



Hotchkiss K-8 School

Weekly News Update

“Opening doors for endless possibilities.”

September 13, 2019



Principal's Message

Growing to be lifelong learners is part of our vision we share at our school for students and staff. Through brain research we have learned that the brain is constantly changing. Based on what we expose our brain to we can continue to grow and learn as we get older. We also want our students and staff to know that learning is definitely not just defined to what happens in our classrooms. We want them to grow from other experiences outside of school. The school provides many opportunities to do this but so does our community through organizations such as Scouts, 4-H, art and theater groups, family experiences, church groups, outdoor adventures and so many more. Let's take advantage of these opportunities!

COMMUNITY MEMBERS, PARENTS & STAFF MEMBERS

We appreciate your suggestions and input. We strive to provide a quality, safe learning environment for all students. We hope to work together as a team to meet the needs of our students. We realize that from time to time problems do arise. If you have a concern or complaint with one of our staff members, procedures or facilities, please follow this plan for conflict resolution.

1. First talk to the person that you have the concern with. Over 90% of all problems are taken care of at this level.
2. If you still feel that your concern has not been addressed properly, then contact that person's Supervisor, or the Principal.
3. Then the District Superintendent.
4. Finally the School Board. (Please remember that a School Board member has to be very careful not to receive too much information or become involved early on. If they do and your concern comes before the Board, that member would need to declare a conflict of interest and they could not be of any assistance to you).

Thank you for your understanding.

Volleyball and Football

Good games and competition again for our volleyball and football teams this week. The volleyball teams played Cedaredge on Tuesday and Delta on Thursday. The 7B teams won both of their matches against Cedaredge and Delta. Our 7A teams lost both matches in competitive games. Our 8B team won both of their games against Cedaredge and split their games with Delta. Our 8A team lost to Cedaredge and Delta in two close matches both in 3 games. Our football team traveled to Montrose and played two games against Columbine. The 7th grade lost 16-18 and the 8th grade team won 46-6. Our student-athletes are competing and giving their best efforts. Awesome!

Calendar

Tuesday, Sept. 17

6th Grade Cottonwood Days Field Trip
7th/8th Grade Football @ Hotchkiss HS vs. Delta @ 4:00/5:30 pm
7th Grade Volleyball @ HK8 vs. Paonia @ 4:00 pm
8th Grade Volleyball @ Paonia Jr. High @ 4:00 pm, bus at 3:15 pm

Wednesday, Sept. 18

HK8 Fall Picture Day (all students will have their pictures taken for school records)

Thursday, Sept. 19

1st Grade Field Trip to Big B's 8:30-9:30 am
7th Grade Volleyball @ Centennial (Montrose) @ 4:00 pm, bus leaves @ 2:30 pm
8th Grade Volleyball @ HK8 vs. Centennial (Montrose) @ 4:00 pm

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