



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 Governing Board President, Jane Shirley

Dear High Point Academy Families,

As Keri recently communicated to our community, she will be “graduating” from HPA at the end of this year. For me, graduations are always bittersweet. While it is a time to celebrate accomplishments and look forward to the future, it is also a time of sadness as we say goodbye and close a chapter that holds so many dear memories.

On behalf of the board, I’d like to express our deep appreciation and admiration for Keri’s leadership and the continued growth and success that High Point has achieved through her work over the past nine years.

I’d also like to share with you the timeline and process we will use to select our new Executive Director. This process will include opportunities for staff and families to provide input by sharing feedback on characteristics and competencies that are most important to you in our next leader.

In addition, we will be seeking a family representative to serve on the interview committee. If you would be willing to serve on this committee, please send an email to jschmidt@highpointacademy.net by April 11. We will conduct a drawing on April 12 to select the committee representative and one alternate from among those who indicate availability.

The full timeline and process is attached to this email. Please note that dates are tentative, and we will keep you informed of any significant changes. Interviews are tentatively scheduled for the week of April 25 and we hope to complete the process by mid-May.

Thank you for your continued support. If you have questions, you can email me at jshirley@highpointacademy.net

Sincerely,

Jane Shirley

HPA Board President



Upcoming Dates



Week of April 11: Spring After School Activities Start

April 11- April 22: CMAS Testing for 3rd-8th grade students

April 18: [Free COVID—19 Vaccine Clinic 1-4pm](#)

April 18: Last Day to Register for Spring After School Activities

April 25: Spirit Day—Opposite Day—[details on pg 6](#)

April 27: Governing Board Meeting 5:00—7:00pm

April 28: NO SCHOOL—Teacher Professional Development Day

April 29: NO SCHOOL

May 2: Spirit Day—Squad Day—[details on pg 6](#)

May 5: Last Day to Order CO Rockies Tickets for May 22nd Community Event

May 9: Spirit Day—Crazy Hair Day—[details on pg 6](#)

May 9: [Free COVID—19 Vaccine Clinic 1-4pm](#)

May 12: Spring Band Performance

May 16: Spirit Day—Color Day—[details on pg 6](#)



April Breakfast Menu



11 Monday	12 Tuesday	13 Wednesday	14 Thursday	15 Friday
ENTREE Banana Bread	ENTREE Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal	ENTREE Sunrise Calzone	ENTREE Bagel, Sausage & Cheese Sandwich	ENTREE IW Cinnamon Toast Bread
FRUIT Orange Orange Tangerine Juice Box	FRUIT Apple	FRUIT Orange Orange Tangerine Juice Box	FRUIT Mandarin Oranges Orange	FRUIT Apple Orange Tangerine Juice Box
18 Monday	19 Tuesday	20 Wednesday	21 Thursday	22 Friday
ENTREE IW Pumpkin Bread	ENTREE IW Belgian Waffle	ENTREE Bagel w/ Plain Cream Cheese	ENTREE Maple Beef Sausage Sandwich	GRAIN Blueberry Chex
FRUIT Orange Orange Tangerine Juice Box	FRUIT Apple	FRUIT Orange Orange Tangerine Juice Box	FRUIT Mandarin Oranges Orange	FRUIT Apple Orange Tangerine Juice Box
25 Monday	26 Tuesday	27 Wednesday	28 Thursday	29 Friday
ENTREE Banana Bread	ENTREE Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal	ENTREE Sunrise Calzone	ENTREE Bagel, Sausage & Cheese Sandwich	ENTREE IW Cinnamon Toast Bread
FRUIT Orange Orange Tangerine Juice Box	FRUIT Apple	FRUIT Orange Orange Tangerine Juice Box	FRUIT Mandarin Oranges Orange	FRUIT Apple Orange Tangerine Juice Box

