



PROUDLY SHE WAVES!

Thank you, Jerry West, for donating a new United States of America flag to the Corbett School District! Jerry is a Corbett resident and a veteran. This summer he donated a 6' x 10' flag which is now displayed in front of the middle school where the entire community can enjoy it!

Many thanks Jerry!

NEXT SCHOOL BOARD MEETING



Wednesday, September 18th, at 7 pm in the MPB (multi-purpose building).

Join us!

Board members:

Todd Mickalson, Board Chair
Bob Buttke
David Gorman
Todd Redfern

Cless Woodward, Board Vice-Chair
Katey Kinnear
Michelle Vo

Board Policy Manual: How does the public know about the Corbett School District Board policy? We have an easy to access online policy manual. Please check this link for more information:
<http://policy.osba.org/corbett/index.asp>

Board meetings are held the third Wednesday of each month, except where noted (*), in the Multi-Purpose Building (MPB), stage side, at 7 pm. Everyone is welcome, and each meeting includes time for public comment. This year's schedule of regular board meetings:

October 16
November 20
December 18

January 15
February 19
* March 11 *

April 15
May 20
June 17

PRINCIPAL CHATS

Parents, guardians, interested folks - come for conversation and coffee:

GS: Meet with Mrs. DeeDee Hanes, 8 -9 am, **2nd Thursday** of each month, principal's office.

Gr. 6-7: Meet with Dr. Randy Trani & Mrs. Rhiannon Young, 2:30-3:30 pm, **3rd Thursday** of each month, superintendent's office.

Gr. 8 & 9: Meet with Dr. Phil Pearson & Mrs. Kathy Childress, 8-9 am, **4th Thursday** of each month, principal's office.

Gr. 10-12: Meet with Dr. Phil Pearson & Mrs. Kathy Childress, 8-9 am, **1st Thursday** of each month, principal's office.

CAPS: Meet with Mrs. Lori Luna, 8-9 am, **3rd Thursday** of each month, Ms. Luna's classroom.

ATTENDANCE POLICY REMINDER for 8th-12th GRADES

Students who are absent must have their absence excused by a parent or guardian before noon of the following day. Parents or guardians can email or call Erin Gibbs in the MS/HS office to excuse absences (egibbs@corbett.k12.or.us or 503-261-4226). If students need to leave school early, they must have a note from a parent/guardian in order to get a purple slip from Mrs. Gibbs to leave class. Students who are late to school must check in to the MS/HS office to receive a blue admit slip. Unexcused absences or tardies will result in lunch detention.

FROM the TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT...

Every year the Bus Barn ends up with a barrel of lost items ranging from water bottles to back packs. Most times when a student/athlete loses something on the bus the driver will move it to the front of the bus for the students to claim. It is surprising how many students will walk by their things and not realize it is theirs. If it goes unclaimed it gets brought to the lost and found barrel in the bus barn. If the student/athlete's name is on the item we do our best to get it back to them, but if there is no name then it stays in the barrel until the end of the year. If your student/athlete loses something on the bus it is most likely waiting for them to claim it in the bus barn. Please contact Todd Williams (twilliams@corbett.k12.or.us) or Carrie Evans (cevens@corbett.k12.or.us) if you think your student/athlete lost something on the bus, and we will see if we can find it.

MS FALL OVERNIGHT FIELD TRIP

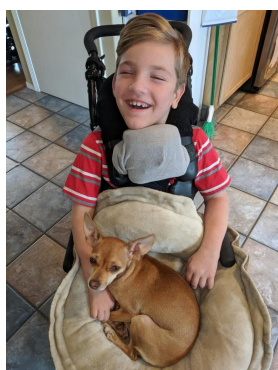
September 25th & 26th *Save the dates!*

Grades 6 and 7 from the main campus will be traveling to Camp Tadmor in Lebanon, Oregon. This will be their fall field trip. Details will be coming soon. If you are interested in being a parent volunteer please contact your students' teacher.

