



# THE MUSTANG POST

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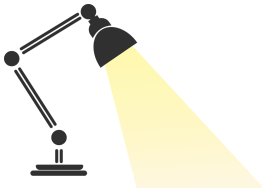
Dear Parents,

Tomorrow, my husband and I will fly to Norway for a bucket list trip. I would not normally take a trip like this during the school year but this year I celebrate my 60th birthday, 30 years of marriage and ten years at Addenbrooke. It has always been a dream of mine to experience the Northern Lights and this time of year is supposed to be optimal viewing time.

Mr. Rienhoff, our assistant principal, as well as Mrs. Michelsen, our Dean of Students, and Mr. Netzer, our executive director, will continue to man the ship. I hope to record a daily vlog to post on the morning announcements so the students can follow our progress around the country. I will return after fall break.

Respectfully,  
Mrs. Lamgo

## Teacher Spotlight:



Mrs. Tamie Peterson  
American Literature, British Literature, Yearbook

Mrs. Peterson holds an Associate's Degree in General Studies- Humanities from BYU Idaho and Bachelor's Degree from Colorado State University in American Studies. The Peterson's have been an Addenbrooke family since 2015. Her oldest son, Collin, is a 2021 Addenbrooke alumnus, her middle son, Jack, is a senior this year, and her youngest son Thatcher is in middle school.

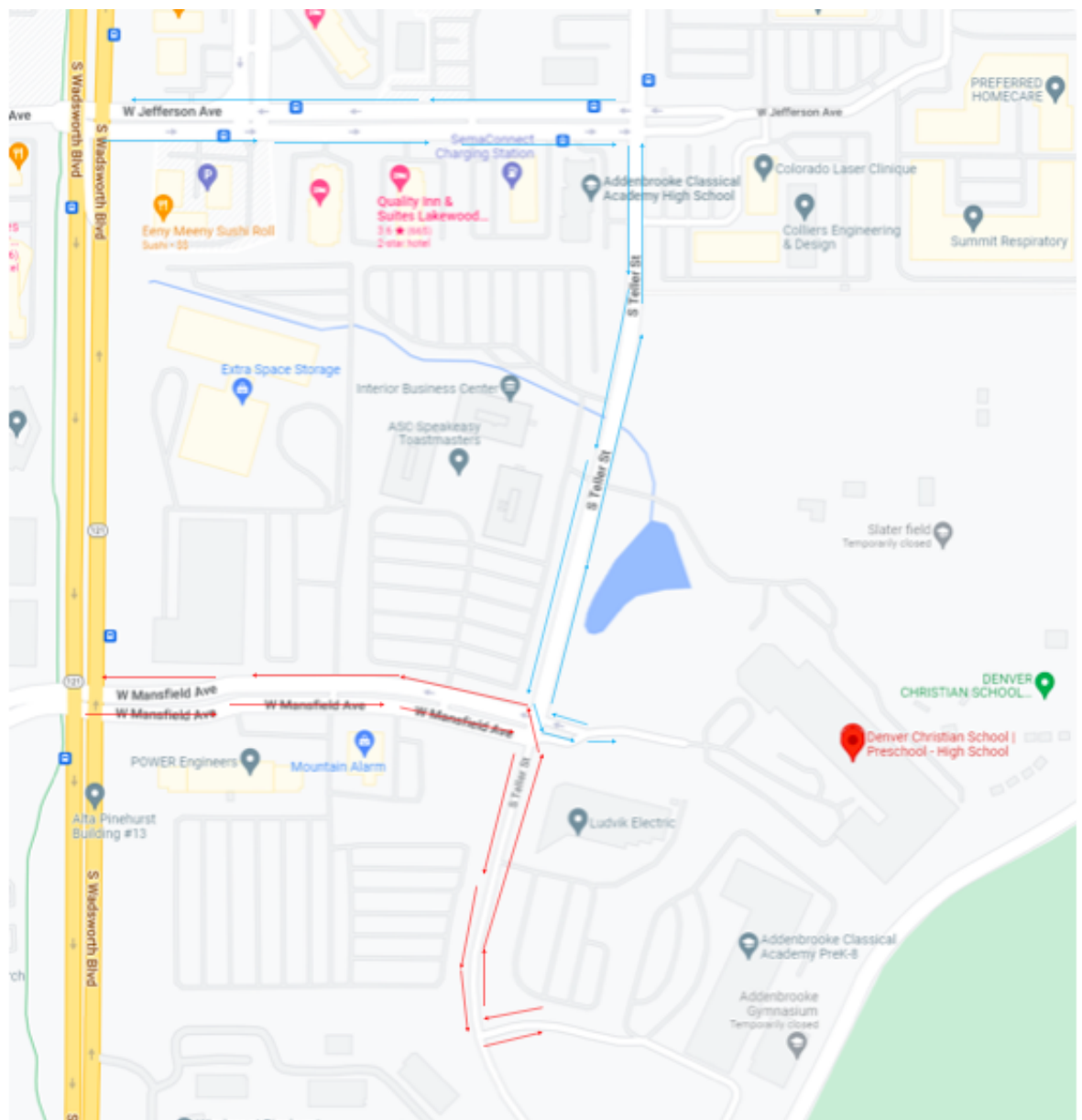
Tamie is a Colorado native and loves to read. She read 14 books over the summer and highly recommends *The Book Woman of Troublesome Creek* and its sequel, *The Book Woman's Daughter*. A fun fact about Mrs. Peterson, she met her husband at her sister's wedding. Her sister was marrying a man named Petersen whose best friend was also named Peterson. So they had the same maiden name and also have the same married name!