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April Lunch Menu



11 Monday ENTREE Beef Nachos Cheese Nachos Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich WOW Butter & Jelly Sandwich (peanut-free) VEGETABLE Refried Beans Spicy Cucumber Coins FRUIT Strawberries	12 Tuesday ENTREE Chicken Nuggets & Homemade Dinner Roll Nashville Hot Boneless Wings w/ Roll Spicy Grilled Cheese Sandwich Yogurt Basket w/ Blueberry Muffin VEGETABLE Celery w/ Ranch Mashed Potatoes no butter FRUIT Peaches	13 Wednesday ENTREE Cheesy Bread Stick w/ Marinara Korean BBQ Beef Bowl Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich WOW Butter & Jelly Sandwich (peanut-free) VEGETABLE Baby Carrots Italian Green Beans FRUIT Blueberries	14 Thursday ENTREE Chicken Drumstick w/ Mashed Potatoes & Gravy Meal Dannon Yogurt Basket w/ Cinnamon Pita Mexican Chopped Salad GRAINS Dinner Roll w/ Fleischmanns Yeast VEGETABLE Broccoli Garden Greens w/ Ranch FRUIT Strawberries	15 Friday ENTREE Cheeseburger (no fries) Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich Pulled BBQ Pork Sandwich WOW Butter & Jelly Sandwich (peanut-free) VEGETABLE Cauliflower Sweet Potato Tots FRUIT Applesauce IW Cup
18 Monday ENTREE Cheeseburger (no fries) Country Chicken Bowl Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich WOW Butter & Jelly Sandwich (peanut-free) GRAINS Dinner Roll w/ Fleischmanns Yeast VEGETABLE Broccoli Mashed Potatoes no butter FRUIT Strawberries	19 Tuesday ENTREE Beef Taco (1) pk-3rd Beef Tacos (2) 4th-12th Grilled Cheese Sandwich Spicy Chicken Sandwich Yogurt Basket w/ Blueberry Muffin GRAIN Spanish Rice VEGETABLE Baby Carrots Spicy Corn Salad FRUIT Peaches	20 Wednesday ENTREE Hay Stacks Mediterranean Chicken Wrap Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich WOW Butter & Jelly Sandwich (peanut-free) VEGETABLE Celery w/ Ranch Sweet Potato Tots FRUIT Blueberries	21 Thursday ENTREE Dannon Yogurt Basket w/ Cinnamon Pita Meat Lasagna Spinach Lasagna GRAINS Garlic Bread (Fleischmann's yeast) VEGETABLE Garden Greens w/ Ranch Green Beans FRUIT Applesauce IW Cup	22 Friday ENTREE Bean Burrito Bowl w/ Flour Tortilla Cheese Quesadilla w/ Homemade Salsa Chicken Quesadilla w/ Homemade Salsa Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich WOW Butter & Jelly Sandwich (peanut-free) VEGETABLE Refried Beans Spicy Cucumber Coins FRUIT Spiced Peaches Cup
25 Monday ENTREE All Beef Hotdog Chili Cheese Fries Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich WOW Butter & Jelly Sandwich (peanut-free) VEGETABLE Baby Carrots Coleslaw	26 Tuesday ENTREE Spaghetti Marinara Spaghetti w/ Meat Sauce Spicy Grilled Cheese Sandwich Yogurt Basket w/ Blueberry Muffin VEGETABLE Broccoli Roasted Baby Baker Potatoes FRUIT Peaches	27 Wednesday ENTREE Bean & Cheese Burrito Cheeseburger (no fries) Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich WOW Butter & Jelly Sandwich (peanut-free) VEGETABLE Celery w/ Ranch Curly Fries FRUIT Strawberries	28 Thursday NO SCHOOL	29 Friday NO SCHOOL

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Husky Happenings



New Executive Director Hiring Information

The Board is seeking a family representative to serve on the interview committee. If you would be willing to serve on this committee, please send an email to jschmidt@highpointacademy.net by April 11. We will conduct a drawing on April 12 to select the committee representative and one alternate from among those who indicate availability.

The Board is seeking family input to better understand the characteristics you are looking for in an Executive Director. Your feedback is important. Please use the following link to complete the survey by **Monday April 11, 2022**. <https://forms.gle/BcmZJhc6nhQZAHL28>

CO Rockies Tickets on Sale NOW!

High Point Academy is hosting a community event at the ballpark on Sunday, May 22nd. The Colorado Rockies will be playing the New York Mets at 1:10pm at Coors Field. Tickets are \$5 each and can be ordered using the following order form. [Click here](#) to view and print the order form. Please return the order form with money (CASH ONLY) to the front office by May 5th to reserve your tickets (20 ticket maximum per family). Parents will be emailed when the tickets are available for pick-up in the front office.



