



# Friday Note

**MISSION STATEMENT:**  
**THE MITCHELL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL COMMUNITY PROVIDES AN ENVIRONMENT IN WHICH ALL CHILDREN WILL LEARN AND SUCCEED**

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*The Mitchell Friday Note is an important place to be sure you have the current information about what's happening in our school.*

Congratulations to the students who participated in the 2024 Mitchell Elementary Spelling Bee this week! A special congratulations to Tess Huisjen, our Grand Champion, and Cate Pierce, runner up, who will represent Mitchell at the Golden Area Spelling Bee that will be held at Mitchell on Thursday, February 8 at 5:30 p.m. Good luck, Tess and Cate!





## February: Kindness Month

At Mitchell, kindness is part of what we do everyday and an important part of Mitchell ROCKS.

As our district considers kindness for the month of

February, we invite you to participate in kindness outside of school with your family. Use [this calendar](#) for ideas of ways to show kindness outside of school.

We encourage you to attend this event that promises to empower and equip you with valuable insights to support your student's educational journey. Join us at [Summit Jeffco](#) hosted by Jeffco Public Schools on **Saturday, March 2** from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Summit Ridge Middle School.



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Summit Jeffco is a unique gathering where families can connect with district and school staff, as well as experts in various fields, explore important topics that impact our students. Discover how you can play an active role in improving your student's educational experience and foster their growth.

### Summit Jeffco Event Details:

**Date:** Saturday, Mar 2, 2024

**Time:** 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

**Location:** Summit Ridge Middle School

[Learn More & Register](#)



## Kids Heart Challenge Starts Soon

Mitchell cares about heart health, and our Kids Heart Challenge event with the American Heart Association starts Friday, February 2nd. Will you choose to be active or kind - or both? Register today by downloading the AHA Schools app (which can be found in your App Store by typing "Kids Heart Challenge") or go to [www.heart.org/khc](http://www.heart.org/khc).

## Enrollment Open

If you have friends/neighbors who are looking to start kindergarten in the fall, Mitchell is a great place to learn. Enrollment for the 24-25 school year is now open. Feel free to share the [Enroll Jeffco link](#) within your social circles.



## PTA Corner

Calling all 2nd grade families! It's your turn to Load the Lounge for the Mitchell teachers and staff! This time, PTA volunteers will shop for you. Purchased items typically include coffee, fresh fruits and vegetables, string cheese and yogurt, bubbly water, assorted snacks, and of course a couple of treats!

If you are able to help, please Venmo your desired contribution to @mitchell-pta and comment Load the Lounge. Thank you!



**VALENTINE CUPCAKE FUNDRAISER**

Order via [mitchellpta.org](http://mitchellpta.org) from Jan. 26 through Feb. 9.

Cupcakes will be delivered to your home on **February 14**.

**PRICING**

- 2 cupcakes for \$10
- or-
- 12 cupcakes for \$50

Gift a pair or a dozen cupcakes to Mitchell staff with any order!

Why support Mitchell PTA? Because we support your kids and their teachers! PTA dues, donations, sponsorships and fundraisers make enrichment programs, additional technology resources, and special events possible: ELF, Back Together Movie Night, Math & Science Night, the School Garden, Talent Show, Kindergarten Ice Cream Social, and (coming soon!) big improvements to Mitchell's outdoor eating area, including new seating and shade structures.



JOIN THE MITCHELL PTA FOR...

# CANNONBALL CREEK NIGHT

What: Beer, food trucks, and a great time!  
When: Thurs., Feb. 22, anytime between 5-9pm  
Where: 393 Washington Avenue, Golden

A PORTION OF PROCEEDS WILL BE DONATED TO THE MITCHELL PTA

CHILDREN WELCOME UNDER PARENTAL SUPERVISION

CANNONBALL CREEK BREWING COMPANY  
MIDWEST CRAFT BEER

Mitchell Mustangs PTA

## Howdy, Trailblazin' Ranch Hands!

Saddle up for the grandest hootenanny of the year – Western on Washington, a Saloon Stroll culminating in a downright legendary concert at The Rose; it's the grandest shindig to rustle up funds for Mitchell Elementary!

Circle **Friday, April 19**, on your calendar from 5-11 pm and rope in that sitter posthaste, partner! 🤠

Feelin' generous? You can even snag tickets for your fine teachers to join the revelry!

Hold your horses, there's a stampede of excitement – we're rounding up an after party at Ace Hi, and them tickets are scarcer than hen's teeth!

And here's an offer hotter than a prairie sun – consider becoming a sponsor for this rootin'-tootin' event! For sponsorship possibilities txt: 303.917.4572

But that ain't all, we're also lookin' for bold-hearted volunteers to join our posse! If you're ready to ride alongside us, & lasso yourself a complimentary libation! 🤠

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0E45ADAA29A0F58-47175821-western>

Stake your claim by responding pronto! And here's the star-spangled spectacle – we're throwin' the gates wide open to the entire Golden community this year, so don't let your kinfolk and pals miss out on this rootin'-tootin' night of fun and supportin' your young'uns. Hitch your wagon to a block of tickets pronto, partner!

Howdy, partners! We're fixin' to rope in a skillful wrangler for our video production at the upcoming shindig. If you reckon you've got the chops to capture the spirit of the Wild West on film, we'd sure be tickled if you'd mosey on over to our campfire. Drop a holler if you're game to be our trailblazin' video wrangler. Much obliged! 🤠 (txt.303.917.4572)

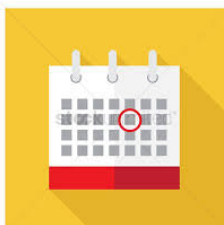
### **Help out in the School Garden this spring!**

Spend time in the school garden with the kids this spring! Each volunteer slot will have you teaching a short lesson to the kiddos before you help them do some work in the garden. Don't worry if you're not a gardener—we have lesson plans tailored to each grade, plus a script and all the materials you need for each lesson. Lessons include symbiotic relationships and soils, history and culture, and the water cycle and weather—so you can sign up to teach the classes that interest you. The first slot, from 11am to 12:30pm, covers recess for the 1st grade, kindergarten, and 3rd grade. The second slot, from 12pm to 1:30pm, covers recess for the 2nd, 5th, and 4th grades.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090F44ABAB2EA6FA7-47661855-recess>

Please email Garden Leader Alexa Metrick with any questions: mitchellptagarden@gmail.com

### **Important Dates**



February 16th	No School for Students-Teacher Inservice Day
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February 19th	No School- Presidents' Day
February 21st & 22nd	Spring Family Conferences *additional information coming soon

**Celebrate our Rocking Mustangs and Recess ROCKStars**

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Please don't hesitate to call the office with any questions 303.982.5875 or go onto our website <http://mitchell.jeffcopublicschools.org> for up to date school information.