Eagle Viewer

December 2020

Message from the Principal

Hello Eagle View families!

Welcome to December! At the time of writing this portion of the newsletter, I am happy to report we are still open for business! While there have been incidents related to COVID and students quarantined for symptoms, we have been fortunate to not have a COVID-related situation requiring a closure of Eagle View. However, we know that each day brings the potential of a changing environment. Our staff is prepared to move to a Tier 1 (fully remote) mode if the need is there.

Please help us by encouraging your child to practice safe social distancing, wash hands frequently, and wear a mask in public. Stay safe and thank you for the continued support!

John Gallagher

Welcome to Eagle View Middle School



School Schedule Updates For December

Monday, December 21 Group A and C will attend EV (Group B will be asynchronous)

Tuesday, December 22 Group B and C will attend EV (Group A will be asynchronous)

Wednesday, December 23 No Students attend EV (All lessons will be asynchronous)



Important Links

- 2020-2021 EV Student Orientation Video
- <u>Drop off Procedures</u>
- <u>Drop off Map</u>
- Team Information
- Students Daily Schedule
- Back to School Night

Eagle View Library News

Click <u>here</u> for the latest issue of the library newsletter.

November's "Pride of the View" Students...CONGRATULATIONS!



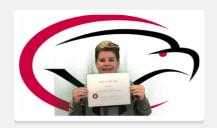
Jacob Burkholder



Dylan Staykov



Mary Boone







Grayson Bonsick

Liz Colvin

CJ Dunlap

Calling all Photographers!

Because this year is so different from others, the yearbook staff is looking for new ways to collect photos of our students. We'd love families to send in photos of their EV and CVVA students at home learning. This could include first day of school photos, remote learning spaces, sports games, photos with friends, etc. I've attached a flyer below that runs through two ways parents/students can submit these photos.



We can accept photos all the way through March 1st, so yes, please consider this ongoing!

Sincerely,

Mr. McCabe,

The Eagle View's 6RB ELA Teacher/Yearbook Coordinator MMcCabe@cvschools.org

Eagle View Middle School Yearbooks are available for pre-order!

Order online at YearbookOrderCenter.com with the code 4886.

Cash or check orders can be made by visiting Mr. McCabe in room 320. (\$22)

Early bird special! Order by Jan. 22 and get discounted prices.

EV Yearbook Team 👄



Yearbook Submission Link

Click above to view Mr. McCabes flyer and discover how you can help create EV Yearbook this year!

Eagle View Middle School PTO

We are so encouraged, that despite all the changes and challenges this school year has brought for all of us, to have had such a positive response so far in support of fundraisers, communication, stocking the teachers and staff lounge and so much more. Thank You! Moving into the holiday season and new year we hope to continue to foster community at Eagle View. Typically, the PTO hosts a 6th and 7th grade social throughout the months of January through March. This year, these events will have to

school's guidelines for safe interaction. Please join us at our next PTO meeting or email your ideas. The hope and plan at this point, barring any further changes/restrictions with COVID, is to have the annual 8th grade trip to Hershey Park on the last day of school. A committee chair and 8th grade parent volunteers are needed for this special Event.

If at anytime you have a question or suggestion, please feel free to contact the Eagle View PTO at any time evpto@cvschools.org or click here to access the Eagle View PTO Homepage for more information on PTO related topics. Here you will find important up-to-date information on such topics as fundraising, PTO meetings, budget, volunteer opportunities and links to Facebook and more.

Warmly, Eagle View PTO

Upcoming PTO Meetings

PTO meetings this year will be held on a monthly basis and will take place virtually via Zoom. You will need to RSVP monthly to receive Zoom Invitation.

December 8, 2020 at 6pm January 12, 2021 at 6pm

December PTO Meeting Invite

When

Tuesday, Dec. 8th, 6pm

Where

This is an online event.

More information

Please RSVP to Mrs. Whitteker here and a Zoom invitation will be sent to the email provided.