Spring After School Activities

The spring session of after school activities will begin the week of April 11th. Click the link below to view the registration form. Classes being offered this session include: Co-Ed Rugby, Co-Ed Flag Football, Cultural Club, Band, Cooking Club, eSports, and Co-Ed Cheer Squad.

[Registration Form for Spring 2022 After School Activities](#)

Please return the completed registration form and associated fee to the office. Each club has limited space, so a completed registration form and payment is needed to hold a spot for your child.

Health Office Donation Request

The clinic needs donations!

- Polo shirts in green, white, navy, and maroon, in all sizes (especially in need of sizes 10-18 and adult small, medium, large)
- New in package socks for girls and boys size youth 4-10

We are also in desperate need of used uniforms to have for students in the health office. If you have any uniforms that your child has outgrown that are still in good condition we could really use them, especially in sizes for 4th-8th grade students.



Husky Happenings Cont.



Spirit Days—Sponsored by Student Council

HPA Spirit Days Update

- Spirit Days are open to all HPA students in PK-8
- Events are either FREE, \$1, or in lieu of money 3 Husky Tickets, or 2 non-perishable food items
- Money raised will go to end of year school events
- Items donated will go to the 7th grade Service-Learning Project "Care Packages for Homeless Students"
- Spirit Days will not happen during CMAS testing weeks (to maintain a testing environment)

Monday April 25: "Opposite Day"

- Wear your shirt backwards, wear your shirt inside out, wear your socks over your shoes!
- \$1, or 2 non-perishable food items, or 3 Husky Tickets

Monday May 2: "Squad Day"

- Buddy up with your friends because it's squad day! You and your friends dress up the alike!
- \$1, or 2 non-perishable food items, or 3 Husky Tickets

Monday May 9: "Crazy Hair Day"

- Is that a Barbie in your hair? Blue/Pink/Green? Style your hair in the most outrageous way!
- \$1, or 2 non-perishable food items, or 3 Husky Tickets

Monday May 16: "Color Day"

- Time to represent your grade! From head to toe! It's color day!
- FREE EVENT

Kdg-Red	3 rd - Green	6 th - Grey	PK- Black
1 st - Orange	4 th - Teal	7 th Purple	Staff- White
2 nd Yellow	5 th Blue	8 th Pink	



Husky Happenings Cont.



2022-2023 School Calendar

[Click here to view the 2022-2023 school calendar.](#)

2022-2023 School Supplies

I know it's hard to think about school supply shopping. That is why we are so excited to announce a continued partnership with 1st Day School Supplies!

This year, 1st Day School Supplies is going to help parents and teachers get the exact supplies needed for next school year without the headache of shopping at Walmart, Target or Staples.

We have personally found 1st Day School Supplies to be convenient, easy and hassle free! Plus, they have guaranteed competitive prices on the highest quality brands, including the germ fighting brands like Purell and Lysol. Why not check school supply shopping off your list now! You can make your purchase right now, get started by clicking the link below:

[1stDaySchoolSupplies.com](https://www.1stDaySchoolSupplies.com)



From the Health Office



COVID—19 Rapid Test Kits—UPDATE!!

The Food and Drug Administration announced that it has approved the extension request from iHealth Labs to extend the shelf life of their rapid antigen tests from **six months to nine months**.

This impacts all iHealth tests distributed by the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment since January 2022.

iHealth tests have been extended by **three additional months from the listed expiration date** and should remain stored at temperatures between 36 degrees and 86 degrees Fahrenheit. Please see the attached letter.

Tests remain available for ordering by using [this form](#).

Free COVID-19 Vaccine Clinic

Get the vaccine and get back to the Colorado we love. Available to everyone regardless of insurance status or immigration status.

High Point Academy

April 18th, 1 pm – 4 pm

Wellness Room

All Pfizer, Moderna and Johnson & Johnson vaccines and boosters available

Pfizer 1st and 2nd second doses for ages 5+

Pfizer boosters available to ages 12+



NO APPOINTMENT NEEDED

Walk-ins welcome

LEARN MORE ABOUT THE VACCINE:

www.tchd.org/COVIDvaccine





In The Community



Play. Grow. Explore.



