



THE GATOR GAZETTE

STANDLEY LAKE HIGH SCHOOL

October 20th, 2023

PRINCIPAL NEWS

Todd Rago



Fall Break October 19th-23rd.

We hope that the Fall break brings our students and families a chance to spend some quality time together and get ready for the remainder of the semester. It is also a great opportunity to take a look at student progress and attendance in classes. There are only 7 weeks left before final exams. [Infinite Campus](#)

Healthy Kids Colorado Survey

Our school has been selected to participate in the [Healthy Kids Colorado Survey \(HKCS\)](#) on **October 24, 2023**. HKCS is Colorado's widely-administered survey on the health and well-being of young people and school health policies and practices that support youth health. **Families can opt-out of the survey using [THIS FORM](#).** (You must complete the **Opt-Out form by October 23, 2023**. Participation is voluntary and students can decline to participate or answer questions in the survey. Explore Survey FAQs [here](#).. Please contact [Jeffco Healthy Schools](#) with any questions

Information about the Healthy Kids Colorado Survey:

HKCS is an optional-participation survey given to 6-12 graders in Colorado

HKCS is Colorado's most comprehensive survey on the health and well-being of young people.

The survey is voluntary, anonymous, and happens every two years in the fall.

The survey is administered by the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE) and the Colorado School of Public Health (CSPH).

The HKCS has a rigorous policy to protect confidentiality and anonymity of student data

Students take the online survey during one class period

Families can preview the survey questions [here](#).

From the SRO: Standley Lake has experienced a string of bicycle thefts from school grounds. These incidents are not happening during the normal school day, but late at night and in the early morning hours. As of late, these bikes have been left on school grounds for extensive periods of time, usually over the weekend. . PLEASE inform your student(s), if they ride a bike to school, 1) ensure it is locked to an appropriate bike rack, and 2) DO NOT LEAVE IT OVERNIGHT. The Theft of bikes left overnight on school grounds will now be the responsibility of the bike owners from this point forward and will not be investigated by the SRO. If you have any questions, please contact our SRO, Ofcr Steele at 303 982 6343 or thomas.steele@jeffco.k12.co.us

Student ID's

By this point, all students should have their student ID. This ID is key for dances, athletic events, lunches, and to enter school on a daily basis. Students should either be wearing their ID on the lanyard provided or have the ID readily available on their keys or backpacks. The ID should remain visible throughout the day. ***If students have lost or misplaced their ID we can print them a new one, but there will be a \$5 dollar replacement fee that will be added to student fees each time we print them a new one. If students accumulate 3 days without an ID, they will serve an ISS during their off hours.***

SCHEDULER NEWS

Trip Sargent



The next 6 week grades will be on November 8th. Please check grades periodically and reach out to teachers with any concerns.

We have a new resource for students planning to attend college or university called NextGrad which is located in the upper commons. Public Colleges and Universities in the rocky mountain region present information through this device. We hope it is one additional way students can broaden their thoughts about opportunities after Standley Lake High School.

INSTRUCTION & ASSESSMENT NEWS

Julia Morgan



10th Grade Personal Project

The first Personal Project meeting took place this week in Advisement. Your student should have completed through prompt 8 in their journal and met with their assigned supervisor. We encourage you to discuss this with your student and take a look at their progress along the way.

ACTIVITY NEWS

Nikki Kneuer

**STUDENT AND
CLUBS
ORGANIZATIONS**

The marching band performed at our state qualifying competition on Wednesday and had a fantastic performance! We placed 4th in our classification and 8th in the region. They will be headed to the state tournament October 30th.

Trick-or-Treat Street will be hosted on **Monday, October 30th from 5-7 pm** at Standley Lake High School. Families of students are invited including children. If you are able, we will be accepting canned food donations for the Broomfield FISH pantry upon entry. [Click Here for Flyer.](#)
Thank you!

Spirit Week October 30th - November 3rd

10/30	Black Out - Dress in all Black
10/31	Halloween Costume
11/1	Dress-alike Day
11/2	Teachers vs Students
11/3	Flannel Friday

Let's have a fun time and dress-up! Dress code appropriate. 10/31/23 - Halloween costumes rules, you cannot wear a mask, fake blood, or bring a weapon. You may wear face paint on **half** your face only. All costumes need to be school appropriate and follow the dress code guidelines.

School Photos

Visit: <https://lifetouch.com/>

Please check out this website for more information and to order school photos-Student ID is needed to order.

