Hello Conifer Family and Friends, this is Principal Paxton with your weekly update on news and information for the week of Monday, January 14th through Saturday, January 19th.

Here are some announcements for this week ...

- Back in December, students received their results from taking the fall PSAT assessment. Students can access their fall PSAT scores online at https://studentscores.collegeboard.org/home

As a parent, if you want to help your student dramatically increase their score, Conifer is offering a PSAT/SAT prep course with three-two hours sessions beginning on Monday, February 4th. The three-day sessions cost $150 (students that qualify for free and reduced lunch are exempt from this charge and should contact the school financial secretary, Marilyn McDermond at 303.982.5238) and the courses are taught by English teacher, Gabe Watson, and Math teacher, Kim Mizenko. Please register online at JeffcoConnect.

**Session Date and Times:**
- February 4th, 6th, and 7th from 3:00 – 5:00 p.m.
- February 25th, 27th, and 28th from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m.

If both sessions fill up, we will offer additional sessions.

- The Jefferson County Public Schools has a new site to guide parents through the enrollment process called EnrollJeffco. Students wanting to attend Conifer for the 2019-2020 school year and live outside our articulation area should choice enroll using EnrollJeffco from Tuesday,
January 22\textsuperscript{nd} until Friday, February 8\textsuperscript{th}. First round applicants will be notified on Monday, February 25\textsuperscript{th} with an offer letter and will have five days to accept it. For more information, please refer to EnrollJeffco at http://www.enrolljeffco.org/.

Additionally, \textbf{All} current Conifer students, including 2018-2019 choice enrollment students, should go into EnrollJeffco to notify us that you plan to attend Conifer for the 2019-2020 school year.

- Beginning on Monday, January 14\textsuperscript{th}, Conifer counselors will be visiting English classrooms to share information about course offerings and registering students 2019-2020 school year. We strongly encourage parents to review their child’s course selections. Counselors will collect complete course selections from students on Friday, January 18\textsuperscript{th} and Tuesday, January 22\textsuperscript{nd}.

- On Friday, January 18\textsuperscript{th}, Jeffco hosts the All County Band and Orchestra performance from 7:30 until 9:30 p.m. at the West Bowles Community Church (12325 W Bowles Ave in Littleton). This evening provides an opportunity to hear the most talented instrumental music students in our school district.

- On Wednesday, January 23\textsuperscript{rd}, we host the Conifer High School Curriculum Showcase from 6:00 until 8:00 p.m. This will be an information night for \textbf{All} incoming 8th graders and any students choosing to open enroll at Conifer. From 6:00 until 6:30 p.m., students and their parents are encouraged to tour a showcase of various clubs and activities, athletic teams, and meet with representatives from each academic department. Then from 6:30 – 8:00 p.m., there will be an academic program overview and the counselors will review the 8th grade registration information. At the conclusion of the presentations, there will be a short discussion
about the choice enrollment process for parents wanting their child to attend Conifer and live outside of our articulation area. Come join us and learn about Conifer's outstanding programs.

- **Attention Students:** Are you interested in the Engineering field? Come learn about the different types of engineering careers from experts in the field. It is a great time for you to ask questions and learn about this fast-growing career. Join us at Conifer High School on Thursday, January 24th in the cafeteria during seminar. All students are welcome.

- **Save the Date!** – Mind Blown Trivia Night is scheduled for Saturday, February 9th. Buy your tickets now for the 3rd Annual Mind Blown Trivia Night benefitting Conifer High School. This event is being hosted by our PTSA at Our Lady of the Pines from 6:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. (Doors open at 5:00 p.m.). Tickets are $15 each and we encourage folks to purchase a table for 8 and compete as a group for cash prizes. **Contact us at** 636-485-0777 or chstrivianight@gmail.com **to reserve a seat with a team.** This event is open to the community and appropriate for attendees age 14 and older. Bring appetizers to share with your table as well as table decor. There will be prizes for best-themed tables and adult beverages will be available for sale. For more information please visit the PTSA website at [http://chsptsa.blogspot.com/p/mindblown-trivia-night.html](http://chsptsa.blogspot.com/p/mindblown-trivia-night.html)

**In Sports...**

**Tuesday, January 15th**

Boys Basketball will host Littleton High School starting at 7:00 p.m.

**Thursday, January 17th**

Boys Basketball will host Arvada High School at 7:00 p.m.

**Friday, January 18th** and **Saturday, January 19th**
Girls Swimming and Diving will travel to Meyers Pool for a Varsity Jeffco Invite starting at 9:00 a.m. (on both days).

- On Tuesday, January 15th, during seminar in the cafeteria, there will be a Boys Lacrosse player meeting. That evening at 6:00 p.m. there will be a player and parent meeting in the cafeteria.