Calling all Pre-K and Kindergarten girls: you're invited to a special Daisy Launch event! Meet your local Girl Scouts celebrating World Thinking Day! It is a special day in the Girl Scout year when we remember we are part of a worldwide movement. Experience what Girl Scouts is all about and earn your first patch!

Beginning April 1, Pre-K girls can join Girl Scouts.



Green Valley Ranch Library

Saturday April 23, 2022

1 p.m.- 4 p.m.

4856 Andes Ct, Denver, CO 80249

Community Room

girl scouts
of colorado

Extended Year Membership is available starting April 1. For a limited time, join Girl Scouts for \$35 and keep the discovery going through September 2023

Questions? Contact Michelle.Medrano@gscolorado.org



In The Community



Baile Folklore Now at HPA

Colorado
Mestizo
Dancers



Colorado
Mestizo
Dancers

DO YOUR KIDS LIKE DANCING?

Come learn Mexican Folk Dancing, its history,
and how to perform on stage!

Every Monday@ 6:00-7:00pm (must pick up on time)

Starting February 7, 2022

High Point Academy Café

6750 N. Dunkirk Street Aurora, CO 80019

\$20 monthly fee

Space is limited

Please contact: Sandy Garcia, Instructor 720-276-3577

comestizodance@aol.com

Clothes to Kids

While school uniform clothing is not always included [Clothes to Kids](#) does have some basic uniform pieces (khaki and navy pants) that are mixed in to the shopping racks. Volunteers can also check the back for families with specific uniform requests. This is the slow season at [Clothes to Kids](#), so any families that visit in the next couple months will have a really good selection and a better chance of finding school uniforms.

Need free school clothing for your kids? Clothes To Kids of Denver can help!	¿Necesita ropa escolar gratis para sus hijos? ¡Clothes To Kids of Denver le puede ayudar!
<p>To be eligible, students must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Be age 3-21 and enrolled in preschool-12th grade, or working toward a GED. 2. Live in the 11-county Denver Metro Area. 3. Be considered in need of assistance. <p>No referral required! Shoppers no longer need a referral or proof of automatic qualification to shop at Clothes To Kids of Denver. If students meet our basic eligibility guidelines listed above, they can shop!</p>	<p>Para ser elegible los estudiantes deben:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Tener de 3 a 21 años de edad y estar inscritos en la escuela (preescolar hasta grado escolar 12) o en el proceso de obtener diploma de preparatoria (GED). 2. Residir en uno de los 11 condados del área metropolitana de Denver. 3. Necesitar la ayuda de nuestro programa. <p>No requerimos referencia! Los estudiantes no necesitan una referencia o prueba de calificación automática para visitar Clothes To Kids of Denver. Si los estudiantes cumplen con nuestra guía básica de elegibilidad enumerada anteriormente, pueden visitarnos!</p>
<p>Each Student Receives</p> <p>5 + 5 + 5</p> <p>5 + 5 + 5 = 4</p> <p>OR = 1 = 1</p> <p>= 1 = 1</p>	<p>Cada Estudiante Recibe</p> <p>5 + 5 + 5</p> <p>5 + 5 + 5 = 4</p> <p>OR = 1 = 1</p> <p>= 1 = 1</p>
<p>Ready to shop?</p> <p>To make an appointment to shop in person or to place an order for curbside pick-up, call us at 720-379-4630 or email appointment@clothestokidsdenver.org.</p> <p>Have Questions? Please visit https://clothestokidsdenver.org/referral-process/</p> <p>Clothes To Kids of Denver 2890 S. Colorado Blvd. #M3 Denver, CO 80222 720.379.4630 https://clothestokidsdenver.org/</p>	<p>¿Listo para visitarnos?</p> <p>Para citas en persona o para ordenar y recoger ropa, por favor llame al 720-379-4630 o envíe un correo electrónico a appointment@clothestokidsdenver.org.</p> <p>¿Tiene preguntas? Visite nuestra página web: https://clothestokidsdenver.org/referral-process/</p> <p>Clothes To Kids of Denver 2890 S. Colorado Blvd. #M3 Denver, CO 80222 720.379.4630 https://clothestokidsdenver.org/</p>



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:



1. 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-rewards>
3. King Soopers will send HPA PTO a check at the end of the school year with any funds earned.

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