

Husky Newsletter



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Our mission is to provide a strong foundation of academic excellence in partnership with family and community in which each individual is challenged to achieve his/her highest potential academically, socially, and personally.

A Message from Executive Director/Principal, Keri Melmed

Dear HPA Families,

"Teachers open our eyes to the world. They give us curiosity and confidence. They teach us to ask questions. They connect us to our past and future. We have lots of heroes today- sports stars, super models and media personalities. They come, they have their fifteen minutes of fame, and then they go. But the influence of a good teacher stays with us. They are the people who really shape our

good teacher stays with us. They are the people who really shape our lives." (Jonathan Sacks)

As you know it is Teacher Appreciation Week and I want to join you in thanking our devoted, committed, hardworking, and passionate staff for everything that they have done for our students this year. The COVID-19 pandemic presented many barriers and obstacles and our teachers rose to the occasion! HPA staff did not quit, instead they created wonderful learning experiences and programming both online and in-person for our students. We could not have made it through this year without their enthusiasm, dedication, and passion. I am truly blessed to be working alongside such a wonderful faculty and staff.

We have extended the window for our family satisfaction survey. Each year we conduct a survey to gather feedback from you to ensure we are meeting the needs of our community. We know that you are busy, so we have condensed the survey significantly. It should only take 3-5 minutes for you to complete. We highly encourage you to participate so that your voice is heard. The survey data is used to make decisions that impact the direction of our school.

Survey Link (English) Enlace de encuesta (Español)

It is hard to believe that we are so close to the end of this school year. There's so much excitement in the building as we prepare for the many end of year happenings, please be sure to read communication from the school so that you are well informed.

With husky pride,

Keri Melmed, Executive Director/Principal

Email: kmelmed@highpointacademy.net



May Important Dates



May 18: Family Information Night Zoom Meeting: What Will Next Year Look Like at HPA?—6:00-7:00pm

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89647407875 Meeting ID: 896 4740 7875

May 19: Governing Board Meeting at 5:00pm

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83627571554?pwd=TFVLcHlGaUxjK2xqaXFJWFd2NDdqdz09

Meeting ID: 836 2757 1554

Passcode: 804184

May 19: Spring Book Fair—Online Shopping Begins

May 21: PreK and Kindergarten Graduations

May 24-27: Spring Book Fair—In-Person Shopping

May 24: PK-6th Grade Field Day

May 25-27: Intensives *list of donations needed on pg 6 & 7

May 26: 8th Grade Continuation at 6:00pm

UPDATED!! May 27: Last Day of School

June 1: Spring Book Fair—Last Day to Shop Online





May Breakfast Menu



10 Cinnamon Chex Cereal Ultimate Breakfast Round Juice	11 Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Lemon Bread Orange	12 Eggo Waffle Bites Rice Chex Cereal w/ String Cheese Juice	13 Cherry Frudel Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Red Apple	14 Chicken Sausage & Cheese Bagel Cinnamon Chex Cereal Juice
17 Apple Frudel Cinnamon Chex Cereal Juice	18 Bagel, Egg, & Cheese Sandwich Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Orange	19 Rice Chex Cereal w/ String Cheese Zucchini Bread Duice	20 Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Egg and Cheese Omelet w/Cinnamon Roll Red Apple	21 Bagel w/ Strawberry Cream Cheese Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Juice
24 Cinnamon Chex Cereal Ultimate Breakfast Round Juice	25 Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Lemon Bread Orange	26 Eggo Waffle Bites Rice Chex Cereal w/ String Cheese Juice	27 Cherry Frudel Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Red Apple	28 Chicken Sausage & Cheese Bagel Cinnamon Chex Cereal Juice



May Lunch Menu



10 Bean & Cheese Burrito Chicken Hot Wings w/ Curly Fries & Dinner Roll Baby Carrots Orange	11 Beef Nachos Cheese Nachos Re-fried Beans Applesauce Peaches	12 Country Chicken Bowl Grilled Cheese Baby Carrots Red Apple	13 Cheesy Breadsticks w/ Marinara Greek Gyro Wrap Broccoli Florets Cucumber Coins Strawberries Mandarin Oranges	14 Chicken Drumstick w/ Mashed Potatoes & Gravy Cheese Quesadilla & Refried Beans w/ Homemade Salsa Applesauce Peaches
17 Broccoli Cheese Baked Potato Chicken Nuggets Baby carrots Broccoli Florets Apple Sauce	18 BBQ Beef Sandwich & Curly Fries PBJ Uncrustable Wow Butter & Jelly Sandwich (Peanut-Free Option) Celery Stick Peaches Pineapple	19 Mediterranean Chicken Wrap Mac & Cheese /w Dinner Roll Cucumber Coins Sweet peas Orange		21 Chicken Alfredo Grilled Cheese Broccoli Florets Baby Carrots Peaches Strawberries
24 Bean & Cheese Burrito Chicken Hot Wings w/ Curly Fries & Dinner Roll Baby Carrots Orange	25 Beef Nachos Cheese Nachos Re-fried Beans Applesauce Peaches	26 Country Chicken Bowl Grilled Cheese Baby Carrots Red Apple	27 Cheesy Bread Stick w/ Marinara Greek Gyro Wrap Cucumber Coins Broccoli Florets Strawberries Mandarin Oranges	Chicken Drumstick w/ Mashed Potatoes & Gravy Cheese Quesadilla & Refried Beans w/ Homemade Salsa Applesauce Peaches



