

Torch Bearer



Mrs. Daniel's Spanish Class Shows off their Piñata Creations



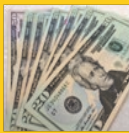
January 15, 2016



Wrestling Meet during Winter Break

If you are interested in purchasing a **2015-16 yearbook**, please follow the link below to order online. The cost is \$55 until March 1st. Order now before our prices increase! <https://yearbookforever.com/#>

Be sure to mark your calendar for the 2nd Annual **Cash Bash** on Saturday, **February 27, 2016**, at the Gene Davis Convention Center. \$80/ticket admits 2—Cash Prizes. Proceeds impact Columbia Schools. Tickets are limited and will go on sale in January.



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Columbia Central Elementary School—Grades PK-2nd

Now that winter time is here, please send **your child to school with a coat, snow pants, hat, gloves and boots**. We want them to stay warm on the playground. If your **child will be absent**, please call the Columbia Elementary School **Attendance Hotline at 592-7552**. This number is for CES students.

Thank you everyone for **fulfilling our Columbia Family Christmas Dreams!** Your donations will make our families Christmas brighter! **Big THANKS to Lynn Tyndall** for all your shopping and wrapping. You went above and beyond! **Thank you Mrs. Schatzle** for coordinating our Columbia Community Program!

Columbia Central Elementary School—Grades 3-6

Students and staff enjoyed special holiday lunch. Thank you to **Tina Marquardt, Pinky Stuab, Marilyn Holcomb and Mary Devine**. We appreciate the extra effort to decorate the cafeteria and the extra work involved in putting on such a nice lunch.

We would like to express **our appreciation for our parents for the endless ways you support and guide your children**. An observation made daily at CUES by own staff and visitors are the ways our students extend gratitude and kindness. For example; as students enjoyed their holiday lunch countless words of appreciation were extended to our cafeteria staff and teachers. We continue to be proud of our amazing students!

Columbia Central Junior High School-Grades 7 & 8

If your **child is sick please call** Columbia Central Jr. High School at **769-8652 to report an absence**.

Please save the date for the **Winter Formal Dance**, which is scheduled for **January 29, 2016, 5:30 to 8:00 p.m.** Tickets will be sold during lunch for \$10. Tickets are \$12 at the door. Chaperones will be needed. Please call the office 769-8652 if you can help.

Columbia Central High School-Grades 9-12

First semester finals will take place January 26—29, 2016. **Second semester starts** on Monday, February 1, 2016.

Senior photographs are due by **February 1st**. See Miss Katon ASAP if you need more information.

Columbia Options High School & Adult Education

Columbia Options High School **offers a unique alternative educational setting** for students who have been unsuccessful in the traditional high school setting. It is a place for students to grow and reach their full potential in a non-threatening, positive environment. Please call CCE at 529-9400, or click [here](#) for info.

We have provided many activities over the years. If you have a **special interest or hobby** and would like to share it with others, please call COHS at 529-9400.