



# **Cimarron Elementary-Middle**

## **School News**

### **November 2022 Edition**

#### **SHOUT OUTS!!!!**

Congratulations and a job well done for our students with Perfect Attendance and for those who made the Honor Roll (available for middle school only) for Quarter 1! Way to go! (See attachment at bottom for the complete list.)

#### **NEWS FROM MRS. PITTMAN:**

Our school spelling bee will be Tuesday, November 8, 2022, at 9:00. Families of contestants are invited to attend. Our class winners are:

8th grade:

1. Lillie
2. Jando
3. Mari

7th grade:

1. Alex
2. Domanic
3. Aubree

6th grade:

1. Cheyenne
2. Caroline
3. Zayden

5th grade:

1. Shane
2. Gaige
3. Abigail

All students in grades 4-8 are required to read a novel/chapter book during first semester. Books must be fully read when they return, after Thanksgiving break. The books are to be read at home, during the first semester.

#### **NEWS FROM MRS. TUCKER:**

Mrs. Tucker's literature students visited the Vietnam Memorial Museum on October 19, 2022. I accompanied the Cimarron School Middle School students. My students especially enjoyed the tour given by DB. He provided us with information about the history of the museum and the Vietnam War. DB was patient and answered all of our questions. Of course, my students loved the idea of getting to sit inside the helicopter. What a great opportunity!

All of the kids talked about what they learned when we returned to school. They couldn't believe that they saw actual Military Medals that were given to soldiers for their courageous deeds during the Vietnam War. More importantly their interest was sparked and they remembered what they learned while visiting the museum. We hope that other students have the opportunity to visit the museum as it was a worthy experience for all.



## IMPORTANT DATES

**November 7:** ELTP Intervention Day

**November 9:** Cimarron Middle School Spelling Bee 9:00

**November 10:** Mid-Term Failing Notices Go Out

**November 11:** Veteran's Day Program at CHS 2:00

**November 16:** School Board Meeting at Eagle Nest School 6:30

**November 19-28:** Thanksgiving Break

## ATHLETICS

The 2022-2023 Athletic Seasons have begun for high school and middle school students. We have are wrapping up both cross country and volleyball for the fall and are starting basketball season for the winter. Go Rams and Lady Rams!!!

### Cross Country

Our Cross Country runners, both boys and girls, had a great season. We have some up and coming runners in the middle school that gave it their all this season. Both boys' and girls' varsity teams qualified for state (WooHoo!!) and will run at Albuquerque Academy on Saturday, November 5 (girls at 10:50am and boys at 11:35am). Go Running Rams and Lady Rams!

### Volleyball

Our volleyball girls have two games left in the regular season, both at home. Come out and cheer on our Lady Rams on Thursday, November 3 at 5:00 vs. Wagon Mound and Saturday, November 5 at 5:00. Here is the link to the volleyball schedule: [Volleyball 2022](#)

### Basketball

Basketball season is here! Please listen to the following information regarding practice, parent meeting, alumni game, and the basketball schedule.

Middle school boys' basketball practice starts November 1, from 4:00-5:30. Middle school girls' basketball starts November 8, from 4:00-5:30.

Unofficial High school girls' and boys' basketball starts November 8, from 3:00-5:30. Official mandatory practice for the high school boys will start Monday, November 14 at 9 AM and will be 3:00-5:30 each school day. Official mandatory practice for the high school girls will start Tuesday, November 15, going 3:00-5:30 each school day.

The MANDATORY Basketball Parent Meeting will be on November 15 at 5:45 pm at CHS.

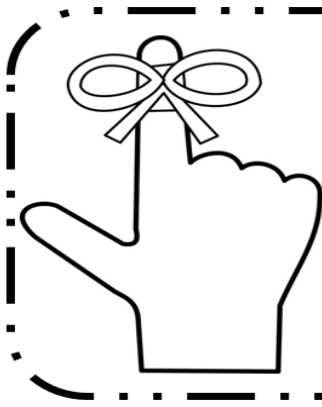
The Alumni games will start at 2:00 on Saturday, November 19. Call Alberta Martinez at 575-376-2241, ext 324, or email her [almartinez@cimarronschools.org](mailto:almartinez@cimarronschools.org) if you are interested in playing.

The basketball schedule can be found on the website at [www.cimarronschools.org](http://www.cimarronschools.org), under Cimarron High School athletics. Please remember that the schedule is subject to change so please check it there often for the most updated schedule and changes.