SPARROW CLUB 2019-20 - from Laura Queen

The Corbett School District will once again be partnering with Sparrow Clubs USA to ignite compassion in the hearts of students, and is currently looking for a child with a life altering/threatening medical condition to be their 2019-2020 Sparrow. It would be ideal to have a family that lives within 30-45 minutes from Corbett. If you think you might know of someone who qualifies, please contact Portland Program Director, Laura Queen, via email at LQueen@sparrowclubs.org or call/text 503-740-0615. Applications can also be found on the Sparrow Clubs website <https://www.sparrowclubs.org/>

Sparrow Updates: Nova, our 2018-19 Sparrow, just celebrated her 2nd birthday! All of her scans have come back clear and she is thriving!



Taran, our 2017-18 Sparrow, had a summer with lots of pool time, camping trips, and a VIP visit to Portland International Raceway. He also went to summer camp where he played with kids and made art projects. Taran has a trusty sidekick named Fannypack, his own dog that goes almost everywhere with him, even to the movies! Taran is starting second grade, and continues to work on his eye gaze communication device.

STUDENT PHOTO DAYS

Student photos will be as follows:

Grade School = Wednesday, Sept. 18th

Retake Day = Tuesday, October 22nd

Main Campus Gr. 6-12, Retake Day = Wednesday, October 2nd

CAPS = Tuesday, October 1st

Retake Day = Wednesday, October 30th



2019-20 FREE & REDUCED LUNCH APPLICATIONS

You may complete the form online at <https://www.ode.state.or.us/apps/frlapp/> or stop by any front office to ask for a Free and Reduced Lunch application.

It's most helpful to submit this at the start of the school year, but if your financial situation changes, this form can be submitted at any point in time.



CEF Introduces Student Ambassador

The Corbett Education Foundation (CEF) selects a “Student Ambassador” each year to assist as a liaison between the CEF board of directors and the class members of the current graduating class. Our “Ambassador” works on fundraisers and other tasks, as well as assists with communications between the students and the board. We would like to take a moment to welcome Dominique Schelesser to our organization.

Dominique has been attending classes at Corbett since the 5th grade. Her favorite school subjects are English and Psychology. Future plans for Dominique include furthering her studies in psychology while in college and eventually finding a career in that field.



Currently, Dominique teaches gymnastics to younger students at the Northwest Gymnastics Training Center in Gresham. While she does enjoy gymnastics, Dominique plays varsity softball at Corbett High. She discovered the sport when she was about eight years old and it has remained her favorite sport since then.

A member of the Leadership Team, Dominique says, “One of my goals for the school year is to try to connect with as many people as possible and enjoy my last year of high school.” We look forward to working with Dominique throughout this school year on various projects. Her enthusiasm promises to make for an exciting year for all of us.

PTA NEWS

Please join us Thursday, September 12, 6:30 - 7:30 pm in the Corbett Grade School Longhouse Room for our monthly meeting. If you're new to Corbett or have been here for some time, we welcome you! Please consider becoming a member of the PTA in Corbett.

The Jog-a-thon, PTA's main fundraiser, is tentatively scheduled for the last week of September and the first week of October for the Grade School, CAPs, and Middle School (6/7).

Box Tops for Education is changing to Scanning Receipts when you purchase Box Tops items, clipped Box Tops will still be accepted. See how to scan at: BTFE.com.

Please support "Corbett Elem PTA" when you shop at **Amazon Smile**. Go to: <http://smile.amazon.com/>

SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER CHANGES



Time flies, and it's hard to believe that after five years Deputy Cortada, our school resource officer, has moved to a new assignment within the Sheriff Department's HOPE program (Homeless Outreach & Programs Engagement). We wish him all the best as he assists the homeless on a daily basis to help ensure that their fundamental needs are addressed.

Deputy Cortada was a great asset to staff, students, and parents. His open, friendly manner - but serious talk when needed - brought much comfort to many. Officer Cortada, thank you for everything! We wish you much success in your new assignment. You will be missed!!



We welcome Deputy Joe Kaiser as our new school resource officer for the Corbett School District! He is happy and smiling, but willing to set clear boundaries to help keep kids safe. He has many years in law enforcement, and says that away from the job music is his main passion. He plays the drums, has 10 guitars, 3 violins, and 3 pianos! Deputy Kaiser has been married for 33 years, has 3 kids, and 4 grandkids. We're glad to have you with us, and hope you enjoy your new "beat"!!



