NEW COVID VACCINE CLINIC FRIDAY: Attention Families with Students age 12 and older:
There will be a voluntary clinic sponsored through Jeff Co Emergency Management held in the Chimacum School District Multi-Purpose building this Friday, May 21 from 9am-11am. Parents may register their child for first dose of Pfizer vaccine appointments through this link: https://prepmod.doh.wa.gov/appointment/en/reg/8536906129
Parents will need to fill out the consent form included in the appointment link online for their student to receive services. Please call the CJSHS Main Office at (360) 302-5903 if you have any questions.

FEEDBACK PLEASE: Hello there! One of our student representatives is working on a report for the school board and would like your help. If you have a story or message of appreciation you would like to share at the May 26 Board Meeting, please take a moment to fill out this form!
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe2Jc-iYwgKny96y8p_2GkOF_P9y7A_UROHuxtL35Vh_mtJA/viewform

COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES: You can register to vote, complete your FAFSA, do litter pick-up, film CJSHS sports, attend a zoom school board meeting (next one is tonight, April 28, see district website), obtain a library card, write a letter to the editor, perform yard service for the elderly, and more. Contact Carrie Beebe if you would like to help film games for live links.

ESPORTS: We won our first round in the state playoffs for Smash Bros. We have matches on Thursdays at 3:30.

YOUTH ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES (YES): YES Program Students earn high school credit for science, stewardship & environmental leadership. This Summer Field Science Intensive includes pre-professional training in Environmental Science and Stewardship (ESL). In 2021 this will be a two-week, non-residential 90-hour training offered for .5 credits.

Students will restore streams, plant trees, conduct research, and clean up the coastline. For more information visit www.nwwatershed.org.
To sign up contact: Jude Rubin at jude@nwwatershed.org.

SUMMER AT WST: West Sound Tech offers a FREE summer session 2021 June 28-July 15. Earn .5 high school credit, meet new people, and engage in hands-on learning. All classes are Hybrid Format, some live in-person and asynchronous learning. For more information, please go to our counseling site: https://sites.google.com/csd49.org/counseling-office/summer-fun, or directly to the WST site to apply: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1KX99dyAFTWd6a-yVDEde0wrTLF15C2a/view

FOREST ECOLOGY/MANAGEMENT SUMMER PROGRAM: Earn .5 credits hiking the Olympic Mountains this summer for Jefferson County High School students age 14-18. Mondays and Tuesdays from June 28-July 27, 8:30am-5pm. Find out more: https://communityboats.wordpress.com/summer-programs/

SUMMER BOATING: Free summer sailing and rowing opportunities for ages 14+. To sign up contact: https://communityboats.wordpress.com/contact/
**SEATTLE THEATER GROUP:** STG is the non-profit organization that operates 3 theatres in Seattle that includes The Paramount, Moore and Neptune Theatres. We are partnering up with **Centrum** for a movement workshop this Saturday, May 22nd from 11-12pm at Fort Worden State Park! STG and Centrum have been partnering up for over 10 years on youth programming with DANCE This!

Seeds of Movement with Ellie Sandstrom & Etienne Cakpo  
Saturday, May 22, 2021 @ 11:00 am - 12:00 pm  
Ages 13 and over; In person at Fort Worden State Park, Port Townsend  
REGISTER: [https://www.tfaforms.com/4891589](https://www.tfaforms.com/4891589)

This outdoor workshop will offer the opportunity to safely explore dance within the beautiful landscape of Fort Worden State Park. Through Afro Contemporary Dance and improvisation, participants will be guided through the process of growth, through movement and planting the seeds for a rooted foundation to discover creative development. This class is open to movers of all kinds and no dance experience is required. Everybody is welcome.

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**From the AD Desk**

**WINTER SPORTS PRACTICES:**

Boys Basketball will be in Chimacum M - F from 5:00 - 7:00PM on all odd weeks of the season. They will be in Port Townsend on the even weeks.

Girls Basketball will be in Port Townsend M - F from 4:00-6:00PM on all the odd weeks of the season. They will be in Chimacum on the even weeks.

