Hello Conifer Family and Friends, this is Principal Paxton with your weekly update on news and information for the week of Monday, December 6th through Saturday, December 11th.

Here are some important announcements…

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<td><strong>Conifer Christmas Parade Needs Volunteers</strong></td>
<td>The Conifer Chamber of Commerce is needing volunteers for Saturday's (December 4th) <strong>Conifer Christmas Parade</strong>. If you can help, please sign-up here: <a href="#">Click Here to Volunteer for the 38th Annual Conifer Christmas Parade</a>.&lt;br&gt;&lt;br&gt;11:30 - 2:30 Laser Tag (2 Openings)&lt;br&gt;11:30 - 2:30 Bounce House (1 Opening)&lt;br&gt;11:30 - 2:30 Ultimate Dance (1 Opening)&lt;br&gt;2:30 - 5:30 Laser Tag (2 Openings)&lt;br&gt;2:30 - 5:30 Ultimate Dance (1 Opening)</td>
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<td><strong>Sadies Hawkins Dance</strong></td>
<td>The Conifer Student Government is looking forward to hosting this year’s <strong>Sadie Hawkins Dance on Saturday, December 4th from 7:00 until 10:00 p.m. at the Evergreen Memorial Barn</strong>. Color Splash will kick off the theme with bright neon or tie dye colors. Ticket price is $10 per person or $20 per couple. Join your friends for a fun evening in beautiful Marshdale, Colorado! Purchase tickets online at <a href="https://jeffcoconnect.jeffco.k12.co.us/">https://jeffcoconnect.jeffco.k12.co.us/</a></td>
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<td><strong>Conifer Area Orchestra Concert</strong></td>
<td>Join your friends and neighbors for the Conifer Area Orchestra Concert on Tuesday, December 7th at 6:30 p.m. followed by the Conifer Area Band Concert on Thursday, December 9th at 6:30 p.m. Both events are open to the Conifer Community.</td>
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<td><strong>2021 Warren Miller Film Fundraiser</strong></td>
<td>Conifer Interact Club is looking forward to kicking off the 2021-2022 Colorado ski season with <strong>Winter Starts Now</strong> by Warren Miller at the Snowpack Taproom and Pizzeria on Saturday, December 11th from 7:00 until 9:00 p.m. Purchase your $35.00 VIP seating tickets at <a href="https://rotaryconifer.org/">https://rotaryconifer.org/</a>! Here’s a link to movie highlights: <a href="https://warrenmiller.com/film-archive/winter-starts-now-2021">https://warrenmiller.com/film-archive/winter-starts-now-2021</a> This annual event is hosted by the Conifer Interact Club as a fundraiser for Education Elevated (<a href="https://www.educationelevated.org/home.html">https://www.educationelevated.org/home.html</a>), which supports education opportunities for youth in remote Nepalese villages. There will be prize drawings and a live auction for ski equipment and resort accommodation at Breckenridge Resort.</td>
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<td><strong>PTSA Donations for Staff Party Due</strong></td>
<td><strong>Tuesday, December 14th</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Conifer CLUB Fundraiser</strong></td>
<td><strong>Monday, November 15th through Wednesday, December 15th</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Yearbook Business Ads</strong></td>
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|                                       |                                           | • All State qualifiers will need to decide whether they will attend Districts by December 13th. The details of the conference (so far) are available here: [https://docs.google.com/document/d/1qI8uJ_8zlZMbVITIPdCX9RkRviN4GN3i/edit?usp=sharing&ouid=115346850092163162467&rtpof=true&sd=true](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1qI8uJ_8zlZMbVITIPdCX9RkRviN4GN3i/edit?usp=sharing&ouid=115346850092163162467&rtpof=true&sd=true) Students who qualified for state will receive a hard copy of this letter the Monday we return from break.  
  ○ Students who did not qualify for State in their role play event will have the opportunity to qualify and compete in a written event if they are interested. We will discuss this in class and students who have a qualifying plan will receive a hard-copy of the State qualifying letter by December 17th and will need to rerun their intent to compete by January 12th, 2022.  
• Sponsorship letter for any member's use in raising funds towards competition travel expenses: [https://docs.google.com/document/d/1bRDE0jdTzWmaum8gHJ5Za5srKpvBdqt/edit?usp=sharing&ouid=115346850092163162467&rdtp=false&sd=true](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1bRDE0jdTzWmaum8gHJ5Za5srKpvBdqt/edit?usp=sharing&ouid=115346850092163162467&rdtp=false&sd=true) |
|                                       |                                           | **OFFICIAL Results:** [https://docs.google.com/document/d/1XCV7Um-_QBJcm4lbCWv1-RikBVNz9R1NlBPfz9aNyU0/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1XCV7Um-_QBJcm4lbCWv1-RikBVNz9R1NlBPfz9aNyU0/edit?usp=sharing) |
|                                       |                                           | Conifer High School DECA took 80 students to a successful District competition at the Douglas County Fairgrounds on Thursday, November
18th, 2021. Thank you to all our students’ parents for your encouragement; all of our Mock Role Play Judges for your time and energy in preparing our students; our wonderful judges who invested a good part of their day on Thursday to judge the District Role Plays and transport our competitors; our chaperons; Conifer High School’s staff for their support of our program and excellent academic preparation of our students; and to our community for the backing. 19 of our students qualified to compete at state. State-wide, only the top 20% of competitors qualify to compete at the state competition. Congratulations to Conifer High School for winning the most money raised in the 10/10/10 campaign. Go Lobos!

