



# RAIDER NEWS

CRESCENT VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL • PUBLISHED BY CVPO

## From the Principal, Cherie Stroud

Welcome to the new school year at Crescent Valley High School! The first days of the year always bring an exciting combination of hope and promise in new experiences to come, combined with the comfort and security of renewed friendships and the return to a familiar place. If you are new to Crescent Valley this year, I want to extend a warm welcome; you are joining an exceptional school community and I am glad to have you with us.

Several summer projects at CV are at or near completion. They include the following:

- Resurfacing of the track
- Repaving of the back parking lot and walkway from the main parking lot to the football field
- Remodeling of the bathrooms next to the auditorium and in the gymnasium lobby
- Installation of a surveillance system throughout the school
- Installation of a sprinkler system and other improvements for the kilns outside of the F building
- Replacement of the floor in the kitchen

In addition, the CV custodial and district maintenance staffs have worked very hard to clean, polish and shine the school in preparation of the arrival of students and staff. Crescent Valley is a beautiful school and I appreciate all the work to maintain its splendor.

As I reported last spring, we have a new assistant principal, **Julie Linhares**. She is most recently from Forest Grove, where she was the lead teacher in the alternative high school program. She is enthusiastic, capable and a great match for our administrative team. Former assistant principal **Mike Fagan** will return to his passion in the physical education classroom and coaching. He will be joined in the PE department by **Cami Roberts**, who will start the year on maternity leave. Cami comes with exceptionally well-rounded experience and expertise in physical education, most recently teaching at Cheldelin Middle School and Dixon Recreation Center.

We also want to welcome a new special education teacher, **Ellen Froot**, as well as a new English Language Learner teacher, **Angela Garcia**. Angela will be assisted by an experienced district employee, **Joline Woods**, who transferred to CV this year. **Kelly Young** joins the special education staff as a transition specialist and educational assistant in the classroom. She is also a current district employee with several years of experience. Last spring, I announced the hire of a new art teacher, **Victoria Eastwood**.

**Laura Casey** joins the world language department and will teach Spanish. **Beth Russell** will return from a leave of absence to teach half time in the English department. The extended learning specialist, **Danny Corliss**, will pursue a Masters in teaching this fall and this position has been filled by a face familiar to CV, **Mukta Gupta**. A current district employee, **Martha Rost**, will join the CV office staff as a health room assistant. Finally, we welcome a new head cook, **Tammy White**, due to the retirement of **Kathy Wheeler** last spring. Please join me in welcoming all of our new staff.

I'd like to invite you to a couple of important events during the month of September. CV will receive the Oregonian Cup for the third time, and for a second year in a row, on Thursday, September 11, during a pep rally at 11 a.m. The second event is a back-to-school barbecue and open house on Wednesday, September 24. The barbecue is a great time to mingle with friends, meet new families and celebrate the beginning of another school year. The open house will begin with welcoming remarks in the auditorium at 6:45 p.m. with classroom visits immediately following at 7 p.m.

I look forward to another great year, working together to make Crescent Valley a unique and excellent school. If you are new to CV, I'd love to meet you – please stop by and introduce yourself.

Go Raiders!!

Cherie

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## Administrative News

### Food Service New Look

The District Food Service has taken on a new look and has added new information such as healthy eating and healthy lifestyles to their website. You may view school level menus on their website. In addition, at the school level, they are adding a number of new, healthy snacks for school events or classroom parties. The Catering Menu and price list is also on the website.

Free or reduced-price meals are available to students whose households qualify based on income or receipt of food stamps/TANF benefits. Households must complete an application each year to receive free or reduced-price meal benefits unless you receive a letter stating that your child has been approved for free meals based on eligibility information that has been electronically transferred from the Oregon Department of Human Services. If you do not receive a letter for each child in your household, then you must complete an application listing all household members. Students eligible for free meals are entitled to one breakfast and one lunch meal each day. Ala-carte items, milk only, or additional meals are not included and are at an additional cost.

If your child was approved for free or reduced-price meals during the 2007-08 school year, he/she will continue to receive those meal benefits until October 15 or until a current application for the 2008-09 school year is processed. Meal benefits for new applications cannot start until an application is approved. Please send a lunch or money for a paid lunch until you receive notice that the application is approved.