Boys Tennis will be in Chimacum M - F 2:45-5:00PM

Wrestling will be in Port Townsend M - F 3:30-5:30PM

For up to date game days and start times:


Girls JV [https://chimacumathletics.com/teams/3075390/girls/basketball/junior%20varsity/schedule](https://chimacumathletics.com/teams/3075390/girls/basketball/junior%20varsity/schedule)

Boys Basketball Varsity [https://chimacumathletics.com/teams/3075387/boys/basketball/varisty/schedule](https://chimacumathletics.com/teams/3075387/boys/basketball/varisty/schedule)

Boys JV [https://chimacumathletics.com/teams/3075388/boys/basketball/junior%20varsity/schedule](https://chimacumathletics.com/teams/3075388/boys/basketball/junior%20varsity/schedule)

Port Townsend and Chimacum High Schools are exploring the possibility of combining our sports programs. Enrollment numbers at both PTHS and CHS have been declining. Combining would strengthen the likelihood of being able to offer our current sports, in future years.

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**ATTENTION SENIORS!**

We have been planning end of the year events for our wonderful seniors. Following are important end of the year dates regarding our CJS HS seniors. More specific information will be coming out as we get closer to June 12.

**SENIOR EVENTS:**

- June 8 - Senior Recognition Night – Virtual and begins at 6:00 p.m.
- June 11 – Graduation Rehearsal 1:00
- June 12 – Commencement 12:00 at Memorial Field – Students will assemble in the Cotton Building – There will be four tickets for each family
➤ June 12 – Community Parade – after commencement (Parents are organizing) 3:00 p.m. – Cars will line up at the CJSHS parking lot….More details will be forthcoming
➤ June 12 – Grad Night – (Parents are organizing: Not school sponsored) Please contact Kelly Liske 360-301-9948 kliiske@outlook.com or Nikki Casal myagentnikki@yahoo.com for more information.

We are excited for our seniors and we want them to have a wonderful send off. Please call if you have any questions.

**GRAD REQUIREMENTS:** Seniors MUST complete their **High School & Beyond plan** before June 1st. Instructions and how-to videos are posted on their Class of 2021 Google Classroom. The **High School & Beyond Plan** is a Washington State graduation requirement and it cannot be waived. If they need any help, their school counselor is happy to offer support. Seniors also need to fulfill the **community service requirement of 55 hours.** Student can submit their completed hour forms to the CJSHS front office or counseling office. If they have not fulfilled this requirement, here are some ideas: Complete the FAFSA, Register to Vote, walk a favorite beach or trail and pick up trash, film CJSHS sports events for the live link, attend a school board zoom meeting or other public agency online meeting, help a neighbor with yard work, join friends of Fort Worden or Friends of Fort Flagler and help with park clean up. So many possibilities! If they don’t know how many hours they have turned in so far, they can see it in their skyward account under “Student Info”.

**SENIOR RECOGNITION NIGHT:** We want to recognize your scholarships at the Senior Recognition Night on June 8th. If you are receiving scholarships, please give that information to Cindy Brown in the counseling office. She needs to know the name of the scholarship, the amount of the scholarship, whether or not it is renewable (and for how many years, and how much each year), and the name of the college or training program you will be attending. We also use this info to report scholarships to the Port Townsend Leader. So, if you want to be recognized – please get your info to Cindy_brown@csd49.org by June 4th.

**COLLEGE ACCEPTANCE LETTERS:** Did you receive a college acceptance letter? Need to know how to respond? Here is a great article: [https://classroom.google.com/u/0/c/NTQ2Njk3NzAxNjZa/p/MzI1ODg5ODM3MzE2/details](https://classroom.google.com/u/0/c/NTQ2Njk3NzAxNjZa/p/MzI1ODg5ODM3MzE2/details)  
And of course, you can always talk to you school counselor for help and advice!

**FINANCIAL AID:** It’s never too late to apply for financial aid!!! With all the disruption caused by COVID-19, college or career training after high school is more important than ever. Filing a financial aid application gives you more options for the future. There’s still time to apply for this coming fall. Many families assume they won’t qualify for aid, but there’s more help available than ever before. The new Washington College Grant (WCG) gives more money to more students for more kinds of education after high school. WCG is available year-round—if you meet the eligibility requirements, you have money waiting for you. The only way to know for sure if you’ll qualify is to apply for financial aid. In Washington, there are two ways to apply for financial aid. U.S. citizens and eligible non-citizens can apply with the federal FAFSA form. People who can't file the FAFSA—due to immigration status or other issues with federal aid—can apply for state aid, including WCG, using the WASFA. Completing a FAFSA or WASFA financial aid application is a crucial first step toward college or career training. It’s not too late to apply for the 2021-22 academic year. Learn more, get support, and apply for financial aid at wsac.wa.gov/apply. More information in the Google Classroom: [https://classroom.google.com/u/0/c/NTQ2Njk3NzAxNjZa/p/MzE2NDI0MTE1MzIx/details](https://classroom.google.com/u/0/c/NTQ2Njk3NzAxNjZa/p/MzE2NDI0MTE1MzIx/details)
YARD SIGNS: Senior Yard Signs are available for purchase in the Main Office for $10 each. These signs will look great in your front yard...or give one to a senior you know to make their day! It’s been a long year and our graduates need our support!

