

WINNING WOLVES

Congratulations to our State winning FFA Teams who will represent Arizona in the National FFA competition in Kentucky!

- Floriculture Team: Leilani Fierro, Margarita Leyvas, Robert Salazar and Stacie Hicks
- Agricultural Sales Team: Danielle Earl, Taylor Bird, Rylie Lewis and KJ Struz





Congratulations to the following Wolves for being voted to the 2013 Chandler All-District Football Team:

- Coach of the Year: Shaun Aguano
- Offense: Nykeed Thomas (OL), Logan Shank (OL), Bryce Perkins (QB), Mitch McCulley (WR)
- Defense: Jordan Hoyt (DL), Jefferson Hunt (LB), Wesley Sutton (DB)
- Honorable Mention: Mason Moran, Chase Lucas, Dionte Sykes, Garrett Jacobson, Lucian Toruga, Cruz Flores and Thomas Chisolm







The Lady Wolves Soccer team has started the season strong. In last week's Tempe Diablo Tournament, they beat Corona del Sol 1-0 on a beautiful corner kick by senior Morgan Guilbeau. Next, they beat Mountain Pointe by a score of 3-1. The girls played tough in the semifinals but ended up losing 1-0.

POSITIVE REFERRALS REAP REWARDS

Chandler High has instituted positive referrals this year to recognize students for their outstanding contributions to their classrooms and school. CHS staff wrote 75 referrals first semester, acknowledging students for assisting others, having a positive attitude, completing high quality work, and behaving responsibly, among other things. On Friday, December 13th, Mr. Rother drew the name of one of our positive referral recipients to win a Kindle Fire HD. Congratulations, Brittany Braun, CHS Senior!



FFA DONATES FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS

FFA Floral students created holiday floral arrangements for patients at the Chandler Regional Hospital. They delivered the beautiful flowers on Tuesday, December 11th and brought joy to many people.



DANCE PERFORMS FOR KINDERGARTNERS

The CHS Beginning and Intermediate Dance classes performed a concert for 320 CUSD kindergartners in the CCA Bogle Theatre on December 12th. One hundred CHS dance students performed their choreography, and 15 backstage Modazz, Advanced and Improv dancers called light/sound cues, dancers to stage, and organized costumes. Excellent work!













TEACHERS KISS A PIG TO RAISE FUNDS FOR FCCLA

On Wednesday, December 12th, three teachers kissed a pig to support the FCCLA Fashion Fundraiser. Students' 25 cent donations determined the three teacher "pig kissers". Thanks to Ms. Van Norman, Mrs. Pavlov and Mr. Bacon for being good sports to help raise \$99.50! CTSO (Career and Technical Student Organization) planned the event entirely on their own. The students did the marketing and publicity, designing the logos on the tickets, classroom posters and the banners that were displayed in the courtyard. Additionally, Fashion students wrote and produced the video advertisement that was broadcast on *Wolf News*. CTSO students learned retail strategies and bookkeeping skills by selling tickets during lunch and tracking revenue and expenses. All in all, it was an excellent learning experience.





IB APPLICATIONS BEING ACCEPTED

Chandler High is now accepting applications from sophomores interested in being IB Candidates in 11th and 12th grade. Informational handouts and a copy of the application are available <u>here</u>. Please call Mrs. Bender at 480-812-7732 with any questions about the IB Diploma Program. Applications are due by January 10, 2014.

WASHINGTON CLOSE UP

The Close Up Foundation provides an in-depth and unique experience for students. Close Up's High School Programs are designed to give students and educators an inside look at their democracy in action. Using the nation's capital as a living classroom, participants get a "close up" view of government - interacting with the people, processes, and places that make this federal city so unique. During the March 23rd-28th trip, students will visit Washington D.C. and several monuments such as the Arlington Cemetery, President Kennedy's Gravesite, and the Smithsonian's National Air and Space Museum. The cost is \$2000 per student. Please consider making a tax credit donation (see information below) to make this trip possible for more students.

