scholarships to graduating seniors planning to attend college. Applications are in the Counseling Office .**DEADLINE IS APRIL 1, 2023**

To view all M-CHS calendar events, go to our website calendar at the link below:

<https://www.cortez.k12.co.us/our-schools/mchs/calendar>

JANUARY 30
THROUGH
FEBRUARY 4

M-CHS WEEKLY

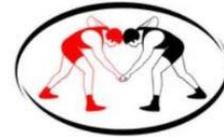
2023

ACTIVITIES AND ATHLETICS



Wrestling

The wrestling team hosted Monte Vista HS in an IML cross-over match on Thursday. The panthers came up just short in their final match before the regional tournament.



Girls Basketball

The lady's basketball teams faced two highly ranked opponents this past weekend. They played the 8th ranked in 4A Alamosa Mean Moose very close in the first half before the Moose overwhelmed them in the 2nd half Friday night. The Panthers then played the 4th ranked in 3A Centauri Falcons Saturday afternoon where they came up short. Keep your heads-up ladies!



Boys Basketball

The men's basketball teams also faced a tough task this weekend playing the #2 ranked team in 4a Friday night and then playing the #6 ranked team in 3A Saturday afternoon. The Panthers battled Alamosa Friday night and came close to knocking the Moose out of the #2 spot, but fell short by 7 points. Saturday afternoon saw the men's team lose to Centauri. Keep working men!

Upcoming

Girls Basketball

Wednesday evening, the girls' basketball teams will host the 9th ranked Dove Creek Bulldogs. Come support our ladies...JV will start at 5pm and Varsity will follow at 7pm. Good luck ladies!

Upcoming

Middle School Basketball

The San Juan Basin middle school basketball tournament will take place in the gyms on Saturday. If you're not otherwise busy, come support our future M-CHS Panthers.

Upcoming

Wrestling

The Panther wrestling team will head to Glenwood Springs Thursday afternoon to compete in the 3A West Regional Wrestling Tournament. Good luck wrestlers!

Upcoming

Boys & Girls Basketball

Our basketball teams will travel to Ignacio Friday evening to play against the Bobcats at 4:30, 6, and 7:30. The Panthers basketball teams will then play Pagosa Springs on Saturday at 1, 2:30, and 4. Best of luck Panthers!!

Mrs. Sitton will be traveling to Denver with Emmie Beckler and Chandler Snyder this coming weekend. Both Emmoe and Chadler were selected to the Colorado All-State Choir...a very prestigious recognition! We wish them the very best as they have the opportunity to represent M-CHS and make incredible memories.

WE ARE M-CHS!





SOUTHWEST COLORADO



GREATER
JOHN 3:30

Sunday, March 12th
1-5pm
@
Adventure Christian Church
255 East 11th Street
Durango, CO

SOUTHWEST CO FCA GIRLS DAY

JOIN US FOR AN AFTERNOON OF FELLOWSHIP, GUEST SPEAKERS FROM FORT LEWIS COLLEGE, AND FUN. OPEN TO ALL MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS IN SW CO FCA

GUEST SPEAKERS WILL BE FROM FLC'S BASKETBALL TEAM:



My name is Sam Wattawa I am from Mesa, Arizona. This is my second year at Fort Lewis. I have been playing basketball for about 6 years and prior to that I played soccer. I have grown up in the church and got really involved my Freshman year of high school. I have attended Reach since my freshman year of college. "For he will command his angels concerning you to guard you in all your ways." Psalms 91:11



My name is Brooke McGee. I was born and raised in Albuquerque, New Mexico and then moved out to Fort Worth, Texas my senior year of high school. I came out to Durango to play basketball for Fort Lewis College and now I am finishing my senior year. My favorite verse is Proverbs 3:5 because it helps me to remember to trust fully in the Lord for He has the perfect plan.

REGISTER ASAP ->
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Who Wants Pizza????

Little Caesars
Pizza Fundraiser For
MCHS Prom 2023

Scan me
for more info!



February 1 - March 3



EVERY STUDENT.
EVERY DAY.

Meeting: Native Parent Advisory Committee



Native Parent Advisory Committee
Meeting
February 7, 2023
5:30-6:30pm

Ute Mountain Ute Recreation Center
Dining/Kitchen Area



**FELLOWSHIP OF
CHRISTIAN ATHLETES
SOUTHWEST COLORADO**

Southwest CO FCA High School Senior Scholarship

**All high school
seniors that attend a
SW CO FCA High
School are eligible to
apply. Applications
due March 10, 2023**



*French and Spanish Club
Valentine's Day Party*

*Please come and join us on
February 7th at lunch, room 2203*

*Earn euros and pesos by participating!
Bring a homemade sweet and attend - earn 5 euros/pesos
Make a Valentine for a friend or loved one
(or your secret crush) and earn 3 euros/pesos!*

Monday: Agriculture and Math Hallways
Tuesday: Social Studies, Music and Administration Hallways and Offices
Wednesday: Science Hallway
Thursday: English Hallway

Caught You Snackin's mission is to provide the MCHS
community with tasty snacks and school essentials at a
reasonable price without leaving campus.

