



# THE PONDEROSA PRESS



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## PRINCIPAL'S Message

### Operation Safe Dismissal

In an effort to increase student safety, we are revisiting dismissal procedures.

### Parking Lot

The parking lot will be closed for arrival and dismissal. The exceptions to this are families with handicapped parking permits and folks arriving for meetings.

### Walking Parent Pick Up

Please use the designated area. It makes it easier to see who is picking up a child. We are asking that you don't stand by the parking lot fence. We just don't see you as well.

### Bus Loop & Valet

These are both *no crossing zones* for students and adults. Please use the sidewalks and crosswalks.

Thanks for keeping our Wildcats safe!

~Mrs. Deyarmin  

**Smarter Balanced Assessment (SBA) for 3rd-5th**

**May 13, 14, 15, 16, 20**



### Kindergarten Enrollment

 REGISTER ONLINE  
[www.cvsd.org/enroll/](http://www.cvsd.org/enroll/)

Feb 19-29 – you can pre-fill forms & upload documents

March 1, 9 am – enrollment begins

### Ponderosa Facts

- **School Day 2023-2024**  
8:57-3:15/Thursdays 9:57-3:15
- **School Colors**  
Orange and Blue
- **School Mascot**  
Larry the Wildcat
- **School Motto**  
Whatever it Takes!
- **Nickname**  
The Pond

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Ongoing**  
Kindergarten Registration for 24-25 school year
- **April 15-May 3**  
Bloomsday Training K-5 M, W, F
- **April 17**  
5th Grade Outdoor Education Field Trip
- **April 19**  
First Grade Field Trip
- **April 25**  
5th Grade to Horizon Middle School
- **May 2 2:15 & 6:30**  
Pinetones Concert
- **May 7th & 8th 3:15-4:15**  
Beauty and the Beast Tryouts for 4th & 5th Grade
- **May 10**  
4th Grade Field Trip

### PACE–April

### Trustworthiness

Inspiring complete reliability and confidence in his/her truthfulness, integrity, and discretion

