

Palabra Semanal Abierta En Español









-(Above) 5th Grade artists experimented using dish soap on acrylic paint.

CMS Cross Country team • 6th graders practice setting up tents for field trip • 7th grade volleyball celebrates ace serve

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Bell Schedule Blue/Gold Calendar	Bus Routes	School Fees
Set up Remind Food Menu	Athletics	District Calendar
Infinite Campus RFSD Dress Code	Habits of a Scholar	Schoology

Monday 9/9	<ul> <li>□ Blue Day Specials</li> <li>□ RF Cycling Club, Fencing Club, Band begins</li> <li>□ Volleyball vs Riverview (7th home/8th away) @4:30 PM</li> </ul>
Tuesday 9/10	<ul> <li>□ Gold Day Specials</li> <li>□ Outdoor Leadership Interest meeting for 7th and 8th graders-8:15 – 9:00am in Ms. Lasko's room</li> <li>□ Football vs Glenwood @GSHS 4:30 PM</li> <li>□ Family Advisory Council 5:30-7:30 @Carbondale District Office</li> </ul>
Wednesday 9/11	☐ Blue Day Specials ☐ 5/6th Band Assembly during Crew
Thursday 9/12	☐ Gold Day Specials ☐ Football vs Rifle @CMS 4:30 PM
Friday 9/13	☐ Blue Day Specials ☐ 5th Grade Field Trip to Snowmass



Ш	9/14 Adult CPR Class in Spanish
	9/18-9/20 6th Grade Highline Lake Trip
	10/1-7 Smiles for Students coming to CM
	10/4 8th Grade Crew Day
	10/10 CMS PICTURE DAY!

## From Mr. Logan...

Dear Families and Guardians.

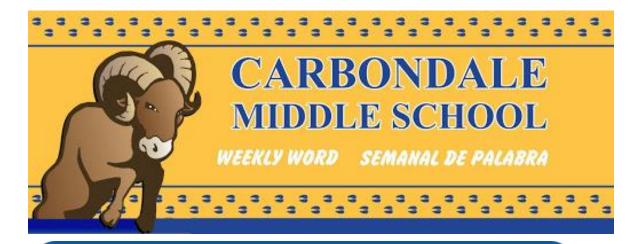
We're off to a fantastic start this year! We've all worked hard to establish strong routines to support safety and learning at all levels of the school. Thank you to families for supporting routines like safe drop off and pick-up, daily checking of planners, and consistent communication with teachers and the font office whenever you have questions or concerns.

Now that we're off to such a strong start, it's time to establish our School Accountability Committee (SAC), which is a vital partnership between school leaders, teachers, and parents that helps lead our school towards constant improvement and excellence. Read more about the purpose of SAC here, and consider joining our team. We need parent representatives that reflect our school's diversity to be a part of the SAC. That means you! SAC will meet four times this year on the following dates: September 30th, November 4th, February 3rd, and May 5th. Our first meeting will take place on September 30th from 7:45-8:45 a.m. at CMS, and I'll have doughnuts and coffee. Please reach out to me as soon as possible if you'd like to join this important team.

### Michael Logan

CMS Principal

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### Counseling Corner with Ms.Silcox & Ms.Lindsay

As promised last week, here are some tips for helping your student stay organized.