*caught you snakin'
snack cart*



Academic Honor Roll

Montezuma-Cortez High School

2022-2023 Semester 1

SCHOLARS
4.0 Grade Point Average
Represents Fulltime Students

SENIORS:

Izabella Balfour
Alyssa Barner
Jake Blackmer
Lexie Burton
Linanibaa Cordova
Gabriel Crowley
Gwendolyn Cudkowicz
Farrar Desloge
Dominic Gomez
Joel Hoffman
Micah Hoffman
Max Johnson
Talon Johnson
Evan LaMunyon
Anna Lawrence
Isaak Lewis
Lizabeth Likes
Quinn Maness
Alec Manuel
Hailey Melvin
Lexa Muniz
Amiyah Ogo
Emma Olsen
Kadance Orr
Thayer Plewe
Willa Rice
Dana Roan
Brooke Romine
Lucas Sanchez
Robin Schichtel
Megan Schmalz
Sophia Shepard
Jayden Thomason

JUNIORS:

Piper Baxstrom
Emmeline Beckler
Alicia Brito
Norita Colorow
Clayton Elliott
Kaley Frizzell
Easton Hartsoe
Anna Jensen
Andelin Lanier
Myles Larrick
Heather Martinez
Jonathan McDonald
Aunica Naranjo
Kamber Nelson
Sunshine Singleton
Isabella Tewell
Christopher Todacheeny

SOPHOMORES:

Cole Acott
Aiden Balfour
Cherish Blair

Brady Dale
Abraham Hafner
Benjamin Hoffman
Catherine Hoffman
Houston Hurst
Atticus Keel
Adilynn Martinez
Shawn McAllister
Luna Moore
Leopold Morey
Macey Smith
Carter Tanner
Adisyn Todacheeny
Maddisyn VanGrandt

FRESHMEN:

Tristen Beardo
Evelyn Caciagli
Allison Collins
Amita Crowley
Trace Hartsoe
Audrina Harvey
Marlee Mack
Alexis Martinez
Aubrie Matthias
Tianne Nielson
Camryn Oliver
Wyatt Oliver
Aurora Poulin
Jonathan Sandner
Micah Stembidge
Elyse VanBuren
Joshua Yarbrough

HONOR ROLL

3.7-3.9 Grade Point Average
Represents Fulltime Students

SENIORS:

Madi Carver
Alivia Durall
Elise Galbraith
Alicia Goodrich
Amber Heberd
Jalie Hightower
Max Howell
Gillian Schuenemeyer
Elizabeth Watkins

JUNIORS:

Aaron Jaquez
Haylee Medina
Savannah Neely
Mario Vargas
David Vreeken

SOPHOMORES:

Alexander Bennetts
Danika Graf
Jordlan Mahler
Esperanza Martinez
Colby McMillian
Madison Murphy

Navauh Ray
Aubrey Rutherford

FRESHMEN:

Serenity Diaz
Collin Duncan
Baa'ho'zoni Sam

HONORABLE MENTION
3.2-3.69 Grade Point Average
Represents Fulltime Students

SENIORS:

Evalyn Archuleta
Lyle Carver
Nayzeth Castillo
Ashton Cook
Catilina Curleyhair
Dallon DuFrene
Simeon Erlandson
Ashlyn Hall
Dorrian Hilliard
Violetta Jones
Samantha McCabe
Jada Mitchell
Juan Muniz
Ryan Pipkin
Natalee Rhodes
Iliaria Sanchez
Trace Smedstad
Hunter Thompson
Antawn Toledo
Kaitlyn Tsosie
Kaden Valdez
Austin Wood

JUNIORS:

Shinique Bia
Marisol Candelaria
Daniel Fields
Alison Freeman
Gael Garcia
Hunter Goodall
Haun House
Kaden Huff
Dorion LeVasseur
Keira Meeks
Lexyn Neighbors
Kaden Nielson
Danika Oliver
Michael Owens
Chesnie Patrick
Gage Phillips
Lily Sandner
Piper Singleton
Steven Smith
Brianna Stafford
Delta Suckla
Gabriel Taylor
Haley Thompson
Airoughn VanGrandt
Kevin Williams

Raymond Willis
Harlem Yazzie
Dean York

SOPHOMORES:

Macks Cargill
Emily Carver
Abigail Coffey
Alina Davis
Stephen Fish
Gabriella Foster
Johnathan Graves
Cruz Hernandez
Emily Howell
Alyssa Jaramillo
Bobby Likes
Nevaeh Lobato
Memphis Lone Bear
Graham Messinger
Nizhoni Miller
Elihu Parks
Steffen Ptaszynski
Kaylynn Quinonez
Aden Ray
Lilyana Rojas
Kendall Simmons
Colten Spiva
Autumn Taft
Reign Watts
Jacquelyn Wells
Kenzi Whipple
Maecyn White
Taylor Whited

FRESHMEN:

Avani Berrada
Kescoleigh Boeckman
Nadia Carrasco
Chrissalee Castor
Tiana Castro
Kenai Cottonuts
Savana DeMars
Siana Elliott
Bradey Fresquez
Bahati Henderson
Makaya Higgins
Sariah Jackson
Laurie Lanier
Jarvis McDonald
Nova Moore
Haley Pixler
Lily Roberts
Benjamin Seeley
Cooper Sopha
Sarah Sparks
Afton Unrein
Esperanza Vargas
Lilene Watts
Alexis Wawroski
Dimitri Webber
Abigail Weyer

FEB
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**NORTHERN
ARIZONA**
UNIVERSITY



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SCHOOL COMMUNITY YOUTH COLLABORATIVE



Colorado *21st Century*
Community Learning Centers

OVERNIGHT COLLEGE FIELD TRIP

Flagstaff, AZ

DEPART M-CHS AFTER SCHOOL THURSDAY 2/23
RETURN FRIDAY EVENING 2/24

This trip is completely FREE, food and hotel is funded by SCYC and the 21st Century Grant.

Chaperones: Mr. Rogers, + TBD.

Contact Mr. Rogers with questions at trogers@cortez.k12.co.us or 970-565-3722 x2405

There's **MONEY** waiting for **YOU!**

The **2023-24 PCC Foundation Scholarship application** is open now through **March 31, 2023.**

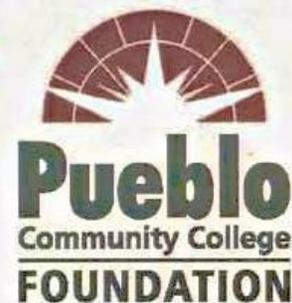
Over **\$500,000** in scholarship awards are up for grabs!



For information on how to apply scan the QR code, call us at **719.544.0677** or email **scholarship@puebloccfoundation.org**.

Don't delay. Apply today!

ONE application matches you with over **130 scholarships!** You'll need about 45 minutes to complete the application.



The Application Process is easy as 1-2-3!

A PCC STUDENT ID (S number) is required to apply. If you are not a current PCC student, please apply to PCC by visiting www.EnrollPCC.org and click on APPLY.

Once accepted, access the **MYPCC Portal** on the PCC website and navigate to the **STUDENT TAB**. Scroll down to **Quick Links** and select **Scholarship Management**. Select the **2023-2024 Pueblo Community College Foundation Scholarship Application** and click on the **START APPLICATION** to begin your application process!



2023 Summer Opportunities Seminar



FACTS to enhance the high school summer experience

- ❖ Fun
- ❖ Academics & Activities
- ❖ Career
- ❖ Travel
- ❖ Service

8th - 11th Grade Students, Parents, and Counselors

Join College Outreach for this free VIRTUAL event:
Wednesday, February 1st, OR Thursday, February 2nd
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Including Q&A - Ask your questions

For more information and our VIRTUAL event link, visit
www.cwscollegeoutreach.org.

Find us on:  

cwscollegeoutreach.org



Who: 8th-11th grade students, parents, and counselors

What: Learn the **FACTS** to enhance the high school summer experience

Where: Virtual

When: Wednesday, February 1st **OR** Thursday, February 2nd, 7:00pm - 9:00pm

Why: Hear college admissions officers and other experts share their advice on how students can plan their summers.

How: Consider?



Fun - Relax, spend time with family and friends, read, exercise, and explore!

Academics & Activities - Which ones are for you?

- Learn a new subject or a new sport, improve your skills at a sport or activity you love!
- Join a music group, take an art, dance, or theatre class.
- Learn more about the hundreds of academic and other summer programs on college campuses in Colorado, around the country, and internationally. Many are free, offer scholarships, and some are even online.

Career - See how a part-time summer job or internship can help you learn new skills and learn more about yourself!

Travel - Visit your grandparents, attend a program on a college campus, go beyond your comfort zone!

Service - Give back, there are 500+ nonprofits in the Western Slope of Colorado, many in your backyard, see how you can help others!

Summer is over 10 weeks long. What are you going to do?