Student meals are processed on a computer in the cafeteria. Each student has an account whether they use it or not. To use the account, money needs to be deposited to the account prior to eating. When the student goes through the meal line the appropriate amount will be deducted from the account based on their status of paid or reduced-price. The District School Board policy does not allow high school students to charge meals. If you have any questions or concerns contact the District Food & Nutrition Services at 757-5867.

### CV Open House

Crescent Valley High School staff would like to invite you to our fall open house on Wednesday, September 24. The evening will begin with a back-to-school BBQ from 5:30-6:30 p.m. in the CV Quad. The cost will be \$5 per person.

**Principal Stroud** will welcome parents at 6:45 in the auditorium. Class rotations will begin at 7 p.m. Students will be bringing home their schedule of classes on Monday before the open house. If not, you can have them fill out the form below. We look forward to seeing you!

### From the Assistant Principal, Julie Linhares

The start of a school year is always exciting for folks in education. The paper and pencils and notebooks show up on special shelves right where you walk into the store. Malls buzz with shopping students looking for the latest cool fashions. Band members haul instruments out of closets for the first time since June. Football players don shoulder pads, cross country runners lace up running shoes, soccer stars insert shin guards, and volleyball players pull up knee pads. Nothing could be better for someone who loves education and music and sports. And I certainly love all of it!

This year is even more thrilling since I am here in Corvallis for the first time since graduating from Oregon State's College of Education 12 years ago. So I almost feel like moving here is a homecoming of sorts, and I am pleased to have the opportunity to serve Crescent Valley High School as Assistant Principal. Education is my true passion, and I'm so happy to be here because everyone I've met shares that passion. The students, parents and staff have been warm and welcoming; I am very glad to be part of this great team this fall.

For a little background on me, Forest Grove was the last place I called home. I spent three years serving that school district as the lead teacher of the alternative education program. Before moving to "The Grove," I taught and coached for eight years in Florence, Oregon at Siuslaw High School. My career started in Brazil where I was an English teacher for two different language schools in the megalopolis of Sao Paulo.

Besides education, I enjoy reading, hiking, scrapbooking, running with my Chocolate Lab, Josie, and playing Indiana Jones or Star Wars with my favorite seven-year-old, Isaac. I am an avid Beaver fan, Steeler fan, Raider fan (CV and Oakland), and Brazil fan (soccer, that is). When I have time, I dabble in gourmet cooking as well, although I have not exactly mastered the kitchen yet!

Enjoy your year; I look forward to meeting more parents and students as we progress into the fall.

Go Raiders!

Julie



# Administrative News continued

Please use the following form to keep track of your student's schedule.

Time	Course	Teacher	Room Number
7:00–7:10	Period 1		
7:15–7:25	Period 2		
7:30–7:40	Period 3		
7:45–7:55	Period 4		
8:00–8:10	Period 5		
8:15–8:25	Period 6		
8:30–8:40	Period 7		
8:45–8:55	Period 8		

## School Dances

It is the desire of the school to make dances a safe and fun evening for all students. All Crescent Valley students are welcome to attend dances. Students are expected to have their student identification card, dress appropriately, and adhere to guidelines of appropriate dance, i.e. no "grinding." Only CV students are allowed to attend dances, unless their guests are on a quest list. Guest lists are located in the front office and all guests must be approved prior to the date of the dance. Students will be aware that a breathalyzer is on site and any suspicion of alcohol use will warrant a test being done. District policy states that law enforcement will be notified for a positive test as well as parents or guardians being called. Parents are encouraged to help supervise as chaperones if they wish. All dances will end promptly at 11 p.m.

## After Game Dance

All students are invited to come to the first after-game dance of the year following the Friday, September 5 home football game. The DJ will start music when the game ends and play until 11 p.m. Admission is \$3.00 with ASB Card and \$5.00 without. You must show your student ID card to get in.

