



Welcome Back!!!

Dates to remember:

Community Open House - Thursday, Aug. 26

First Day of School - Monday, Aug. 30

Labor Day - No school, Sept. 6th

Friday School (to make up for Labor Day) - Friday, Sept. 10



REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

Wednesday, September 15, 7 pm

To join the Zoom meeting: The meeting agenda containing the Zoom link will be posted when ready here: <https://meetings.boardbook.org/Public/Organization/1554>

The agenda will also provide instructions for public comments.

Board Policy Manual: How does the public know about Corbett School District Board policies? We have an easy to access online policy manual. Please check this link for more information:

<http://policy.osba.org/corbett/index.asp>

2021-22 School Board Members: Michelle Vo - Board Chair; Todd Mickalson- Board Vice Chair
Bob Buttke, Katey Kinnear, Todd Redfern, Rebecca Bratton, David Grandberg.
Student Representative - To be chosen.

Regular board meetings are held the third Wednesday of each month, except where noted (*), at 7 pm. Everyone is welcome, and each meeting includes time for public comment. This year's schedule:

September 15	October 20	November 17	December 15	January 19
February 16	*March 9*	April 20	May 18	June 15

CHANGES to the SCHOOL BOARD

We would like to welcome David Granberg as the newest member of the Corbett School District Board of Directors. David was elected in May 2021 to fill Position #4. His term runs through June 2025.

We would like to thank outgoing school board member David Gorman for his years of dedicated service to our students, staff, and community. David served on the school board for eight years, beginning in 2013, and prior to that was a member of the Budget Committee and the Old Schools Task Force. David's hard work and commitment to the Corbett School District and community will be remembered and is very much appreciated!

Thank you, David Gorman!!

FROM INTERIM SUPERINTENDENT DAN WOLD...

We are excited to be starting school in-person, full-day, and four days a week! When we conducted a community Thought Exchange this summer, this was by far the strongest desire, and here we are! Safety of staff, students, and visitors has been, and will continue to be, a top priority, and we have several protocols in place in that regard. Our complete [Resiliency Framework can be found on our website](#), and some key items are listed below.



In order for us to remain open to in-person instruction, we need to prevent outbreaks of the pandemic. The two keys to doing this appear to be staying home when ill and following safety protocols (face coverings indoors and on buses, distancing to the extent practical, frequent hand washing). We did very well in these regards last spring when we were open to Hybrid instruction; let's keep it up!

Per Governor Brown's mandate, all students, staff, and visitors must wear appropriate face covering when inside our schools and on our buses. Some exceptions include eating or drinking, extreme physical activity, when actively practicing or competing in athletics, when playing a musical instrument by mouth, and or delivering a lengthy speech. Also, staff members alone in their classrooms or offices are not required to mask.

Outdoors, face coverings are not required for any activity, though still encouraged, especially for spectators at sporting events. There are no limitations on group sizes, just the requirement to "maintain physical distancing to the extent possible." Go Cards!

Our Board of Directors has resolved that we will not put the district at financial risk nor our staff at risk of losing their licenses by defying mandates lawfully issued. I have been working diligently to keep politics out of our schools and stay focused on academic and wellness standards; I hope I have your cooperation in that.

CAPS & MAIN CAMPUS MIDDLE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL, MRS. GOODLOOMIS!



I am thrilled to be joining the Corbett community. More than 10 years ago I left a career in performing arts because I wanted to ensure all kids - no matter their barriers - had access to learning that was relevant to their lives and enabled them to think critically, creatively, and persistently in community with one another. I am a mom, and these are skills I want for my own children. During the last school year, I, along with so many other parents, struggled to support the education of my kids at home during distance learning. When I think about the future I know that my children (and all of our children) will face problems that require not only academic competence, but also creativity, innovation, collaboration, and persistence. These skills and values are clearly areas of strength in Corbett schools. Not every district can boast a model that includes multi-age classrooms, interdisciplinary thematic units, and continuous progress for learning! I look forward to working alongside you as we continue the tradition of innovation and collaboration that shape Corbett schools.

As school principal, I strive to be an adaptive servant leader who prioritizes processes that promote collaboration, access, inclusion, and empathy. I've spent years studying and practicing arts integration and multi-disciplinary education. I've taught both kindergarten and high school, and (partially because both of my parents were teachers) I am passionate about supporting people who come to work every day because they love kids and want to provide a safe, joyful, and affirming place for them to learn. I am excited to hear from you about what you love and know to be true about your children and our schools. Trust is a journey, and I look forward to earning yours as we support and celebrate the learning of our kids together.

COMMUNITY BACK TO SCHOOL CELEBRATION!

August 26th, Thursday, 4:30 - 7:30 PM
Corbett School Main Campus & CAPS Campus

Come to the *Community Back to School Celebration* and enjoy ice cream, visit community information tables, and enjoy visiting your school, classrooms, and teachers. Information specific to each building will come from the principals. All current COVID precautions will be observed.

We look forward to a great school year and to seeing all of you!

SITE COUNCIL ZOOM MEETING

Monday, September 13, at 5pm

Once available, the meeting link and agenda will be posted at:

<https://meetings.boardbook.org/Public/Organization/1554>

Public questions and comments can be entered using the chat function during the meeting, or can be emailed no later than Thursday, September 9, at 5 pm to Debbie Schneider at:

dschneider@corbett.k12.or.us.

