



# THE MUSTANG POST

October 14, 2022

Dear Parents,

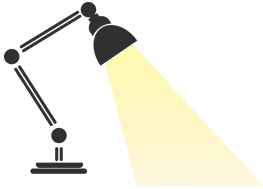
Well, we have successfully made it through the week without our fearless leader, Mrs. Lamgo! We are so glad for her opportunity to visit Norway, but there certainly won't be any complaints when she returns. In her words, "It feels very strange. It is October and I am not in school. That hasn't happened since 1967!"

Fall is in the air. Brisk mornings, changing leaves, and the upcoming fall break are great reminders of the changing of seasons. As Mark Twain put it, "I like to think that to one in sympathy with nature, each season, in turn, seems the loveliest."

Enjoy your weekend!

Respectfully,  
Admin Team

## **Teacher Spotlight:**



### **Colleen Royal**

*Academic Support Assistant*

Miss Royal is new to the Addenbrooke team this year, though her children attended for some time. She has four children, the oldest of which is a Marine. Two of the others are in high school, and the youngest attends the Addenbrooke grammar school.

Colleen is a Colorado native and enjoys hiking and spending time with her family. Her favorite part about working at Addenbrooke is interacting with the fun personalities of the students. She also enjoys helping students overcome challenges they face academically by creating an enthusiastic learning environment.

We are thrilled to have Colleen on our team!

## **ADDENBROOKE HIGH SCHOOL PRE-ARRANGED ABSENCE FORM**

Any absence during the school year, such as family vacations, college visits, or other extended absence, must have completed a Principal-approved, pre-arranged absence form in order to be excused.

This form must be completed and submitted to the school office no later than three days prior to the scheduled absence. The student must meet one or more of the following conditions for the Principals' approval: 1) is in good academic standing, 2) has no unexcused absences, or 3) has four or fewer excused absences in a semester or seven or fewer in a school year. (Absence will count against finals exemptions.)

STUDENT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

GRADE: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE(S) OF ABSENCE: \_\_\_\_\_

REASON FOR ABSENCE: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name and Email Address During Absence: \_\_\_\_\_

The following information must be provided by the teacher accompanied with a signature from each teacher:

Class / Period	Current Grade	Teacher's Signature	Notes/Assignments

Administrator Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Parents of Athletes...

A friendly reminder, as we get back into pre-COVID expectations; missing class due to sporting events is an excused absence that does not count against your student's attendance record. However, ALL classwork is to be turned in on time with no extensions. (Unlike when a student is called in due to illness etc.)

## Parents of Seniors...

- Senior photos are due to Mrs. Crittenden no later than Friday, November 18, 2022. For your convenience, you may have your photographer email photos directly to Mrs. Crittenden at [jcrittenden@addenbrooke.org](mailto:jcrittenden@addenbrooke.org).

## 2022 Colorado Free Application Days (Oct. 18-20, 2022)

- SENIORS... Click [here](#) for more details about how to apply to Colorado colleges without paying an application fee.

**Parents of Sophomores...** Attached below is a link to information regarding the Jeffco 10th Grade Career Expo on Wednesday, October 26, 2022.

## 📎 Career Expo 2022 School Toolkit - Marketing.pdf

### A Note from Warren Tech...

#### Information Nights

Parents and students interested in Warren Tech programs and enrollment for the 23/24 school year are welcome to attend this interactive presentation. Administrators and counselors will be available to answer questions and provide insight into programs in which our students earned over 10,000 college credits last year.

WT Central Information Night - Location: WT Central - October 12 - 5:30-7:00pm

WT South Information Night - Location: WT South - November 2 - 5:30-7:00pm

WT North Information Night - Location: WT North - November 16 - 5:30-7:00pm

#### Warren Tech Open Houses - December 1, 5:00pm - 8:00pm

Parents and students interested in Warren Tech programs and enrollment for the 23/24 school year are welcome to visit any of our three campuses to tour, meet our staff, and have specific questions answered. This is our premier annual event that occurs only five days before enrollment for the 23/24 school year begins.