Note from the Eagle View PTO Treasurer

Please find a copy of the updates Eagle View PTO Budget. The EV PTO Budget lists the income we hope to make with our PTO fundraisers along with a list of expenses we would like to cover for all our EV students. The EV PTO hopes to bring in \$8000.00 to cover these expenses, which includes funding the 6th & 7th grade socials, 8th grade Hershey Park trip, Kicks for Kids, helping our greater Eagle View families and classroom incentives determined by our EV teachers. The EV PTO also sets money aside each year for the Young Author Visit which is held every three years. If you have any questions, please feel free to email evpto@cvschools.org and I will answer any questions you have on the 2020-2021 EV PTO Budget.

In order to cover all these expenses, bring back programs that were removed, and have enough to leave a small amount for next year's PTO (see budget), we need to raise \$25 per student.

If you, as an EV family are not interested in participating in fundraising, you can make a donation to EVPTO that would be used to help cover some of the yearly PTO expenses. Donations can be sent in with your child and dropped off at the main office. Cash & check are preferred methods of payment as we have noticed miscellaneous charges for the use of Paypal.

November Treasurer's Report

Please check the most current PTO budget information by clicking the above link.

Teacher Appreciation

We all are so grateful for the staff and teachers at Eagle View Middle School! To show appreciation we have taken your kind donations and stocked the staff lounge with goodies that all can enjoy! Let's not stop here though!!!

We can start this here as we would like to send a HUGE shout out to ALL of the teachers and staff for all of the time and effort you place into teaching our children this year! All of the behind the scenes work and extra hours in preparing the classroom virtually and in-person are noticed and greatly appreciated! Thank you!!

Please take a moment this month and send words of thanks and encouragement to our teachers and staff! The power of kindness starts with us! Encourage your children to do the same! It is amazing what just one kind message can do to brighten someone's day!

Fundraisers

UPDATE!

Thank you for your interest in support of the EVMS fundraisers! We are off to a good start!

The Little Caesars fundraiser raised \$1380.00 Our Spirit wear Fundraiser raised \$636.00 And our SKH Fundraiser raised \$898.00

SKH FUNDRAISER PICK UP DATE

Pick up your SKH order!

When: December 7th from 4-6 pm Where: EV entrance near cafeteria

If you have any questions, please contact Eagle View PTO @ evpto@cvschools.org

EV Spirit Wear Fundraiser

Sauve Brothers has placed the order and all items are currently being made! Please check back here for the latest information on distribution date! We are anticipating distribution prior to the holiday break. Stay tuned!

Amazon Smile

We can help support Eagle View PTO by selecting Eagle View Middle School as your charitable organization on Amazon Smile. Click above link.

AmazonSmile

AmazonSmile is a simple way for you to support your favorite charitable organization every time you shop, at no cost to you! AmazonSmile is available at smile.amazon.com on your web browser and can be activated in the Amazon Shopping app for iOS and Android phones. Please select Eagle View Middle School, Mechanicsburg, PA as your charitable organization to help us start earning 0.5% of all eligible purchases. To ensure Eagle View receives this donation, you want always to start at smile.amazon.com OR have the AmazonSmile turned ON in the Amazon Shopping application in order to support Eagle View PTO.

Shop with Scrip Fundraiser

Please check out the website (click above link) OR download the Raise Right application to enroll!

Use ENROLLMENT CODE 237A1257245L6 to link your account to EV!

Shop with Scrip

Looking for a gift for the Holidays? Look no further! Gift cards make a great gift all while helping to raise money for your school! Give the gift that gives back! Orders placed by December 9 will be delivered in time for the holidays.

Simply the Right Way to Fundraise



Scrip has never been easier! Hop on the RaiseRight app and order today or click on the link above to go directly to the website.

Eagle View PTO is excited to offer the Shop with Scrip Gift Card Fundraiser again this school year! Though this year may look a little different, the gift cards are the same! Scrip is a simple and easy way for families to shop for gift cards, from the comfort of home, while helping to support the school. Eagle View benefits from each gift card you purchase by earning a percentage back. These gift cards are the

something for everyone, with a wide variety of dollar values to meet your budget! Click on the link above to enroll now and start selecting your gift cards!

