



Principal Message for March 8, 2024

Greetings Carroll Families,

Monday, March 11<sup>th</sup> is a Teacher Workday. There will be no school for students.

Spring Break is March 25-29. School will be closed during this week.

6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> grade Parents, there will be a single-subject acceleration (SSA) interest meeting. March 19<sup>th</sup> at 5:30. More information regarding SSA can be found on our [website](#). The meeting will be held virtually <https://meet.google.com/stb-naoo-wdj>

**Family Leadership Night** is April 2<sup>nd</sup> from 5:30-6:30pm. There is a 4 pm soccer game that day. There will also be an Open PTA Meeting at 5 pm that evening. Students will be participating in a Student-Led Conference. Sandwiches will be served to all participants after the conference at no charge to families. We hope that you can make it.

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**Carroll Athletic Information can be found [here](#).** For questions regarding athletics, please reach out to our Athletic Director, Melvin Chambers at [mchambers@wcpss.net](mailto:mchambers@wcpss.net).

Tuesday, March 12 Soccer Ligon MS at Carroll MS

Tuesday, March 12 Softball Ligon MS at Carroll MS

Wednesday, March 13 Track Leesville at Carroll MS

Thursday, March 14 Softball Carroll at Leesville MS

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**8<sup>th</sup> Grade Families:**

If your student applied to an Early College or Magnet High School, results were sent via email from that school or can be accessed through the SchoolMint [website](#). If your student did not get accepted into an Early College, they can reapply during their freshman year of high school. If you are interested in your student attending a

different high school from their base, you can apply for a transfer [here](#) beginning March 4<sup>th</sup> through March 15<sup>th</sup>.

### High School Registration

High School Course Registration will open on March 4th. All 8<sup>th</sup> graders will learn about the process beginning Wednesday, March 6. Students will be instructed to **not** submit their course registration until parent approval. Please contact Ms. Moore (omooore@wcpss.net) for any questions.

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### **PTA Special Membership Meeting 4/2 @ 5:00 pm in Learning Commons (Before Student-Led Conferences)**

The PTA executive board has voted to move forward with the proposal to dissolve the PTA and change to a PTO next year. We will be discussing and voting on this change at the Special General Membership Meeting and welcome all PTA members to attend. We will also review the PTA's impact so far, the budget, and open positions for next year. We hope you can join us!!!

### **8th Grade Support**

Eighth grade staff and parents are busy planning the end of year activities and need parents' help! The three main events are:

**8th Grade Move-Up Ceremony - June 11th**

**8th Grade Dance - June 11th**

**8th Grade Field Day - June 12th**

Support is needed before, during and after these events. If you can help in any way, please click [HERE](#) for more information and to sign up!

### **Parent Involvement Next Year**

Are you interested in being more involved at Carroll? Want to support staff and students more? Find out the many ways you can be more involved at Carroll next year by clicking on the link [HERE](#). Questions about any of the positions or committees, please email [carrollcougarspta@gmail.com](mailto:carrollcougarspta@gmail.com).

### **Concessions Help Needed for Boys' Soccer**

We need volunteers for the following dates to help sell concessions during the boys' soccer games: 3/12, 4/2, 4/23, and 5/07 from 3:45-5:00. Please click [HERE](#) to sign up!

**PTA's March Newsletter**

Click [HERE](#) for the Cougar News for March.

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If you want to know what your child is working on in their classes, please visit our Week-At-A-Glance ([WAAG](#)). If you have an immediate need please contact me directly at [tzarzecki@wcpss.net](mailto:tzarzecki@wcpss.net).

Yours,

Tina Zarzecki  
Work Hard. Be Kind.