Husky Happenings



2020-2021 Family Satisfaction Survey

Have your voice heard! Every year we send out a Family Satisfaction Survey to all of our families and we truly value your input. This year we have shortened the survey significantly and believe that it will take less than 5 minutes to answer the 10 questions on the survey. Staff, administration, and our Governing Board will review your feedback carefully and use the data to guide decisions about the future of HPA.

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Enlace de encuesta (Español)

TODAY (5/7) IS THE LAST DAY TO COMPLETE THE SURVEY!!

INTENSIVES DONATIONS NEEDED!!

Thank you to all of the families who donated items for intensives this year.

Items that we need still need that all families have around the house that we ask that you collect and donate include:

- Cardboard boxes
- . Cardboard rolls from paper towels and toilet paper
- Magazines
- . Newspaper
- Bottle caps

Scholastic Book Fair

High Point Academy is hosting a spring book fair from May 24th through the 27th. There are many ways to shop this year including online starting May 19th. Our online shopping link isn't ready yet, but check out these Scholastic Interactive Book Flyers for <u>elementary</u> and <u>K-8</u> and get your wish lists ready. You'll love this NEW option to shop for **Book Fair exclusives** directly from the interactive booklist and enjoy these special online shopping features:

- Over 6,000 items, including new releases, best sellers, and value packs.
- All online orders ship directly to your home.
- FREE shipping on book-only orders over \$25.00.
- All purchases support our school and earn 25% in rewards.

Online shopping is available from May 19th through June 1st. The link to shop will be sent out on May 19th. Remote learning students can shop online only.

Students will get an opportunity to view and shop during the school day. We will also have in-person shopping available after school from 3:00-6:00pm.

Remote learning students can shop online only.

We are encouraging all families to set up an eWallet account (more details coming soon) for your students to use to purchase their books when their class visits the fair during the school day.

Guitar Center Music Foundation Feature

Did you know that High Point Academy was featured in the Guitar Center Music Foundation newsletter in April. Click here to few the newsletter about High Point Academy and all of the fantastic work happening at our school. Thank you to Ms. Lawdan for all of your work to make this happen.



Athletics at HPA 21-22 School Year

Our 21/22 school year is looking to be our biggest year yet for HPA sports! With the new expansion of the soccer field and football field we are looking to expand the participation in after school athletics to Kindergarten through to 8th grade, but we need your help! If you have experience coaching or playing the following sports and are interested in volunteering your time to support HPA sports please reach out to Mr. Tuck at dtuck@highpointacademy.net for more information.

Soccer

- Basketball
- Tennis

- Volleyball
- Cross Country
- Cheer Team

- Flag football
- Baseball

After School Activities for 2021-2022 School Year

If you are interested in sponsoring an After School Activity or know of an organization that you would like to see at HPA, please contact info@highpointacademy.net (gymnastics, drum line, Boys Scouts, Girl Scouts, etc.)



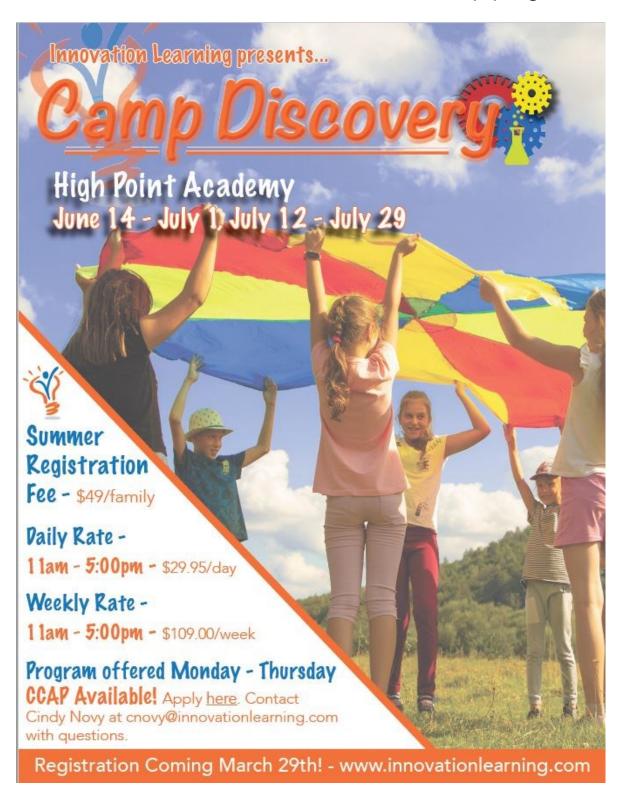
Husky Happenings Cont.,



Innovation Learning Summer Camp 2021

Registration is NOW OPEN.

