

HAWK Headlines 9.19.24

We had a great week at Spring Hills. Our Hawks are working together and working hard to take care of our school and each other. Our teachers are doing a great job of knowing each learner by name, strength and need. Thank you for your efforts in getting your learners to school!

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Chorus: Chorus registrations for 3rd, 4th, 5th graders are due 9/23. Chorus begins Tuesday, 9/24, at 7:45 a.m. Please contact Mrs. Balgemann with questions (jbalgemann@sd12.org)

Village of Roselle/Police Department Community Events: Please see the attached flyers for the Police Safety Open House coming up on September 22nd from 11AM-3PM.

Crossing Guard Position Open: Do you know of someone who works from home during the day, a retired individual who would benefit from a few extra dollars, or a college student who might want some extra money? Suggest they become a crossing guard for D12! The hours are daily (but we can be flexible) 8:10AM-8:40AM and 3:15PM-3:45PM. Please reach out to me at kpetelle@sd12.org if you are interested.

Securly: In order to teach our learners to ethically engage in a global society, we are working with them to use their chromebooks appropriately. Please see the letter from Ms. Lynn in the attachments below along with directions on how to download the Securly Home App.

School Pictures: Tuesday, September 24, 2024. Please see the attached [flyer](#) to find out more information and to pre-pay your pictures online. A message from Color Portraits regarding the attachment: *"This is a prepay site and ordering will be closed at Midnight the day of Picture Day to process the orders. If parents missed prepaying they will have a chance to order pictures with their child's Ticket Code. When placing an order after Picture Day with a Ticket Code a shipping fee will be added on and picture packages will be shipped directly to the home. Ticket Codes will be delivered with the bulk picture package order approximately three weeks post Picture Day."*

Attendance Awareness Month: September is Attendance Awareness Month. "Showing up" is a life skill that is more than attendance. It is an attitude. Let's partner together to get our learners in school every day all day. Research shows being in school:

- Helps kids get back on track and recover lost momentum
- Promotes student learning and increases chances of graduation
- Helps kids feel better about school and themselves
- Improves mental health through socializing, developing friendships, building empathy and forming lasting relationships with peers
- Allows for a personalized learning experience that keeps students from falling behind (crpusd.org)

When families and school have a strong partnership, learners are more likely to attend school, excel academically and socially, experience less anxiety, and successfully graduate.

Important Upcoming Dates:

Mondays-doors open at 8:20

September:

24th Picture Day- be ready to smile!

October:

2nd SMART Day 1:30 Dismissal

11th Institute Day-No School

14th Columbus Day-No School
15th Board of Education Meeting 7pm
16th SMART Dat 1:30 Dismissal

Vision: At Spring Hills, we are a solution-focused community who communicate and work as a team for student -centered learning.

Attachments:

[Police Department Public Safety Open House Flyer](#)

[Picture Day Flyer](#)

[GPS Flyer](#)

[Securly Home APP](#)

[Securly Family Newsletter](#)