The Site Council is charged with the following responsibilities according to the Oregon Education Act for the 21st Century:

- The development of plans to improve the professional growth of the school's staff;
- The improvement of the school's instructional program;
- The development and coordination of plans for the implementation of programs under this chapter at the school;
- The administration of grants-in-aid for the professional development of teachers and classified district employees.

The Site Council's recommendations shall not interfere with the duties, responsibilities, and rights of a duly elected school district board.

CROSS COUNTRY BEGINS!



The high school Cross Country season is under way and it's looking to be great!

We're hoping to build on our recent successes which have seen our women's team qualify for the State XC race for the past two years and our men's team set a slew of personal records. All-League runners Olivia McGrew and Jackson Minsker return along with seniors Gali Rios-Shulz, Diego Lovato, Sawyer Bowman, Arrie Yang, Lance Cooley and Elie Pearson.

We're excited to resume "normal" Cross Country running which means a return to Ultimook on September 4th (one of the highlights of our XC season) and a full slate of races throughout the season. You can find our race schedule, results and pictures at

<https://www.athletic.net/CrossCountry/School.aspx?SchoolID=75>.

Even though our season is already under way, it's not too late to join. If you're interested in running with us, please contact Coach Paul (prondema@corbett.k12.or.us).





CORBETT GRADE SCHOOL NEWS

The Corbett Grade School Staff is excited to welcome students in grades K-5 back on campus for full days and times. Our teachers and staff have been busy all summer preparing for our upcoming year. **Our first day of school for students is Monday, Aug. 30, and is a full day.**

Corbett Grade School	School Begins	School Ends
Grades K/1	8:00am	3:35pm
Grades 2/3	7:55am	3:35pm
Grades 4/5	7:55am	3:40pm

School Day Routines:

- Students will continue to access their classrooms from their outside doors, when possible. Using these access points allows for fewer students in our hallways.
- Classes are encouraged to work outside when possible.
- We added some tables and benches outside, and we plan to add a few canopy areas to provide shade. Donations of outdoor tables and canopies are welcomed.
- Snacks and lunches will return to the school cafeteria instead of classrooms. Each classroom will be assigned tables in the cafeteria to help with cohorts.
- PE will be encouraged to be outside, as long as weather permits.
- At this time, classroom volunteers will be limited. We are able to provide field trips, but volunteers will be encouraged to drive in their own vehicles to the location.

Health Screenings and Protocols:

- We will no longer be screening students upon arrival.
- Please keep your children home when they are ill, especially with a fever, shortness of breath, or loss of taste or smell.
- We will monitor students for signs of illness throughout the school day.
- We will also continue to work with Multnomah Education Service District (MESD) and Multnomah County Health Authority to keep risk of COVID-19 exposure low.
- Masks are required while indoors, due to the State of Oregon mandate.
- Masks are encouraged, but not required outdoors.
- Students and staff will maintain 3ft physical distancing, when possible.

JOIN US FOR BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT

Thursday, August 26

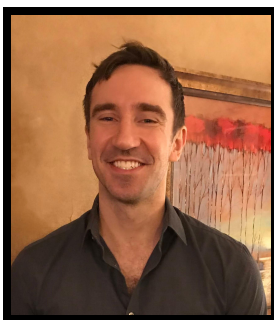
4:30pm-7:30pm

Teachers will be available to visit at this time.

You will also be able to visit your child's classroom.



New Grade School Staff Members:



We are excited to welcome our new 4/5 team member, Jeff Bunte. Mr. Bunte is an avid reader, loves the outdoors, and studying history. He has a background in business and is excited to begin his teaching career at Corbett Grade School. He has been busy this summer preparing his classroom and working with his amazing 4/5 team members.

Corbett Grade School is also pleased to announce that Summer Bell-Watkins will be back on staff for the 2021-22 school year. Mrs. Bell-Watkins will serve as

our new Intervention Specialist for both the grade school and middle school. Mrs. Bell-Watkins is looking forward to being back full time and meeting with students and families.



Corbett Grade School 2021-22 Supply List



- Backpack
- Refillable Water Bottle

Please label with your child's name

Donations accepted for:

24 pack of Crayola Crayons
Fine Tip Dry Erase Expo Markers
8 or 10 Fine Point Classic Color Crayola Markers (washable)
8 or 10 Classic Color Broadline Crayola Markers (washable)
12 Crayola Colored Pencils
Glue Sticks
Prang Watercolors Set of 8
Watercolor Paper

Donations may be dropped off in bins located at the
Grade School Front Entrance
Or

August 26, 2021 Back to School Night 4:30pm-7:30pm

You should have received a welcome letter from your child's classroom teacher or will be receiving one soon!

Finally, I am deeply grateful to our teachers and staff members for their service last school year. I look forward to the 2021-2022 school year as a time filled with promise, joyful learning, growth, and gratitude.

