



Principal Message for September 6, 2024

Greetings Carroll Families,

We have had the opportunity to reflect on dismissal procedures after the storm that occurred last Friday. Many factors are considered before delaying dismissal, including bus routing, impacts of delays on other school release, timing, and communication. Moving forward, all factors will be considered. Safety of students is a priority. Should we have to delay dismissal in the future, it will be communicated by email or text through a Principal Message.

Fall pictures will be October 11 during the day. Make-Up pictures will be November 22nd.

Please see our [CMMS Parent and Student Handbook](#) to review student expectations, attendance, and other important information.

Mark your calendars. Thursday, **September 19th from 5-6:30 pm** is **[“Families Lead Too” Night](#)**. All families are encouraged to attend, especially new 6th grade families. We will be hosting a variety of sessions this evening, including Covey’s 7 Habits for families, Social Media and how to navigate Middle School, Grading at Carroll, Clubs, and navigating PowerSchool. There will also be a PTO meeting at 4:30 pm that afternoon before the event. We hope you can join us.

Carroll Theater Program

We had audition workshops for High School Musical on Thursday and Friday this week and will hold the official crew interviews on Tue 9/10 and the official cast auditions on wed 9/11. For more information about auditions and interviews see our [call board page](#) . Make sure to read the Cast/Crew information packets for step by step instructions on how to get involved in High School Musical Jr.

To keep the most up to date with all things theater at Carroll make sure to keep an eye on our website [CMMStheatre.com](#) If you have more direct questions, please email Bradford Frost at bfrost@wcpss.net.

Do you love to sing? Join the Chorus Club which meets on Wednesdays after school from 2:30 to 3:30 and have the chance to sing with Sanderson High School students and their director. The first rehearsal will be on Wednesday, Sept.18th! See you there!

[Apply for free and reduced-price school meals starting July 1](#)

To receive free or reduced-price meals for the 2024-25 school year, families must submit a meal benefits application online at [MySchoolApps.com](#). For families who completed the 2023-24 meal

benefits application, the benefit continues for their student's first 30 school days of the 2024-25 school year.

Incoming 7th graders are required to have additional immunizations prior to the first day of school. **Required Immunization Information** can be found [here](#). You can scan and send all immunization records to Taaliba Rich, at trich3@wcpss.net.

Carroll Athletic Information can be found [here](#). There will be a Parent Meeting on September 12th after practice.



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Be Involved at CMMS

- Do you want to show appreciation to teachers?
- Do you work for or have a business in the community that CMMS could partner with?
- Do you speak another language and could help with interpretations?
- Do you want to support athletics?

PTO General Meeting - September 19th at 4:30-5 pm Learning Commons for our first general meeting. We will discuss initiatives for the year, budget, committees, and more. We hope you can join us!

Please visit our website [here](#) for information.

If you have an immediate need please contact me directly at tzarzecki@wcpss.net.

Yours,

Tina Zarzecki
Work Hard. Be Kind.