

Hello Cocoa Beach Families,

We want to wish all of you a healthy and enjoyable Thanksgiving Holiday. This is a great time to pause and reflect on all that we have to be grateful for.

No School November 22-26

The School District decided to close school for Monday and Tuesday of next week, so that gives everyone a full week off. **We will not return to school until Monday, December 6th.** We do still have a few athletic contests that we will participate in this coming week, but no school.

State Champions

Congratulations to our **Female JROTC Raiders team who won the State Championship** last weekend! They competed against 67 other teams and dominated the competition. Our Male team also performed very well, finishing in 2d place in their division. In case you are not familiar, the Raider competition is a team event featuring several different activities/obstacles and it requires a great deal of physical strength, teamwork, and determination. Congratulations again to both teams on their performances!

Students of the Month

Tomorrow (Friday) we are asking all of this year's Student of the Month winners to wear their special t-shirts so we can get a picture. So if your child was selected as Student of the Month this year (August, September, or October), **please remind them to wear their t-shirt Friday.**

College & Career Week

We have had a fantastic week **focusing on the future**, providing students with information and activities about the opportunities that are there or them after Cocoa Beach Jr/Sr. Virtual College visits, a Career Fair and more. One of the activities most of our students participated in was a Career Interest survey through the website: MyCareerShines. Ask your child if they completed the survey. If they did not, the directions are below. It is available to any grade level.

Career Interest Survey

Have your student log into their Launchpad, click Google, click Google Apps (square made out of dots), click Google Classroom, click the + then add the Student Services Google Classroom code "JSBMNGH" then click join. From there have them go to Classwork at the top then "College & Career Week 2021". This activity is under "Monday's Activity: FIND A CAREER". Students can then click on mycareershines, create an account, then take the assessments. After taking the assessment(s), they can explore the lists of careers that includes descriptions, salary information, and more!

Thank you for choosing Cocoa Beach Jr/Sr High School. As always, please contact me if you have any questions.

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