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| Thurs. Oct. 7 | NO DRAMA |
| Fri. Oct. 8 | Floating Work Day - No School |

Click on Coyote Creek Quick Links to view Bell Schedule.
 Click on ckattend@srvusd.net for **absences or tardies**.
 To view district calendar click on [Here](#)
[Independent Study Request Form](#)

NEWS FLASH

CONFERENCE WEEK – October 11-15

Minimum day schedule for the week of 10/11 is as follows:

- TK and Kinder Arrival 8:25 Dismissal 10:45
- Grades 1 through 5 Arrival 8:45 Dismissal 12:45
- **All first grade** students arrive at 8:45
- Lunch will be Grab and Go

Chorus is canceled for Wednesday, October 13th.

THE SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR IS COMING SOON!!!

Our Fall Book Fair will be held October 11-15 in the MPR. This is a fun-filled week that ignites Coyote Creek students' love for reading!!! The Book Fair offers a chance to shop with friends and an excellent opportunity to stock up on great books for your child's personal library or holiday gifts.

eWallet: Consider creating an eWallet account for each child to shop without carrying cash. It's free, secure and convenient to use. You can set a spending limit with funds using a credit card. Any remaining funds at the end of the book fair can be used at a future book fair or online at The Scholastic Store. Click on <http://www.scholastic.com/bf/coyotecreekelemsch3>.

For more details on eWallet, the Book Fairs app or to shop online at the Scholastic Store. All online orders ship directly to your home. Books-only orders over \$25 ship free!

To make this Book Fair a success, we need **volunteers** to work during the book fair. Please think about donating a couple of hours of your time to support our library. You may sign up at [Sign Up Genius](#). Before volunteering on campus, all adults must be cleared through SRVUSD's "[Volunteer Management System](#)." and follow COVID protocols by wearing a mask. Proof of COVID-19 vaccination can be uploaded to the [Be A Mentor](#) website.

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| PLACE: | Coyote Creek MPR | | | |
| HOURS: | Mon | Oct 11 | 8:30 am— 2:30 pm | |
| | Tues | Oct 12 | 8:30 am – 2:30 pm | |
| | Wed | Oct 13 | 8:30 am – 2:30 pm | 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm |
| | Thurs | Oct 14 | 8:30 am – 2:30 pm | |

We will have special shopping hours for families on Wednesday night. Make a purchase during our evening hours on October 13 and get a chance to "Spin the Wheel" for a prize! One prize per child please.

THANKS FOR A GREAT PICTURE DAY!

You can use your QR code to view photos. If you don't have one, please email APVisions at smile@apvisions.com. If you have pre-paid, your digitals will be emailed to you within 10 business days. Print packages will be mailed to the school within 4 weeks and will be distributed by the teachers for your children to bring home. If you have any questions about your order, please feel free to reach out to smile@apvisions.com (925)551-8037 and they will be happy to assist you. Picture Make-up day is Friday, November 5.

RUN CLUB [Run Club Permission Slip \(1\).docx](#)

The Coyote Creek Run Club is back after a long break. We are excited for our school community to start their day by running with our pack. We meet on Wednesday & Friday mornings from 8:10-8:40am at the ball wall area.

Everyone is welcome to join. Please sign & fill out the attached waiver form allowing your student(s) to participate. Please return completed forms to **Mr. Ackermann - PE Teacher**

If you have any questions please send me an email - eackermann@srvusd.net

INDEPENDENT STUDY

Short Term Independent Study: The Board approved revisions to BP/AR 6158 Independent Study and the final document will be available soon. Until then, we wanted to point out several changes relating to the short term contracts. The timeframe went from 20 to 14 days. Parent requests must be submitted 3 to 5 days prior for contracts up to 10 days. Contracts for 11 to 14 days require a 5 to 10 day notice. No contracts allowed for the beginning/end of the school year remaining. Fillable request forms can be found on Coyote Creek [website](#) under *Quicklinks*.

CCLF NEWS

CORPORATE MATCH AWARENESS MONTH

October is Corporate Match Awareness Month and to thank you for taking the time to submit your matching request, we are offering a chance to win an Amazon gift card!

Over \$95,000 of parent donations received this school year are eligible based on employers that match. We need your help to claim this "free money," which goes directly towards academic and curriculum enrichment programs for our children.