Here is the link to the basketball schedule: [Basketball 2022/2023](#)

**\*All schedules can also be found on the district website at [www.cimarronschools.org](http://www.cimarronschools.org). Please remember that sports' schedules are subject to change, so please check them often for any updates and changes.**

## LIBRARY REMINDER:



**The Cimarron Elementary Middle School Library is available for all students to borrow books.**

**Students may *borrow* up to two books at a time. Please *return* library books in a timely manner.**

**Thank you for supporting our students and helping them to be responsible library patrons.**

## MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCE FOR FAMILIES:

Cimarron Municipal Schools is providing a new mental wellness resource for parents:

If you miss the virtual event, you can still check out <https://ParentGuidance.org> (link is also found at the bottom of our website) where you can access on-demand virtual courses, professional support, and a safe community for parents to learn how to support their children and get answers to mental health questions. There are courses on anxiety, depression, self-worth, grief and loss, suicidal ideation and other mental health concerns. All courses are created by therapists, psychiatrists, psychologists and other certified mental health practitioners. There is even a portal where you can “Ask a Therapist” your tough questions, as well as see questions and answers from other parents. The Cook Center for Human Connection has made these resources available to help increase hope in a time of continuing uncertainty and growing mental health concern. There are good people in your community working to provide solutions and help for those who are struggling. If you or anyone you know is in a mental health emergency, reach out immediately to the suicide prevention lifeline here: 1-800-273-TALK (8255) or text HOME to 741741.

## BROADCASTING VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are looking for volunteers to help us keep the broadcasts of Ram's Volleyball and Basketball up and running. You don't have to commit to every game, but we do need your help.

No experience is necessary, and we will train you for the positions you are interested in learning about. Ideally, for each game, we would have five camera operators (one of these operates two robotic cameras,) a technical director, graphics, audio, and replay operator.

If you are interested, please reach out to Harold White at [hwhite@cimarronschools.org](mailto:hwhite@cimarronschools.org) for more information and to answer your questions.

## ATTENDANCE

Please remember that we do have an attendance policy at CHS and CEMS. Your child's attendance is critical to their learning...if they aren't there to receive their instruction, then it makes it much harder to learn the concepts and complete the assignments. If your child is going to be absent, the parent/guardian must call the school office by 9:00 am on the day of their absence to report it and the reason for the absence so that the secretary can inform teachers and mark their attendance accordingly.

Check out the district website, [www.cimarronschools.org](http://www.cimarronschools.org), for school and district information, the monthly newsletter, and much more! You can also find great things on our “Cimarron Municipal Schools, NM” district facebook page.

If you, or your organization, have any announcements, events, etc. to be included in our monthly newsletters, please email it to [jmartinez@cimarronschools.org](mailto:jmartinez@cimarronschools.org) by the 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of the month, in order for it to go out on the next month's newsletter. If you would like a hard copy of our newsletter sent home with your child (or have it mailed to you) instead of receiving it via email or the website, please email Jody Martinez at the email address above.

## **2022-2023 CEMS Perfect Attendance**

**\*\*Note there are some other students that had perfect attendance as well, but we do not have permissions to share their names.\*\***

### **Quarter 1**

Hannah Airington  
Madison Blakney  
Anthony Casas  
Katherine Elliott  
Anthony LeDoux  
Andres Martinez  
Larissa Martinez  
Kharisma Turner  
Isabella Villa

Aaron Coca  
Mia Gonzales  
Cheyenne LeDoux  
Doriana Martinez  
Sebastian Montoya  
Gabriel Salazar  
Aden Sandoval  
Madysen Smoker  
Maggie Wier

## **2022-2023 CEMS Honor Roll (middle school only)**

**\*\*Note there are some other students that made the honor roll as well, but we do not have permissions to share their names.\*\***

### **Quarter 1**

#### **Principal's Honor Roll**

Aaron Coca  
Zian Dimas  
Rayanna Garcia  
Andrew Gonzales  
Orion LeDoux

Alex Martinez  
Caleb Martinez  
Sofia Salas  
Addison Teske  
Trapper Whitten

#### **Superintendent's Honor Roll**

Rickie Aguilar  
Mia Gonzales  
Cheyenne LeDoux  
Dorianna Martinez  
Zayden Martinez  
Mystic McNamara

Shane McNamara  
Lucy Stickelman  
Caroline Teske  
Alejandro Villa  
Marisol Villa  
Maggie Wier