Click the link to learn more about summer camp programming.





Husky Happenings Cont.



Skate City Summer Cards are Back!

Buy a SkateCity Summer Card for \$5

Skate for \$1.00 Admission during any regular public session through the summer!

Your School receives \$2 back for every card you sell!



www.skatecitycolorado.com



*Excludes Adult Night or Special Sessions *Skate Rental not Included

Summer Membership Card SKATING SCHEDULE

Good sessions listed below: May 28th through August 15th, 2021

SUNDAY: 12-2, 2-4, 4-6, 6-8 PM MONDAY: 12-2, 2-4, 4-6 PM TUESDAY: 12-2, 2-4, 4-6 PM WEDNESDAY: 12-2, 2-4, 4-6, 6-8 PM THURSDAY: 12-2, 2-4, 4-6, 6-8 PM FRIDAY: 12-2, 2-4, 4-6, 6-8 PM SATURDAY: 12-2, 2-4, 4-6, 6-8 PM Skate Rental \$3.00

(Excludes Memorial & Independence Day)

Regular Admission \$7 • Extra Session \$2

- •Cards also valid Saturdays & Sundays thru September
- •SUMMER CARDS purchased with your school \$5/each
- SUMMER CARDS purchased at Skate City \$12/each
- •BUY a card for everyone in the family
- •One card valid per person, per session

THESE \$5.00 SUMMER SKATING NON-TRANSFERABLE MEMBERSHIP CARDS WILL BE SOLD AS A FUND RAISING PROJECT BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH:

High Point Academy

Summer Membership Cards will be available for purchase at the reception desk from 8am-3pm through May 28th

SUMMER FUN for EVERYONE at......



AURORA

15100 E. Girard Ave. 303-690-1444 www.skatecitycolorado.com



Husky Happenings Cont.,









June 7-25, 2021

Monday-Friday | 12:00-4:00 p.m.

at Vintage Theatre

1460 Dayton St., Aurora (1/2-block south of Colfax)

Performing Rogers & Hammerstein's CINDERELLA on June 25 & 26

\$399 Tuition includes snacks, makup & costumes Full & Partial Scholarships Available



To sign up, go to VintageTheatre.org

For more information, email VintageTheatreProductions@gmail.com

Interested in more information? Contact Ms. Lawdan at

ilawdan@highpointacademy.net



COVID Corner



Children's Hospital Colorado has transitioned their COVID-19 vaccine clinic to serve our broader community including kids and families who are age 16 or older. Children's Colorado's web portal for signing up to receive the COVID-19 vaccine is now live. During Phase 2, all Coloradans ages 16 or older are eligible to sign up. Instructions for families about getting a COVID-19 vaccine at Children's Hospital Colorado can be found on our website here.

When is my child sick enough to stay home??

Do you have...

- Loss of taste or smell?
- Fever of 100.4 or higher?
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing?
- Nausea, vomiting, or diarrhea?
- Fatigue?
- Sore throat and congestion?

Coronavirus self-checker:

https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/symptoms-testing/coronavirus-self-checker.html

Find a testing site near you:

https://covidtest.colorado.gov/map

COVID-19 Testing at Home for Colorado Schools

Click here for the link to FAQ document



Husky Community



Building Community...

Together



We Have Partnered with American Furniture Warehouse!

When you make a purchase at American Furniture Warehouse, mention High Point Academy and a portion of the sale is donated to our school.



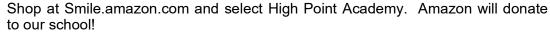
The Partnership That Keeps on Giving!



King Soopers Community Rewards program makes fundraising easy by donating to our school based on the shopping you do every day. Once you link your Card to High Point Academy, all you have to do is shop at King Soopers and swipe your Shopper's Card. Here's how it works:

- Create a digital account- A digital account is needed to participate in King Soopers Community Rewards. If you already have a digital account, simply link your Shopper's Card to your account so that all transactions apply toward the organization you choose
- 2. Link your card to "High Point Academy PTO" and click save https://www.kingsoopers.com/i/community/community/community/rewards
- 3. King Soopers will send HPA PTO a check at the end of the school year with any funds earned.

Amazon Smile





Box Tops for Education





Download the Box Tops app to scan your store receipt, find participating products and instantly add cash to our school's earnings online. 10 cents for each Box Top. Sign up today by selecting The Academy at High Point.

Milk Caps for Moola

MILK CAPS for MOOOLA is a program sponsored by Longmont Dairy that helps students earn money for their school and students. Longmont Dairy milk caps are worth 5ϕ each and are redeemable for cash by participating schools only. Drink Longmont Dairy Milk, save the bottle caps, bring them to the front office.

