Hello Conifer Family and Friends, this is Principal Paxton with your weekly update on news and information for the week of Monday, October 28th through Saturday, November 2.

Here are some announcements for this week …

- Good Luck to our DECA students as they head to Beaver Creek Invitational this weekend. Good luck students as you prepare for regionals!

- Reminder parents and students, Fall Break is Friday, October 25th through Monday, October 28th.

- The annual Conifer High School Trick or Treat Street will be on Wednesday, October 30th at Conifer High School. Key Club is hosting a food drive that day for Mountain Resource Center. Please bring any donations to support our community.

- On Thursday, October 31st, we celebrate Halloween at Conifer High School. It is important for student costumes to be appropriate and we ask that students not wear any type of clown costumes, masks, or bring mock weapons to school this Halloween. It can be a fun and exciting day for students, and we would like to ensure that everyone can enjoy both a fun and safe Halloween.
• Please remember, in addition to no clown costumes, our costume guidelines are as follows:
  o No head coverings unless it is part of the costume, NO masks or FULL face paint. Staff members must be able to identify students.
  o Costumes that are provocative, revealing, sexual in nature, or employ questionable props are not permitted.
  o Costumes that depict violence, alcohol, or drugs are not permitted.
  o Fake or real weapons are not allowed.
  o Costumes that could be offensive or perpetuate a stereotype of someone’s culture, gender, heritage, or religion are not permitted.
  o Costumes should not hinder your ability to participate in your classes, including P.E.
  o Costumes may not disrupt or impede traffic, or present issues of safety in the hallway.
  o Students wearing questionable costumes will be asked to change into normal school attire and issued school consequences.

On Saturday, November 2nd, the Conifer Newcomers and Neighbors will host their annual Holiday Boutique at Conifer High School from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. No admission fee is required.

Congratulations to the Conifer Mountain Bike Team for an outstanding season, and to rider Alexis Hall for her 3rd Place Finish at the State
Championship race in Durango. The team will celebrate the season on November 4th at 6:00 p.m. in the CHS cafeteria.

The Conifer Yearbook staff wants to include student and parent Homecoming photos in this year’s yearbook. Send your pictures to the yearbook staff at Coniferyb@gmail.com.

Innovation Fund for All Jeffco Students

EXTENDED: Applications Due Friday, November 8th.

Now open to students in all grade levels too!

Do you have an idea to enhance the learning experience?

Do you know any students who do?

Don't miss this phenomenal opportunity to bring your idea to life! Read more or watch this video.

The Destination Imagination teams at Elk Creek Elementary School are collecting gently-worn shoes that will support micro-enterprises in developing nations and help the DI teams raise funds for competition and travel costs with Funds2Orgs. Shoes are being collected through November 11th and may be dropped off during the school day at Elk Creek Elementary or pickup may be arranged at West Jeff Middle by contacting JoLene Kucera. Questions may be directed to JoLene Kucera at 303-513-2870 or Sarah Powell at 720-933-4840.
In Sports ...

- **Congratulations to the Boys Cross Country Team** as they will be traveling to the **State Cross Country** competition at the Penrose Equestrian Center in Colorado Springs on **Saturday, October 26th**. Good luck boys!

**Friday, November 1,**

Our undefeated Lobos Football team to travel **north** to face those Cougars of Evergreen for the **Game of the Week**! Bring your family and friends to support our undefeated football team to another victory. Kick-off is at 7:00 p.m. Let’s hear a lot of howling on the sidelines next Friday!

Our **LOBOS** are in the spotlight!! Click on the link and scroll to 15:30 to enjoy the story of our football team’s season!  
[https://prepspotlight.tv/CHSAA](https://prepspotlight.tv/CHSAA)

- **CLUB (Conifer Lobos Unified Boosters)** is excited to share good news about the deposit they have put down on **bleachers for Lobo Field**. They are kicking off the Bleacher Buck$h "sponsor a seat" campaign this week (see attached flyer with the weekly announcements). There will be upcoming activities to help install bleachers for next fall.