## A Big Thank you!

Thanks to all the wonderful parent volunteers who made our registration a success. Several parents volunteered their time to help prepare registration packets and assisted with registration. A special thank you goes to **Lisa Freeman** for coordinating the registration packets mailing, and to **Patti Pauk** for coordinating all the volunteers during registration. We appreciate everyone's commitment to CV.

## DMV Proof of Enrollment

The DMV requires proof that applicants for a driver permit or license, under the age of 18, are making satisfactory progress towards a high school diploma or GED. A DMV Proof of Enrollment form can be obtained from the CV main office or counseling center.

## Attendance

Check attendance on Pinnacle! Go to "Check Grades," then click on the Pinnacle link. Once you have logged in, you can check attendance by clicking on "Attendance Summary." You may also sign up to receive email regarding your student's attendance.

## Attendance and Tardy Policies

**Jerri Barr, Attendance Secretary**  
**757-5806**

Oregon law requires students to attend school until they are 18 years old, until they graduate from high school, or until they complete an approved alternative education program. When students are absent from school, state guidelines determine if the absence is excused, unexcused or unresolved.

**EXCUSED ABSENCE:** An absence for personal or family illness; family emergency; school activity; religious holiday; medical, dental or court appointments; college visitation; or pre-arranged family commitments (up to five pre-arranged absences per semester).

**UNEXCUSED ABSENCES:** ANY reason other than those listed above (alarm did not go off, missed ride, etc.).

**UNRESOLVED ABSENCES:** An absence not cleared by the parent within 48 hours of the student's return to school. Absences CANNOT be excused after 48 hours without administrative approval.

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PRE-ARRANGED ABSENCE: A form, to be signed by parent and teachers, may be picked up in the attendance office or main office and must be turned in to the attendance office prior to the absence. This form is only for absences of three days or more. For absences less than three days, please notify the attendance office by phone, email, or a note. This form is also available on the CV website.

### Getting Messages to Students

Please make arrangements with your student prior to school hours regarding medical appointments, after-school transportation, lunches, etc. It is very disruptive to the learning environment to enter the classroom once it has begun. Therefore we will not interrupt class unless there is an emergency. Students can check for messages posted on the kiosks in the main hallway or on the student's locker. Customer service is important to us and we try to accommodate family needs the best way possible. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

### New Form required for School Computer Use

The Student Network Account Agreement form is a new form included with registration materials. It must be signed by both the student and a parent or guardian in order for the student to use the computers at school. Please read the back of this form, which summarizes expectations for student use of our computer system and also refer to the link on the district web site for more details. If you choose to deny your student the right to use the computer system, there is a Student Network Account Denial form available in the school office.

### Yearbook Information for Parents of Seniors:

Senior Portraits are due to **Pam Mathews'** mailbox by Friday, October 24. Students who do not turn in senior portraits will have their Lifetouch school photos in the senior section.

Senior yearbook ads are due December 12. There is a 10% discount if the ad is turned in with the senior portrait on Oct. 24.

More specific portrait and ad information was mailed to your home in June; please let us know if you have questions. For more information, please email **Alex Huddleston**, the yearbook business editor, at [cvyearbook@corvallis.k12.or.us](mailto:cvyearbook@corvallis.k12.or.us).

### Buying a Yearbook

The cost of the 2009 yearbook is \$50.00 until December 1. Students who have not yet purchased a yearbook should make arrangements to do so before the December 1 ordering deadline. Production costs are increasing and we can no longer afford to guess how many students will purchase books after our ordering deadline. Yearbooks purchased after December 1 will cost \$60.00 and only a limited number will be available based on a small overage.

If you have any questions, please email **Alex Huddleston**, the yearbook business editor, at [cvyearbook@corvallis.k12.or.us](mailto:cvyearbook@corvallis.k12.or.us). Thanks for your support!

### Yearbook Assistance Program

Students who are interested in working off the cost of the yearbook should see **Denise Purdy**, the bookkeeper. We have a program at CVHS to assist students in earning a yearbook. If your student financially qualifies and would like to work to "earn" a yearbook this year, please make sure the paperwork is completed and turned into the bookkeeping office. Forms will be available at registration – please ask if you do not see them. All instructions are on the form.