STAY CONNECTED ONLINE

- **Subscribe to the Latest News and Monthly e-Newsletter via email:** Self-subscribe from the school website, under the "Useful Links" heading.
- **Visit our FaceBook page at :** <https://www.facebook.com/corbettschools/>
- **Visit the School website at:** www.corbett.k12.or.us
- **Visit our School Community Resources at:** <https://corbett.k12.or.us/corbett-community-resources/>
- **Follow the Visions and Values News Feed at:** <https://corbett.k12.or.us/category/visions-and-values/>
- **Flash Alert:** Receive additional closure and emergency emails and text messages through Flash Alert. There is no cost to recipients for this service and there is an annual opt-in renewal process to keep the database current. To sign up for Flash Alert click on this link and choose Manage Your Messenger Subscription. <https://www.flashalert.net/>

**Purchase at CAPS
Springdale Office**

**Save all year
at local, sustainable
places you love:**

- New offers each month
- Handy reminders for your favorites
- Easy ways to find what's nearby
- Earn rewards with mobile punchcards

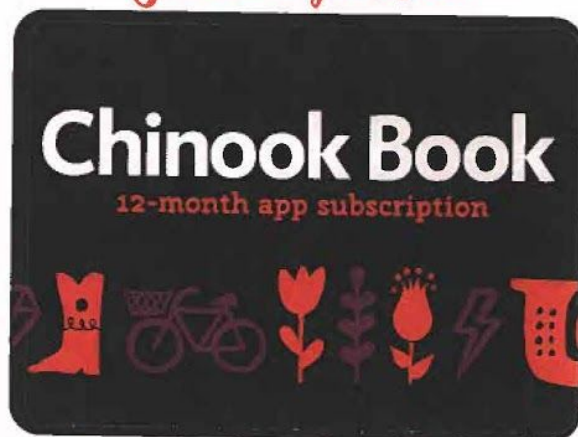


System requirements:
iOS 4.0 and up, Android 4.0.3 and up.
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Apps: \$15

Books: \$25 (includes one app)



Corbett High School Association of Mamas and Papas of Seniors

WHO & WHAT IS CHAMPS?

Next spring the Corbett High School Class of 2020 will walk across the stage at graduation. Then they celebrate! The purpose of CHAMPS is to provide a safe, fun, & sober environment in order to do just that. We are parents of seniors that believe this traditional and memorable “end of high school event” should continue. We work toward this goal the next nine months.

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

1-Come to our next meeting: Thurs, Sept 12th, MPB, 7pm

- Our group is up and running this year, but additional input & help is needed
 - The Party Planning Committee will be formed at this meeting. We need up to 6 parents that like to plan parties. Plus you get to spend the money!
- 2- Donate cans/bottles at Springdale donation site (right behind Liz's Coffee Cabin). This is our largest fundraiser.
- 3- Show up at our events, eat at Gresham Chipotle 5-9pm Sept 24th, Buy a wreath/poinsettia in the fall, etc...
- 4- Join our email list, send an email to bill@tophatmushrooms.com . Bill Lakey is our secretary and he'll sign you up.

Or...

I CAN'T GIVE TIME, CAN I JUST DONATE INSTEAD?

It costs somewhere between \$150-\$200 per student to put on the all-night party. If you are comfortable financially and can make a large donation, we promise we won't bother you again! **We call it an “OPT-OUT” and parents do it every year.** It's simple: Just make a check payable to CORBETT CHAMPS and drop off at school office. Like those credit-card points? This fall on our website we'll have a donation link ready to go.

WEBSITE: <https://sites.google.com/view/champsoregon/home>



Please join Facebook group “CHAMPS” to keep up-to-date

SCHOOL SPIRIT TASTES GREAT



Make dinner a selfless act by joining us for a fundraiser to support Champs Corbett. Come in to the Chipotle at **2065 NE Burnside Road** in Gresham on **Tuesday, September 24th** between **5:00pm** and **9:00pm**. Bring in this flyer, show it on your smartphone or tell the cashier you're supporting the cause to make sure that 33% of the proceeds will be donated to Champs Corbett.



