

Colusa High School  
Colusa Alternative High  
School



**Daily Bulletin**

**December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021**

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**Semester Count Down:  
12 Days**

<u>Word of the Day/Fun Fact/Thought of the Day</u>	<u>Upcoming Events:</u>	<u>Important Reminders/Lost Items:</u>
<p><b>Epilogue</b> [ep-uh-lawg] <i>Noun</i> a concluding part added to a literary work, as a novel.</p> <p><b>Fun Fact:</b> There are more mobile phone connections than people in the world.</p> <p><b>Thought of the Day:</b> “You must do the things you think you cannot do.”– Eleanor Roosevelt</p>	<p>12/1-CHS-CA Honor Band Auditions 12/1-12/3- Pierce Invitational Boys Basketball Tournament 12/2-12/4- Jim Ernst Classic-Girls Basketball Tournament 12/4- SAT’s 12/6-FFA Redhawk Classic #6 12/8-FFA Chapter Degree Ceremonies/FFA Meeting-7pm 12/13-Board Meeting 5:15pm 12/14-CHS Band Winter Concert-6pm 12/16-CHS Winterfest 12/16-12/18- Georgia Raczniak Boys Basketball Tournament 12/13-12/17-Finals Week 12/17-End of 1<sup>st</sup> Semester 12/17-Minimum Day 12/20-12/30-Winter Break</p>	<p>Please continue to wear your mask indoors. Thank you!</p> <p>Please be respectful of our school and clean up your trash! Thank You!</p> <p><b>Lost Items in Office:</b> Red Under Armour Water Bottle 2-AirPod Cases Camo Jacket Umbrella Maroon Tennis Shoes Various Sweatshirts</p>

<u>Weekly Lunch</u> M, T, TH & F- 11:53 – 12:28pm Wed-11:19 – 11:54	<u>Detention:</u>	<u>Today’s Schedule:</u> Regular	<u>Athletic Release Schedule</u> (Subject to weather)																																																															
<p>12/1- Corn Dog and Fries 12/2- Chimichanga 12/3- Big Daddy Pizza</p>	<p><b>Tuesday &amp; Thursday</b> <b>3:15-4:15</b> <b>CHS</b> <b>Library</b> (Subject to change)</p>	<p><b>Mon, Tue, Thur, Fri.</b> Dismissal 3:10</p> <p><b>Wednesday</b> Dismissal 2:10</p>	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Team</th> <th>Date</th> <th>Release</th> <th>Depart</th> <th>Opp.</th> <th>Location</th> <th>Time</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>BB</td> <td>12/1</td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> <td>Pierce</td> <td>5pm</td> </tr> <tr> <td>BB</td> <td>12/2</td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> <td>Pierce</td> <td>TBD</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>GB</b></td> <td><b>12/2 JV</b></td> <td><b>11:15</b></td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> <td><b>HOME</b></td> <td><b>12pm</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td>GS</td> <td>12/2</td> <td>-</td> <td>7am</td> <td>-</td> <td>Oroville</td> <td>9am</td> </tr> <tr> <td>BB</td> <td>12/3</td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> <td>Pierce</td> <td>TBD</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>GB</b></td> <td><b>12/3</b></td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> <td><b>HOME</b></td> <td><b>TBD</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td>GS</td> <td>12/4</td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> <td>Oroville</td> <td>TBD</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>GB</b></td> <td><b>12/4</b></td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> <td>-</td> <td><b>HOME</b></td> <td><b>TBD</b></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Team	Date	Release	Depart	Opp.	Location	Time	BB	12/1	-	-	-	Pierce	5pm	BB	12/2	-	-	-	Pierce	TBD	<b>GB</b>	<b>12/2 JV</b>	<b>11:15</b>	-	-	<b>HOME</b>	<b>12pm</b>	GS	12/2	-	7am	-	Oroville	9am	BB	12/3	-	-	-	Pierce	TBD	<b>GB</b>	<b>12/3</b>	-	-	-	<b>HOME</b>	<b>TBD</b>	GS	12/4	-	-	-	Oroville	TBD	<b>GB</b>	<b>12/4</b>	-	-	-	<b>HOME</b>	<b>TBD</b>
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**CLUB NEWS:**

**DRAMA CLUB NEWS:** Meeting every Thursday during lunch RM 506

**FRIDAY NIGHT LIVE:** FNL provides youth with youth lead projects and activities, building meaningful relationships, leadership skills and so much more! Friday Night Live will meet on campus every Thursday after school in Room 502.