With deep appreciation,
Michelle Dawkins
Corbett Grade School Principal

CAPS SCHOOL 2021-22 SUPPLY LIST

CAPS K-5 Supply List:

1. Composition notebooks
2. Spiral notebooks
3. Glue sticks
4. Fine tip markers
5. Glue All bottled glue
6. Colored pencils
7. Pencils (Dixon Ticonderoga preferred)
8. Crayons



CAPS 6-8 Supply List:

As students transition to middle school, there is not a specific supply list to start the school with. Teachers will update you throughout the year when they could use specific items in the classroom. In general, help your child begin to think about how they might want to organize their learning in middle school. Ask them about where they would like to store and organize their work. Ask them how they might think about keeping track of assignments. Ask them how they might want to take notes and organize their ideas. They will be supported in gaining independence in these habits and areas by their teachers, but it's always a good conversation to start having at home.

STUDENT PHOTO DAYS

Grade School = Wednesday, Sept. 29th

Retake Day = Tuesday, Nov. 9th

Main Campus Gr. 6-12, Wednesday, Sept. 1st

Retake Day = Monday, October 18th

CAPS = Wednesday, Sept. 29

Retake Day = Wednesday, November 10th



OFFICE CONTACTS:

For absences, please call or email the appropriate office first thing in the morning:

GS: Mrs. Carrie Evans, 503-261-4236, cevens@corbett.k12.or.us

MS/HS: Mrs. Erin Gibbs, 503-261-4226 or egibbs@corbett.k12.or.us

CAPS: Mrs. Nancy Gyerko, 503-261-4294 or ngyerko@corbett.k12.or.us

Leaving early? Come to the GS, MS/HS, or CAPS office to sign your student out.

CORBETT HIGH SCHOOL 8/9 ACADEMY NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION



*Teacher
meet & greet!*

*Campus
tours!*

*Free Corbett
SWAG!*

Raffle prizes!

**THURSDAY
AUGUST 26TH
9:00 AM – NOON**

- Check in begins at 8:30 AM
- Parents & Guardians Welcome
- Questions? Email Ms. Rad jradulesk@corbett.k12.or.us

Join us before the school year begins for an interactive orientation to the Corbett 8/9 Academy! Students will activate their StudentVue accounts, review their schedules, receive school binders, and more!

**WE LOOK
FORWARD TO
MEETING YOU!**

lunch will be provided

8/9 ACADEMY & HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT NEWS

We are excited to welcome you back! We will be on campus, all day, all week. We will be masked at all times while indoors. Passing periods will take place using interior and exterior doors. More information about district health and safety plans for the fall can be found [here](#).

Schedules are basically done. **To check your schedule, log into StudentVUE.** Students please, please confirm that you are enrolled in math, science, social studies, and English. We have done our best, and we appreciate your help to double check our work.

We are still in the process of adjusting the sequence of your courses as staffing and course sizes fluctuate; be on the lookout for changes in the order of your classes. As always, we cannot honor sequence-related schedule change requests. **Please note: the following classes are completely full and cannot accept any students that are not currently enrolled.**

- Woodworking
- 8/9 Engineering
- 11/12 Engineering
- Culinary Arts
- Weight Training (at all levels)
- Yoga (at all levels)
- Materials and manufacturing
- Walking for fitness (8th period)

This year marks our transition to an 8 period block schedule. The days/times are below.

	Monday/Wednesday	Tuesday/Thursday
7:55-9:27	Period 1	Period 5
9:27-9:32	Passing time	Passing time
9:32-10:17	Homeroom, snack	Homeroom, snack
10:17-10:22	Passing time	Passing time
10:22-11:54	Period 2	Period 6
11:54-12:34	Lunch	Lunch
12:34-2:06	Period 3	Period 7
2:06-2:11	Passing time	Passing time
2:11-3:43	Period 4	Period 8

We have returned to a **forty minute lunch period** in the high school! Students will need to be masked during all lunch-related transitions, including getting school lunch and accessing the salad bar, but can be unmasked while sitting and eating. Students are asked to try to eat with a stable group of people daily to make contact tracing easier. Both sides of the cafeteria will be open; the grade school side is reserved for 8/9 students to eat. All students are welcome to eat on the MPB side. School lunch will be provided all year, free of charge, to all students.

After last year's experience with CDL, we are now a 1:1 school, which means all students are expected to have a Chromebook or laptop and bring that device (and its charger) to school daily. If you need to check out a Chromebook, we will have **Chromebooks available for check out from 9-11 am on Wednesday, August 25th in the Corbett Grade School Longhouse.**

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8/9 ACADEMY & HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT NEWS, *continued...*

This year, all students will be assigned to a homeroom, which will meet for 45 minutes daily. Students will have the same homeroom teacher and class as they move up through the grades. This time will be used for connection, journaling, independent reading, college and career readiness, and student clubs.

Fall sports have started! If you are interested in cross country, soccer, volleyball, or football, all information is available [here](#).

If you need help with _____, contact:

- 8/9 scheduling: Radulesk jradulesk@corbett.k12.or.us
- 10/11/12 scheduling: Duprey cduprey@corbett.k12.or.us
- StudentVUE login assistance, email help, Chromebook check out: Chris Wingler cwingler@corbett.k12.or.us
- Transcripts: Gibbs egibbs@corbett.k12.or.us
- College applications, counselling services: Helen hleedom@corbett.k12.or.us

We are excited to welcome several new staff members and new staff roles.

