

## COUGAR NEWS

### UPCOMING DATES:

June 7<sup>th</sup> – CES Band and Strings Concert; RHHS 6:30pm and 7:30pm

June 8<sup>th</sup> – Professional Work Day; School close for Students 3 hrs. early

June 8<sup>th</sup> – CES Chorus Concert; RHHS 6pm

June 10<sup>th</sup> – Volunteer Celebration; CES Media Center 9:45am – 10:45am

June 10<sup>th</sup> – CES End of year Picnic; 6:30pm – 8:30pm

June 13<sup>th</sup> – Kindergarten Reflections Program

June 14<sup>th</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Promotion and Picnic; RHHS and Cedar Lane WEST

June 15<sup>th</sup> – Schools Close 3 hrs. Early; 12:50pm

June 16<sup>th</sup> – Schools Close 3 hrs. Early; 12:50pm

June 17<sup>th</sup> – Last Day of School, Schools Close 3 hrs Early; 12:50pm

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# CES Celebrations

## **The Kindergarten Reflection Program**

Is Monday, June 13th - from 2:40 to 3:35 pm, In your student's Kindergarten classroom All Kindergarten Parents and Guardians are welcome to come and celebrate their student's achievements in Kindergarten. The students will be presenting a small program right at 2:45. Then we will have a snack and end with some outside playtime.

*\*\* Unfortunately, we are not able to accommodate younger children/siblings*

## **5<sup>th</sup> Grade Promotion and Picnic**

On Tuesday, June 14<sup>th</sup>, our 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Class will have a Promotion Celebration at River Hill High School at 9:30am. Following the Celebration, students will attend the 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Picnic at Cedar Lane West.



As the final days of this school year are upon us, we wanted to extend our appreciation to our CES families who worked closely and partnered with our CES staff to provide our CES students with opportunities. We truly could not have accomplished our tasks without the support and dedication of our CES team, which includes all of you! It has been a school year of many challenges, full of ups and downs, frustrations and changes for our entire school community. We appreciate your continuous support and patience as we all navigated through this uncertain time together. We are truly grateful for all the support and dedication you have shown us this year. It is now time for us all to rest, reflect, and rejuvenate. It is time to rejoin and celebrate with family and friends. It is time to enjoy the things we used to take for granted and realize how special these moments are to each of us. I encourage each and every one of you to embrace this summer break. Take some time for the fun of life!

With the end of the year approaching, we also have farewells to share with you of some of our CES staff who will be missed but never forgotten. Ms. Terry Moore, Ms. Donna Britton, Mr. Peter Greaney, and Ms. Chris Malen will all be moving on to the next chapter of their lives. We wish them all the best! We thank them for their years of service to the Clarksville Elementary School community, most of all to our students and the difference they have made in their lives. You all will be missed dearly. As you know, there may be more possible staffing changes throughout the summer months. We will be providing an updated CES staffing list to our school website at the end of August. Stay tuned!

We want to give a huge congratulations shout out to our CES 5th grade class of 2022! Job well done!! Thank you to all of our Grade 5 students, their families, and our Grade 5 CES teachers and staff who have worked so hard this year to reach this milestone!

In closing, we recognize and reflect upon the success, achievement and required flexibility and understanding that our CES staff, parents & students have had to rely on collectively. As a collaborative team we value the importance of building strong relationships with home and school and we appreciate the constant support that we have received from our Clarksville families as we embarked on a year of unknowns. We hope you enjoy the remainder of the month of June and wish you a restful summer break. Please continue to keep health & safety in mind. Take care and we look forward to the opportunity to be all together again when schools reopen in August.

Go Cougars!

Warm Regards,

Ms. Malcotti

Proud Principal of CES

# Technology



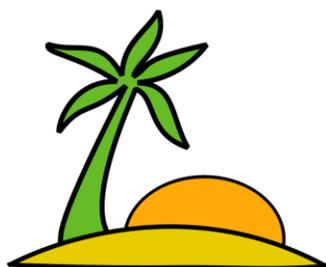
- [Chromebook Responsibilities](#)
- [Chromebook Repair Costs](#)

If you have Technology questions, please feel free to reach out to CES' Technology Teacher: [Eileen Volker@hcpss.org](mailto:Eileen_Volker@hcpss.org)

Clarksville Elementary School

# CES Spirit Day

## Tropical Island Day



Friday, June 10th, 2022

Tweet us

@hcpss\_ces

## Media

### **THANKS FROM THE MEDIA CENTER!!**

The Media Center wants to give a sincere thanks to all the students and their families who visited the Book Fair! We had a successful fair because of you and were able to add many new books to our collection!

