Hello Conifer Family and Friends, this is Principal Paxton with your weekly update on news and information for the week of Monday, August 17th through Saturday, August 22nd.

Here are some announcements for this week ...

**Virtual Freshmen Orientation**

An important message about your child’s upcoming Virtual Freshmen Orientation has been sent to your child’s Jeffco Gmail account (studentID@jeffcoschools.us). Please login into your child’s Jeffco Gmail account and read the email. You should make sure to follow the steps outlined in the email. Thank you and we can’t wait to meet the Class of 2024! Conifer High School Link Crew

**DECA**

DECA is on! We will compete virtually during the first semester. DECA is a student-led organization for Marketing Students which prepares emerging leaders and entrepreneurs in marketing, finance, hospitality and management in high schools and colleges around the globe. It is a Co-Curricular program, meaning DECA is an integral part of what we do in our Business and Marketing classes at Conifer High School. 9th graders can join our JV DECA program without taking a marketing class, but 10th, 11th & 12th graders must be in a class to participate. Students who are interested in more information or joining should check this out [https://tinyurl.com/y3h8n9mu](https://tinyurl.com/y3h8n9mu) and sign up here [https://tinyurl.com/yae349k5](https://tinyurl.com/yae349k5)

**Fall Semester Important Dates**

**Restart of School Dates: Updated Information in Green**

Wednesday, August 19th: 10:00 until 11:00 a.m. – Virtual Parent Presentation on Restart of School

**Google Stream:** [https://tinyurl.com/y3tgrk89](https://tinyurl.com/y3tgrk89)

Wednesday, August 19th: 3:00 until 5:00 p.m. – Conifer School Accountability Committee Meeting

**Zoom Meeting:** [https://tinyurl.com/y4u9vp3a](https://tinyurl.com/y4u9vp3a)

Wednesday, August 19th: 5:00 until 7:00 p.m. – Conifer PTSA

**Zoom Meeting:** [https://tinyurl.com/y3tt9kac](https://tinyurl.com/y3tt9kac)

Friday, August 21st: All Day – Virtual Freshmen Orientation

Monday, August 24th – Remote Learning Model Starts

Tuesday, September 8th – Hybrid Learning Model Starts

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- Green A Cohort In-Person Freshmen Orientation from 7:00 to 9:10 a.m.
- All Green A Cohort Students (Freshmen through Seniors) Attend School
**Wednesday, September 9th**
- Green B Cohort In-Person Freshmen Orientation from 7:00 to 9:10 a.m.
- All Silver A Cohort Students (Freshmen through Seniors) Attend School

**Wednesday, September 16th – 6:30 p.m. – Virtual Back to School Night**

Google Stream: [https://tinyurl.com/yxcotfjd](https://tinyurl.com/yxcotfjd)

**Friday, October 2nd – 8:00 a.m. – Virtual Fall Awards Ceremony**

Google Stream: [https://tinyurl.com/y36sxy46](https://tinyurl.com/y36sxy46)

**Wednesday, October 14th – 12:30 to 6:30 p.m. – Virtual Fall Parent-Teacher Conferences**

Contact Individual Teachers to Schedule Zoom Meeting

**Link to Conifer Calendar:** [https://tinyurl.com/y4eoz8wc](https://tinyurl.com/y4eoz8wc)

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**CHROMEBOOK PICKUP AT CONIFER HIGH SCHOOL**

**Monday, August 17th: Noon until 3:00 p.m. – Freshmen and New Sophomores to Jeffco Chromebook Pickup**

**ALL FRESHMEN** MUST PICK UP THEIR BRAND NEW DISTRICT CHROMEBOOKS AT THIS TIME.

**FRESHMEN:** If you borrowed a Chromebook from West Jeff Middle School or any Jeffco middle school last year, please return it at this time to Conifer High School and we will return it to the middle school. You will get your new TechforEd Chromebook in exchange.

**ANY INCOMING NEW TO JEFFCO 10th GRADERS** without a TechforEd district Chromebook needs to pick one up at this time.

**Tuesday, August 18th: Noon until 3:00 p.m. – Junior Chromebook Pickup**

**ANY JUNIOR** who needs a Chromebook for remote/hybrid learning please fill out this form by August 14th: [Junior and Senior Chromebook Request form](https://tinyurl.com/y4eoz8wc). This will help us assign a school-owned device to you for pickup on Tuesday, August 18th.

**Wednesday, August 19th: Noon until 3:00 p.m. – Chromebook Pickup**

**Any Senior** who needs a Chromebook this year for remote/hybrid learning, please fill out this form by August 14th: [Junior and Senior Chromebook Request form](https://tinyurl.com/y4eoz8wc). This will help us assign a school-owned device to you for pickup on Wednesday, August 19th.

Please contact Karen McIntosh, Digital Teacher Librarian, at karen.mcintosh@jeffco.k12.co.us with any questions regarding Chromebook pickup at Conifer High School.

**CONIFER TECH IS ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR FREE DISTRICT ISSUED WIRELESS HOT SPOTS. THESE DEVICES REQUIRE SOLID CELLULAR RECEPTION. PLEASE CONTACT GREG MANIER 303-982-5291.**
I Voted Sticker Contest Set for Final Vote

Jeffco Public Schools partnered with the Clerk and Recorder’s Office this past spring to create a customized "I Voted" sticker ahead of this November’s general election. Jeffco high school students were invited to submit sticker designs and we are down to four finalists!

We now invite our community to select the county’s next "I Voted" sticker. Voting is open until August 17th.

Check out the finalists and vote here!

Freshmen Orientation – Friday, August 21st at 10:00 a.m.

Incoming Freshmen will have a virtual orientation with their Link leaders on Link Day, Friday August 21 at 10:00 a.m. The virtual Link Day will take place through a Link Google classroom, and the classroom code and directions for how to attend Link Day will be emailed to all Freshmen soon. We are so excited to meet them and welcome them to Conifer High School! For more information, please contact Jessie McFadden-Barr at Jessie.McFadden-Barr@jeffco.k12.co.us.

Update Parent and Student Contact Information

To help parents and students navigate the start of school, please verify and update the home address and phone number(s) listed in JeffcoConnect. If you need assistance, please contact Registration Secretary Jolene Sadowski at Jolene.Sadowski@jeffco.k12.co.us.

In Sports...

Monday, August 17th

Boys Golf will travel to Raccoon Creek for a Varsity Match starting at 10:00 a.m.

Tuesday, August 18th

Boys Tennis will host Arvada High School on Sanders Courts at Conifer High School at 3:30 p.m.

Softball will host Lakewood H.S. at 4:00 p.m. for the Game of the Week!
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