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Upcoming Events - August

- 7 First Day of School
- 7 Boo Hoo Coffee 8:45 am
- 7 New Families Social 1:30pm
- 10 Copper Ridge School Instrument Rental & Info Night 4:30pm
- 15 Curriculum Night 1
 - 1st & 2nd 4:30pm
 - Pre-K & Kinder 5:15pm
 - Principal's Meeting 6:00pm
- 16 Curriculum Night 2
 - Principal's Meeting 4:00pm
 - 3rd & 4th 4:30pm
 - 5th 5:15pm
 - Middle School 6:00pm
- 16 Picture Day
- 17 Picture Day
- 23 CRPTO Meeting 9:00am
- 23 CRPTO Room Parent Meeting 10:00am
- 23 CRPTO Room Parent Meeting 6:30pm
- 30 Early Release 1:15pm

CRPTO Calendar of Events 2017-18

CRS Updates

So many exciting and new changes at CRS this year.



We are pleased to announce our new CRS Staff members:

Jenny Waldron, Assistant Principal

Ms. Waldron joins us from Redfield Elementary, where she was the Assistant Principal. She also taught second grade, then became a K-8 Gifted teacher and coach, K-8 Instructional Technology Specialist, and an AP at a K-8 school.

Amanda Rand, Elementary Dean of Students

Ms. Rand joins us from Hopi Elementary where she was a self-contained Gifted teacher. She was an Enrichment Coach at Ingleside Middle School and for SUSD. She has a Juris Doctor and Masters in Education from ASU.

Complete list of new CRS Staff 2017-18

NEW 2017-18 CRS Playground Morning Drop-off Policy In years past, parents have been permitted on the elementary playground before school; however, in order to provide the most secure environment for all students, we have determined that this practice must change. **Beginning August 9**, the third day of the new school year, and for the remainder of the school year, we will no longer allow parents on the playground before school. Because we understand that there may be some initial transition issues, we will allow parents on the playground before school on the first two days of school, August 7-8th.

CRS 2017-18 Uniform Policy

NEW AND IMPROVED Copper Ridge School website. All SUSD schools and the District themselves launched new websites. Finding info about Copper Ridge School has never been easier. And don't forget...for up-to-date information about ALL CRPTO events and activities to check out **CRPTO.com**

NEW CRS Spirit Store Opens August 7th @ 8:30am

"We've Got Spirit, Yes We Do" and now we have a CRS Spirit Store, too! The store is located INSIDE the CRS Cafeteria (Northwest corner, to the left of the kitchen) The store will be open to parents on Monday, August 7th from 8:30am - 9:00am. Additional store hours to follow.



CRS Connects Welcome Committee

Are you new to CRS or know someone who is? The **CRS Connects Welcome Committee and Program** is available to help you and

your students feel welcomed at CRS and throughout the year. We are here to be a personal resource, to answer your questions and to provide support. We can assist in finding a buddy for your child as they transition to CRS, explain ways to get involved on campus, to help you meet other CRS families and connect you with a CRS Grade Level Ambassador. **Sign up today.** We look forward to meeting you.



Boo Hoo Coffee

Pre-K & Kinder Families
First Day of School - Monday, Aug 7th
8:45am - 10:30am
Room 608

Meet & Greet

New CRS Families 1st-8th Grades
First Day of School - Monday, Aug 7th
1:30pm-3:00pm
Room 608

New This Year...Grade Level Ambassadors!

In years past, we have strived to match new families to veteran families...one-on-one...based on students' grade, interests, etc. This year we are excited to have **Grade Level Ambassadors.** This will allow the Ambassadors and New Families to

have more interaction with less time constraints. It is a great way for veteran families to help new families feel welcome, share their love and knowledge of Copper Ridge School without a huge time commitment. **Interested in becoming a Grade Level Ambassador...then sign up today.**

Couldn't join us at the Open House?

Here's what you need to know:



- **EduKits** - are available for pick-up in the CRPTO Room (across from Room 608) on Monday, August 7th from 8:00am-8:30am. Any EduKits not picked up by 8:30am will be delivered to your students' classroom sometime on Monday, August 7th.
- **Middle School Student Packets** - may be picked up in the Front Office on Monday, August 7th
- **Middle School IDs** - Students may obtain a temporary 2017-18 ID from their homeroom teacher and/or the CRS Security Officer. School pictures will be taken on August 16 & 17th. Permanent Student IDs may be taken and obtained at that time.

Thank you to all of our Open House Volunteers

We want to give a heartfelt thanks to our **Open House Meet The Teachers Night Chair, Catherine Carrillo** along with the **CRS Connects Chair, Aimee Nordini** and all of the many volunteers. The evening was a huge success and we are looking forward to another outstanding year. If you are interested in volunteering at our next event then please complete the CRPTO **Volunteer Interest Form**. We are always looking for volunteers.



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