**FFA NEWS: 12/6- Redhawk Classic #6**

**12/8- Chapter Degree Ceremonies/FFA Meeting-7pm**

**SPANISH CLUB:** If you are in Spanish Club or have taken a Spanish class and are interested in going to Spain in June 2023, go see Ms. Michalk for more information!!!!

**ART CLUB: MAKE YOUR CLAY PIECE FOR WINTERFEST THIS WEEK ONLY-LUNCH OR AFTER SCHOOL**

## **OFFICE NEWS:**

**ATTENDANCE:** Attendance at school is very important. If you are going to be gone from school, it is very important for your parents to call to verify your absence. If you receive an early dismissal, it is **HIGHLY IMPORTANT** for you to check out in the office, if you return, please check back in in the office as well. If you leave for a medical appointment, it is **VERY IMPORTANT** to bring in a note from the medical office you are returning from. The medical offices may give you a note or you may have them fax a note to the office at (530) 458-5783. If you arrive late to school, you **MUST** come through the office to get a late slip. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated! If you have questions or concerns regarding attendance policy, please refer to the Colusa High School Handbook:

<https://colusahigh.colusa.k12.ca.us/documents/Our%20School/CHS-Handbook-2021-22.pdf>

**INDEPENDENT STUDY:** If you are planning to go on a vacation during the school year, it is important to give at least a 2-week notice, in order for teachers to prepare work. Also, Independent studies can be for no more than 10 days. However, please be advised of our Finals Week Policy: 1. Independent Study is **NOT** offered for any dates indicated on the schedule as winter (12/13-12/17) or spring final weeks (5/31-6/3). Attendance is extremely important during the final weeks. 2. Teachers will not give finals early per the CHS policy. 3. Students will receive a zero on their final if they are unable to take the final. Any questions regarding independent study please refer to the Colusa High School Handbook! <https://colusahigh.colusa.k12.ca.us/documents/Our%20School/CHS-Handbook-2021-22.pdf>

## **COUNSELING NEWS:**

**Tutoring-** Peer tutoring is available on Tuesdays and Wednesdays at lunch and afterschool in the counseling office. Tutoring for students who are struggling in Spanish and other subjects.

**ARE YOU INTERESTED IN ATTENDING WINTER TERM TO MAKE UP AN ACADEMIC CLASS? (5 credits):** The Winter Term Program (December 2021) for students who need to earn up to 5 credits of summer school to stay on their Graduation Track. Classes can include English, Social Studies, and Math. The Independent Study for Credit Makeup will run from December 20th December 29th (Monday – Wednesday each week). Your Independent Study teacher will contact you the week of December 17th. Students missing more than one meeting with their Independent Study teacher and/or failing to turn in their weekly assigned work will be dropped. Independent Study will be held at Colusa High School. Please see Ms. Leal or Mr. Vercruysse for more information.

**Upward Bound:** If you are interested in applying for Upward Bound Project Applications are available in the counseling office. Deadline is January 31, 2022.

**Western Undergraduate Exchange:** Considering applying to out of state colleges? Check out the Western Undergraduate Exchange -WUE. WUE students in Western states may enroll in participating two-year and four-year public college programs at a reduced tuition level: up to 150 percent of the institution's regular resident tuition. For answers to many of the commonly asked questions,

and ELIGIBILITY requirements about WUE, Visit [wiche.edu/askwiche](http://wiche.edu/askwiche). Please visit the counseling office for a PDF of participating states.

