



# THE MUSTANG POST

October 28, 2022

Dear Parents,

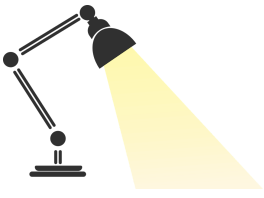
Thank you to everyone who made my trip to Norway possible. I appreciate the teachers and administration who kept things rolling. It was truly the trip of a lifetime.

Reaching Halloween is a marker moving us into the holiday season and signaling the end of the long, arduous part of the semester. There is still work to be done as there are 28.5 school days left before winter break. Teachers continue to be available for after-school help on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from 3:30-4:00 for students who need extra help. It has been difficult for some to get back to rigorous academic expectations, but they are rising to the occasion.

Our fall sports teams have completed their seasons, and winter sports begin in a few weeks. Advanced Orchestra enjoyed a visit to a CSO rehearsal of Vivaldi's Four Seasons, and Mustang Chorale will be attending the Metro State University Choir Festival next Friday, November 4th. Have an enjoyable weekend.

Respectfully,  
Cindy Lamgo

## Teacher Spotlight:

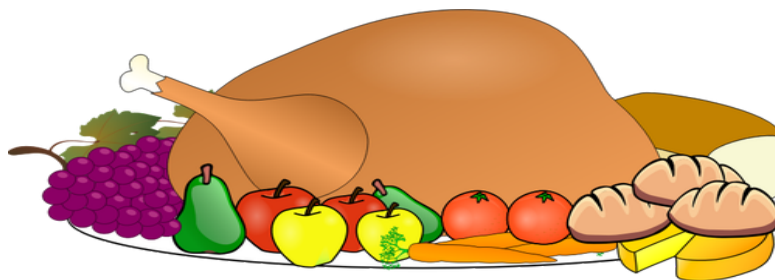


### **Mr. Jason Pranaitis**

Physics, Statistics, Algebra II, Moral Philosophy

Mr. Pranaitis is a native Coloradan who earned a Bachelor's degree in Elementary Education from Grove City College in Pennsylvania and a second Bachelor's degree in Math and Philosophy from Metro State University.

Jason's hobbies include singing (he is a tenor), playing the piano, and spending time with his niece and nephews. He enjoys Broadway musicals, a favorite being Jekyll and Hyde by American composer, Frank Wildhorn.



## Upcoming Events

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

**November 2** Western State University visit during lunch

**November 3** Warren Tech visit - Presentation during advisement

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

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

**November 8** Torrey Culbertson from Thomas More College of Liberal Arts will visit during lunch.

"The Thomas More College of Liberal Arts is a private Roman Catholic liberal arts college in Merrimack, New Hampshire. It emphasizes classical education in the Catholic intellectual tradition and is named after Saint Thomas More. It is accredited by the New England Commission of Higher Education."

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

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

**November 15** Board of Directors Workshop 5:00 p.m. Meeting 6:00 p.m.

**November 17** Skate City Night 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

**November 17** High School Social 1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

**November 18** 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).

**November 18** PACS Meeting

Want to learn more about Addenbrooke events and the variety of ways you can get involved? Join us for our next Parents of Addenbrooke Classical Students (PACS) meeting at 8:00 am in the Elementary Commons. Everyone is welcome - Everyone is a PACS parent. We hope to see you there!

**November 21 - 25** Thanksgiving Break

## Fall Sports Update:

- Girls' volleyball is ranked 17th in the state & first in our division.
- The boys' soccer team finished their season with a win.
- Our cross country team went to regionals.
- HS boys' and girls' basketball begins Nov. 14.

### CONGRATULATIONS to our Fall Festival Winners!

#### Chili Cook-Off: Best Chili:

Kersten Egle - \$100 cash prize

#### Best Decorated Trunk or Treat Street Trunks:

1st Place - Star Wars by Alia Lanzen and Macey  
*Candy boutique with \$75 worth in gift cards*

2nd Place - Coco by Karissa Chaparro and Mr.  
Vessey's class

*Flower boutique with \$40 worth in gift cards*

#### Barns & Nobles & Nella's Night!

*Thursday, November 10<sup>th</sup>, 4-7pm*

Come purchase books at Barns & Nobles – funds raised will benefit our ACA libraries. Then head down for a frozen yogurt treat at Nella's, where a percentage of the profits will be given to PACS for our Staff Grant program. Check out our PACS website for more details at [addenbrookepacs.org](http://addenbrookepacs.org).

#### Pumpkin Drop Winners:

Brooke Brayton  
Seamus Cole  
Brayden Abbott  
Ansley A. (2nd)  
Leia Maggart  
Sienna Kennedy  
Edith Juarez  
Sophia Thomas  
Daniel Looney  
Kendra Crowley



#### Skate City Night

*Thursday, November 17<sup>th</sup>, 6-8pm*

Come to a private ACA party and skate with friends and family!

\$7 Admission

\$3 Skate Rental

\$5 Trainer Rental

\$4 Dinner Special (*Hot dog, chips & a drink OR 2 slices of pizza & a drink*)

# Scavenger Skate Party



## Addenbrooke Classical Academy Thursday, November 17<sup>th</sup>

6-8pm

**Admission \$7.00**  
(skate rental \$3.00)

Bring your friends and family for a GREAT back to school skate party for the students, staff, family, and friends from the school!

Pre-pay for your admission and skate rentals BEFORE you arrive at Skate City! [CLICK HERE](#) to purchase your admissions and rentals to present your email confirmation for a quick and expedited entry!

**You and your school  
can participate in  
Scavenger Hunts  
throughout Skate  
City during your  
party.  
Find the items and  
get the correct  
answers to win  
Great Prizes!**

**\$4 Meal Deals  
Available!**

2 Slices of cheese pizza  
& a drink  
OR  
Hot dog, chips, & a drink



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