If you've already submitted or submit a matching request by 10/31, you will be entered into a raffle where (3) winners will receive a \$25 Amazon gift card. Click [this survey](#) to let us know you've submitted and we will track that we receive it and enter your name into the raffle.

To see if your employer matches, visit <https://doublethedonation.com/cclf>

Need help? Email: doublethedonation.com/cclf

For additional information on corporate matching, visit: <https://ckes-srvusd-ca.schoolloop.com/matching>.

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PTA NEWS

IT'S REFLECTIONS ART SEASON! - https://ckes-srvusd-ca.schoolloop.com/pta_reflections

Reflections 2021-2022 is here with the theme "**I WILL CHANGE THE WORLD BY...**"! The purpose of the Reflections Art program is to provide an opportunity for students to use their creative talents by expressing themselves through their own original works. The excitement and enthusiasm that the program generates for students, parents, schools, and communities is unmatched.

The Reflections Program provides an excellent opportunity for all students of all ages to:

- Unleash their creative talents and be inspired
- Express themselves imaginatively in their artwork
- Experience the joy and fun of making art
- Tap into critical thinking skills to create art inspired by the annual theme
- Receive positive recognition for their original works of art

Young student artists get involved through Coyote Creek Elementary PTA. A student may submit an entry in any of six arts areas. Only original works of art are accepted. Students may submit original creations in one or more of these six categories:

- Visual Arts
- Literature
- Photography
- Dance Choreography
- Film Production
- Music Composition

The theme of the year 2021-22: "**I Will Change The World By..**"

The reflections program will be held again VIRTUALLY this year! More info on the google submission form will follow soon. In the meantime, start creating your masterpiece in any of the six categories.

Learn more about the Reflections Art Program at the [CAPTA Reflections Page](#) and the [CAPTA Rules and Guidelines Page](#). For entry packet click on [Reflections](#). For general information email us at - artreflections@coyotecreekpta.com

PTA MEMBERSHIP

Please consider joining the PTA, as a member or as a volunteer. As we work together to build a strong community and school environment for our students, families, and teachers. Your membership goes a long way, helps us run all the wonderful programs like Art Masterpiece, Art reflection, Book Club, etc.

2021 RUN FOR EDUCATION

2021 Run for Education is NOW OPEN! We hope you join us for the 38th Annual Run for Education! As a virtual run, you can run, jog, walk or roll for the distance of your choosing. Whether on the road, trail, treadmill, or track, you decide when you do it - between September 10 and October 10 -

and you pick the finish line! Complete a virtual 1K (Friendship or Mini Run), 5K, 10K, or create one of your own. Should you choose to time yourself, you can upload the results and even print a certificate of completion! The run will be virtual, but stay tuned for in-person activities in the Fall!

Why should I sign up for the Run for Education?

To earn money for OUR school! This event will be a fundraiser for the San Ramon Valley Education Foundation and OUR school with 30% of registration net proceeds going directly to Coyote Creek Elementary. Additionally, the Run for Education is setting up pledge pages for every participant that will allow us to raise even more money with 70% of those donations coming directly to us. This will help give our school another revenue stream to supplement our existing efforts.

When should I sign up for the Run?

Registration is now open at www.srvef.org. The low registration price of \$25 includes a new mask or cape! You can still order a shirt to keep your collection up to date when you register - orders need to be placed soon to guarantee delivery by September 1st!

We are excited about the possibilities this format offers our school! This is a healthy, fun activity we can all enjoy while raising funds to support our programs and people! Questions? Contact Karen Robman at karen@srvef.org.

COMMUNITY SECTION

NATIONAL WALK/BIKE MONTH

October is National Walk/Bike Month, and Street Smarts is having a Poster Contest! Street Smarts is inviting all elementary school age students to enter the "*Walk and Roll with Street Smarts*" Poster Contest to win great prizes!

The two top winning posters in each grade level (K-2nd) (3rd-5th) will be displayed on Street Smarts Banners throughout the community and marking materials.

Visit: street-smarts.com "2021/2022 Contests" for more information.

PLEASE FOLLOW CONTEST GUIDELINES AND REQUIREMENTS LISTED AT [Street Smarts Poster Contest](#).