



LOWER SCHOOL DIRECTOR

Erin K. Cerezo

Parent Bulletin

September 27, 2024

A Message from your Director

Lower School Families,

It was a SPIRIT-FILLED WEEK here in El Pomar as our Lower School students participated in homecoming-themed days and prepared for our Homecoming game tomorrow morning! **I want to personally invite EVERY Lower School family to attend the Upper School girls' volleyball Homecoming game at 11:00 a.m. on Sept. 28 in Tutt Field House. We will have a class competition for attendance. Following the game, we will all gather in the lower lot of El Pomar for a cookout sponsored by [CSS Booster Club](#)! Come relax, enjoy the company, and cheer on our mighty Kodiaks!**

This week our classrooms were buzzing with activity and beautiful instruction! Our Kindergarten class worked on their first project in English Language Arts. They designed and constructed their own unique toy in the culmination of their Toys & Tools unit. It was phenomenal to see their creativity and innovation! Our LS Student Council (STUCO) met for their first Council Meeting. Students brainstormed ways they would positively impact the school community during their 24-25 term. Watching these young leaders blossom, have such sophisticated conversations, and have a platform to bring their ideas to fruition is exactly what leadership is about at CSS!

As always, if you see or feel something is ever falling short of our Kodiak product promise, reach out to me personally (early and often). All of our Kodiaks deserve the best educational experience possible, and it takes a partnership to ensure that happens each and every day! I am thankful for all of your continual feedback and communication.

I hope to see each of you at the Homecoming game on Saturday! Enjoy your weekend and....GO KODIAKS!

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News & Updates

- October conferences are right around the corner. ALL Lower School families are required to attend a parent-teacher conference (Parents/Guardians only for Quarter 1). More information and sign-up's regarding these meetings will be out in the coming weeks. In the meantime, mark your calendar and expect to have a minimum of 30 minute slot for these important meetings.

Important Dates for Planning Ahead

Sept. 27

8:15 - 9:00 a.m.

All-School Assembly

9:15 a.m.- Noon

All-School Service Day

12:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Parents Association Carnival

School dismissed at noon

Sept. 28

11:00 a.m.

US Homecoming Volleyball Game

There will be a Class Attendance Competition

12:30 p.m.

Family Homecoming Cookout

Oct. 10

Picture Make-Up & Retake Day

Oct. 18

SCHOOL CLOSED - Teacher In-Service Day

Oct. 30

XSCREAM DAY

Costume Parade (LS)

Class Parties (more info coming from class coordinators)

Pumpkin Drop

Oct. 31

SCHOOL CLOSED - Parent-Teacher Conferences
(more information to come)

THE COLORADO SPRINGS SCHOOL PRESENTS

Homecoming

A Community Gathering

Celebrate the joy of community with Kodiaks of the past, present and future.
Do not miss Homecoming Weekend!

FRIDAY, SEPT. 27

ALL-SCHOOL CARNIVAL

Noon - 3:00 p.m.
The Quad

Games, prizes & food

Questions?

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SATURDAY, SEPT. 28

UPPER SCHOOL VOLLEYBALL GAME

11:00 a.m.
Tutt Field House

Themed outfits (Neon/Bright Colors)
Kodi the Kodiak
Class attendance competitions
Kodiak spirit giveaways
Alumni recognition
Pep band and more!

FALL SPORTS SENIOR TRIBUTES

Noon
Tutt Field House

FAMILY HOMECOMING COOKOUT

Immediately following senior tributes
El Pomar lower level parking lot
Free hotdogs & hamburgers
(provided by the CSS Booster Club)

UPPER SCHOOL HOMECOMING DANCE

7:00-10:00 p.m.
Country Club of Colorado
125 Clubhouse Drive
Theme: Neon