- Mr. Budge - Band, Choir, and Activity Director. Mr. Budge has experience at Gresham HS and Grant HS, and is a long-time East County resident.
- Ms. Bassell - Stats and Geometry teacher. Ms. Bassell is joining us from Washington DC, and she has an 80% success rate in rock, paper, scissors.
- Mr. Groh - 8/9 AP Literature and Writing Labs. New to Corbett School District and he's excited to be here!
- Mr. Wallace - 8/9 English, 10th English. New to the building, but not to the district. He has taught in the grade school and is always willing to talk about the Blazers.
- Ms. Spanjer- AP US History. She previously taught at LaSalle and is a proud Corbett High School graduate and a long-time Corbett resident. She has an identical twin sister that is also a history teacher.
- Ms. Hanefeld - Math student teacher and Math Intervention Educational Aide. She is a Gresham HS grad, and is currently finishing up her teaching certificate at Western Oregon. She will be with us all year to provide extra math support for students.
- Ms. Mabbott - Educational Aide. She will provide extra support and intervention for students in grades 10-12.
- Mrs. Davis - Longtime Corbett teacher and parent, Mrs. Davis has moved into an exciting new role as our district Athletic Director!

Students and families are invited to join us for the first principal chat of the year on Monday, 8/23/21 at 6:30 pm via [this Zoom link](#).

Back to School Night is Thursday, 8/26, from 4:30-7:30 pm. Ice cream sandwiches will be served. 8/9 Academy and High School families and students are invited to a short meeting in the stadium at 6 p.m. We will also offer a [Back to School Night via Zoom](#) at 6:30 pm, followed by the first senior meeting of the year at 7 pm (same Zoom link as Back to School Night). Helen, our counselor, will give students and families a first look at the college application process during senior year. Although the 7 pm meeting will focus on seniors, all families and students are welcome.

Students in grades 8-12 are expected to have pens and pencils as well as notebook paper at all times. All students need a Chromebook and charger at all times (checked out from school) or a personal laptop. Students need an appropriate calculator for their math class. In Geometry or below, a scientific calendar is needed, while Precalculus and above requires a graphing calculator. 8/9 students will be provided with a binder. Lockers will not be available this year; students should have a backpack or bag to carry materials.

SCHOOL STAFF CHANGES

CAPS & Middle School Principal: Rachel Goodloomis, rgoodloomis@corbett.k12.or.us

CAPS (K-8) Learning Specialist: Meredith Griffith, mgriffith@corbett.k12.or.us

Grade School 4/5 Classroom Teacher: Jeff Bunte, jbunte@corbett.k12.or.us

Gr. 6 - 12 Band Teacher: Nick Budge, nbudge@corbett.k12.or.us

Grade & Middle School Interventional Specialist: Summer Bell-Watkins, sbellwatkins@corbett.k12.or.us

8/9 AP Literature & Writing Lab: Devon Groh, dgroh@corbett.k12.or.us

8/9 & 10th Grade English Teacher: Sam Wallace, swallace@corbett.k12.or.us

High School Stats & Geometry Teacher: Rachel Bassell, rbassell@corbett.k12.or.us

High School U.S. History Teacher: Mallory Spanjer, mspanjer@corbett.k12.or.us

High School Math Intervention Aide: Sophie Hanefeld, shanefeld@corbett.k12.or.us

K-12 ELD Specialist: Melissa Davis, mdavis@corbett.k12.or.us

Corbett School District Athletic Director: Angela Davis, adavis@corbett.k12.or.us

MIDDLE SCHOOLERS TAKE a HIKE!

By Lucas Houck



As part of the middle school's summer enrichment program, a few dozen students signed up for two different day hikes. It was a great chance to make some new friends, try out some fancy art supplies, and stretch our legs a bit. While walking, we completed scavenger hunts, identified and discussed many different plants and animals, and learned a lot about the natural and human history of the Columbia River Gorge.

The first day began with the 'balloon on a string' hike to Wahclella Falls, then a trek up a section of the old historic highway, and ended with a walk around Thunder Island in Cascade Locks. After lunch, a rogue soccer ball appeared, and just had to be kicked around for a while. Then we regained all the calories we had burned on our hike by eating ice cream cones the size of our own heads.

The second trip was centered around Multnomah Falls. We traveled the trail from the lodge all the way to Weisendanger Falls, and then came back down the same way. This trip featured a partnered art activity, a Native American myth, the avoidance of poison oak, and the inevitable moment when a 13-year-old boy falls in the creek and completely soaks his hiking clothes.

Thanks to everyone who came on the hikes this summer! I'm still finding pioneer bedstraws stuck to my clothes...



SCHOOL POSITIONS AVAILABLE

The following positions are currently available for the 2021-22 school year:

- .5 FTE Head Cook
- .83 FTE Educational Assistant Secondary
- .85 FTE Special Education Assistant I
- 1.0 FTE 6th-12th Learning Specialist 2021-22
- 1.0 FTE AP U.S. History/AP Literature Teacher 2021-22 Temporary
- High School Assistant Varsity Football Coaches Fall 2021
- Substitute Bus Drivers



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.

BE PART of the CORBETT BOOSTERS TEAM!