- Create a Homework Station: Designate a specific area in your home for your student to do their homework. This space should be free from distractions and stocked with necessary supplies like pencils, paper, and a calculator.
- Establish a Routine: Set a consistent schedule for after-school activities, homework, and bedtime. A regular routine helps your student know what to expect and when to focus on schoolwork.
- Break Tasks into Smaller Steps: Teach your student to break larger assignments into smaller, manageable tasks. This makes big projects feel less overwhelming and helps them stay on track.
- Let Them Lead: While it's important to guide your student, try to let them take the lead in organizing their tasks. This fosters independence and builds confidence.
- Ask Open-Ended Questions: Instead of telling your student what to do, ask questions like, 'What's your plan for completing your homework tonight?' or 'How do you think you can keep your backpack more organized?'
- Regular Check-Ins: Schedule regular check-ins with your student to review their planner or calendar together. This gives you a chance to see how they're doing and offer guidance without hovering.
- Celebrate Successes: Praise your student for their efforts in staying organized, even if it's just for small improvements. Positive reinforcement can motivate them to keep up the good work.
- Stay Patient: It's normal for students to struggle with organization, especially at the start of a new school year. If your student misses an assignment or loses track of a due date, use it as a learning opportunity rather than a reason for punishment.
- Problem-Solving Together: Work with your student to identify what went wrong and brainstorm solutions together. This could be as simple as setting a reminder on their phone or reorganizing their backpack.
- Apps for Organization: "Consider using apps to help your student stay organized. Apps can allow them to create checklists, set reminders, and keep track of assignments.

We are here to help. If you're concerned about your student's organizational skills or anything else, please don't hesitate to reach out. We are available for consultations and happy to provide additional resources.

"For every minute spent organizing, an hour is earned." – Benjamin Franklin

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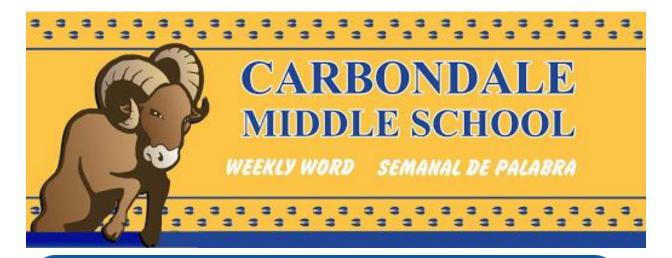
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## From Ms. Porter, Dean of Culture...

Dear Families and Guardians,

As our year begins, so do our athletic events! When students and families attend athletic events, here are some good reminders of expectations:

- → Please sit on the west side of the gym or bleachers/stands (the players and coaches sit on the other side).
- → Please no food or drink in the gym (water is okay)
- → Please spend time cheering *positively*!
- → Please spend time in the gym or outdoor bleachers only (not other parts of the school)

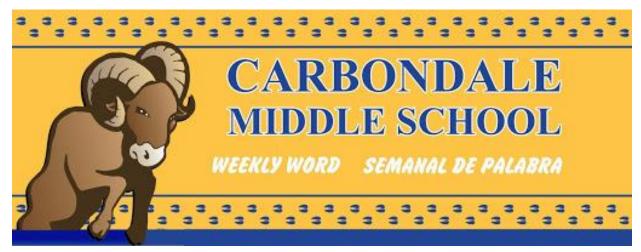
Following these expectations help us focus on our student athletes and support respectful and appropriate behavior at athletic events so players, coaches, friends, and family can all enjoy the event.

Sara H. Porter CMS Dean of Culture sporter@rfschools.com pronouns: she/her/ella

## Athletic Info from AD, Mr. Kreiling

#### ☐ Games this week:

- →Monday, 9/9 Volleyball vs Riverview (7th home/8th away) 4:30 PM
- →Tuesday, 9/10 Football vs Glenwood @GSHS 4:30 PM
- →Thursday, 9/12 Football vs Rifle @CMS 4:30 PM





Practice starts on August 19 • Coaches: 7th-Jacque Cellins, 8th-Grace Nilsson					
Date	Day	Visitor	Home	Start Time	Bus Time
9/3	Tuesday	Carbondale (7th home/8th away)	Grand Valley	4:30 PM	3:1
9/4	Wodnesday	Carbondale (7th home/8th away)	Rifle	4:30 PM	3.1
9/9	Monday	Carbondale (7th home/8th away)	Riverview	4:30 PM	3.4
9/18	Wednesday	Aspen (8th home/7th away)	Carbondale	4:30 PM	3.1
9/19	Thursday	Basalt (8th home/7th away)	Carbondale	4:30 PM	3.4
9/21	Saturday	B Team Saturday		TBD	
9/21	Saturday	Eagle Valley (A team only)		TBD	
9/23	Monday	Glenwood (8th home/7th away)	Carbondale	4:30 PM	3.3
9/28	Saturday	7th Grade A Tourney		9:00 AM	8:00 A
10/2	Wednesday	Riverside (8th home/7th away)	Carbondale	4:30 PM	3:1
10/5	Saturday	8th Grade A Tourney	Riverside	TBD	