Online orders will not be included in the fundraiser total. To ensure your purchase is counted in the fundraiser, be sure to order and pay in-restaurant. Gift card purchases during fundraisers do not count towards total donated sales, but purchases made with an existing gift card will count.



Corbett Education Foundation

35800 E. Historic Columbia River Highway, Corbett, OR 97019

Help Raise Scholarship Dollars!

It's easy and there's no cost to you.

Visit the website for smile. Amazon.com and/or Fred Meyer Community Rewards, select Corbett Education Foundation as the recipient organization, and shop as you always do. Your benefits are not affected, but CEF will receive dollars funded by these companies. It's a great way to help!



Shop smile. Amazon.com for all your needs and help raise funds for Corbett Education Foundation. By visiting the [smile. Amazon.com](https://smile.amazon.com) website and selecting our foundation, you can direct Amazon to send donations to support our scholarship program and there's no cost to you. Amazon pays based on shopping totals each quarter and you don't pay one single cent. Just shop as you always do via smile. Amazon.com. It only takes a few minutes and once you've set up your selection, the rest is automatically handled by Amazon. Take a few minutes today to get set up before you start shopping for the holi-



Link your Rewards Card to Corbett Education Foundation by accessing the Fred Meyer Community Rewards home page. Whenever you use your Rewards Card when shopping at Freddy's, you will be helping us earn a donation from Fred Meyer. It only takes a few minutes and doesn't cost you anything. Funds sent to CEF are paid by Kroger and you keep all your rewards benefits! It's a great way to help Corbett High School graduates and once our foundation is linked to your card, the rewards are automatically accumulated and paid. It's easy!

SCHOOL POSITIONS AVAILABLE

The following positions are currently available for the 2019-20 school year:

- 6th - 9th Grade Special Education Learning Specialist
- HS Boys/Girls Track Head Coach (Spring 2020)
- Substitute Bus Drivers
- Substitute Custodians

You can apply online at <https://corbett.tedk12.com/hire/Index.aspx>. If you have any questions please call Deputy Clerk Robin Lindeen-Blakeley at 503-261-4211.

CHILD FIND

Public schools will ensure that all students with disabilities who are eligible for kindergarten through 21 years of age, residing within their attendance area, have available to them a free and appropriate public education in the least restrictive environment. The rights of children with disabilities and their parents will be protected in accordance with state and federal laws.

School districts must locate and identify individuals who have disabilities from birth to age 21. If you or someone you know has a child with a disability who may be in need of special education and related services, you can initiate a referral through your local schools. The following is a list of Multnomah County school districts:

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| Centennial School District | 503-760-7990 |
| Corbett School District | 503-261-4235 |
| David Douglas School District | 503-261-8209 |
| Gresham-Barlow School District | 503-261-4650 |
| Parkrose School District | 503-408-2118 |
| Portland School District | 503-916-3152 |
| Reynolds School District | 503-661-7200 |
| Riverdale School District | 503-262-4840 |
| Multnomah Early Childhood Program | 503-261-5535 |

SafeOregon has a goal of keeping all children in Oregon schools safer by having a confidential or anonymous tip line to report safety concerns. This tip line is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, and can be used by students. Go to:

- SafeOregon.com,
- email tip@SafeOregon.com
- download the SafeOregon app, or
- call/text to 844-472-3367.



For more information: SafeOregon Annual Report can be found at:

<https://www.safeoregon.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/07/SafeOregon-2017-2018-Annual-Report-061518-1.pdf>

MENTAL HEALTH & ADDICTION SERVICES



Multnomah County Mental Health Call Center

If you or somebody you know is having trouble functioning, Mental Health and Addiction Services is here to listen. Seek help by calling the Mental Health Call Center at 503-988-4888.

Our team of mental health professionals is prepared to help anyone experiencing mental health issues at any time, in any language.

When you call the Call Center at 503-988-4888, you get:

- Free, 24/7 mental health support
- Interpretation services for non-English speakers
- Referral to low-cost or sliding-scale agencies
- Help finding mental health providers
- Information about non-crisis community resources

Urgent Walk-In Clinic

Need to meet face to face? Stop by our Urgent Walk-In Clinic. The clinic can help anyone experiencing a mental health crisis at no cost.

