



NOVEMBER 14, 2025

PARIS RIDGE ELEMENTARY

Paris Ridge Families,

It's been another awesome week here at Paris Ridge! Throughout November, we've been focusing on gratitude, and we are truly thankful for our wonderful students, supportive families, and our caring, dedicated staff. Our 4th grade Student Leadership Team has been working on some exciting projects to spread gratitude throughout the building and find ways to give back to our community. Be on the lookout for more information coming next week!

As the weather continues to change, we appreciate everyone's help in making sure students are dressed warmly and come prepared with all their winter gear. Our students are doing a great job remembering hats, gloves, and boots! For some of our youngest learners, carrying all those items can be tricky. If you need to get out of your car to assist at drop-off or pick-up, please use the parking lot and crosswalk to help keep the traffic line moving safely.

Wishing you all a wonderful weekend!

Lance Jones
Principal

Kids, It's getting cold outside. . .

Recess Temperature Guidelines

All temps will include the windchill.

0° and below

Indoor Recess

1° - 39°

Winter Gear*
(Winter Coats, Hats,
Gloves and Boots)

40° - 50°

Winter Coats

51° - 60°

Coat or
Sweatshirt

61° and Above

Best
Judgement

*Snow Pants recommended

Students who are not wearing boots will NOT be allowed to play in the snow.



From The PTO



Spirit Wear Sale starting next week!

The PTO is excited to offer you an opportunity to order some fun school branded items before the holidays! Look for info to come home with your student on Monday and it will also be shared on the PTO FB page!

Box Tops for Education App

If you have not yet downloaded the app, remember to use the referral code DSFK1ZVD...using this code instantly earns our school \$5!

Wednesday Snacks for Staff!

We love to be able to show our staff appreciation and one way to do that is by showering them with fun treats and drinks on Wednesday during the school year! If your family would like to sign up to provide a treat/drink, you can sign up here:

[Wednesday Snack Sign Up](#)

Staff Favorite Things List!

The [Staff Favorites Things List](#) is now available! Check back here to show appreciation to your child's teacher or a special staff member!

PTO Email List and Classroom Directories

If you haven't already done so, please complete the [PTO Google Form](#) for the 2025-2026 email list (yes, it's a new list each year!). This year, you can also opt in to receive a classroom directory (only families who opt in will be listed)!

Join Paris Ridge Families on Facebook!

Please join [our community facebook group](#) for discussion about school events and activities, questions with answers, and photo sharing, as well as PTO updates!

New And Exciting Things Are Happening In Our Cafeteria:



Mood Boost Calendar 2025

Introduction Week

Monday	frozen pineapple	10/6-10/10	salad bar
Tuesday	guacamole		salad bar (frozen bagged)
Wednesday	ranch yogurt dip		salad bar (recipe)
Thursday	roasted carrot fries		hot/with meal (recipe)
Friday	cranberries & pears		salad bar (recipe)

Alert

Monday	baby carrots	10/13-10/17	salad bar
Tuesday	apples		salad bar
Wednesday	roasted carrot fries		hot/with meal (recipe)
Thursday	warm baked apple slices		hot/with meal (recipe)
Friday	glazed carrots		hot/with meal (recipe)

Happy

Monday	cinnamon yogurt dip	11/3-11/7	salad bar (recipe)
Tuesday	fresh blueberries		salad bar
Wednesday	ranch yogurt dip		salad bar (recipe)
Thursday	frozen blueberries with peaches		salad bar
Friday	yogurt & blueberries		salad bar

Calm

Monday	fresh strawberries	10/20-10/24	salad bar
Tuesday	fresh spinach & romaine		salad bar
Wednesday	cinnamon roasted sweet potatoes		hot/with meal (recipe)
Thursday	spinach and strawberry salad		salad bar
Friday	sweet potato fries		hot/with meal (recipe)

Smart

Monday	scrambled eggs	11/10-11/14	hot/with meal
Tuesday	refried beans		hot/with meal
Wednesday	frozen pineapple		salad bar
Thursday	baked beans		hot/with meal
Friday	hard boiled eggs		salad bar

