CHOKIO-ALBERTA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

EXCELLENCE IN ACADEMICS, ATHLETICS AND ARTS. K-12

November 3rd, 2026

- **Spartan Shield Shout-Out!** October monthly winners: Trinity-PreK, Hadley-1st, Messer-3rd, Madeline-5th, Hannah-7th, Marshall-10th, Hunter-12th. Weekly winners are: Emma G.-PreK, Otto-KA, Ellie-1st, Penny-2nd, Nikao-3rd, Oliver-4th, Gavin & Lilly-5th, Hannah & Jameson-7th, Sydney-10th, Josie-11th, and Harmony-12th. Congratulations to all of our winners! We wrapped up the first quarter with an awesome 715 Shields—just 35 shy of our 750 Shield popcorn party goal! Now we're working toward our second-quarter Kiss the Pig reward, with a goal of 1,500 total Shields. We only have 785 more to go! Keep making positive choices and earning those Shields! Way to go, Spartans!
- **Attention HS Students/Parents:** It's time to sign up if you plan to participate in a winter sport! Before receiving your yellow slip, you must be signed up in the C-A office, fully registered on the BOUND app, have a current physical (within the last 36 months) on file, and have paid the participation fee. C-A families can pay fees online at SchoolPay.com or at the C-A school office. We're looking forward to a great winter sports season!
- **Senior High Knowledge Bowl practice** will start on Thursday, November 5th. Practice will start at 7:30 am in Mrs. Marty's classroom.
- **Attention Elementary Parents/Guardians:** The weather is changing quickly, so please make sure your child(ren) has a warm coat, hat, and gloves each day for recess. They can bring them back and forth or keep them in their locker for when they're needed. Thanks so much for your help!
- **LOST & FOUND:** Marsha found a pocket watch costume prop in her yard after Halloween, and a pair of JBL headphones was left in the office. If either item belongs to you, please stop by the office to claim it. We're also missing a blue walkie-talkie. If you find it, please return it to Molly Westerman or drop it off in the office. Thanks!

Reminders

- **Grades 7th–12th:** The Plaid Pillagers Robotics team is having workshops to introduce different things the robotics team does. You do not have to be in robotics to participate. Although we are hoping that you enjoy them enough to join us. Most of these events will be running on Saturdays from 9-11 am. They will be held in rm 172 in the Morris Area High School. Try your luck at driving robots or creating prototypes and more. Come to the ones that interest you! The schedule is as follows: November 7th- Reading Cad Drawings, Measuring and Cutting, November 14th-Introduction to Robotics Programming, Nov 21st- Project Communication and Handover.
- The **MAHACA Tiger Wrestling regular season for PreK–6th grade** kicks off November 17th! Parents and guardians, be sure to check your email for more details.
- **Attention HS Parents & Students:** Text @ca7-12 to the number 81010 to join the **REMIND APP** if you want to be in the know about upcoming events or last-minute notifications. For Elementary: Please contact your students' teacher for their class code.
- **Attention athletes riding the van to Morris,** please check in with Nikki or Jenny in the office each day so we know you need a ride. Be sure to leave class at the dismissal time listed on the bulletin and sign out in the office. The van must leave at the time listed, so please be ready to go by the 6th grade doors on time.
- **Parents & Guardians:** For everyone's safety, please avoid driving, parking, dropping off, or picking up near the west side of the school and playground where buses load and unload. Please use the designated drop-off and pick-up area on the east side of the school in front of the main entrance. Thank you for helping keep traffic organized and our students safe!

BAND/CHOIR SCHEDULE

Band – W **Choir – T, TH, F**

EVENTS			PLACE/BUS
11/3/26	**7:00am**	**JHKB**	**Fergus Falls**
11/5/26	4:30pm	JHGBB vs Sauk Centre	Morris
	7:00pm	Vars VB Sub Section Final	Willmar
11/7/26	7:30pm	Vars VB Section Final	Marshall - SMSU