

CLOUDCROFT HS

APRIL 2025



APRIL EVENTS

- 1-4th FFA State Competition @ Las Cruces
- 2nd NM-ASR testing juniors
- 4-5th State powerlifting competition
- 5th Varsity track @ Capitan
- 9th Blood drive @ high school gym
- 9th Written in Red Scholarship dinner, 5:00pm
- 10th Mock AP Chemistry exam
- 12th Varsity track @ Ft. Sumner
- 14th SCHOOL DAY
- 18th NO SCHOOL
- 19th Varsity track @ Tularosa
- 22nd Vaping awareness assembly
- 22nd School board meeting, 6:00pm
- 23rd Systems Go rocket launch
- 23rd Student led parent teacher night, 4-7:00pm
- 26th Prom, 6:00pm

SNEAK PEEK: MAY

- 1st White Sands Field Trip, grades 9-11
- 2nd Career Day & Meet the Professionals
- 3rd District Varsity track meet @ Lordsburg
- 6th AP Chemistry exam, 8:00am
- 6th AP Government exam, 12:00pm
- 7th AP Literature exam, 8:00am
- 7th Academic Awards Ceremony, 1:30pm
- 7th Scholarship night, 6:00pm
- 8-9th State varsity track @ Albuquerque
- 12th AP Calculus exam, 8:00am
- 14th AP Language exam, 8:00a,m
- 15th AP Computer Science exam, 12:00pm
- 16th Senior breakfast
- 17th Graduation, 10:00am
- 19th SCHOOL DAY
- 22nd Last day of school

LANL Site Visit

CHS welcomed educators from across New Mexico, NM PED and representatives from the Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL) Foundation on March 27 for a campus visit showcasing the school's Career and Technical Education (CTE) pathways, active Career and Technical Student Organizations (CTSOs), and senior Capstone projects. The LANL Foundation helps fund CHS's Innovation Zones (IZ) grant, part of a statewide initiative to support student-centered, career-connected learning. The visitors praised CHS's positive school culture, innovative programs, and impressive senior class.

Congratulations TSA: State Champions!

Our high school TSA team, led by Mrs. Newton and Mr. Twining, competed in 16 events at the State TSA competition—bringing home first place in Board Game Design, Children's Stories, Flight Endurance, Promotional Design, Senior Solar Sprint, Technology Problem Solving, and Transportation Modeling. They also earned 2nd and 3rd place in eight additional events, showcasing the team's depth of talent, innovation, and problem-solving skills. Their outstanding performance has earned them a place at the National TSA Conference in Nashville, Tennessee this summer. We're incredibly proud of their accomplishments and can't wait to see them shine on the national stage!



Team seniors: Jameer Cooks, Taylor Curtis, Sophia Newton, Wyatt Renfro, Connor Smith, Bodhi West, Ayla Yarbrough, Karmen Yousif
Juniors: Sidney Bryan-Myers, Sage Greenwood, Callie Peterson, KarterAnn Mansell, Emma Yarbrough
Sophomores: Gena Davis, Hannah Ferdetta, Paula Finch, Cyrus Lewis, Zurri McNeil, Xander Newton, Triston Thompkins, Chris Yousif, Mary Claire Chase-Zimmer
Freshman: Michael Anthony, Nathan Brokaw, Gavin Bryan-Myers, Parker Muncy

Principal's Corner: Mr. Skinner

April is shaping up to be a busy and exciting month at CHS! Our track athletes are off to a strong start this season, and we're proud to cheer on students heading to both the State Powerlifting meet and the State FFA competition. Their hard work and commitment continue to make us proud. Later in the month, students will enjoy one of the most anticipated events of the year—Prom—held at the beautiful Cadwallader Orchards this year.

As a reminder, we will have school on Monday, April 14th in order to allow for a four-day weekend over the Easter holiday. We hope students and families enjoy the extra time to rest and recharge. Thank you for your continued support, and here's to a successful month full of achievement and celebration.

Go Bears!



CHS SPOTLIGHT



Senior Give Back Day



The class of 2025 recently completed their annual Senior Give Back Day, a tradition where seniors take time to serve the community that has supported them throughout their high school journey. This year, the Class of 2025 gave back by cleaning and landscaping the front of the Michael Nivison Public Library, planting trees and flowers to make the space more inviting for the community during the summer months. Their efforts reflect a spirit of gratitude and a desire to leave a meaningful impact as they prepare for graduation. We're proud of their hard work and commitment to giving back.

Congratulations!



Congratulations to our SkillsUSA Firefighting students on their outstanding achievements at the state competition! Under the guidance of Mrs. Crump through the Firefighting CTE pathway, Logan McNeil earned 1st place and will represent New Mexico at nationals in Atlanta this summer. Sabra Clark also demonstrated exceptional skill and dedication, placing 3rd in the state. We are incredibly proud of their hard work and success. Best of luck at nationals!

3RD QUARTER: CHS HONOR ROLL

Highest Honors 4.0

Seniors

Taylor Curtis
Harley Garey
Johnalee Gibson
Lara Kefeli
Sophia Newton
Wyatt Renfro
Ava Walker
Bodhi West

Juniors

Katelynne Avila
Maitlyn Barnett
Sage Greenwood
Marisa Romero
Jaxon Sheldon
Emma Yarbrough

Sophomores

Tylan Bragg
Mary Claire Chase-Zimmer
Gena Davis
Brisa Johnson
Xander Newton

Freshmen

Gavin Blankenship
Brielle Douglas
Piper French
Jacob Hanna
Tyler Meszler
Cassia Moore
Ocean Odom
Xade Qualis
Aurora Trejo

A/B Honors (All A's with no more than 2 B's)

Seniors

Julissa Banda
Ayden Barnes
Ellie Beug
Austyn Coyle
Teeah Gilliam
Caydan Lentz
Aubree Lockner
Rolland Martinez
Timberly Stanbrough
Ayla Yarbrough

Juniors

Sidney Bryan-Myers
Rylee Pahl
Callie Peterson
Kamee Richards

Sophomores

Audrey Carter
Paula Finch
Kacie Hughes
Carolina Loper-Flores
Zurri McNeil
Jadon Myers
Alyssa Singer
Triston Thompkins
Gunner Wolfe
Christopher Yousif

Freshmen

Rhiannon Eldridge
Hakan Kefeli
Cailan Marte
Noah Saffle
Carter Snow