

2023-12-01

THE ROUND UP



**AWARD WINNING DANCERS TAKE THE STAGE
FOR HIGH SCHOOL DANCE SHOW.**



**ELLIE NEAL KIWANIS
STUDENT OF THE MONTH!**



**SOPHIA EISENHART WINNER OF
AUS DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING,
JR. STUDENT CONTENT.**



**DOMINIC OSTERLING
SPELLING BEE WINNER!**



WEEKLY MESSAGE



UPCOMING EVENTS



HELPFUL LINKS



Casteel High School
Casteel Athletics



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On the cover of this Round Up we highlighted some amazing Colts! Congratulations to Dominic Osterling for winning the Casteel High School Spelling Bee this week! He will be representing Casteel High School at the District Bee on Wednesday, January 17, 2024 at the Chandler Center for the Performing Arts. Way to go Dominic!

Congratulations to Daniel Sgouros, Fiona Piccolo, and Ellie Neal (Pictured on cover with Ms. Flyte who nominated her) for being selected as the Students of the Month from the Kiwanis Club of Queen Creek. Thank you for demonstrating Courage, Character, and Commitment every day.

We were notified by ASU that Sophia Eisenhard will be recognized at the thirty-ninth Annual ASU Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration Breakfast in January as a winner for her submission in their student contest. Congratulations Sophia!

Attention all 7th & 8th grade students, NJHS offers tutoring every Tuesday and Thursday before school & after school in the library. Look for the bright green signs on the tables to get help with homework, studying for a test, or extra practice. NJHS is ready to help you get those grades up!! Come see us!!

SAVE THE DATE: December 7th, 5pm to 7pm @ Chandler Center for the Arts. CUSD will be hosting ASU to discuss "Paying for College - Finance 101." Main topic for discussion is the new changes and impact on FAFSA. Release date for FAFSA is December 2023. This is a district wide event!

SENIORS! There will be a FSA-ID Workshop December 6th from 7:30am-9:00am in the Career Center. Stop by the Career Center to sign up and get a PASS! Also, mark your calendars for our FAFSA Open Lab Night on January 11th from 5-7pm. See Mrs. Connolly if you have any questions.

The new year will be on us before you know it. We have just over a month of school left. Finals are given the last two days of the quarter, December 20th and December 21st. I have included the bell schedule in this round up for both of these days. **We do not give finals early.** In most cases, finals are electronic. Please help us by making sure students get in the habit of charging their laptops each night.

We are also posting the April State Testing Schedule early along with this Round Up. Please help us by making sure students are not absent on these days. State testing is computer based and students will need a school issued laptop to take the test..

Jayson Phillips
CASTEEL PRINCIPAL

FINALS SCHEDULE

0 Hour

6:30-7:25

1st / 2nd Hour

7:35-9:05

3rd / 4th Hour

9:10-10:40

5th / 6th Hour

10:45-12:15

DEC 20TH /
DEC 21ST

LUNCH
NOT
SERVED



**COURAGE, CHARACTER, AND
COMMITMENT**

And remember, It's free to be kind!



**TWO OPPORTUNITIES TO
LEARN ABOUT FAFSA, ONE
AT CASTEEL AND THE OTHER
HOSTED BY CUSD!**

**CASTEEL'S FAFSA OPEN LAB NIGHT
WILL BE HELD JANUARY 11TH FROM
5-7PM IN THE CAREER CENTER**



CUSD FAFSA Night

December 7th from 5pm - 7pm in the CCA
250 N Arizona Ave, Chandler, AZ 85225



Main Auditorium

5:10 - 5:40 FAFSA Presentation 1
5:40 - 6:00 FSA ID Creation and QA
6:00 - 6:30 FAFSA Presentation 2
6:30 - 7:00 FSA ID Creation and QA

Recital Hall

FSA ID Creation and holding for
Presentation 2

Where to get additional help...