## HOWARD COUNTY LIBRARY SUMMER READING PROGRAM IS HERE!



All classes will hear about the Summer Reading Program in Media! They will be taking home information about the Howard County Library Program as well as a wonderful summer reading list compiled by HC Media Specialists and the HC Library.

CES encourages your family to take advantage of the Howard County Library System this summer. They offer free, fun enrichment all summer and can help you keep students reading! You can:

- Play the summer reading game! (Finish and hand it in to win prizes!)
- Draw for the bookmark contest.
- Have fun at free library classes on stem, art and more.
- Explore amazing books and resources – if you need ideas about what to read, just ask! Go to [hclibrary.org/summer](http://hclibrary.org/summer) for more information

# Rainbow News

## Join us for HCPSS Pride Week June 6 – 12, 2022!

Visit: [bit.ly/HCPSSRainbow](https://bit.ly/HCPSSRainbow) to learn more about our HCPSS Pride week activities and to register for one or more of our events.

### **Monday, June 6<sup>th</sup> – Rainbow Vision Reception at Busboys and Poets**

Poetry slam combined with a meet and greet in a special reception for our middle and high school students who were published in our third volume of Rainbow Vision. Registration required.

### **Tuesday, June 7<sup>th</sup> – Read the Rainbow Virtual Event/Shake Shack Fundraiser**

Authors JR and Vanessa Ford will join us for a special reading and discussion of their book, *Calvin*. Open to all. Registration required.

Also, join us at Shake Shack at The Mall in Columbia any time today and mention HCPSS Pride.

### **Wednesday, June 8<sup>th</sup> – Family Hikes @ Howard County Conservancy**

Join us at either 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6 o'clock pm for a family-friendly hike.

Registration required and space is limited.

### **Thursday, June 9<sup>th</sup> – Main Event Fundraiser**

Join us from 6:00-9:00pm at Main Event at The Mall in Columbia for a fundraiser!

Be sure to drop your receipt at the HCPSS Pride table before you exit.

### **Friday, June 10<sup>th</sup> – Movie Night**

Join us for one of two different movies tonight!

The Half of It (PG-13) will be showing at 7pm at Long Reach High School

The Mitchells VS the Machines (PG) will be showing at 7pm at Oakland Mills High School

Popcorn donated by E.C.Pops. Registration required.

### **Saturday, June 11<sup>th</sup> – Centennial Park Clean-Up**

Open to middle and high school students and adult volunteers. Earn 3 hours of community service doing one of several service activities with Howard County Recreation and Parks.

Registration and a waiver are required for participation.

*On Friday, June 10<sup>th</sup>,  
we invite all HCPSS students, staff, and community members to wear rainbows in allyship of the  
LGBTQ+ Community.*

COME JOIN US FOR A  
**FUN-FILLED  
FUNDRAISER**

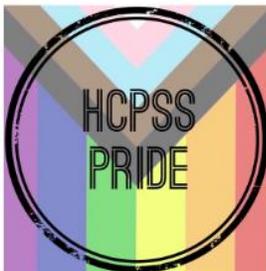
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**Howard County Public  
School System Pride**

Thursday, June 9<sup>th</sup> 2022 at 6:00pm  
10300 Little Patuxent Parkway, Suite 2520  
Columbia, MD 21044



**Fostering LGBTQ+ Inclusion - Tuesday, May 24<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30pm** - This is a CARY public meeting featuring 2019 GLSEN Educator of the Year, Ace Schwarz. If you haven't heard Ace speak at a Rainbow Conference, we highly recommend tuning in to listen to this Zoom session - they are fabulous! To register,

visit: [https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZEvcumhpotHNRZSa13ycEpaNc\\_Fg4g20DX](https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZEvcumhpotHNRZSa13ycEpaNc_Fg4g20DX)

If you have questions you'd like to ask Ace before you attend their session, please add them here on this form: [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc1QRZbpQE3x5i2Gv-WVWgWoZ-kpb0iZw1xH9Qkq-mv42\\_3SQ/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc1QRZbpQE3x5i2Gv-WVWgWoZ-kpb0iZw1xH9Qkq-mv42_3SQ/viewform)