Please feel free to share this information with interested families from your community. We hope that this information will be useful as we continue to partner with schools to ensure that our students are future ready!



## **Upcoming Events**

**October 15** Fall Festival 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. (See flyer below.)

**October 18 & 19** HS Parent/Teacher Conferences 4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

**October 20-21** Fall Mini Break, No School

**October 22** All-State Choir Auditions (Juniors and Seniors Only)

**October 27** High School Mid-Semester Choral Showcase 4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. at Lakewood Vineyard

**October 27** Restaurant Night at Modern Market 11:00 a.m to 8:00 p.m. 30% of the proceeds will be donated to PACS to be used for our Staff Grant program!

**November 1** No School - Professional Development Day

**November 4** High School MCR Writing #2

**November 4** Metro State Choir Festival (Mustang Chorale)

**November 8** Board of Directors Meeting 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. (High School 3rd floor)

**November 11** High School Picture Retake Day 8:00 a.m.

**November 11** Veterans Day Assembly (PK-12) 8:15 a.m. (Gym)

**November 14** High School Winter Sports Tryouts/1st Practice - Must register and receive clearance in advance - <https://addenbrooke.rschoolteams.com>

### Restaurant Night: Modern Market

Thursday, October 27<sup>th</sup>, 11 am to 8 pm

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Thursday, October 27th  
11:00 AM - 8:00 PM



Modern Market Eatery  
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## COMING IN OCTOBER...SAVE THE DATE

An exciting event is just around the corner! Addenbrooke's Fall Festival will be filled with fantastic things for ALL children and adults. This year we will be highlighting **ACA'S PUMPKIN DROP**, along with our **1st Annual Chili Cook-Off**, our **Trunk or Treat Street**, and our **1st Annual Fall Boutique!**

We will also be having outstanding and fun activities as well as Food Trucks to purchase.

**Date:**  
**October 15th**  
**10:00-2:00pm**  
**DON'T MISS**  
**THE FUN!**

### ADMISSION

**FEE:** 1 canned good/student

**Extras:**

- **RAFFLE PRIZES:** 3 tickets for \$1
- **PUMPKIN DROP:**

Be one of 10 students to drop their carved pumpkin from the top of the school roof or from the top of a fire engine's ladder. This will take place after 10/31 and it will be showcased in front of the whole ACA school body. Raffle tickets will be available for purchase.

**JOIN Student Government in hosting a decorated TRUNK at TRUNK OR TREAT STREET**



**Vote for your favorite decorated TRUNK!**

**PRIZE awarded to the 1st & 2nd placed trunks!**

We are hoping for our Lakewood Fire and Police departments will be there allowing children to explore and thank our community helpers in a job well done! October is Safety Month!

If you have any questions, please contact  
Heather Davenport at  
[heatherpacs@addenbrooke.org](mailto:heatherpacs@addenbrooke.org)

ACA FALL BOUTIQUE...	TRUNK OR TREAT CONTEST	FUN ACTIVITIES	CHILI CONTEST	FOOD TRUCKS & MORE POPCORN (FREE)
ACA COMMUNITY OF PARENTS/ FRIENDS/ AND LAKEWOOD VENDORS. <b>COME SEE AND SHOP!</b> NO BOOTH FEE - YOU HOLD ONTO ALL PROFIT. IN EXCHANGE FOR A DONATION OF A GIFT BASKET OR CERTIFICATE FOR OUR SPRING BOUTIQUE.	<b>VOTE</b> your favorite decorated TRUNK  PRIZE awarded to the 1st & 2nd placed trunks!	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• FACE PAINTING</li><li>• PHOTO BOOTH</li><li>• BOUNCE HOUSES</li><li>• INFLATABLES and MORE...</li></ul>	<b>Enter to win the best ACA chili!</b>  First come, first serve & Vote on your favorite chili.  Prize awarded to the BEST chili winner!	  