

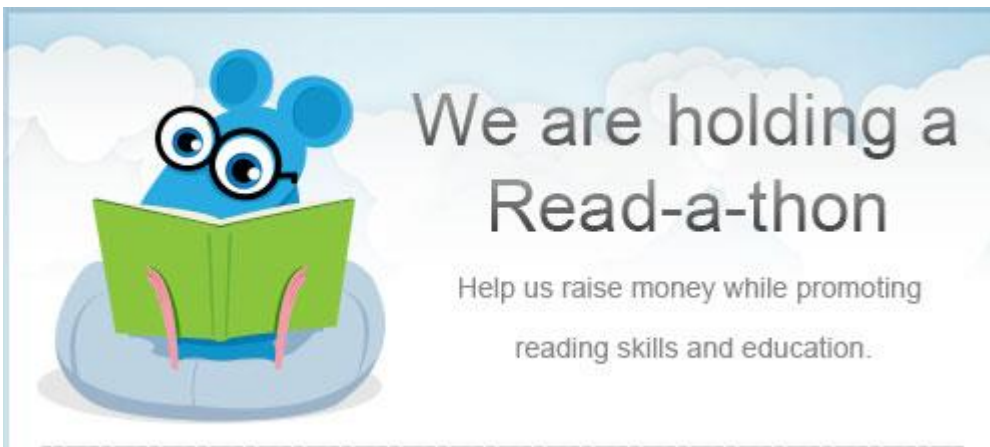


CSCA Updates:

Thank you to everyone who participated in our read-a-thon! We raised \$2,480!! Way to go readers!

The prize shop will be open until 3/24 for those who earned prizes to pick what they want. Any prize money not spent by Friday, March 24th, 2023 will no longer be available. The prize store cannot be reopened once it is closed. All prizes will be shipped to the school.

<https://www.read-a-thon.com/readers/r/txdbSL>



We are hosting an open house community event March 18, current families bring a new prospective family and be entered into a raffle! We have a weekend in Breckenridge, food truck gift cards, swag bags and other gifts up for grabs!! Enjoy some fun, face painting, food/drinks, and games while helping us promote our school

to new families!

Any local and small businesses who are interested in setting up a vendor booth please email leasley@cscharter.org, Families and staff members of CSCA will have no charge for a booth, for community members it will be \$25.



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OPEN HOUSE!

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MARCH 18
Tours are 2-4 pm

Touch-a-truck, Vendors, Facepainting, Food/Drinks, and games

If you are a current family and bring a new family, you both get entered into a drawing for **MANY** prizes: Vendor provided gifts, swag bags, gift cards and even a **TRIP to BRECKENRIDGE!**





There is an info meeting immediately after school this Friday, 3/10 in Coach Shrewsbury's classroom for any students and parents interested in learning more about our new Track & Field program. In this meeting we will talk through various details of the season and be available to answer any questions. We are so excited for the season, which will begin Monday, March 13! Please email Coach Campagna (bcampagna@cscharter.com) with any questions you may have.



[Participate in Kids Heart Challenge](#)

Kids Heart Challenge is coming soon! Colorado Springs Charter Academy is joining forces with the American Heart Association by participating in KIDS HEART CHALLENGE (KHC). Students will be excited to “Slay the dragon of heart disease and stroke!” with our team of Heart Hero dragons and by participating in KHC they are *Being the Torch*, as they shine their light towards ways our community can be healthier. Also, your family will have the opportunity to learn hands-only CPR through **Finn’s Mission!**



1. Visit our school's [Kids Heart Challenge page](#) OR download the Kids Heart Challenge app. [How to Register for KHC Video](#).

2. Students who are registered and have received an online donation by our **KHC kickoff on 2/24/2023**, will receive a Torch wristband and the earned KHC Heart Heroes.

Want to know more about how participating in Kids Heart Challenge can have an impact? Watch the video's below on how Extraordinary Kids are helping across the country! If you want to **be an Extraordinary KHC Kid** see how you can get involved!

[Charlies' Heart Story!](#)

[Dr. Taylor shares what its like to be a Cardiologist](#)

Reminders:

- King Soopers App has a Community Rewards feature that will reward local organizations financially with every purchase you make at King Soopers using your Sooper Card (or
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App).

To register for this reward program is sooper (☺) simple:

- Go to King Sooper App on your phone.
 - Click on the 3 parallel lines in the upper right hand screen (like lines of a list)
 - Click on 'Rewards' - it's the third icon from the top
 - Click "Community Rewards"
 - Type in Colorado Springs Charter Academy as the enrollment recipient for these funds.
 - Confirm
 - CSCA starts getting money!
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- We are doing the doodle for google contest with Mrs. Shrewsbury again this year! If your student is interested in submitting an entry they can use [this link](#) or reach out to Mrs. Shrewsbury at dshrewsbury@cscharter.org for forms and more information!

 - Athletics [fundraiser!](#) We are hoping to get new uniforms for all of our teams and work on funding to add new sports next school year!

 - Don't forget, we have recycling bins in both lobbies for ink/toner cartridges! Open to families and staff to use.

 - Volleyball open gym this Saturday 9-12. We are working on team building, fundamentals, and conditioning to prepare for the upcoming season in August. All girls in 5th-8th grade are welcome to join, \$10 per session healthy snacks are provided!

CSCA Yearbook Orders:

It's time to place your order for the 2022-2023 CSCA Yearbook!! Orders will be accepted until April 6th at a cost of \$18 per yearbook. Orders can be placed at MySchoolBucks.com in the school store. If ordered after this due date, yearbooks will be \$22. With pre-orders, you're guaranteed a yearbook. After this, yearbooks will be available on a first come, first served basis. Once we're out, we're out!

This is also the last week to enter the yearbook cover competition! Get those entries submitted to Mrs. Temple by end of day Friday.

Entries must be received by **Friday, March 10**
to be considered for the contest.

Yearbook Cover Competition!

If you would like to design the cover for this year's yearbook, you may submit an entry for the Yearbook Cover Competition!

Here are the guidelines:

**Please do not bend or fold, must be flat, and only use paper*

- 1. Design a FRONT and BACK cover*
- 2. Have the year "2022-2023" on the front cover*
- 3. Include "CSCA" on the front cover*
- 4. Put your first and last name on front and back cover*
- 5. Be neat and colorful and get creative!*

Submit the cover in a **manila envelope** with your name, "Cover Competition," and your grade/teacher's name on it

to Mrs. Temple in 3rd grade.

You have until **Friday, March 10th** to turn it in.

THE WINNER GETS A FREE YEARBOOK!



Good luck!



Important Dates:

March 9: PTO Meeting 6:30 pm

March 10: Uniform Exchange 2-3 pm

March 10: Track meeting 1:30 pm

March 11: Girls Volleyball open gym (5th–8th grade) 9–12 pm

March 16: Board Meeting 6:30 pm

March 17: Staff Luncheon

March 18: Open House community event 2–4 pm

March 21: Dinner Night Parry's Pizza

March 25: Girls Volleyball open gym (cancelled for spring break)

March 27 – 31: Spring Break NO SCHOOL

April 4: K–4th Awards 2–3 pm

April 5: 5th–8th Awards 2–3 pm

April 7: Staff workday NO SCHOOL

April 8: Volleyball Open Gym 9 am–12 pm

April 13: PTO Meeting 6:30 pm

April 14: Uniform Exchange 2–3 pm

April 18: Dinner Night Chipotle 4–8 pm Citadel Crossing

April 13: Board Meeting 6:30 pm

April 21: Staff Luncheon

April 22: Volleyball Open Gym 9 am–12 pm



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