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September 15, 2023

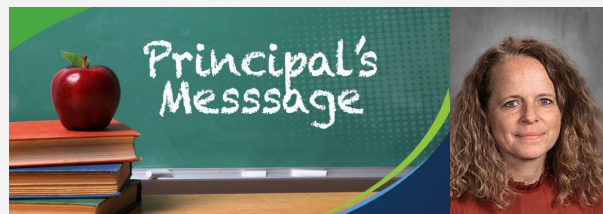
Two Roads--We are **HARDWORKING, CARING, and ACADEMIC.**  
We utilize **COLLABORATION, CRITICAL THINKING, COMMUNICATION, and CREATIVITY.**

School Website: [www.tworoadscharter.org](http://www.tworoadscharter.org)  
Littleton Campus Office/Attendance Line: 720-425-6163  
Instagram: "tworoadslittletonhomeschool" and Facebook Group: Two Roads Littleton Homeschool Program

Refer to the school website calendar for a complete list of school events.

<u>EVENTS</u>	<u>DATE/TIME</u>
<b>Elementary Assembly</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Friday, October 6th @ 10:00 a.m.               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ BINGO Awards</li> <li>○ Birthday Recognition</li> <li>○ Falcon Award Prizes</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>Two Roads Board Meeting</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wednesday, September 20th @ 9:15 a.m. - <i>Details below.</i></li> </ul>
<b>Parent Coffee</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Friday, September 22nd @ 8 am - <b>Date Change!</b></li> </ul>
<b>Homecoming Dance</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Saturday, October 7th @ 7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.</li> </ul>
<b>Waterstone Fall Festival</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sunday, October 15th @ 11:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.</li> </ul>
<b>Resource Table</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Check out the resource section at the end of the newsletter for a variety of helpful information.</li> </ul>

## *Welcome to our Weekly School Newsletter!*



Thank you to those who have already participated in our Littleton Back-to-School Fall survey. Please know that your feedback is extremely valuable. The Two Roads School Accountability Committee (SAC) will review the data gathered from the survey and provide a summary for the Two Roads Board of Directors.

Also, please let us know if you or your student needs assistance with Schoology. Both teachers and front office personnel can help you navigate materials, grades, etc.

# Staff Spotlight

**Kevin Flack**



## **- MS Coding & HS Science & Engineering**

Hi, I am a retired Jeffco teacher after 35 years. Two Roads Littleton is the perfect home for me. I get to be retired and still teach 110 days a year! I love being in the classroom with the students and getting to know them as young adults. I have five adult children and 3 grandchildren so far. Oh, and I have been a general contractor in my spare time - too old for that now, so don't ask :) My hobby has always been building houses so I'm trying out some new interests - maybe mountain biking, golfing? I definitely don't have the patience for fishing. Any suggestions?



## **Holley Frederick - First Grade**

This is my third year getting to be a part of the Two Roads family. I feel incredibly lucky that I get to be a teacher and parent in this community. This is my 12th year teaching and I love watching kids being proud of themselves as they gain new skills. I also love my family, friends, laughing, being outside, and coffee.

## Newsletter Key:



= new information in the newsletter



= volunteer opportunities



= event information



= meeting information



## **Secondary Schoolwork**

Reminder: Our role is to partner with you in the education your students are receiving at home. Your secondary student (6th-12th graders) will have Two Roads schoolwork that needs to be completed at home each week. The students are expected to come to class prepared with work completed in order to continue the learning.

## Please Take the LITTLETON Fall Survey

As directed by the Two Roads Board of Directors, the School Accountability Committee (SAC) is conducting this parent survey to determine your opinions focused on enrollment, registration, and the first few weeks of school. Please take a few minutes to fill out the survey and to articulate your feedback in the comment boxes. Your responses are anonymous. The results of the survey will be provided to the Two Roads Board, the School Accountability Committee, and to administration. We value your time and input. This survey will close Wednesday, September 20th at 3:00 p.m.