Please help us avoid any disappointment at year end. To "earn" a yearbook the student must work APPROVED hours in the front office. They can pay the difference if they do not complete their time. They will not be paid for hours worked if not completed.

All forms must be turned in prior to spring break and the hours worked completed by May 1, 2009. If you did not get a form at registration, have your student get a new one from the bookkeeper.

### Volunteers Needed in Bookkeeping Office

Are you looking for an ongoing detail-oriented challenge for the coming school year(s)? You are needed in the CVHS bookkeeping office. The work can be as mundane or challenging as you like. There is filing, data entry, and assisting students with fees; but also tricky computer programs to keep updated.

If you can offer a few hours a week or month please contact **Denise Purdy** at 757-5808 or [denise.purdy@corvallis.k12.or.us](mailto:denise.purdy@corvallis.k12.or.us). You are needed and anything you can offer would be greatly appreciated. Do not be intimidated by the word bookkeeping; it is much more than that and you will get all the on the job training you need.

### CIS Connection

Local businesses and organizations have an opportunity to get their names in front of the public in a positive way this fall as Corvallis School District 509J begins CIS Connection. The Career Information System (CIS) has long provided students with tools and data to determine and examine careers that they may wish to pursue. CIS Connection adds local employers to that equation, listing area businesses that hire those occupations. This gives students a tangible idea of how and where certain careers shape their community. The program can also connect students with community members who may be willing to be guest speakers, participate in career fairs, host job shadow experiences, conduct mock job interviews, supervise internships, or be involved in other career learning activities.

For more information on the program, contact CVHS Career Learning assistant **Kip Carlson** at 541-757-5813 or [kip.carlson@corvallis.k12.or.us](mailto:kip.carlson@corvallis.k12.or.us).

### Do something different this year: Try Destination ImagiNation®!

Destination ImagiNation (DI), sponsored by Corvallis 509J Destination Imagination Organization, is a creative problem-solving program for students in grades kindergarten through 12. Imagine a program where kids have FUN learning creative problem-solving skills, construction techniques, set and costume design, script writing, and improvisation. This is DI! Students work in teams to create and perform a solution to one of five challenges. Each challenge blends a different mix of skills - some are more technical, some more mechanical or mathematical and others are more theatrical in nature. Teams also perform an instant challenge, given to them with just minutes to prepare. . There is a Rising Stars (non competitive) challenge for k-2 and Project Outreach, a service project challenge, as an additional opportunity for High School students only. Crazy? Yes! Fun? You bet!

How do teams form? Parents of interested students usually start the ball rolling. Teams of five to seven students are grouped by age or grade (k-2, 3-5, 6-8 and 9-12). While teams are usually students from the same school, they can also be friends or neighbors. Teams need an adult team manager who facilitates the meetings (training and materials are included with registration). The registration costs are \$70 per student (\$50 for the second student in a family) and only \$30 for Rising Stars Participants. Teams form in October and work some in the fall, but January and February are busiest as teams prepare for the March regional tournament. Higher scoring teams progress to the state tournament at Oregon State University in April.

Want to learn more? In Corvallis an Information Night and Registration will be held October 7 at 7 p.m. at the Cheldelin Middle School Cafeteria. For lots of information about the program and its value, look at the national web site at: [www.destinationimagination.org](http://www.destinationimagination.org). The Oregon website at [www.oregondi.org](http://www.oregondi.org) lists information and training dates, plus local contact information. You may also call Corvallis co-coordinator **Karen Anderson** at 754-3811 for information.



### BOYS & GIRLS CLUB

**Office hours: Monday–Friday, 9 a.m.–6 p.m.**  
(closed 1–2 p.m.)  
**Phone: 541-757-1909**

**Clubhouse Programs** (Open to all MEMBERS, grades K–12). Memberships are purchased online at [www.bgccorvallis.org](http://www.bgccorvallis.org).

**The Clubhouse After-School Program:** 2:45–7 p.m. Monday–Friday. Fee: \$25. The Club's membership year runs from Sept. 1–Aug. 31.

**The Clubhouse Non-School Days** 9 a.m.–6 p.m. Fee: \$25 per day. (\$10 discount per day for registrations received by deadline dates. Call Club for specific dates.) Current membership is required. Register online now at [www.bgccorvallis.org](http://www.bgccorvallis.org) for March 24–28.

