



Conifer Weekly Announcements

Hello Conifer Family and Friends, this is Principal Paxton with your weekly update on news and information for the week of **Monday, October 26th through Saturday, October 31st.**

Here are some announcements for this week ...

Community Health Update from Jefferson County Public Schools

On Thursday, you should have received an email from the Jefferson County Public Schools about the latest update from the Jefferson County Public Health (JCPH). JCPH has [issued a statement](#) about the rising case levels in the county and our risk of moving to a higher level of restrictions should the increasing trend of confirmed cases continue. They warned that we are at risk of moving to a Level 3 “Safer at Home - High Risk” on the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE) [Dial Framework](#). This would mean stricter capacity limits for a variety of businesses and activities which would be detrimental for our entire community, and especially to Jeffco Public Schools and our ability to maintain current levels of in-person activities. Conifer High School and the Jefferson County Public Schools’ goal is to keep schools open for in-person learning and instruction. The progress of the virus and guidance from JCPH will determine if we need to modify our plan. **Let’s all do our best to reduce the spread of COVID.**

Senior Parents and Guardians

Graduation orders can now be placed for cap and gowns, announcements, clothing, jewelry and other items from Jostens. Don’t forget that all seniors need a cap and gown at graduation. Your child recently received an email with more information and students can pick up packets from the commons next week. Orders are due by Friday, October 30, 2020; please go to Jostens.com to order online.

Sophomore Parents and Guardians

Sophomores can now place orders for class rings, jewelry, or other related items. Your child recently received an email with more information and students can pick up packets from the commons next week. Orders are due by October 30, 2020; please go to Jostens.com to order.

Recognition

We would like to recognize Maya Dawson for her [poem](#) submission to [Resilience 1220](#). Maya won 1st Place in this poetry contest.

Trick or Treat Street Drive Through at Conifer

With a unique twist on Trick or Treat Street, we plan to provide a safe way for kids to enjoy Halloween this year. Swing by Conifer High School between 5:00 and 8:00 p.m. on Friday, October 30th. Remember: Please wear your masks while driving by each station and everyone must stay in the car. **Happy Halloween!**

Great Outdoors Event Sponsored by the Conifer Lobos Unified Boosters (CLUB)

This year, the annual Great Outdoors Virtual event sponsored the Conifer Lobos Unified Boosters will be presented on October 29th and 30th!

The format has changed for this extraordinarily successful event. After several years of the community enjoying wild game feasts and refreshments at sold-out indoor events, this year will

be different. This year, the gathering will be, unsurprisingly, in front of computer screens in the safety of our homes. But with a fun twist!

This year will feature an unveiling of silent auction items on display for personal inspection at The Woodlands Event Center at 8884 US HWY 285 on the evening of Thursday, October 29th. Visitors will be allowed “sneak peaks” and to submit early bids for the prizes on display. Viewing begins at 4:00 p.m. and extends until 6:30 p.m. (bring a business card for drawings) and will be COVID-19 compliant.

The bidding will continue up until 9:00 p.m. on Friday, October 30th.

Prizes are still being added. The selection includes: condos in Mexico, Beaver Creek, and Breckenridge, dinner gift certificates, skis, skateboards and artwork.

Buy your event tickets at <http://Auctria.com/auction/greatoutdoors2020>.

Visit the CLUB website for more details: <http://CLUBCHS.org/greatoutdoors>.

Spring Semester Learning Preference Change Requests

In order to accommodate the needs of our students and families, Conifer will send home a Learning Preference Survey to families for spring semester on Monday, November 9th. Parents must complete the survey by Friday, November 20th and we plan to provide a parent response by Tuesday, December 22nd.

In Sports ...

No Walk-Up Ticket Sales at Varsity Football Games

Due to public health guidelines, future home football games at Trailblazer Stadium and the NAAC on November 7th, and November 14th, will not allow walk-up ticket sales. Home games will broadcast on NFHS network at [NFHS Network](#).