		Coach	: Marcy Bogner		
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Wed 9/11	Carbondale	vs	Ross Montessori	CRMS	4:30 P
Sat 10/5	Carbondale Girls		Chris Severy	Aspen High School	9:00 A
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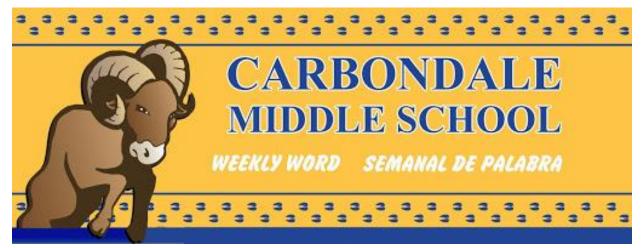
Physicals & \$50 Sports Fee <u>due</u> to the front office by 1st game

Jason Kreiling
CMS STEM Teacher & Athletic Director
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## District News

☐ Join our **Family Advisory Council** 

This council brings together parents, staff and community members to share concerns and provide guidance to district departments and programs. Dinner and daycare provided! Contact Sonia Roldan <a href="mailto:sroldan@rfschools.com">sroldan@rfschools.com</a> if you are interested in attending.



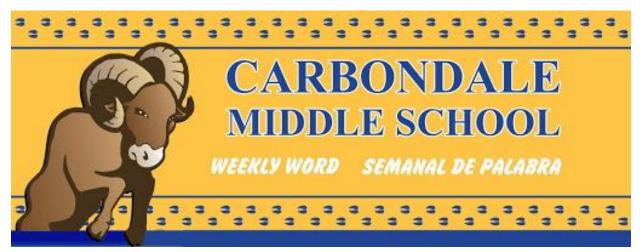


### ☐ Reducing School Fees

Applications can be completed electronically via the <u>Infinite Campus Parent Portal</u> (Click on "More" and then "Meal Benefits"). For more information, please contact Sandra Ponce at sponce@rfschools.com or 970-384-6016.

☐ All students can eat breakfast and lunch for FREE, RFSD School Meal Menus HERE

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*HAPPY*	Pork Carnitas Tacos     Uncrustables (PB&J)     Chicken Caesar Salad	Mandarin Orange Chicken     Steamed Brown Rice     Yogurt Parfait	Nachos w/ Beef     Nachos     Chicken Caesar Salad	Chicken Alfredo Pasta     Turkey & Cheese Silder     Chicken Caesar Salad
LABOR DAY	Steamed Broccoli     Apple Slices     1% Lowfat Milk	Chicken Caesar Salad     Green Peas     Pineapple Chunks     1% Lowfat Milk	Corn in a Cup     Orange Halves     1% Lowfat Milk	Roasted Carrots     Peach     1% Lowfat Milk
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Mac & Cheese Turkey & Cheese Slider Chef Salad	Taco Burger     Uncrustables (PB&J)     Chef Salad	Chicken Sandwich     Yogurt Parfait     Chef Salad	Big Daddy's Pepperoni Pizza     Big Daddy's Cheese Pizza     Chef Salad	Chicken Nuggets     Turkey & Cheese Slider     Chef Salad
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Turkey Corn Dog Turkey & Cheese Slider Chef Salad Broccoli	Chicken & Mashed Potato Bowl     Uncrustables (PB&J)     Chef Salad     Baked Beans	French Toast Sticks w/Sausage     Yogurt Parfait     Chef Salad     Herb Roasted Potatoes	Big Daddy's Pepperoni Pizza     Big Daddy's Cheese Pizza     Chef Salad     Roasted Carrots	Chicken Posole     Turkey & Cheese Slider     Chef Salad     Cabbage Slaw
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Cheeseburger	Unlimited Salad Bar and Fruit Varities are Offered Daily An unlimited solad bar with	Milk Qations:		
Turkey & Cheese Slider Chicken Caesar Salad Herb Roasted Potatoes Blueberries 1% Lowfat Milk	varying vegetables and fruits will be offered each day with Lunch. Local and organic produc will be available as resources allow.	FF Chocolate Milk		