**Saturday Hours!** The Boys & Girls Club will be open to all current Club members on Saturdays from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. starting October 11 and running through spring. Some Saturdays will be subject to change due to facility rental – watch for signs posted in advance. Members will be given the unique opportunity to enjoy all areas of the Clubhouse. Some of our weekly programs will be offered on Saturdays; however, the majority of the time will be given to members to use the Club to play games or simply hang out. Staff will be on hand to assist Club members.

#### **The Clubhouse Teen Program**

This program is open to all Members in grades 6–12 on days when there is NO SCHOOL from 1 p.m.–6 p.m. There is NO additional fee.

## Opening Windows to the World: The Crescent Valley Library Media Center

**Judy Westlake, Librarian**  
766-4889 or [judy.westlake@corvallis.k12.or.us](mailto:judy.westlake@corvallis.k12.or.us)

"I used to go to the library all the time when I was a kid. As a teenager, I got a book on how to write jokes at the library, and that, in turn, launched my comedy career."  
~Comedian Drew Carey  
(Carey appeared on *Who Wants to Be a Millionaire*, where he announced that all of his winnings would go to Ohio public libraries. Carey donated nearly \$600,000 to the Ohio Library Council.)

Welcome to the CVHS library/bookroom! We look forward to seeing some of you again, and meeting new students and parents. Students use the library to study quietly and to access a wide variety of printed and online sources of information for their classes. Students also use their ID cards to check out materials to read for pleasure. Textbooks are checked out from the book room starting the first few days of school.

### Thank you Library/Bookroom Volunteers!

We were fortunate again in June to have many capable and energetic volunteers pitch in to check in, repair, and shelve hundreds of textbooks so that we're ready for the 2008-09 school year. A huge thank you to volunteers listed below (we sincerely apologize if we missed you)—some of whom worked several shifts over the course of the six very hectic days: **Amy Adamski, Lani Angers, Sharon Bogdonavic, Lisa Curry-Wilde, Sandra DeCarolus, Lisa Freeman, Sue Gillespie, Jill Grause, Kim Gregory, Marcella Henkels, Linda Herlihy, Wendy Johnson, Debbie Killeen, Jennifer Klammer, Candy Leelaamornvichet, Jan Liebskind, Tish Morrell, Kim Oxsen, Ellisse Parnon, Cathy Peters, Sue Peterson, Debra Pinard, Erica Powell, Linda Van Powell, Vicky Rausch, Denise Rennecamp, Karen Rosenberg, Elene Sheets, Paulette Simmons, Martha Smouse, Katie Weber, and Susie Zaremba.**

Special recognition goes to **Amy Adamski** for recruiting and scheduling our volunteers, and we hope to see our regulars, whom we thank immensely, back again in the fall — **Lisa Freeman** and **Katie Weber**. We welcome newcomers if you have a few hours to donate each week (call library staff at 757-5822). If not, we appreciate your help during our busy times — like the flurry of activity that will surround textbook checkout in September. With your help, we hope to be good to go on the first day of school. Look for Amy's email, and until then, enjoy what's left of your summer!

### Textbook Checkout

Students must remember to bring their ID cards to check out their textbooks. We also ask that students put their name in the books immediately.

### Treasure Our Books

Please remember to take care of the CVHS library books and textbooks. Cover textbooks with paper covers that tape only to themselves, and not to the book. Leave pages and book bindings clean and whole. Remember that we charge for tears, stains, or writing (except for names on the inside cover) in our books. If students see damage in books when they first check them out, they should bring the damage to the attention of one of our librarians. Protecting our textbooks is especially important this year, as we have been checking out many new copies, many of which are expensive.

### Book Reviews

We include a book review in every newsletter during the school year. Please let library staff know if your student would like to submit a review for consideration.

### Chess Sets Needed

Next year the library will be offering the opportunity for students to play chess in the library at lunch. Does anyone have an extra set to donate?

### Donations and Lost Books

Please continue to donate books and supplies to the CVHS library or bookroom and to look for and return our books that may have made it to your home without being checked out. Since our budget is small, students and staff depend on your donations.