MAKE YOUR TAX CREDIT DONATION TO CHS

Help support extra-curricular activities and extended learning beyond the regular school day by making a tax credit donation to Chandler High School. The state of Arizona allows taxpayers to receive a tax credit of up to \$200 (\$400 if married and filing jointly) when you make a tax credit donation to our school. Yes, taxpayers receive a dollar-for-dollar credit towards their state tax return. Tutoring, student clubs and field trips are just a few of the enrichment programs that are supported through tax credit donations. Click here for more info, and please name Chandler High School as the recipient of your donation. Thank you for your support!

CEF CAR RAFFLE TICKETS ON SALE NOW

The 2014 Chandler Education Foundation (CEF) Car Raffle Tickets are on sale now for \$20.00 each. Purchase tickets online here or from the Chandler High School front office. Purchase them by 3:00 p.m. on January 15, 2014, and be automatically entered for a chance to win an early bird prize, including a 42" LED TV, Apple IPAD Mini, six-month membership to Mountainside Fitness, AZ Diamondback Dugout tickets and more! Winners will be notified by email or phone on January 17, 2014. Winners must show their ticket to claim a prize. The drawing for the car will take place on March 9, 2014. Buy a ticket and support CEF, which in turn helps students and teachers through their Scholarship Fund.

SCHOOL CENTS

Earn money for CHS when shopping this holiday season at Chandler Fashion Center and The Boulevard Shops. Bring receipts to Guest Services, located on the upper level across from Barnes and Noble to earn five points per dollar spent. Click <u>here</u> for additional info.

OPEN ENROLLMENT APPLICATIONS

Open Enrollment applications for the 2014-2015 school year will be accepted starting Monday, January 13, 2014. Forms can be dropped off at the District Office or CHS front desk. Forms sent in before January 13th will not be accepted. For additional information and applications, click <u>here</u>.

FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE

Wednesday, December 18	<u>Times</u>	Thursday, December 19
0 hour	6:30 - 7:20	0 hour
1 st hour	7:25 - 9:00	2 nd hour
3 rd hour	9:10 - 10:45	4 th hour
5 th hour	10:55 - 12:30	6 th hour
Make up exams (prearranged)	1:30 - 2:45	Make up exams (prearranged)

Chandler High School final exams will be administered on Wednesday, December 18th and Thursday, December 19th. Final exams will not be administered prior to the scheduled dates.

COLLEGE VISITS

CHS students interested in attending the following presentations by visiting college reps may sign up in the Career Center:

- University of Arizona- Wednesday, January 15th @ 8:30 a.m.
- Santa Fe Art and Design School, Thursday, January 16th @ 8:30 a.m.
- Chandler-Gilbert Community College- Thursday, January 23rd @ 10:00 a.m.
- Arizona State University- Admitted Students- Tuesday, January 28th @ 10:00 a.m.
- Mesa Community College- Wednesday, January 29th @ 10:30 a.m.

SAVE THE DATES AND HELP SPREAD THE WORD

Thursday, January 16 5:45pm - 7:30pm

Foyer opens 5:45pm Chandler Center for the Arts Presentations at 6:30pm 250 North Arizona Avenue

Chandler High School Curriculum Night

- Displays from each department
- Information about all of our athletic, art and extracurricular programs
- Brief presentation by CHS administrators and program coordinators

Meet the teachers face-to-face! Get information about our amazing programs!

Great for current 8th grade families or other students interested in transferring to CHS.

Thursday, January 23 6:00pm – 7:30pm

Chandler Center for the Arts 250 North Arizona Avenue

CHS Honors Program Information Night

Specific information about our 4-year International Baccalaureate (IB) Program and Advanced Placement (AP) program

- IB-MYP program for 9th and 10th grade students
- IB-Diploma program for 11th and 12th grade students
- AP classes available to all grade levels
- Information about Honors classes for all grade levels