Two Roads Littleton Back-to-School Fall survey link:

<https://www.eSurveysPro.com/Survey.aspx?id=37e7b884-ae6a-46ae-859a-e2a9e0fb96fd>



## NOTICE: Regular BOD Meeting

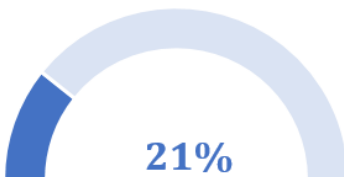
The Two Roads BOD will hold a regular meeting on Wednesday, September 20th, beginning at 9:15 a.m. The meeting is open to the public. Interested parties may attend in person at 6980 Pierce Street, Arvada, CO 80003 or email [tcrsboard@gmail.com](mailto:tcrsboard@gmail.com) before September 20th for a virtual meeting link. The agenda is linked here for your review and information.

[01\\_Two Roads BOD Agenda 9.27.23\\_Draft](#)

## Deadline: Pay Your Fees by 9/30

The fee portal is now open and we have asked that families pay their fees by September 30. Directions on how to pay fees through the Campus Family Portal are included below. Fee collection is one of the financial goals from our newest strategic plan. The target for this year is to collect at least 80% of billed fees. The graph below shows the collection rate as of September 14th. This does not include optional fees, MAP testing, or fines.

Littleton - % of Paid Fees



[Campus Parent Portal](#)

[How to Pay Fees Through Campus Parent Portal](#)

If you have questions regarding your fees please email [connie.wennen@jeffco.k12.co.us](mailto:connie.wennen@jeffco.k12.co.us)



## Homecoming Dance - Mark your calendar!

All **8th - 12th grade** students are invited to the annual Homecoming Dance on Saturday, October 7th, 7:00 - 9:30 p.m., at the Arvada Campus. Tickets are \$20 in advance and \$25 at the door. Sign up through the link below and pay at the front office. Guest forms are available through the link below and at the front office. If you are bringing a guest all guest forms must be turned in by 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 3rd. You won't want to miss the first dance of the year! If you have questions, stop by the front office.

- [Homecoming Sign-Up 10-7-23](#)
- [Homecoming Guest Form 2023](#) (You must print and complete this form.)

## Attendance

Students may arrive as early as 7:45 in the morning. Building doors will open at 7:45 a.m. Students must be picked up no later than 3:15 p.m. Remember it will take a few minutes to get to the first class, so please be on time. The first bell rings at 8:00 a.m. and students who are not in their seats when the bell rings will be tardy. Our teachers work hard to prepare lessons and it is important to be in class on time.

To report an absence, please complete the Absence Form, or call the Littleton Front Office within 24 hours.

- [Absence Reporting Form](#)
- Front Office: 720-425-6163

If your student needs to leave early, they must stop at the front desk before leaving. Students who do not feel well must also stop at the front desk. We will call home or allow students to use their own cell phone to call a parent.



## After School Clubs 2023-2024

Over the years we have been able to offer a variety of after school clubs thanks to parent volunteers. Please let us know if you would be interested in offering an after school club this year. Depending on the length of the club, you could possibly fulfill all of your family service hours. In past years we have had clubs such as fencing, ballet, chess, Lego, yoga and running. Please contact Leilane Donow at [leilane.donow@jeffco.k12.co.us](mailto:leilane.donow@jeffco.k12.co.us) if you are interested.

## BYOD

Many students have asked if they can bring their own device to school. Students are allowed to bring their own device if they agree to the policies and complete the form. They will be allowed to use their personal device only when the teacher asks for all students to be on a device. Students will not be given internet access on their personal devices. [23-24 Littleton Bring Your Own Device Agreement](#)

## Carpooling Need

Mike and Anita Eck are the parents of Ella an 8th grade student here at TR Littleton. They live near Old Town Littleton just South of the Belleview and Sante Fe intersection and would love to share the driving to and from school with another family! The phone number is 518-321-6510.

## Emergency Preparedness - Standard Response Protocol

Student safety is a top priority at Two Roads. We partner with Jeffco Schools to ensure students, staff and teachers are all knowledgeable in the Standard Response Protocol. If you have any questions at all, please reach out to our Littleton Campus Principal, Tricia Shive at [tricia.shive@jeffco.k12.co.us](mailto:tricia.shive@jeffco.k12.co.us). Here is a link to the SRP:

■ [SRP K12 parent handout.pdf](#)

## Follow Us on Instagram and Facebook

Did you know Two Roads is on Facebook and Instagram? Please follow us on both! “Like” us on Instagram and on Facebook.



