

DECEMBER 2022

# THE TRAILBLAZER

COLLINSVILLE MIDDLE SCHOOL'S NEWSLETTER

## IMPORTANT DATES!

- **December 9: CMS Winter Dance**
  - [See here for information and eligibility](#)
- **December 20: CMS Choir Concert 7:00**
- **December 22-January 3 : No School (Winter Break)**

Check your child's grades on Skyward! December 21st marks the end of Quarter 2... the halfway point of the school year!



Follow us on Facebook and Twitter for updated information!

The CMS Choir will be holding their Winter Concert on Tuesday, December 20th in the Webster Elementary School Auditorium. The concert starts at 7 pm and is open to the public! Please join us!

On Wednesday, December 21st, the Choir will be visiting and bringing holiday cheer to the residents at Meridian Village and Eden Village as well as singing for the Collinsville Faith in Action Seniors and the Adult Day Care Seniors at St. Johns' UCC. This is part of our Community Outreach and we are really looking forward to it after missing this trip for the past two years due to COVID!

## PBIS PLAY UP

We are looking for donations of chips, candy, and cookies for the Kudo Cart which happens every 2 weeks during students' lunches. If you can donate, please drop the items off at the main office.

Please email Tangie Foster if you have any questions at [tfoster@cusd.kahoks.org](mailto:tfoster@cusd.kahoks.org)

## Mobile Food Market

### Upcoming Events

**Cost: FREE** - Supporting Families in Need

**Where: Collinsville Middle School**  
9649 Collinsville Rd. Collinsville, IL 62234

**When:**

- ◆ ~~Wednesday, August 31~~
- ◆ ~~Friday, September 23~~
- ◆ ~~Friday, October 14~~
- ◆ ~~Friday, November 18~~
- ◆ **Friday, December 16**

**Start Time: 10:00 AM\***

*\*Until supplies run out. Start time may vary based upon delivery and products*

For more information please contact the following Collinsville Unit 10 Social Workers

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We are excited to announce that Collinsville Unit 10 is continuing to partner with the St. Louis Area Foodbank to provide Mobile Food Markets for our Collinsville area families. This market is free of charge and though the available items rotate, often include dairy, meat, and fresh produce.

The events will be using a "drive through" model. You will drive through the line, pop your trunk, and we will have volunteers load the food items into your vehicle's trunk. You will not leave your vehicle. This is a first come, first served event with a capacity to serve around 150 families.

**Foodbank**  
St. Louis Area Foodbank

[HTTPS://WWW.THECMSATHLETICS.COM](https://www.thecmsathletics.com)

# Students & Staff of the Month

Check out last month's Students of the Month for showing #thekahokway



## 7TH GRADE

Avery Baugher  
Miles Hayden  
Michael Alexander  
(staff)

## 8TH GRADE

Haidyn Taylor  
Luke O'Hara  
Steve Carey (staff)



## TOTE ME HOME

In collaboration with the Collinsville Food Pantry, CMS is happy to offer families with the Tote Me Home program. Tote Me Home provides families with additional grocery assistance over the weekend. Students involved in the program are given a bag of groceries to take home on Fridays.



### To sign up, contact:

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