

Collinsville Community Unit School District 10

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Happy Friday Kahok Nation, I'm superintendent Brad Skertich! February is coming to a close and I am hopeful we will see an end to winter weather as well! Our days are getting longer and that means warmer temperatures are on the horizon, if mother nature cooperates!

Last weekend, in the cold, a team of Kahoks took the Polar Plunge to raise money for Illinois Special Olympics. We collected more than \$12,000 - almost two and a half times our goal of \$5,000 - from the warm hearts in Kahok Nation. I'm always impressed by the generosity in our community.

March is an important month for the Collinsville High School Class of 2022. College acceptance letters are coming in and scholarship applications are going out. The CHS Counseling Department has a long list of scholarships posted on their website. There are hundreds of public, private, local, state and national scholarship opportunities and financial aid to help offset the cost of a community college, trade school or university. Whether your child is a senior - or will be a senior in a couple of years - take a few minutes to check out the information posted on the link I've included with this video.

After two years of post season play either being halted or canceled all together, post-season basketball is in full swing. Tonight, our boys' basketball team takes on Belleville East at Granite City. Tip off is 7:00 PM. I look forward to seeing the stands full of our Kahok faithful, cheering on our student athletes.

Have a safe and enjoyable weekend, don't forget to wear your purple and show your Kahok Pride!