COMMUNITY SERVICE: Attention Seniors!! We have a list of opportunities for you to get your **55 required hours** for community service. Please contact either Stephanie Tell, Barb Fogerson, or Carrie Beebe to find out what opportunity will fit you best! We have a variety of options, including forestry, sports, greenhouse upkeep, working with animals, and clothing closet assistance. Some of these options need help right away! The more you can check off your graduation requirements now, the better!

STILL DECIDING ON COLLEGE? Try a Virtual Campus Visit.

COVID has complicated the college visit process, but virtual visits are a safe alternative. Online tours and info sessions help bridge the gap when students can’t check out a campus in person.

- Many colleges are offering virtual tours on their websites. The Washington GEAR UP program has compiled a [list of online college tours](https://www.gearupwa.org/washington) that will be updated as more sites add these resources.
- GEAR UP also offers a series of [virtual campus visits](https://www.gearupwa.org/washington). These video presentations highlight colleges across the state, including a number of public and private four-year universities and two-year community and technical colleges.
- For schools with no virtual tours available, consider doing an [online scavenger hunt](https://www.gearupwa.org/washington). Use the form to research, compare choices, and find a good fit.

Most colleges are still accepting applications for fall 2021. It’s not too late to consider your options for education after high school. Learn more and [plan your future](https://www.gearupwa.org/washington) on the Washington Student Achievement Council website.

**GENERAL**

FOOD BENEFITS: Families that qualify for Free and Reduced priced meals qualify for a state-funded food benefit. Please see the announcement on the district website [www.csd49.org](http://www.csd49.org), call our Food Services department at (360) 302-5806, or for additional information, families may also visit the Washington State DSHS P-EBT page at [https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/community-services-offices/pandemic-ebt-p-ebt](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/community-services-offices/pandemic-ebt-p-ebt). Qualifying families should receive a letter, followed by a P-EBT card in the mail soon.

TECH HELP: Students/Parents can call (360) 302-5850 Monday thru Friday between 7 AM and 4:00 PM if you are having connectivity or computer problems with your school-issued laptop. Leave a voicemail if no one answers, and someone will call back to help you.

JEFFERSON TEEN CENTER: Now OPEN Mon, Tue, Thu & Fri from 11:05am-2pm with a limited capacity. Join us for after-school fun in arts, crafts, music, games, computers, and more. Come in to get assistance on homework, join in outdoor activities, fresh snacks, and more! We have safety PPE guidelines & social distancing.

Students need a Parent/Guardian form filled out and signed (available in the school office) and need to check in by 11:15. Students also must arrange their own transportation; bus not currently available unless pre-arranged through the Counseling Office.

JUNIOR HIGH TUTORING CLUB: In-person tutoring with high school students every week Tu & Fr from 11:30am-1pm in the library. Students may be picked up by family or go to the Teen Center (permission
slip required). High school students may inquire with Ms. Tell about volunteering to tutor for community service hours.

**GSA:** We meet in-person on Thursdays from 11:15am-12:30pm (right after in-person school ends) in the CJSHS Library. 9th-12th grades only. Masks and adequate physical distancing are required. Currently, we don’t have a link for online meetings, but we’re happy to make one if someone wants to join remotely! Just send an email to stephanie_tell@csd49.org.

**HELP WITH REMOTE LEARNING:** Skillmation ([www.skillmation.org](http://www.skillmation.org)) is a local organization providing one-on-one tutoring, coaching, and mentoring to 9th-12th grade students in Jefferson County. From specific school subjects (like Spanish or Algebra 2) to general organization and motivation, they’ll get to know your specific needs and match you with a coach who can help. Send an email to info@skillmation.org to get started, or reach out to Stephanie Tell and I can help you get the paperwork going today!

**YEARBOOKS:** Yearbooks are still available for purchase in the office, until sold out. $55 regular price and $45 Free and Reduced.

**SAT:** SAT info can be found here: [https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/register](https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/register) The test locations are listed as well as dates and times.

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Chimacum School District will also take steps to assure that national origin persons who lack English language skills can participate in all education programs, services and activities. For information regarding translation services or transitional bilingual education programs, contact David Carthum at (360)302.5905.