**Testing:** ACT –December 11<sup>th</sup> & SAT –December 4<sup>th</sup> -Please come to the counseling office for assistance

## **SENIOR NEWS:**

**FINANCIAL AID:** Seniors who are interested in receiving federal and state financial aid for college should apply for Free Application for Federal Student Aid -FAFSA. The application process is free and only takes 30 minutes. Both Student and Parent will need to have a FSA ID to submit your application. The FSA ID gives you access to Federal Student Aid's online systems and can serve as your legal signature. You should have your social security number and personal email address and/or cell phone. The application opens October 1<sup>st</sup> FAFSA website: <https://studentaid.gov>

Undocumented students who are interested in receiving State Financial Aid for college, including grants and scholarships are eligible to apply for the California Dream Act Application -CADAA please see the attached link. The application opens October 1st. CADAA website: <https://dream.csac.ca.gov>

Informational links regarding FAFSA and CADAA have been posted to the Google Class of 2022. Please contact the Counseling Office with any questions, concerns, or if you need any assistance.

**SCHOLARSHIPS:** Please read scholarship applications completely before you begin. Make sure you have all of your supporting documents, and that you meet eligibility requirements. When asking for a letter of recommendation, please include a resume, or list of extracurricular activities, and let your recommender know of your educational plans and career/occupational goals. Keep organized, pay attention to deadlines, and make copies of your applications. Check with the Counseling Office if you have any questions regarding any scholarship application. **Good Luck!!**

**Hagan Scholarship Foundation: Helping rural students graduate college debt-free. Need-Based Merit Scholarships up to \$6,000 each semester. About 50% of eligible applicants are awarded scholarships, the highest award percentage of any national scholarship. If you meet the eligibility requirements you should apply for a scholarship. The award of a Hagan Scholarship has been life-changing for many recipients.**

**Start this application early, it has multiple parts. Brochure in counseling office.**

**Apply online <https://haganscholarships.org/> Deadline December 1, 2021.**

### **Burger King Scholars Program**

High school seniors are invited to apply for the Burger King Scholars program if they live in the United States, Canada, Puerto Rico or Guam; have a cumulative high school grade point average of 2.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale, or the equivalent; demonstrate community involvement through volunteering, sports, clubs and/or religious organizations; and plan to enroll full-time in 2022-23 at an accredited two- or four-year college, university or vocational-technical school in the U.S., Canada, Puerto Rico or Guam.

Apply online: <https://bk-scholars.com/> **December 15, 2022**

### **Foot Locker Scholar Athletes \$20,000 to 20 students**

Honors student-athletes who demonstrate exceptional academic ability and strong leadership skills in sports, in their schools, and within their communities. Eligibility: be entering college in the Fall of 2022 as a Freshman at a four-year school for an undergraduate degree; be currently involved in high school sports, intramural sports, or community-based sports; have a minimum GPA of 3.0; be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident; not be an employee, officer or director of Foot Locker, Inc., or any of its subsidiaries, or a member of

the immediate family of such an employee, officer or director. Apply online  
<https://www.footlockerscholarathletes.com/> **Deadline: December 17, 2021**

**Elks National Foundation Scholarship (ENF): Legacy Awards** \$4,000 scholarships available to children and grandchildren of Elks members. **Deadline for applications, February 5, 2021.** Check eligibility requirements and application details at: <https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/Legacy.cfm>

Scholarship websites:

<https://www.fastweb.com>

<https://www.scholarships.com>

<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/>

<https://www.petersons.com/undergraduate-scholarship/>

## **YEARBOOK NEWS:**

**Please make sure to check your emails, as that is how yearbook contacts students for quotes! We appreciate it greatly!**

**YEARBOOKS:** Available for purchase in the office. \$45 w/ASB Card \$50 w/out ASB Card

**SENIOR PAGES:** The pages are \$200 (full pages only), there are only 19 left! Hurry and get your senior pages!!! Purchase in the office with Mrs. Meyers.