As always, our students represented our community with outstanding professionalism, sportsmanship, courtesy and maturity. I continue to be so impressed and feel so lucky to work with such an amazing group of young people.

Big congratulations to all of our students, and recognition to our:

**STATE QUALIFIERS**

- Autumn Mix - Marketing Communications
- Autumn Jones - Personal Financial Literacy (won both Role Plays)
- Karsten Skildheim - Financial Consulting
- Elise Clark - Hospitality & Tourism Professional Selling (Presentation Winner)
- Aiden Elliott - Quick Serve Restaurant
- Allison Stadstad - Retail Merchandising
- Alex Miller - Sports & Entertainment (won both Role Plays)
- Alexis Hall - Business Services (won both Role Plays)
- Sydney Ransel - Hotel & Lodging
- Karly Hirsch - Hotel & Lodging
- Janae Wachendorf - Principles of Hospitality & Tourism (won both Role Plays)
- Erin Casey – Business Law & Ethics Team (Role Play Winner)
- Maddie Potter – Business Law & Ethics Team (Role Play Winner)
- Emilie Coleman – Sports & Entertainment Marketing Team (Role Play Winner)
- Jaeden Kucera – Sports & Entertainment Marketing Team (Role Play Winner)
- Isabel Cloutier - Travel & Tourism Team
Amelia Tatro - Travel & Tourism Team
Keagan Lafferty - Travel & Tourism Team
James Lafferty - Travel & Tourism Team

Top Test Score
Alexis Hall
Karsten Skildheim
Erin Casey
Maddie Potter
Alyssa Bollwark
Kellyn Dougherty

1st Runners-Up/ State Alternates
Riley Knutson - Apparel & Accessories Marketing
David Bogdanoff - Entrepreneurship Team (Role Play Winner)
Jared Dickson - Entrepreneurship Team (Role Play Winner)
Sierra Norwald - Sports & Entertainment Marketing - (won both Role Plays)
Stella Barnes - Travel & Tourism Team
McKenzie Dolph - Travel & Tourism Team

Additional State Alternates
2nd – Kate Thurman & Faith Zabka - Business Law & Ethics Team
2nd – Wyatt Canaday & Liam O’Connor – Entrepreneurship Team
2nd – Brooke Roller - Marketing Communications
2nd – Shayne Manzer & Kaiya Paul - Marketing Management Team (Role Play Winner)
3rd – Cassidy Martin & Maddow Pouw – Sports & Entertainment Team
3rd – Joseph Boeding & Daniel Lynch - Business Law & Ethics Team
3rd – Alyssa Bollwark & Kellyn Dougherty - Marketing Management Team
3rd – Jackson Davidson – Food Marketing
3rd – Grace Troxler - Human Resource Management (won both Role Plays)

4th – Rhoan Bruneau - Principles of Business Management & Administration

4th – Charlotte Hood & Abby Jensen - Buying & Merchandising Team (Role Play Winner)

4th – Anastasia Namaksy & Wyatt Parrington - Business Law & Ethics Team

4th – Khloe Ross - Apparel & Accessories

5th – Jack Tal – Apparel & Accessories

5th – Zach Merrell - Hotel & Lodging

5th – Joey Merrion - Principles of Finance

5th – Nicholas Marcin - Principles of Marketing

5th – Aiden Feistel & Matthew Hansen - Travel & Tourism Team

Thank you all for representing Conifer High School so well!

December Digital Citizenship
Learning-Privacy & Security

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Fall 2021 Finals Schedule

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Fall 2021 Final Exam Schedule

CONIFER HIGH SCHOOL

100 minute Finals

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Notes:
- Friday, Dec. 21st will be ½ day of finals make-up & ½ day of teacher work time. Busses pick up at 12:00
- Final 1st semester grades will be due Tuesday, January 4th, 2022

Baseball Boosters Meeting

The next Conifer Baseball Boosters Meeting will be held at the Conifer Community Church on Monday, December 6th at 6:00 p.m. All players and families are welcome to attend.
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<th>Boys Wrestling</th>
<th>Boys Wrestling kicks off their season and a long hiatus with a home match against Westminster High School on <strong>Wednesday, December 8th at 7:00 p.m.</strong> in the Competition gym for the <strong>Event of the Week!</strong></th>
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<td>Girls Swim &amp; Dive</td>
<td>The Girls Swim &amp; Dive team will travel to Carmody Rec Center Pool on Saturday, December 11th at 4:00 p.m. for a meet against Valor Christian High School.</td>
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*Reminder, we only announce home varsity and all swim & dive events.*

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