## A Note from Ric Netzer...

Shawn Spencer and I had the pleasure of sharing breakfast with our inaugural **Dad Pack** (Dads **P**resent - **A**ctive - **C**onsistent - **K**ind) today. We discussed traffic, safety for our students and families, and ways to improve traffic patterns during our carline. Beginning Monday, October 10th, we are going to close the parking lot by the soccer field to parked cars during carline times. This will keep traffic moving as those in the car line exit the parking lot. Please work with us on this as we continue to explore ways to reduce wait times for our families. We understand that it may not be perfect for all, but I ask that you please be patient as we work collectively to improve the situation. In addition, I ask that you carefully study the attached traffic pattern change as you approach our Prek-8 building to drop off and pick up your students. This pattern was suggested by one of our Dad Pack members. In short, we are asking that ALL families dropping or retrieving students at the Prek-8 building enter and exit Teller Street from Mansfield and not from Jefferson (the east/west street by the Addenbrooke High School). Denver Christian is going to approach their facility via Jefferson and Teller Street by our high school. This will also begin on Monday, October 10th. Thank you for your support as we work together for the safety of our students.

Denver Christian  
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Addenbrooke  
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## Parents of Athletes...

A friendly reminder, as we get back into pre-COVID expectations, here is one of them. 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.)

# Advisement Candy Drive!

**\*\*Sponsored by Student Government\*\***

**Monday, October 3rd thru Friday, October 14th**

This is an annual fall event for our school. The candy is to benefit the Fall Festival (Trunk or Treat) that takes place at the PK-8 campus.

Each Advisement's goal is to gather as much candy (pre-packaged only) as they can over the next two weeks. Please turn it in to your Advisement teacher.

Advisements will receive 5 points for each pound of candy brought in. The Advisement with the most pounds gathered at the end of two weeks gets to have a breakfast party in Advisement (sponsored by Student Government).

**\$15**

## House Shirts



Each shirt is \$15. Payment can be made one of three ways:

- (1) Pay Mrs. Michelsen in cash
- (2) Pay Mrs. Evelyn with a card
- (3) Parents pay fees online

There will be days when house points will be awarded based on who wears their house shirt, so we strongly encourage EVERYONE to pay their fees.

## **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.**

### **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 11** Board of Directors Meeting 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. 3rd Floor HS Building

**October 14** Last Day to Wear Shorts to School (Except for P.E.)

**October 14** 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!

**October 15** Fall Festival - New! 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. (See flyers 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

**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>

# FALL FESTIVAL - NEW!

Saturday, October 15th | 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

A community event for all ages! Admission is a canned food item per person in support of our ACA Annual Canned Food Drive.



### ADMISSION

**FEE:** 1 can good/person

**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!

## 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!**

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

**CALLING ALL ACA FAMILIES!**  
*BE involved~Lots of Opportunities*



**Sign-Up NOW**

**Chili Cook-Off**

**ENTER to WIN the 1st Annual Chili Tasting Contest!**  
 Submit your favorite CHILI recipe at the Fall Festival. First come, First serve tasting, then pick **YOUR** favorite!  
**PRIZES ARE:** 2nd Place: Gift Cards  
 1st Place: Personalized Apron and a Gift Card!!!

**Fall Boutique**

**Booth OR Shop...**  
 Do you have a personal business, love making crafts, or know someone who does?  
**Sign-up** to host a booth!  
 Holidays are just around the corner - **shopping** will be a great way to show support to our Addenbrooke families!

**TRUNK or Treat Street**

**Help Decorate YOUR TRUNK for the 1st Annual Contest!**  
**Give out** goodies (supplied to you) to the Trunk or Treaters!  
**VOTE** for your favorite TRUNK!  
 Be A... 1st or 2nd place winner!

**FAMILY/COMMUNITY EVENT HOSTED BY PACS**

**Optional:** Come dressed up in a Fall Costume, or your Trick or Treat Costume.  
 Any questions, please contact me at either (303) 249-6112 or [heatherpacs@addenbrooke.org](mailto:heatherpacs@addenbrooke.org)

**(Please no scary costumes, masks, blood, or weapons.)**

*Please turn in the below form to your child's teacher or in the main office by Friday, October 10th for planning purposes!*

Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Yes**, I'd like to sign up for the Chili Cook-Off (Chili drop off will be no later than 9am Saturday, 10/15th)

**Yes**, I'd like to sign up for a booth for the Fall Boutique (All proceeds go directly to the booth seller)

**Booth Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Type of Product:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Yes**, I'd like to sign-up for Decorating a TRUNK - **Theme Idea:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Yes**, I'd like to help with the Fall Festival