- Receive immediate care during a mental health crisis
- Speak to a psychiatrist or a mental health nurse practitioner
- Get help with medication and treatment

Location: 4212 SE Division St, Portland
Hours: 7 am - 10:30 pm, seven days a week

Ways To Help Support Our Schools

It's Easy! It's Free! It's Powerful!

Box Tops for Education / Campbell's Labels for Education

Corbett Grade School and CAPS both collect these labels that we are then able to redeem for .10 cents each. Simply clip the label off participating products and send them to school with your child!

Fred Meyer Community Rewards

Sign up for the Community Rewards program by linking your Fred Meyers Rewards card to the Corbett School District.

1. Go to www.fredmeyer.com/signin
2. Once you have created an account and sign in you can follow the instructions
3. Our school name is Corbett School, school number is 89862

Escrip

Local eScrip merchants will contribute up to 8% of the purchases you make to our schools.

1. Go to www.escrip.com
2. Go to the boxed area that says "Make a Difference" and click on "Sign Up"
3. Follow the directions and choose your school (Corbett Grade School, CAPS, Middle School or High School)

Amazon Smile

Amazon will contribute .5% of all qualifying purchases to the Corbett PTA. Simply start by shopping at www.smile.amazon.com instead of the regular amazon website and select Corbett PTA as your charity of choice.

Office Depot "Give Back to Schools Program"

The Corbett School District can earn credits equal to 5% of your qualifying purchases to use for FREE supplies. When checking out at the register simply say "I'd like to donate my 5% to.. Corbett Grade School, Middle School, or High School" and the cashier will take it from there!



Corbett School District #39 Asbestos Policy

As a result of federal legislation (Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act – AHERA), each primary and secondary school in the nation is required to complete a stringent inspection for asbestos and to develop a plan of management for all asbestos containing building materials. Corbett School District #39 has a goal to be in full compliance with this law and is following the spirit, as well as, the letter of the law. As a matter of policy, the district shall continue to maintain a safe and healthful environment for our community's youth and employees.

In keeping with this legislation, all buildings (including portables and support buildings) owned or leased by Corbett School District #39 were inspected by EPA accredited inspectors and samples were analyzed by an independent laboratory. Based on the inspection, the district prepared and the state approved a comprehensive management plan for the safe and responsible handling of asbestos within its buildings.

This past year, Corbett School District #39 conducted the following with respect to its asbestos containing building materials:

- Continued periodic surveillance by Corbett School District #39 Maintenance Department
- Removal of asbestos from sections of the High School Gym building and Weight Room

Federal law requires a periodic walk-through (called “surveillance”) every six months of each area containing asbestos. In addition, the law requires for all buildings to be re-inspected three years after a management plan is in effect. Institute for Environmental Assessment will accomplish this under contract. Areas where management issues are noted during inspections and surveillance have been and will continue to be dealt with promptly.

Short-term workers (outside contractors – i.e., telephone repair workers, electricians, and exterminators) must be provided information regarding the location of asbestos in which they may come into contact. All short-term workers shall contact the lead maintenance person before commencing work to be given this information.

Corbett School District #39 has a list of the location(s), type(s) of asbestos containing materials found in that school building and a description and time-table for their proper management. A copy of the Asbestos Management Plan is available for review in the Maintenance Office. Copies are available at 25 cents per page. Questions related to the plan should be directed to Steve Salisbury, Supervisor of Maintenance, at 503-261-4213.

CSD Healthy and Safe Schools Plan

Per the Oregon Department of Education, each school district must develop a Healthy and Safe Schools Plan for all buildings owned or leased by the school district where students and staff are present on a regular basis. We are happy to share our plan with the community. It can be found on the school website at:

<https://corbett.k12.or.us/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/Corbett-2019-Final-HASS.pdf>

Printed copies can also be obtained in the district office.

Notification of Rights under FERPA

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) affords parents and students who are 18 years of age or older certain rights with respect to the student's education records:

- The right to inspect and review the student's education records maintained by the school;
- The right to request that a school amend the student's education records;
- The right to consent in writing to the disclosure of personally identifiable information from the student's education record, except under certain permitted situation; and
- The right to file a complaint with the Family Policy Compliance Office (FPCO) regarding an alleged violation under FERPA.