Graduation, Class Ring or Lettermans Jacket Questions

Contact - Jostens

Phone: 303-985-0095

Email: nils.erickson.office@jostens.com

News From the Yearbook

Students are back at school making new memories with their friends! Be sure to order the one book that captures the activities, spirit, and unique qualities of your child's school. Visit <http://jostensyearbooks.com/?REF=A00896960> to order the 2024 **Yearbook by October 27th for the BEST PRICE!**

¡Los estudiantes están de regreso en la escuela creando nuevos recuerdos con sus amigos! Asegúrese de pedir el libro que capture las actividades, el espíritu y las cualidades únicas de la escuela de su hijo. ¡Visite <http://jostensyearbooks.com/?REF=A00896960> para solicitar el Anuario 2024 antes del 27 de octubre al MEJOR PRECIO!

Support SLHS

Are you looking for an easy & creative way to support students here at SLHS? Visit the Donate button on the SLHS homepage or this [link](#). Click on the purple button and then select "Standley Lake High School". You will be directed to several current SLHS fundraising efforts. All donations are anonymous and 100% of the funds go directly to our school programs!

Thank you to all who donated to help provide the teachers with dinner during conferences. It was greatly appreciated.

The next PTA Meeting is Monday, November 6th at 6 pm in the SLHS Library.

[Join the PTSA here](#)

[Check out all SLHS Activities and Clubs here!](#)

ATHLETIC NEWS

Joe Generose



Winter Sports Registration Now Open

Winter sports include: Boys' & Girls' Basketball - Ice Hockey - Girls' Swim & Dive - Boys' & Girls' Wrestling

Online registrations MUST be completed, processed and approved prior to trying out. The first day of try-outs is Monday, November 13th.

To participate in any sport, athletes must have a current ATHLETIC physical--Physicals are valid for 365 days, and should not expire mid-season. **Please do not register with a physical that expires prior to Monday, November 13th.** [Please register here](#)

Winter Sports Night

Please join us on November 7th at 6pm in our auditorium for a short presentation by our athletic director as well as our SL Boosters. At 6:30, each sport will break out into different rooms for their pre-season meeting. Parents and students are encouraged to attend both meetings.

Fall Post-Season

Stay tuned for a complete post-season update in next week's edition!

Girls' Soccer Fundraisers

[See's Candies](#)

[Panera 10/24/23](#)

Upcoming Athletic Events

10/23	4:30pm Volleyball: Girls C Team Scrimmage vs. Douglas County @ Douglas County High School 4:30pm Volleyball: Girls Freshman A Scrimmage vs. Douglas County @ Douglas County High School 5:30pm Volleyball: Girls JV Scrimmage vs. Douglas County @ Douglas County High School 6:30pm Volleyball: Girls Varsity Match vs. Douglas County @ Douglas County High School
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10/24	4:30pm Volleyball: Girls C Team League Match vs. Evergreen @ Evergreen High School 4:30pm Volleyball: Girls Freshman A League Match vs. Evergreen @ Evergreen High School 5:30pm Cross Country Banquet Standley Lake High School 5:30pm Volleyball: Girls JV League Match vs. Evergreen @ Evergreen High School 6:30pm Volleyball: Girls Varsity League Match vs. Evergreen @ Evergreen High School
10/27	7:30pm Football: Varsity League Game vs. Dakota Ridge @ NAAC Stadium
10/28	9:00am Cross Country: Varsity State @ Norris Penrose Event Center State Championships ... all-classifications 9:00am Football: Freshman Game vs. Dakota Ridge @ Standley Lake High School
Looking ahead...	11/7 - 6:00pm- 6:30pm Winter Sports Night - Auditorium 11/13- CHSAA First Day of Tryouts/Practice - Winter Sports, CHSAA Regain Date 11/29- SL Experience & Athletic/Activity Showcase

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES



- [SLHS Homepage](#)
- [SLHS Activities & Athletics](#)
- [Full Schedule of SLHS Events](#)
- [2023-2024 SLHS Athletic Dates](#)
- [2023-2024 CHSAA Calendar](#)
- [SL PTSA](#)
- [SL Activities/Athletics Boosters](#)
- [SL Music Boosters](#)
- [SL GET](#)

DATES AT-A-GLANCE

Oct 23rd	3:40pm- Newspaper Club
Oct 24th	NMSQT
Oct 25th	8:15am- National Honor Society Meeting 12:00pm French Club Cafe 3:45pm- Speech & Debate
Oct 26th	3:45 pm- Game Club 8:00am- Newspaper Club 12:00pm- French Club Cafe
Oct 27th	3:45pm- Speech & Debate
Oct 30th	5:00pm- Trick or Treat Street
Nov 29th	5:15 pm - SL Experience & Athletic/Activity Showcase



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inspiring lifelong learners prepared to engage the world with empathy and pride