As sports are revving back into action, we'd like to invite interested community members to join our team! The Corbett Boosters Board of Directors is looking to fill the roles of president, vice-president, treasurer, and secretary. Other positions are available as well.

If you are interested, please email
Christie Dillard at cdillard@corbett.k12.or.us or
Angela Davis at adavis@corbett.k12.or.us.



Go Cards!



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YEARBOOKS & ACTIVITY CARDS ON SALE NOW!

- Gr. 8 - 12 main campus yearbook = \$37.00
- Gr. 8 - 12 main campus activity card = \$40.00
- Gr. 6 - 7 main campus activity card = \$30.00

Activity cards provide students with free admission to all home high school athletic events, and their fees help support Middle School / 8-9 Academy / High School sponsored activities in general.

They can be purchased online via credit card with your MealTime account (5% fee incurred), or with Mrs. Gibbs via cash or check in the MS/HS office.

NO LUNCH FEES THIS SCHOOL YEAR

Due to COVID-19, the USDA has released a number of waivers effective for the entire 2021-22 school year. In the [COVID-19: Child Nutrition Response #86](#), the USDA Food & Nutrition Service is allowing Seamless Summer Option (SSO) operations to continue when school is open during the regular school year, effective July 1, 2021, through June 30, 2022.

The Corbett School District will participate in the Seamless Summer Option (SSO) meal program this school year. SSO combines features of the National School Lunch Program (NSLP), the School Breakfast Program (SBP), and the Summer Food Service Program (SFSP). Traditionally, Seamless Summer Option is restricted to summer vacation periods and, for year-round schools, long school vacation periods for eligible school sites. NSLP meal patterns, program requirements, and reimbursement rates are followed.

This means the Corbett School District will serve meals free of charge to all children, age 18 years and under. All reimbursable meals served to eligible children are claimed at the free reimbursement rate.

**FREE &
REDUCED
LUNCH
APPLICATION**



As a result, for student meals there is no need to complete a Free & Reduced Lunch application. However, we encourage families to still complete an application. Approval of an application provides extra benefits: students can qualify for reduced rates for other district programs (such as playing sports) as well as reduced fees for other programs in the community (you may need to provide a copy of your award letter to these programs to qualify for discounts).

The school district receives additional federal funding based on how many students have applied and qualified for free and reduced meals—so if you fill out a form and qualify, you are helping both your family and your school!

How does a family qualify? If your household income is at or below the listed guidelines, or if your family receives food stamps, TANF, or FDPIR, you qualify! You can qualify for the program even if your situation is short-term, such as a temporary layoff.

[Click here to view the current year Income Eligibility Guidelines for the 2021-2022 School Year.](#)

How does a family apply? The online application is the quickest way for your family to be approved for free meals, so it is recommended. If your income or family size changes at any time during the school year, you may apply or reapply at that time. You can even reapply if you were already qualified for reduced-price meals and a change in your family's situation makes you eligible for free meals. A new application (one per household) must be completed each school year to qualify for free or reduced-price lunches.

[Click here to complete the Federal online application.](#)

[Click here to complete Oregon's online Household Application for Free & Reduced Meals.](#)

This program is open to all - discrimination is prohibited.

News From the Nest

Corbett Cardinal Athletics Update!

Cardinal WINS:

- Great camp turnouts!
- First week of fall sports is wrapping up. It has been great seeing kids of all ages on campus!
- Coaches & Student-Athletes are energized and looking forward to their seasons!

What's Important Next:

- Get involved in your specific program- each sport has their own needs for their season.
- Look for opportunities to serve in our Booster Club- concessions, merchandising, & memberships are just a few examples. More information coming soon!

Covid Update:

- Masks are required when inside! This includes the gym building/locker rooms/Weight room. Please do your part to help control the spread of COVID.
- Indoor athletes are allowed to remove their masks only when they are involved in competition & drills on the court.





- **Subscribe to the Latest News and Monthly e-Newsletter via email:**

Self-subscribe from the school website, under the “Useful Links” heading or https://feedburner.google.com/fb/a/mailverify?uri=LatestNewsCorbettSchoolDistrict&loc=en_US

- **Visit our FaceBook page at :** <https://www.facebook.com/corbettsschools/>
- **Visit the School website at:** www.corbett.k12.or.us
- **Visit the Student Services web page at:** <https://corbett.k12.or.us/schools/student-services/special-education/>
- **Visit the Corbett Mental Health & Behavior Support website at:** <https://sites.google.com/mesd.k12.or.us/corbett-mhbs/home>
- **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/>

SCHOOL COUNSELING SERVICES

For questions about access to resources at Corbett School District, please call Student Services at (503) 261-4235.

School Psychologist:

Dawn Becker – dbecker@mesd.k12.or.us, 971-238-1815

Counselor CAPS & Middle School (K-8):

Vanessa Knight – vknight@corbett.k12.or.us, 503-261-4241

Counselor Main Campus (8-12):

Helen Leedom – hleedom@mesd.k12.or.us, 971-236-2754

Grade School Counselor & Behavior Consultant:

Anna McNeely – amcneely@mesd.k12.or.us, 503-750-7281



WELCOME BACK CARDINALS!