Corbett School District's full text notification can be found at:

http://policy.osba.org/corbett/I/IGBAB_JO%20R%20G1.PDF

Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972

As a recipient of Federal financial assistance there are procedural requirements, pertaining to Sexual Harassment and Sexual Violence, as well as protections for employees and students as follows:

The Corbett School District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, or age in its programs and activities and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups.¹ The following person has been designated to handle inquiries regarding the non-discrimination policies as Title IX Coordinator:

Robin Lindeen-Blakeley, Deputy Clerk
35800 E Historic Columbia River Highway, Corbett OR 97019
rlindeen@corbett.k12.or.us
503-261-4211

School Policies: GBA, JB, AC, GBN/JBA and JBA/GBN can be found at <http://policy.osba.org/corbett/index.asp>. Click on "Policy Search" and enter the policy letters you are looking for.

For further information on notice of non-discrimination, visit <http://wdcrobcolp01.ed.gov/CFAPPS/OCR/contactus.cfm> for the address and phone number of the office that serves your area, or call 1-800-421-3481.

¹ Only public elementary or secondary schools or local or state educational agencies that receive funds made available through the Department of Education should include the words "and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups."

Notification of Rights Under the Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment (PPRA)

PPRA affords parents certain rights regarding our conduct of surveys, collection and use of information for marketing purposes, and certain physical exams. These include the right to: Consent before students are required to submit to a survey that concerns one or more of the following protected areas ("protected information survey") if the survey is funded in whole or in part by a program of the U.S. Department of Education (ED)-

1. Political affiliations or beliefs of the student or student's parent;
2. Mental or psychological problems of the student or student's family;
3. Sex behavior or attitudes;
4. Illegal, anti-social, self-incriminating, or demeaning behavior;
5. Critical appraisals of others with whom respondents have close family relationships;
6. Legally recognized privileged relationships, such as with lawyers, doctors, or ministers;
7. Religious practices, affiliations, or beliefs of the student or parents; or
8. Income, other than as required by law to determine program eligibility.

Receive notice and an opportunity to opt a student out of -

1. Any other protected information survey, regardless of funding;
2. Any non-emergency, invasive physical exam or screening required as a condition of attendance, administered by the school or its agent, and not necessary to protect the immediate health and safety of a student, except for hearing, vision, or scoliosis screenings, or any physical exam or screening permitted or required under State law; and
3. Activities involving collection, disclosure, or use of personal information obtained from students for marketing or to sell or otherwise distribute the information to others.

Inspect, upon request and before administration or use -

1. Protected information surveys of students;
2. Instruments used to collect personal information from students for any of the above marketing, sales, or other distribution purposes; and
3. Instructional material used as part of the educational curriculum.

These rights transfer from the parents to a student who is 18 years old or an emancipated minor under State law.

INFORMATION FOR PARENTS



IF YOUR FAMILY LIVES IN ANY OF THE FOLLOWING SITUATIONS:

In a shelter

In a motel or campground due to the lack of an alternative adequate accommodation

In a car, park, abandoned building, or bus or train station

Doubled up with other people due to loss of housing or economic hardship

Your school-age children may qualify for certain rights and protections under the federal McKinney-Vento Act.

Your eligible children have the right to:

- Receive a free, appropriate public education.
- Enroll in school immediately, even if lacking documents normally required for enrollment.
- Enroll in school and attend classes while the school gathers needed documents.
- Enroll in the local school; or continue attending their school of origin (the school they attended when permanently housed or the school in which they were last enrolled), if that is your preference and is feasible.
 - * If the school district believes that the school you select is not in the best interest of your children, then the district must provide you with a written explanation of its position and inform you of your right to appeal its decision.
- Receive transportation to and from the school of origin, if you request this.
- Receive educational services comparable to those provided to other students, according to your children's needs.

If you believe your children may be eligible, contact the local liaison to find out what services and supports may be available. There also may be supports available for your preschool-age children.



Local Liaison

Seanne Swift

State Coordinator

Dona Bolt

If you need further assistance with your children's educational needs,
contact the National Center for Homeless Education:

1-800-308-2145 * homeless@serve.org * www.serve.org/nche