## Career Center News

**CV Career Center:** Open during school hours to parents and students  
**Location:** Across hall from library  
**Coordinator:** **Nancy Pliskin** available:  
Monday/Wednesday/  
Thursday, 8:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m. Tuesday, 10:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m. Friday, 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

### Contact information:

[nancy.pliskin@corvallis.k12.or.us](mailto:nancy.pliskin@corvallis.k12.or.us) or 757-5916  
Website: [www.csd509j.net/cvhs/counseling](http://www.csd509j.net/cvhs/counseling)

### Would You Like to Volunteer Weekly in the CC?

The Career Center (CC) is staffed by part-time coordinator, **Nancy Pliskin**, and over 30 volunteers. It is a busy place throughout the day, and houses a variety of resources for students and parents. Two parent volunteers are needed for most blocks of the day. Parents who volunteer discover a wealth of helpful information, feel more in touch with happenings at CV, plus get to network with other parents. There are still a few openings in the volunteer schedule. Call **Nancy Pliskin** for more information and to sign-up.

### PSAT Given Once a Year – Oct 15

Each school year students have one opportunity to take the PSAT. This year the PSAT will be given during school hours at CV on Wednesday, October 15. The PSAT is administered through the College Board as a practice test in preparation for the SAT as well as the qualifying test (for juniors only) for the National Merit Scholarship program. All college-bound juniors are encouraged to take the PSAT. Registration for juniors begins Monday, September 8 in the CC and requires payment of \$18 (cash or check made to "CVHS") This fall, for the first time, the State of Oregon is funding the cost for sophomores to take the PSAT. Watch for more information about the PSAT in the Daily Bulletin, at the CV website and through the parent listserv.

### Fall SAT Review Class

Each fall and spring the Assistance League of Corvallis offers a six-week SAT Review Class for Benton County high school juniors and seniors. Registration materials are mailed to all juniors and seniors in late August or early September. The Career Center will have extra registration forms available for students who do not receive one in the mail. Some scholarships are available. This class fills up quickly so students should mail in their registration forms promptly in order to reserve a spot in either the Saturday morning session or the Tuesday evening session. Remember, registrations are only accepted by mail. For more information about the fall class, visit the Assistance League website at [www.alcorvallis.org](http://www.alcorvallis.org).

### SAT/ACT Registration Information

College bound juniors and seniors who plan to take the SAT or ACT during the 2008/2009 school year are urged to register online as soon as they select a testing date. A complete list of all 2008/2009 test dates and registration information are available at [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com) for the SAT and at [www.act.org](http://www.act.org) for the ACT. Registration materials and test prep booklets can be picked up in the Career Center. Some colleges and universities require SAT subject tests in addition to the SAT reasoning test. Please note that the ...

...SAT reasoning test must be taken on a separate test date from the SAT subject tests. However, a student may take up to three subject tests on the same testing date. Students should contact individual schools' websites to determine what admission tests are required.

### College Admission Counselors Visit CV in the Fall

Admissions representatives from more than 40 colleges and universities from Oregon and around the country visit the CC each fall in September and October. Students must sign-up in the CC to attend the visits; parents are also invited to attend (sign-up not required). Admissions counselors who attend these visits are often involved in reviewing college applications. This is a wonderful opportunity for students to learn more about a particular school, ask questions, learn about the college admissions process, and establish contact with the counselor. For the most current list of upcoming visitations, watch the daily bulletin or stop by the CC.

### Oregon University System (OUS) Schools Visit CV

On Monday, October 20 from 1:20 to 3 p.m. (D-block) students will be able to attend the annual OUS visitation where representatives from the seven state universities (OSU, U of O, WOU, SOU, EOU, OIT, PSU) and from LBCC will be at CV to talk about their schools, meet with students (and parents) and answer questions. In order to attend this event, students must sign up in the CC or through Advisor by Monday, October 6. Students will be excused from D-block classes ONLY if they attend the entire event which consists of the general session in the auditorium, and two break-out sessions. Attendance will be taken. Parent volunteers are needed to assist with this event. If you'd like to help, contact Nancy Pliskin @ 757-5916.

