

Schools offer pre-k parent engagement opportunities, activities

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The Carson City School District pre-k office is inviting parents to "Save The Date" for three parent engagement opportunities and activities for children who will be 4 years old by Sept. 30.

■ Feb. 26, 6-7 p.m. at the Carson City Public Library, 900 N. Roop St. Learn how the library can help your family with literacy. Take a tour, participate in activities and receive a library card.

■ March 19, 5:30-6:30 p.m. at Mark Twain Elementary School,

2111 Carriage Crest Drive. Learn how language and communication are essential to success in school and life. Activity offered by Sarah Billings, speech and language pathologist with the Carson City School District.

■ April 23, 5:30-6:30 p.m. at the

Children's Museum of Northern Nevada, 813 N. Carson St. Learn about the power of play for brain development and social maturity.

Learn ways to support your child's education and get answers to your questions and/or concerns. Also fulfill your parent

involvement plan. All parents, families and students are invited. Spanish translation will be available at each event.

For information, visit <http://carson.ss3.sharpschool.com/common/pages/DisplayFile.aspx?itemId=66008728>

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Chambers at achambers@carson.k12.nv.us. Additionally, seniors are posting their college acceptance seals in the CHS Library on the Acceptance Wall of Fame as acceptance letters are pouring in. College week activities went school-wide with a scavenger hunt and prizes, college week bingo, door decorating, wear favorite college gear.



COURTESY

CHS Varsity Basketball coach Jordan Glover and family congratulating him on his team making it to the playoffs

SCHOLARSHIP FOR PARENTS AND STUDENTS TO CONSIDER APPLYING

The Chuck Benton Memorial Scholarship is available to seniors who are following a career path in a technical program and are planning to pursue an associate degree or certificate program. Programs of study may include, but are not limited to, dental assistant, LPN, cosmetology, culinary, building trades, and clerical studies in business, law, or medical. CHS seniors will receive 15 \$1,000 scholarships. Applications are available in the CHS Counseling Office and are due by

21-27 at the Lake Tahoe 4-H Camp. Students will develop their own miniature governments, complete with their own laws, committees, legislation, and debates. Senators and Assembly men and women will be elected. Activities include legislative sessions, campaigning, party meetings, debating and voting. Please explore their websites for more information, and to apply. The American Legion sponsors students to attend, and candidates will be interviewed. For Boys State information,

Bethlehem Lutheran School and St. Teresa's Catholic School toured CHS in preparation for high school registration. Approximately 670 students, 50 adult chaperones and 75 student tour guides participated in this event. Though it looked a bit like a cattle drive, everyone had an exciting time. CHS teachers were told, "If you come upon any 'strays' to please make sure they make it to the attendance office so that we can reunite them with their 'herd' and make sure they get back on the bus," said CHS Career and

provides skilled tutors but also snacks and bus rides home, so do not wait; advocate before it is too late.

ATHLETIC EVENTS

Recently in Anaheim, the CHS competition cheer team took 3rd Place in the Advanced Non-Tumbling Large Division at the USA National Cheer Competition.

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Zion Belcastro is the CHS Student of the Week. According to her CHS English teacher Cheryl Macy, "She is hardworking, kind, and unique; Z is passionate about becoming a large animal vet, and her enthusiasm is contagious, plus, she is an independent thinker who serves



CHS Student of the Week is Zion Belcastro

as a natural leader for her peers." Congratulations to Zion for gaining the positive attention she has earned.

SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

The Senior Spotlight this week is Jose Torres. Jose is an outstanding senior at CHS, who has excelled throughout his freshman, sophomore, junior and the first semester of his senior

year. He has taken both Honors and AP classes, while maintaining a 4.7 weighted GPA. He is active in National Honor Society and Athletic Leadership Council. He also volunteers at Friends in Service Helping (FISH) and has been part of St. Teresa Catholic



CHS Senior in the Spotlight is Jose Torres

Church leadership. Jose plans on attending UNR and majoring in Engineering, either Civil or Material. Jose believes "Our actions have impacts on other people, so I always consider the possible outcomes." His goal is helping the planet be more eco-friendly. This positivity will definitely help Jose in achieving his future goals.

Phil Brady is an English teacher at CHS.

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