Two Roads Littleton Homeschool Program



@tworoadslittletonhomeschool

# Jeffco Charter School Consortium (JCSC) - SCHOOL BOARD CANDIDATES

JCSC will be hosting a school board candidate forum on Wednesday, Sept. 27th, 6:30 to 8 PM at Addenbrooke Classical Academy. This forum will be the only school board forum focused solely on charter school issues. All parents/guardians are welcome and encouraged to attend. Two seats will be on the Nov. 7th ballot. While directors must reside within a specific director boundary, the entire county votes on candidates in each of the director districts.

## Just in case you forgot... WE NEED YOU!

Thank you to those who have stepped up! It is great having you on campus! We were hoping that the reduction in family service hours this year would encourage more parents and grandparents to help out. We truly love having you in the building and have a variety of opportunities. We would also love to see parents host after school clubs or activities, so reach out to Mrs. Donow if you are interested.

- [Snack Shack](#)
- [Culinary Class](#)
- [Traffic Monitor - WE NEED YOU!](#)
- [Lunch Monitor](#)
- [Sewing Class](#)

## Homeschool Community Fair

We participated in the Homeschool Community Fair in 2022 and we are going to join again this year.



*Join us for our Homeschool Community Fair! The event will take place on Wednesday, September 27th, from 9 am - 1 pm and be held at the church grounds at 13416 W Arbor Pl, Littleton, CO 80127. (This is the Three Trees Chapel building across from Dakota Ridge HS) The fair is free to attend for homeschool families and will highlight local resources, foster community among fellow homeschoolers, and feature fun and entertainment for their kids. We appreciate you joining us!*



CREATE LEARN CONNECT PLAY  
Discover Community Church  
13416 W Arbor Pl  
Littleton 80127



## International Towne

The International Towne field trip for all 6th, 7th, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade history students in Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. VanDeWalker's classes is on October 11<sup>th</sup> from 9:30-1:30. Students should be dropped off and picked up at the Young Americans Center for Financial Education at 3550 E. 1<sup>st</sup> Ave., Denver, 80206. Be sure to bring a sack lunch. Each student attending received their permission slip from their teacher, so please return this permission slip and \$20 payment to your teacher by October 3rd. If you have questions or would like to volunteer, please contact Mrs. Wilson at [Jennifer.Wilson2@jeffco.k12.co.us](mailto:Jennifer.Wilson2@jeffco.k12.co.us).

## Lunch Process

ALL students need to bring a sack lunch and any necessary utensils each day to school.

- Microwaves will be available. Please assist by sending them with containers that can go in a microwave.
- Students MAY NOT have food delivered to school (via Door Dash, etc.).
- Students eat outside most days. Jackets are important in the changing Colorado weather.

## October Count Window--Please Be Present for School

Beginning Monday, September 25th, schools in Jeffco, including Two Roads, will start the annual October Count window. During this window (September 25th-October 9th) attendance is carefully taken in each class. **Please do your absolute best to have your child or children in seat every day of the October Count window.** This is the way Two Roads receives its funding for the school year. Please avoid pulling students for doctor appointments and other reasons during this window. Thanks for your help! As a reminder, students may not be enrolled in two publicly funded programs simultaneously.



## Parent Coffee

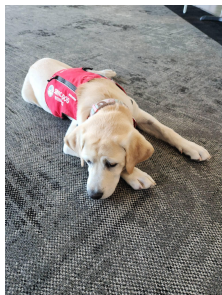
Come join us for our first Parent Coffee meeting of the year on September 22nd at 8:00 a.m.!