Find out more about this FREE EVENT cwscollegeoutreach.org

Resources available in Spanish



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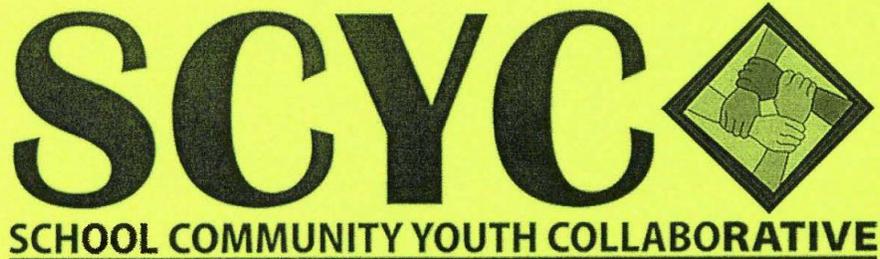
After May,
yearbooks will
cost **\$65**

Go to

<https://store.shopyearbook.com/mchs-yearbook22-23>

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After School Tutoring

ALL Core Subjects – English, Math, Science, Social Studies

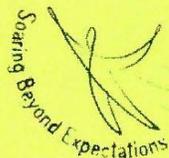
Tuesday & Wednesday 4:15 – 5:15pm

- ***English – Mr. Reese, Room # 2207 Tuesday***
- ***English – Ms. Buys, Room # 2204 Wednesday***
- ***Math – Mrs. Mares Room # 1102 Wednesday***
- ***Math – Mr. Tamminga, Room # 1105 Tuesday***
- ***Science – Mr. Martinez, Room # 2105 T & W***
- ***Social Studies-Ms. Reynolds, Room #1207 T&W***

****Transportation is available to central locations****

Towaoc Students to the Travel Center

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SCHOLARSHIP

UPDATES

Scan the QR code below to access continuous
up-to-date scholarship information!



**FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT
THE COUNSELING OFFICE AT 970-565-3722 x2129**

LEGACY PROJECT DEADLINE IS MARCH 1st!

Also click on the link for the scholarship opportunity!

<https://fourcornerssci.com/grants/four-corners-sci-chapter-legacy-project/>



LEGACY PROJECT

This project was created to help one young person from the four corners area that doesn't have the means to hunt and wants to learn. They will receive gear, training and a fully guided hunt.

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THROUGH THE YOUTH ACTIVITY CALENDAR.



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YEARBOOK



SENIOR PAGES PARENT AD

*I am your biggest fan
I hope you know I am
But do you think you can
somehow
Slow down*

Paige Featherman

We Are So Proud Of You Casen!

Tira Galbraith

There are no words to express how thankful your family is to have had the pleasure of watching you grow into a beautiful, strong, intelligent woman right before our eyes. You entered life during the turmoil of 9-11 and are graduating during a pandemic. Throughout your life you have always found new ways to overcome life's challenges and amaze us while making us so proud! **CONTRATULATIONS!!!** We all love you and look forward to sharing life's continued journey and successes with you!

SENTIMENTAL MESSAGES, FUN AND MEANINGFUL QUOTES, STUDENT ACCOMPLISHMENTS, PHOTOS OF STUDENT FROM BIRTH TO CURRENT, IMPORTANT LIFE EVENTS, STORIES ABOUT THEM. THIS IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO BRAG, AND SHOW OFF YOUR STUDENT.

DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 28, 2023.
EMAIL SUBMISSIONS HERE:
[HTTPS://UPLOADS.PICABOYEARBOKS.COM/9687215](https://uploads.picabooyearbooks.com/9687215)



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Yearbook

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How Sick is Too Sick?

When Children and Staff Should Stay Home from School or Child Care

Evaluation of a sick child must consider which diseases are currently circulating among students, staff, and the community. Known exposure to cases or an outbreak of a contagious disease (including but not limited to those listed here), even without a confirmed diagnosis, may necessitate more stringent return to school requirements.

During Colorado's ongoing response to the COVID-19 pandemic, children and staff who have symptoms consistent with COVID-19 should receive testing, and follow the [COVID-19 isolation guidance](#) until testing is completed or if they test positive. If the individual tests negative for COVID-19, the individual should then follow the recommendations for their disease or symptoms using the below guidance.

There are four main reasons to keep children and adults at home:

1. The child or staff is at risk of infecting others with COVID-19 or another contagious illness, either because of symptoms or recent close contact.
2. The child or staff member does not feel well enough to take part in usual activities. For example, a child is overly tired, fussy or will not stop crying.
3. A child needs more care than teachers and staff can give while still caring for the other children.
4. The child or staff member has symptoms or an illness is on this list, and staying home is required.



SAFE DECISIONS



Limit phone use while you're driving — turn it off if necessary. Even hands-free calling and voice texting may increase the risk of an accident.



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Montezuma-Cortez High School

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To view all M-CHS calendar events, go to our website calendar at the link below:
<https://www.cortez.k12.co.us/our-schools/mchs/calendar>