### National College Fair in Portland

The annual NACAC Fall National College Fair will be held on Friday, October 3 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m., and on Saturday, October 4 from 1 to 5 p.m. at the Oregon Convention Center. Admissions reps from more than 250 colleges and universities from around the country will attend. Information sessions on topics such as writing college essays, paying for college and admissions process will also be offered. For more information and to register, visit [www.nacac.com/fairs.html](http://www.nacac.com/fairs.html) or contact [collegefairs@nacacnet.org](mailto:collegefairs@nacacnet.org) or [info@nacacnet.org](mailto:info@nacacnet.org) or call 703/836-2222 ext 124.

### Performing & Visual Arts College Fair

The annual NACAC Performing and Visual Arts (PVA) College Fair will be held on Thursday, October 2 from 7 to 9 p.m. at Portland State University. This fair is designed for students interested in pursuing undergraduate and graduate study in the areas of music, dance, theater, visual arts, graphic design, and other related disciplines. For more information and to register, visit [www.nacac.com/fairs.html](http://www.nacac.com/fairs.html), or contact [collegefairs@nacacnet.org](mailto:collegefairs@nacacnet.org) or [info@nacacnet.org](mailto:info@nacacnet.org) or call 703/836-2222 ext 124.

### Kiwanis Senior of the Quarter Award

Each quarter during the school year (October through May) the Kiwanis Club of Corvallis honors an outstanding high school senior from CHS and from CVHS. Any senior may apply. To be selected, the student must demonstrate well-rounded achievement in school and outside activities. The selected senior of the quarter and his/her parents or guardians are invited to Kiwanis for lunch and presentation of the award. A Student of the Year for CV will be selected by the Kiwanis at the end of the school year from the four students selected from each quarter. Applications must be turned into the CC. Deadline dates will be TBA in October, January, March, and April.

### Out of State Colleges Without Out of State Costs

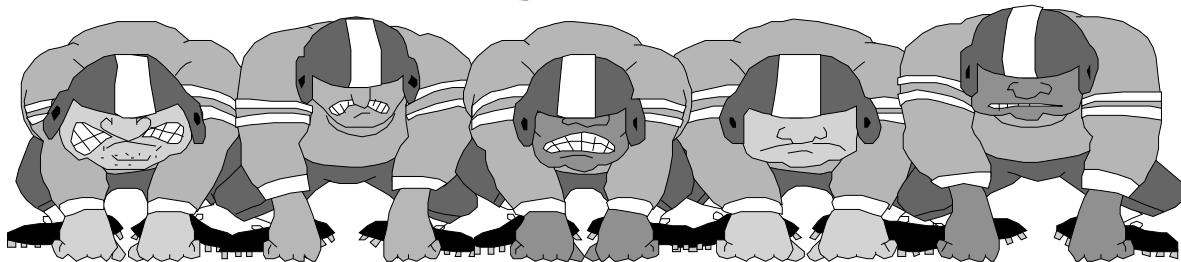
WUE is the Western Undergraduate Exchange program through which students may apply to be considered for enrollment at many two-year and four-year public college programs at a reduced tuition level (150% of the institution's regular in-state tuition). Many institutions require strong academic performance as evidenced by SAT/ACT scores and GPA. For more information, visit [www.wiche.edu/sep/wue](http://www.wiche.edu/sep/wue).

### Seniors - Scholarship Opportunities Begin in the Fall

Every week the CC receives scholarship information that is posted on the scholarship board in the CC and on the CV website at <http://www.csd509j.net/cvhs/counseling/scholarships.htm>. The best way for seniors and parents to have the most up-to-date information about scholarships available through the CC is to check either the CC scholarship board or website [www.csd509j.net/cvhs](http://www.csd509j.net/cvhs) weekly. Another way to locate scholarships is through searches at [oregon-cis.uoregon.edu/cisonline](http://oregon-cis.uoregon.edu/cisonline) (call CC for the user name and password), [www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com), [www.getcollegefunds.org](http://www.getcollegefunds.org), [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com) and individual college/university/department websites.