- Please join the PTA this year! You can do so by filling out a physical form that is found in the Grade School front office. You can also go directly to [Oregon PTA](#) and complete the form to make a payment. If you choose this option please make sure you select CORBETT ELM PTA (CORBETT) under the local unit. The third option is to email corbettcardinalspta@gmail.com and we will send you a Google form.
- The PTA has been busy this summer coordinating with the grade school to purchase and help spread some new ground cover to make the campus beautiful and inviting. The PTA also purchased some new chairs for the Grade School for the lobby and the teacher's lounge. The chairs that are being replaced lasted 25 years!!
- Please follow the PTA on Facebook: [Corbett PTA | Facebook](#) this is where we post about upcoming meetings, volunteer opportunities, and other fun activities happening.
- Support the Corbett at Amazon: smile.amazon.com and select "Corbett Elem PTA".



DIVERSE VOICES, EVENTS, & ACHIEVEMENTS



2021 Tokyo Olympics: [Allyson Felix](#) cemented her place as the greatest American track and field athlete of all time. The 35 year old track star won her 11th Olympic medal, surpassing the American record of 10 medals in track and field set by Carl Lewis in 1996.

Allyson began competing in track and field as a freshman in high school. She is part of Project Believe, a voluntary drug-testing program which goes beyond the normal drug-testing requirements to protect clean athletes. She is also a Right to Play ambassador, and

has traveled with the organization to Lebanon and Palestine, witnessing first-hand how play inspires children to improve their lives and communities.

August 26: [Women's Equality Day](#), which commemorates the August 26, 1920, certification of the 19th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution that gave women the right to vote. Congresswoman Bella Abzug first introduced a proclamation for Women's Equality Day in 1971. Since that time, every president has published a proclamation recognizing August 26 as Women's Equality Day.



September 15 to October 15 is [Hispanic Heritage Month](#). This month corresponds with Mexican Independence Day, which is celebrated on September 16, and recognizes the revolution in 1810 that ended Spanish dictatorship. While Hispanic children learn about their roots this month, all kids can benefit by learning about Spanish history and culture.



September 17-23 is [Constitution Week](#) - *We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness.* — Declaration of Independence, 1776

Yet at the time these words were written, more than 500,000 black men, women, and children were slaves, accounting for about one-fifth of the population in the American colonies. Most of them lived in the Southern colonies, where slaves made up 40 percent of the population. The Constitution was ratified on September 17, 1787, but slavery was not abolished under the Constitution until the passage of the 13th amendment on January 31, 1865 - 78 years later.



The purpose of Constitution Week is to promote study and education of the [U.S. Constitution](#).

August - September back to school months are a time to learn about "[Freedmen's Schools](#)", which educated African American girls and boys as well as adults. They were established as early as 1863 in areas occupied by the U.S. Army. As freedom spread across the South after the Civil War, demand for formal education quickly grew. Newly freed people began building their own community schools with teachers and supplies provided in part by the Freedmen's Bureau.



ATTENTION PARENTS OF THE CLASS OF 2022!

GOT CANS?!?
DROP OFF YOUR CANS & BOTTLES TO THE
CONTAINER BEHIND LIZ'S COFFEE CABIN.

GOT TOYS?!?
DROP OFF YOUR TOYS & CLOTHES THAT YOUR
KIDS NO LONGER USE TO SUSAN'S HOUSE TO BE
SOLD AT THE NEXT SUPERKIDS RESALE.
BABY -TEENAGE SIZES!

GOT REWARDS?!?
EVERY TIME YOU SHOP AT FRED MEYER, YOU CAN
EARN A DONATION FOR CHAMPS. SIGN UP AT
WWW.FREDMEYER.COM/COMMUNITYREWARDS
AND SEARCH FOR "CHAMPS" OR KE978.
YOU STILL GET YOUR REWARDS TOO!

Our time has come to help make our senior's final year their best year yet! And we need your help! Be a part of the C.H.A.M.P.S (Corbett High Association of Mamas and Papas of Seniors) to help with the fundraising that we will do all year, plus graduation party planning and other fun activities.

And if you don't have time to volunteer, there are 3 simple ways you can help all year long:

- Drop off your bottles and cans to the shipping container located behind Liz's Coffee Cabin. This is our largest fundraiser by far!
- Drop off any clothes and toys to Susan's porch to sell them at the next SuperKids Resale (in the fall and spring). We have used this as a fundraiser in the past for field trips. Toys, clothing up to teen sizes, baby gear, maternity, furniture, bedding, bath, kitchen, books, dvds, games, outdoor toys....anything related to kids/
- Share your Fred Meyer rewards with CHAMPS! YOU STILL GET YOUR OWN REWARDS TOO!!! Just go to www.fredmeyer.com/communityrewards and search for us by our name CHAMPS or by our non-profit number KE978.

Contact Susan at 503-866-1875 or s.vandyke@comcast.net to get involved.
We will kick it into high gear when school starts with a meeting in early September.



Native American Rehabilitation Association of the Northwest, Inc.