## Community Partnerships

- ACCESS after school classes (Homework Help, RF Cycling, Band) sign up using this registration link
- ☐ After School Activities... click flier for info.



## CARBONDALE MIDDLE SCHOOL

WEEKLY WORD SEMANAL DE PALABRA









registration link



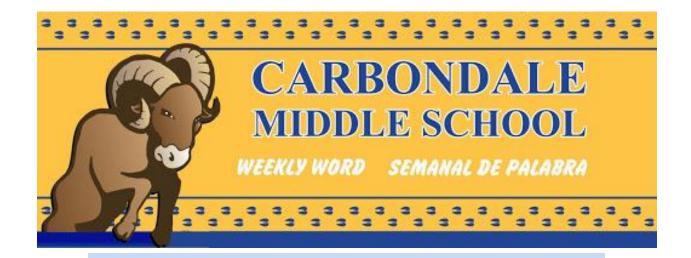






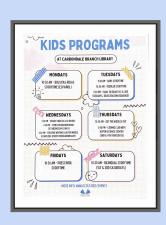
















### ☐ Adult CPR Class in Spanish

English In Action is collaborating with the Red Cross to offer a <u>Hands-only CPR</u> <u>training</u> with Q&A about other medical emergencies for adults in Spanish at the **Third Street Center** on **September 14th from 9:30-11:30 AM**, no registration necessary.

Questions? Contact Beatriz Ferrufino at English In Action: <u>beatriz@englishinaction.org</u> or 970-963-9200.



☐ Smiles for Students is coming to CMS October 1-7th

Smiles is bringing a team of licensed dental hygienists to schools to provide K-8 students with dental exams and free preventive dental care.

Fill out your <u>student's consent form</u> online or pick up a paper copy from the front office.





# Volunteer Opportunities

### ■ Every Kid Gets A Yearbook Fund

CMS wants to provide a yearbook for every student this year! We don't want cost to be a barrier. Please donate to the "Every Kid Gets A Yearbook Fund" in the front office using cash, check or venmo @rsmolnar with description "Yearbook Fund".

Thank you so much for making the yearbook something that every student can enjoy! Contact <u>Rachel Molnar</u> with questions.





### ☐ Friday Teacher Treats:

Please email Sara Porter at <a href="mailto:sporter@rfschools.com">sporter@rfschools.com</a> if you would like to provide teacher treats on a Friday. She can send you the details and reminders as well.

### ☐ City Market Rewards:

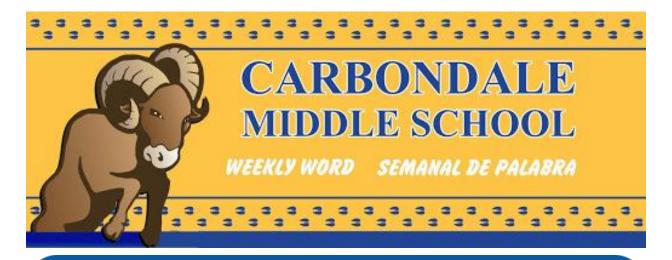
You will still earn the same personal rewards towards gas, cash back, etc. This is an additional donation City Market will make to CMS. They total your spending and donate a percentage back to the community organization of your choice.

### **Donating toCMS Parent Volunteer Group's GOFUNDME:**

We will use this money throughout the school year to support our CMS teachers and staff.

Any amount is helpful and greatly appreciated! Thank you!





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