### Military Visitations in the CC

Recruiters from the various military branches will be setting up their visitation schedule soon. Check the daily bulletin or CC for updates.



# CVHS Activities - September 2008

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 LABOR DAY HOLIDAY	2 TEACHER PREP 7:30-noon - LINK ORIENTATION - Gym Noon-3:00 pm - OPEN REGISTRATION- main hall 4:30 pm - Jvb.v BSO @ S. Salem (Gilmore Fid) 5:30 pm - Jva BS) @ SS (Turf Fid)	3 FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL ADVISOR MEETS	4 NO ADVISOR 6:00 pm - Jv FB @ Cleveland 6:00 pm - fr FB - Cleveland	5 4:00 pm - Jvb.jva.v BSO - McNary 7:00 pm - v FB - Cleveland AFTER GAME DANCE - cafe	6 tba - v VB @ Roseburg 8:30 - Jv VB @ Sil 9:00 - fr VB @ League Jamb (Woodburn) 9:30 - XC @ Beach 1:00 pm - Jva.v GSO @ Crook County
7	8 tba - Jva.jvb BSO @ Cleveland 6:00 pm - v BSO @ Cleveland (endowment)	9 even 4:30 pm - Jva.v GSO - Thurston 5:00/6:00 pm - fr.jv.v VB - Dallas	10 odd	11 10:30 am - CVPO - sdr 11:30 am - PARENT COFFEE- sdr Advisor Sch - OREGONIAN CUP ASSEMBLY - gym 4:30 pm - Jva.v GSO - Sheldon 5:00/6:00 pm - fr.jv.v VB @ Lebanon 5:00 pm - fr FB @ Woodburn 6:00 pm - Jv FB - Woodburn (?)	12 7:00 pm - v FB @ Woodburn	13 ACT 9:00 am - fr.vb @ Springfield Tour tba - Jva.v BSO - Crater
14	15 odd	16 even 3:30 pm - SITE COUNCIL - lib 4:30 pm - Jvb.jva.v GSO - Wilson 5:00/6:00 - fr.jv.v VB - W. Albany	17 odd 4:00 pm - XC Preview @ Willamette Mission State Park	18 even 5:00/6:00 pm - fr.jv.v VB @ S.Albany 5:00 pm - fr FB @ Silverton 6:00 pm - Jv FB - Silverton	19 Lunch - CLUB FAIR - quad 4:00 pm - Jva.v BSO @ Mt.View Tba - Jva.v GSO - Mt. View 7:00 pm - v FB @ Silverton	20 11:00 am - Jva.v BSO @ Bend Tba - Jva.v GSO - Bend 9:00 am - Jv VB @ Springfield Tour Tba - XC @ Seaside 3 Camp Rilea
21	22 odd	23 even 5:00/6:00 pm - fr.jv.v VB - CHS	24 odd 5:30-6:30 pm - BACK TO SCHOOL BAR-B-QUE - quad 6:45 pm - OPEN HOUSE	25 even 5:00/6:00 pm - fr.jv.v VB @ Woodburn 6:00 pm - Jv FB @ Dallas 6:00 pm - fr FB - Dallas	26 4:00 pm - Jvb.jva.v BSO - Summit 7:00 pm - v FB - Dallas	27 8:00 am - v VB @ SA Tba - Jv VB @ McKayville, WA Tba - XC @ Marysville, WA 11:00 am - Jva.v GSO @ Summit 1:00 pm - Jva.v BSO Crook County
28 CV Soccer Golf Tourn.	29 odd	30 even Tba - Jva.v GSO @ Silverton 4:00 pm - Jva BSO - Silverton 6:00 pm - v BSO - Silverton (tod) 5:00/6:00 pm - fr.jv.v VB @ Silverton				



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## DATES TO REMEMBER

- Sept. 3** First Day of School
- Sept. 5** After Game Dance, café.  
Night Party
- Sept. 11** Parent Coffee, 11:30 am/  
Oregonian Cup Assembly
- Sept. 16** Site Council, 3:30 pm
- Sept. 19** Club Fair, lunch
- Sept. 24** Back to School BBQ,  
5:30-6:30 pm/  
Open House, 6:45 pm



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