Now an easier and more convenient method to fundraise while you shop... just download the Raise Right app to access the Shop with Scrips gift cards you are looking for! This app provides easy and instant access to all of your favorite places to shop! You won't want to miss this chance to do some fast shopping and some easy gift giving!

Please consider purchasing gift cards through this program when holiday shopping, gift giving, and even grocery and home improvement shopping! We plan to run this program throughout the year!

If you have any questions regarding how this program works please contact evpto@cvschools.org

United Way

If you are already participating in a United Way Workplace Campaign, a portion or percentage of your contribution can be allocated to the Eagle View PTO. Please see your workplace United Way Campaign Coordinator.

Boxtops

By clicking above link you will be directed to Boxtops information.



Box Tops: No Cutting, No Collecting

Box Tops have just gotten easier. No cutting. No collecting. Just download the app, scan your receipt, and help EV PTO earn 10 cents for every qualifying product. EV has earned \$66.50 so far this year. Please help the PTO get closer to our goal of \$1,500 by scanning your store receipts this holiday season. Feel free to contact Amber Whitteker at awhitteker@cvschools.org or Lynn Grossman at jialy@verizon.net with any questions. Thank you for your support!



Cumberland Valley Virtual Academy Corner

CVVA

For more information about Cumberland Valley Virtual Academy, please click the link above.

Technology

Below you will find useful information for Schoology and Skyward. For more information on technology used and other helpful links please click <u>here</u> to access the CV Parent Homepage

Schoology

SCHOOLOGY - OUICK GUIDE

How to access Schoology:

Access Schoology through the <u>link</u> on the Cumberland Valley School District Webpage.

Student login information:

Username: Year of graduationfirstinitiallastname or your child's CV email before the @ sign.

Password: student ID / 00+lunch number (unless otherwise set by student)

Parent Login Information

Username: Email Address you have on record with Skyward **Password:** Generated by Schoology or what you changed it to.

Parents Getting Started Guide

How to get text notifications in Schoology

Text message notifications are also available for certain actions.

You can link your mobile phone to your Schoology account by following these directions:

- 1. Select the arrow next to your name on the top right side of the page.
- 2. Click Notifications from the dropdown menu.
- 3. Select the Send Notifications to Your Phone via Text Message box to the right.
- 4. Enter your Cell Phone Number (your number remains hidden from other members).
- 5. Choose your Country.
- 6. Select your wireless Carrier.
- 7. Click Set Mobile to complete.

For <u>Instructions for Setting Up Parent Digest in Schoology</u>, please click on the link below.

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1TtaKuoiYiberOQ8Ff4L9vMN5-itajoHh/view?usp=sharing

Note: E-mail and cell phone notifications differ from the Notifications Icon located on the top menu. The notifications listed under the icon are not customizable. They display information related to course materials and events in chronological order to keep you abreast of academic activity.

Skyward

Welcome to Skyward

Skyward Family Access will allow you to view student schedules, teachers, homerooms, attendance, discipline and grades. In addition, you can complete online forms to provide the District with important information pertaining to your student(s). Please note that bus routes will be available through Infofinderi. You can go to the district website and click the transportation icon for more details.

To learn more about the <u>Family Access Portal</u> and how to use it, click the Knowledge Hub Icon (top right-hand corner) and select Help Center. Here you can browse documentation and video tutorials or search by keyword.

If you are experiencing issues pertaining to logging into the system, accessing information, or completing the required forms, contact Cumberland Valley's Helpdesk (helpdesk@cvschools.org or 717-506-3393).

Follow the link below to reset the password on your User account and begin using Family Access.

Reset Password

If you already have a Skyward password set up, please disregard this message and <u>Click Here</u> to log in.

Stay tuned for more PTO news next month!