COVID-19



Back to School Clinic

- \$50 gift card for getting your COVID-19 vaccine (anyone 12+)
 - **Anyone welcome**
- School supplies
 - **Any student welcome**
- Sports physicals by appointment
 - **Registered NARA patients only**
- Well child visits by appointment
 - **Registered NARA patients only**

(All vaccines available with scheduled appointments)



**NARA NW
Wellness Center**

12360 East Burnside St, Portland, OR 97233

Call: 971-279-4800 x840

Email: TStewart@NaraNorthwest.org

Oregon Health Plan

What is the Oregon Health Plan?

The Oregon Health Plan (OHP) is free health care for people who meet income and other requirements. OHP covers medical care, dental care, and mental health care.

Now more children and teens can get OHP, regardless of immigration status.

How do I apply?

Visit **OHP.Oregon.gov** and click "Apply for OHP".

Who can help me apply?

An OHP-certified community partner in your area can help you apply. You can find one at **OregonHealthCare.gov**. Click "Find local help." This help is free.

Can I have OHP? *You and your family can have OHP if you:*

- ▶ Live in Oregon.
- ▶ Meet OHP's income limits. **Examples** of income limits that qualify (as of March 2020):

Adults (age 19-64) in households that earn up to:

- \$1,468 a month for a single person
- \$1,983 for a family of two
- \$3,013 for a family of four



Children (age 0-18) in households that earn up to:

- \$4,383 a month for a family of two
- \$6,660 for a family of four



Pregnant individuals in households that earn up to:

- \$2,730 a month for a single pregnant person
- \$4,858 for a family of four, plus baby
- \$6,277 for a family of six, plus baby



Other facts also help decide who can have OHP. Examples include age, other health care resources and disability status. The best way to find out if you can have OHP is to apply.

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.
 - * 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

Melissa Davis

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 • <http://nche.ed.gov>

Local Liaison: Melissa Davis, Corbett School District, 503-261-4279

MENTAL HEALTH & ADDICTION SERVICES

Multnomah County Mental Health Call Center

**There
is hope.**

MAKE THE CALL
503.988.4888
24/7 CRISIS LINE

**We are
here
to listen.**



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: Monday - Saturday 7 am-10:30 pm, Sunday 9 am-9 pm



**We can provide free guidance
and information about:**

- child care
- behavioral strategies
- school readiness & tips
- early childhood development
- family stress & anxiety
- parenting classes & support
- local play groups
- foster care support
- basic family resources...
and much more!



Mon-Fri 7am-11pm | Sat-Sun 8am-8pm
Dial 211 | Text the keyword *children* to 898211
Email children@211info.org | **Visit** 211info.org





MULTNOMAH COUNTY student HEALTH CENTER

ABOUT US



We are health centers in your school providing convenient high-quality health care.



We welcome all school-age kids, K-12.



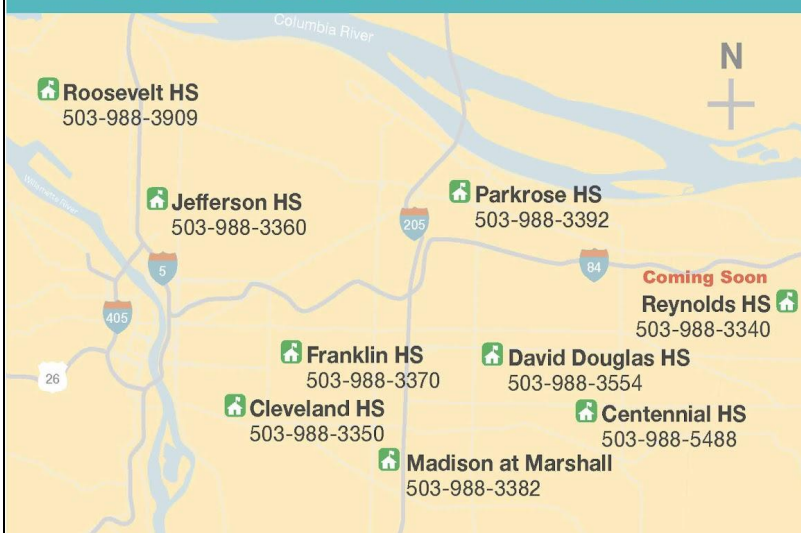
We're here to keep you healthy so that you can focus on thriving in school and beyond.

You or your family will not be charged for services. We take any insurance and we'll serve you if you don't have any.

OUR SERVICES

- Regular exams
- Sports physicals
- Illness and injuries
- Immunizations
- Mental health services
- Sexual health services
- Routine lab tests
- Prescription medications
- Vision, dental, and blood pressure screenings
- Health education, counseling, and wellness promotion

Student Health Centers Locations



www.multco.us/student-health

Corbett students can visit any of these Health Centers.



CORBETT EDUCATION FOUNDATION CONTINUES SCHOLARSHIP FUNDRAISING

Thanks to the continued support of our donors and fundraising attendees, the Corbett Education Foundation is once again able to provide scholarships to Corbett High School graduates for the 2021-2022 academic year. Currently, recipients and CEF volunteers are completing the final steps of the award process and we anticipate scholarship payments will be distributed to colleges and universities by the end of September 2021. The ability to provide these scholarships was possible because of the generosity of our many donors. **THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT!**

We are once again partnering with local restaurants in scholarship fundraising events and hope that you will be able to join us at these. Details will be provided in this newsletter throughout the school year.