It will be a chance to meet and chat with other homeschool Parents like yourself! Coffee, fruit and a pastry will be provided. ☕

## Schoology Help

If you or your child are struggling with Schoology, please contact your child's teacher or the front desk. We also have Schoology Help on our website: [https://tworoads.jeffcopublicschools.org/family/schoology\\_help](https://tworoads.jeffcopublicschools.org/family/schoology_help)

## Service Animals Only



Meet Indy. Indy is a service dog in training for the United States Veteran Service Dogs. His future goal is to be placed with a veteran and provide mental and physical support. However, until she reaches his goal, he will be living and training with Mrs. Donow and her family. Part of his training is to learn basic obedience and be exposed to new and diverse environments. Indy is adorable, well mannered and loves people. While he is wearing his service vest, he can only be touched with Mrs. Donow's approval, so please ask first. Indy is the only animal allowed in the facility.



## 23-24 Yearbook

Don't miss out on our 23-24 Two Roads Littleton Homeschool Program yearbook! Orders placed by October 31st will receive 10% off! Order now! With every purchase there are two free customizable pages. These two custom pages are FREE and are printed ONLY in the purchased book.

**Scan the QR code or use this link:**

**<https://www.treering.com/purchase?PassCode=1015682301773378>**

# CAPTURE YOUR MEMORIES IN THIS YEAR'S TWO ROADS CHARTER SCHOOL -LITTLETON YEARBOOK!

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Must be a parent or student 13 years or older.

- 1 Go to: [www.treering.com/validate](http://www.treering.com/validate)
- 2 Enter your school's passcode:  
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# RESOURCES

<b>Absence Reporting Form</b>	<a href="https://tworoads.jeffcopublicschools.org/family/attendance_line">https://tworoads.jeffcopublicschools.org/family/attendance_line</a>
<b>Family Service Hours</b>	Opportunities are added throughout the school year. Check out the links on our website- <a href="#">Volunteer Opportunities</a>
<b>Fees</b>	Your contact for fee questions or payment questions is our Financial Secretary, Connie Wennen. You may reach Connie by emailing <a href="mailto:connie.wennen@jeffco.k12.co.us">connie.wennen@jeffco.k12.co.us</a> or by calling 303-423-3377 Ext. 284. The parent portal for viewing your statement and paying fees online is linked here: <a href="#">Campus Parent Portal</a> <a href="#">How to Pay Fees Through Campus Parent Portal</a>
<b>Homeschool Resources</b>	Check out this folder of material presented at our Littleton Homeschool Coffees. Contents are updated as meetings occur. Please check the folder for anything you might have missed. If you have questions about any of the resources please email <a href="mailto:lisa.wick@jeffco.k12.co.us">lisa.wick@jeffco.k12.co.us</a> . <a href="#">Homeschool Coffee Parent Resources</a> <a href="#">Homeschool Curriculum Options</a> <a href="#">Curriculum Request Form</a>
<b>Lettering Applications</b>	It seems far off, but look at these now. All lettering applications are due by the last Thursday in April at 3:00 p.m. No late submissions will be considered. When using the links below, you will be prompted to make a copy of the application. <a href="#">Academic Letter</a> <a href="#">Athletics Letter</a> <a href="#">Community Service Letter</a> <a href="#">Drama Letter</a> <a href="#">Music Letter</a> <a href="#">Visual Arts Letter</a>
<b>MAP Testing</b>	We offer MAP testing to meet the standardized testing requirement for homeschool families. <a href="#">Family Guide to Map Growth PDF</a> <a href="#">MAP Family Toolkit - Website</a> <a href="#">Student Progress Report_Quick Reference PDF</a>
<b>National Honor</b>	Students who meet eligibility requirements (necessary sustained GPA) will



<b>Society</b>	be invited to apply in January of each year. To view the application packet use the following link: <a href="#">NHS Application Packet</a>
<b>Password Reset</b>	<a href="#">Parent/Guardian Password Reset Tool</a> <a href="#">Student Password Reset</a>
<b>Questions</b>	Unsure of who to contact with your question? Please start be emailing <a href="mailto:tworoadsquestions@gmail.com">tworoadsquestions@gmail.com</a>
<b>Schoology</b>	Parent login is your same login for Jeffco Connect and Infinite Campus. Parents and students should NOT be logged in on the same computer. Student username is the student number, password is their 8 digit birthdate <a href="#">Schoology Parent Notifications - Website Article</a> <a href="#">Schoology Parent View - Website Video</a>