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RUN4FUND\$ CELEBRATION DAY, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9th

Congratulations COUGARS! We reached our school goal! All students will enjoy bounce houses and blow up slides during our CELEBRATION DAY this Friday, September 9th! We are still working out individual prizes and class totals. More details coming soon. The Bounce House Bonanza will take place during your child's lunch recess if they are in Grades 1-5. Kindergarteners will jump during their snack recess. WE NEED VOLUNTEERS for Celebration Day! If you would like to volunteer, please click on the Sign Up Genius link below. As always, all parents are invited to join the fun...although no adult bouncing allowed :)

To Volunteer on Celebration Day, click here:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0f4eaca82ca20-run4funds1>

A HUGE thanks to all who have donated. Our pledge deadline had been extended to **Wednesday, September 7th**. To accommodate those who still have donations trickling in. The online pledge website, www.Run4FundsColorado.com/cottonwood will remain



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active through Wednesday. Final totals coming soon!



CHICK-FIL-A RESTAURANT NIGHT

Our first restaurant night of the year is coming up this **Thursday, September 8th** ! Chick-fil-a on Arapahoe supports Cottonwood Creek! Look for a flyer coming home in backpacks on Tuesday!



DOGGIE DIP & DIVE

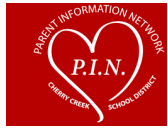
On September 11th, bring your dogs to Cherry Creek Vista Pool to watch them dive into the pool before the pool is winterized for the season. This event is open to all-sized, nice dogs. A baby pool available for our little pooches. Meal deals will be available

WHO: Any dog in the neighborhood and their owners and all dog lovers

COST: \$10 for one dog and \$15 for a household of dogs

WHEN: September 11th, 7:15-8:30 pm

REGISTER: Click [here](#).



SEPTEMBER PIN MEETING (OPEN TO ALL)

CCSD's first P.I.N. meeting of the year, **Raising Heroes, Leaders & Champions**, will take place on **Tuesday, September 6th at 9:15am at SARC**.

Join PIN to hear veteran instructor Diana B. Thompson as she offers tried and true techniques to help children become the Heroes of their own life stories. Confidence is a skill that can be learned. In this engaging program, you will discover Identity Shaping, Creative Problem Responses and Emotional Intelligence Tools,

To learn more about this meeting and the CCSD's P.I.N. organization, please click on the link below.

<http://cottonwoodcreekpto.com/2016/08/28/september-p-i-n-meeting/>



FALL CARNIVAL, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23rd

Cottonwood Carnival is coming on September 23rd, and WE NEED YOUR HELP! The Carnival is run 100% on parent and student volunteers. If you would like to join in the fun, or if you have an older student (middle school or high school age only), please take a minute to sign up. Please note, one sign-up is for parents only, the other is for students

only. Thank you!

Carnival Parent Sign Up:

www.SignUpGenius.com/go/60B0448A9A823AB9-cottonwood9

Middle/High School Student Carnival Sign Up:

www.SignUpGenius.com/go/60B0448A9A823AB9-cottonwood10



ROOM & PARTY PARENTS

SAVE THE DATE: Room and Party Parent Orientations. Quick and painless, kids are welcome! Your grades K-2 contact is Carrie Ripes , caripes11@gmail.com. Your grades 3-5 & GT contact is Kathleen McCrohan , ketomasula@hotmail.com.

September 8, 9am - Room Parent Orientation

September 9, 9 am - Party Parent/Party Parent Coordinator Orientation



FRUITY FRIDAYS

The Health and Wellness Committee is encouraging all students to bring a healthy fruit or vegetable for snack each Friday.

DAUGHTER/SON EVENTS

Don't miss out on some great memories at some upcoming Cottonwood parties. Visit [http:// cottonwoodcreekpto.com/2016/08/18/mom-dad-kids-dogs-lots-of-fun-upcoming-parties/](http://cottonwoodcreekpto.com/2016/08/18/mom-dad-kids-dogs-lots-of-fun-upcoming-parties/) for details and registration information for all the parties listed below.



September 16th Dudes and Daughters Dance . Girls of Cottonwood, grab your favorite Dude and head out to a night Under the Stars at the Annual Dudes and Daughters dance. A small snack will be served. **Deadline to register is THIS**

WEDNESDAY September 7th .



September 17th Mother-Son Kickball Game. Boys of Cottonwood and their moms are invited to join other mom /son teams and play a fun game of kickball. **Deadline to register is THIS SUNDAY, September 11th** .



SIGN UP FOR YOUR VOLUNTEER PREFERENCES

Cottonwood is a special place due in large part to our parent community. There are multiple ways to share your time and talents at school if you so choose. Please visit <http://cottonwoodcreekpto.com/volunteermanager/> to select which committees for which you are interested. You can find a description of volunteer positions at <http://cottonwoodcreekpto.com/files/2015/07/Volunteer-Descriptions.pdf>

All volunteer selections should be made by Sunday, September 11th, at which time volunteer committee chairs will begin contacting you. The key to our continued success lies with our amazing group of parent volunteers. Thank you!

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT COTTONWOOD...

Upcoming Dates:

- 9/6: *School Picture Day*
- 9/6: *PIN Meeting, Raising Heroes, Leaders and Champions*
- 9/8: *Room Parent Orientation, 9am*
- 9/8: *Chick-fil-A Restaurant Night*
- 9/9: *Party Parent Orientation, 9am*
- 9/9: *Run4Fund\$ Celebration Day*
- 9/10: *Cherry Creek Schools Fitness Festival, 7:30 am Stutler Bowl*
- 9/11: *Doggie Dip and Dive*
- 9/13: *School Accountability Mtg., 3:45-4:45 pm, ALL WELCOME*
- 9/14: *Bike (Walk/Scoot) to School Day*
- 9/16: *PTO Meeting, 9am, OPEN TO ALL PARENTS*
- 9/16: *Dudes & Daughter Dance*
- 9/17: *Mother/Son Kickball Game*