You can help us support Corbett students by participating in our fundraising event on **Tuesday, September 14**, at the **Chipotle Mexican Grill located on Burnside Street in Gresham**. Our event is from **4:00 pm to 8:00 pm** on this date. Chipotle will pay CEF a percentage of total sales generated by our supporters. You don't pay additional fees. Place your order in-person, or use the new online ordering option. Details are on the flyer on the following page. Just be sure to show a printed or electronic copy of the flyer or mention the code provided.

Stay tuned for news on the potential return of "Family Fun Bingo Night" this Spring. This popular event has been very successful in providing scholarship funding and we are working toward hosting another event soon.

Should you have any questions regarding CEF items, please contact any CEF board member. You may send messages to dgranberg@corbetteducationfoundation.org or to tlarsen6200@msn.com. Be advised, these mailboxes are not necessarily monitored on a daily basis, so it may take time to receive a reply.

We thank you for your interest in the Corbett Education Foundation and we hope you are able to join us **at Chipotle Mexican Grill on Tuesday, September 14th**!

See the Chipotle Mexican Grill flyer on the following page.

CAUSE AN EFFECT



Make dinner a selfless act by joining us for a fundraiser to support Corbett Education Foundation. Come in to the Chipotle at **2065 NE Burnside Rd** in Gresham on **Tuesday, September 14th** between **4:00pm** and **8:00pm**. 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 Corbett Education Foundation.

NEW! ORDER ONLINE FOR PICKUP

Use code K4A2ADA before checkout in 'promo' field. Orders placed on Chipotle.com or through the Chipotle app for pickup using this unique code will be counted towards the fundraiser.



MEXICAN GRILL

All online orders must be placed for pickup at the same time/location of the fundraiser. Delivery cannot be counted at this time. Gift card purchases during fundraisers do not count towards total donated sales, but purchases made with an existing gift card will count. \$150 minimum event sales required to receive any donation.

Non-Discrimination Statement:

In accordance with Federal civil rights law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights regulations and policies, the USDA, its Agencies, offices, and employees, and institutions participating in or administering USDA programs are prohibited from discriminating based on race, color, national origin, religion, sex, gender identity (including gender expression), sexual orientation, disability, age, marital status, family/parental status, income derived from a public assistance program, political beliefs, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity, in any program or activity conducted or funded by USDA (not all bases apply to all programs). Remedies and complaint filing deadlines vary by program or incident.

Persons with disabilities who require alternative means of communication for program information (e.g., Braille, large print, audiotape, American Sign Language, etc.) should contact the responsible Agency or USDA's TARGET Center at (202) 720-2600 (voice and TTY) or contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339. Additionally, program information may be made available in languages other than English.

To file a program discrimination complaint, complete the USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form, AD-3027, found online at [How to File a Program Discrimination Complaint](#) and at any USDA office or write a letter addressed to USDA and provide in the letter all of the information requested in the form. To request a copy of the complaint form, call (866) 632-9992. Submit your completed form or letter to USDA by: (1) mail: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; (2) fax: (202) 690-7442; or (3) email: program.intake@usda.gov.

USDA is an equal opportunity provider, employer, and lender.

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

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. The 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.

Corbett School District #39 Asbestos Policy, continued:

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.

Corbett School District 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/2021/06/HASS-Plan-2021.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

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;

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

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.

CORBETT SD | 2021-2022 CALENDAR

	Holiday or Break
	Friday School
	Teacher Work Days
	First/ Last Days
	Conferences
	New Hire Day

July 4 – Independence Day

JULY '21						
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3 – back to school
17 – MLK day
21 – FRIDAY SCHOOL and Mid-term
27 – HS conf. (0.5)

20 – New Hire Day
24 & 25 – Teacher Inservice (2)
23 & 26 – Teacher Prep (2)
26 – Community Open House (0.5 Conference Eve)-
30 – First day for all

AUGUST '21						
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4 – Inservice Day (1)
21 – Presidents' Day
25 – Friday School

6 – LABOR DAY NO SCHOOL
10 – FRIDAY SCHOOL

SEPTEMBER '21						
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3 – End of Trimester 2
4 – Assessment day
11 – Friday School
21 – 24 – Spring Break

1 – Inservice (1)
7 – Mid-term
13-14 – CAPS/MS/GS conf. (1)
14 – HS Conf. (0.5)

OCTOBER '21						
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14 – Mid-term
21 – HS conf. (0.5)

11 – Veterans Day Observed
NO SCHOOL
12 – FRIDAY SCHOOL
18 – End of Trimester 1
19 – Assessment (1)
24-26 – Thanksgiving Break

NOVEMBER '21						
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13 – Inservice
25 – Last day for Seniors -
26 – Graduation
30 – Memorial Day

17 – Winter Break Begins

147 – Student Contact
4 – Inservice
3 – Assessment
3 – Prep
2 – Conferences
5 – Holidays
164 – Total

DECEMBER '21						
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1 – GS portfolio night
2 – CAPS/MS portfolio night – (0.5 conf.)
3 – Friday School / Last day for Students
6/7 – Teacher prep 1/Assess 1
20 – Juneteenth Holiday for 12 month employees
Board approved 3/10/21, 7/21/21