**Sexuality and Gender Diversity in Autism - Monday, June 6<sup>th</sup> 7 - 8:30pm VIRTUAL** - This is an event sponsored by Howard County Autism Society and PFLAG Columbia-Howard County. Please note - this is the same date/time as our HCPSS Pride Busboys and Poets event with CARY. To learn more and to register, please visit: <https://howard-autism.org/event/sexuality-and-gender-diversity-in-autism-a-panel-discussion/>

**HCPSS Pride Week - STAFF and FAMILY Hike - Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup> 9am-11am** - This is a hike for Rainbow Reps, LGBTQ+ staff, allies, and their families. Adrienne Kilby (leader of Baltimore Queer Hikes) will guide us on this two-hour hike starting at the Howard County Conservancy. Click this link to register and for more information. Space is limited, so register soon! [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScoe-19wBW508mzBrZm2aFcGruMHtfwtwSnLcALW\\_dB8TjJSA/viewform?usp=sf\\_link](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScoe-19wBW508mzBrZm2aFcGruMHtfwtwSnLcALW_dB8TjJSA/viewform?usp=sf_link)

Please note - this is a staff and family of staff only event in addition to all the Pride events posted on our website: [bit.ly/HCPSSRainbow](http://bit.ly/HCPSSRainbow)

**Rainbow Campfire at the Robinson Nature Center - Friday, June 24<sup>th</sup> 7-9pm** - this is an event sponsored by the Robinson Nature Center and HoCo Pride for LGBTQ+ families. There will be a guided night hike, campfire and s'mores, animal encounters, and resources from HoCo Pride. You **MUST** preregister for this **FREE** event by calling 410-313-0400 by June 22nd.

Lastly, CARY has a fundraiser up on their website. If you'd like to show your CARY Pride and get some new rainbow gear in time for Pride week, check them out here: <https://www.customink.com/fundraising/support-cary-community-allies-of-rainbow-youth>

# Community News

## **RIVER HILL HIGH SCHOOL BOOSTERS SUMMER CAMPS**

The River Hill High School Boosters are sponsoring summer camps at River Hill High School. The camps are designed to help young athletes improve their fundamental athletic skills. Over twenty different camps are offered this summer, including football, soccer, baseball, softball, lacrosse, field hockey, volleyball, basketball, tennis, cheerleading, art, and weight training. Weekly camps begin on June 13th. For more information and to register, visit <https://riverhill.membershiptoolkit.com/camp>.

## **RESERVOIR HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS CAMP**

Come out to sports camp the week of June 27 and/or July 18 at Reservoir High School. Camp is hosted by Lime Kiln teacher and Reservoir Coach Phil Ranker as well as other certified elementary and middle school teachers in the county and state. The camp is open to current K-8th graders and features many different sports and activities

every day. If your child likes PE, they will love camp. Campers are split into age and ability groups to ensure that everyone has a fun and productive time. Full day and half day options available. For more information, please visit <http://rankerssportscamp.weebly.com> or email [phillip\\_ranker@hcpss.org](mailto:phillip_ranker@hcpss.org) for questions!

### GLENELG HIGH SCHOOL SUMMER THEATRE CAMP

Presenting  
Glenelg High School's  
**NEW**  
**Summer**  
**Theatre Camp!**



Who: Rising 3<sup>rd</sup>-Rising 8<sup>th</sup> Graders  
When: July 5-15, 2022 9am-3pm  
Where: Glenelg High School  
Performances- 2 Performances on  
July 14 & 15  
Cost- \$550

For more information:



Join us this summer for some  
theatre fun!

This is a smaller, framed version of the theatre camp flyer. It contains the same text as the larger version on the right, including the title "Presenting Glenelg High School's NEW Summer Theatre Camp!", the Disney Newsies Jr. logo, and the details about who, when, where, and cost. It also includes a QR code and the contact information "Questions? Email- [Kassidy\\_Sharp@hcpss.org](mailto:Kassidy_Sharp@hcpss.org)". The background of the flyer features a collage of newspaper clippings with the words "NEWSBOYS IN" and "NEWSIES THE MUSICAL" visible.

### HOWARD HIGH SCHOOL ANNUAL AUCTION

Howard Lions' Pride Athletic Boosters have put together their annual auction. We are online again this year, details below. Our auction will be LIVE from **May 19th 7:00am through May 24th 8:00pm**. You can go to the link to get a preview of items. Link: <https://www.32auctions.com/HoHSLP21-22Auction>. All items will be at Howard HS and available for an arranged pick-up date/time.