FAFSA Hotline: 1-800-433-3243

Ask Benji - Text "Hi Benji" to 602-786-8171

Stop in your College and Career Center for more information about FAFSA workshops

April 2024



State testing is
coming in April!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 7/8th Grade: AASA-Writing Odd Block Day	2 Even Block Day	3 7/8th Grade: AASA-ELA/Math Part 1 Odd Block Day	4 Even Block Day	5 Periods 1-6	6
7	8 Periods 1-6	9 LATE START 9th Grade: ACT Aspire 8th grade: AzSCI Odd Block Day	10 LATE START 9th Grade: ACT Aspire 11th grade: AzSCI Even Block Day	11 LATE START 11th Grade: ACT Odd Block Day	12 Even Block Day	13
14	15 Periods 1-6	16 Periods 1-6	17 7/8th Grade: AASA-ELA/Math Part 2 CTE Testing Odd Block Day	18 Even Block Day	19 Periods 1-6	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	*Late start days are for any grade levels that are not testing. More detailed information to come!		Please make every effort to have students in class on test day and avoid scheduling appointments/trips during these important times. Students not present on designated test days will be called out of class to make up any missed exams.	

DECA

craft fair

VENDORS

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Casteel DECA is excited to host our
FIRST annual **craft fair** on 12/2 from
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

We are looking for a **variety of
vendors** to participate in our event.

Spot Fees:

\$30 - 1 spot : \$50 - 2 spots

Register by 11/18

Additional Details:

- Booths will be setup in the southwest parking lot of Casteel High School
- Each vendor will be assigned a numbered parking spot
FIRST registered FIRST assigned
- All spot payments are due by 11/25
- REFUNDS will not be given after 11/25
- Setup - 7:00 a.m. : Breakdown - No earlier than 3:00 p.m.

**100% of the SPOT fees go
directly back into our great
program!**



E-mail for more information
morrill.delaney@cusd80.com

FREE BREAKFAST

Free Breakfast is
included in the
Free and Reduced Meal
Program.

We serve breakfast
every school day
in the cafeteria.

This institution is an equal opportunity provider



Casteel Counseling Department

7th -8th Grade Counselors

Liz Glascom
A-G
Ext: 8343



Jenna Shear
H-N
Ext: 8205



Christy Cunico
O-Z
Ext: 8105



Hope Williams
Social Worker
Ext: 8249



Stephanie Waaramaa
Counseling Secretary
Ext: 8116

9th Grade Counselor

Amy Beth Woodruff
A-Z
Ext: 8187



10th -12th Grade Counselors

Hailey Tyler
A-E
Ext: 8117



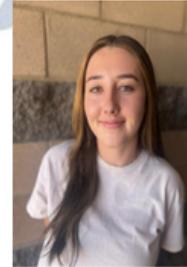
Sarah Marin
F-K
Ext: 8341



Carrie Shropshire
L-Q
Ext: 8106



Randee Clifford
R-Z
Ext: 8129



Casteel

Counseling



STAY
INFORMED



**Counseling Dept. &
College and Career Center**
Link up on Social Media!

[@CCHSCounselingCollegeandCareerCenter](https://www.facebook.com/CCHSCounselingCollegeandCareerCenter)

[@cchs_career](https://twitter.com/cchs_career)



[@cchscounselingcollegecareer](https://www.instagram.com/cchscounselingcollegecareer)

Casteel High School Upcoming Events



HELLO
December

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
4	5	6	7	8	9
 <p>High School Choir</p>			 <p>Orchestra Concert</p>		

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
11	12	13	14	15	16
			<p>Band Contest</p>  <p>Jr. High Movie night</p> 		

It's not too late to apply for free and reduced-price school meals. Visit myschoolapps.com to complete an application.



[Click here to see the student announcements.](#)





CASTEEL SPORTS APP



STUDENT HANDBOOK



1:1 FAQ



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fundraiser



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