Confident

Monday	fresh zucchini sticks	10/27-10/29	salad bar
Tuesday	guacamole		salad bar (frozen bagged)
Wednesday	roasted yellow squash & zucchini		hot/with meal (recipe)
Thursday	1/2 day		
Friday	no school		

Strong

Monday	dried cranberries	11/17-11/21	salad bar
Tuesday	sweet potato & beet fries		hot/with meal (recipe)
Wednesday	roasted beet fries		hot/with meal (recipe)
Thursday	cranberries & pears		salad bar (recipe)
Friday	cranberry muffin square		hot/with meal (recipe)



MONDAY

3

- Main Entrees
- Bacon Scramble Breakfast Pizza
- Alternate Entrees
- Oatmeal Chocolate Chip BeneFIT Bar
- On the Go
- Blueberry Chex Bowlpack
 - Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl
 - Cinnamon Chex Bowlpack
 - Cocoa Puffs
 - Cinnamon Toast Crunch
 - Reduced Sugar Trix
 - Reduced Sugar Lucky Charms

TUESDAY

4

- Main Entrees
- Egg & Cheese Bagel Sandwich
- Alternate Entrees
- WG Chocolate Chocolate Chip Muffin
- On the Go
- Blueberry Chex Bowlpack
 - Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl
 - Cinnamon Chex Bowlpack
 - Cocoa Puffs
 - Cinnamon Toast Crunch
 - Reduced Sugar Trix
 - Reduced Sugar Lucky Charms

WEDNESDAY

5

- Main Entrees
- Buttermilk Pancakes
 - Syrup
- Alternate Entrees
- Cocoa Puffs Cereal Bar
- On the Go
- Blueberry Chex Bowlpack
 - Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl
 - Cinnamon Chex Bowlpack
 - Cocoa Puffs
 - Cinnamon Toast Crunch
 - Reduced Sugar Trix
 - Reduced Sugar Lucky Charms

THURSDAY

6

- Main Entrees
- Scrambled Eggs
 - Turkey Bacon
- Alternate Entrees
- Apple Frudel
- On the Go
- Blueberry Chex Bowlpack
 - Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl
 - Cinnamon Chex Bowlpack
 - Cocoa Puffs
 - Cinnamon Toast Crunch
 - Reduced Sugar Trix
 - Reduced Sugar Lucky Charms

FRIDAY

7

- Main Entrees
- Baked Cinnamon Roll
- Alternate Entrees
- Cinnamon Ultimate Breakfast Round
- On the Go
- Blueberry Chex Bowlpack
 - Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl
 - Cinnamon Chex Bowlpack
 - Cocoa Puffs
 - Cinnamon Toast Crunch
 - Reduced Sugar Trix
 - Reduced Sugar Lucky Charms

10

- Main Entrees
- Bagel
 - Cinnamon Cream Cheese spread
- Alternate Entrees
- Oatmeal Chocolate Chip BeneFIT Bar
- On the Go
- Blueberry Chex Bowlpack
 - Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl
 - Cinnamon Chex Bowlpack
 - Cocoa Puffs
 - Cinnamon Toast Crunch
 - Reduced Sugar Trix
 - Reduced Sugar Lucky Charms

11

- Main Entrees
- Turkey Ham & Cheese Croissant
- Alternate Entrees
- WG Chocolate Chocolate Chip Muffin
- On the Go
- Blueberry Chex Bowlpack
 - Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl
 - Cinnamon Chex Bowlpack
 - Cocoa Puffs
 - Cinnamon Toast Crunch
 - Reduced Sugar Trix
 - Reduced Sugar Lucky Charms

12

- Main Entrees
- Whole Grain French Bites
- Alternate Entrees
- Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Bar
- On the Go
- Blueberry Chex Bowlpack
 - Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl
 - Cinnamon Chex Bowlpack
 - Cocoa Puffs
 - Cinnamon Toast Crunch
 - Reduced Sugar Trix
 - Reduced Sugar Lucky Charms

13

- Main Entrees
- Scrambled Eggs
 - Pork Sausage Patty
- Alternate Entrees
- Apple Frudel
- On the Go
- Blueberry Chex Bowlpack
 - Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl
 - Cinnamon Chex Bowlpack
 - Cocoa Puffs
 - Cinnamon Toast Crunch
 - Reduced Sugar Trix
 - Reduced Sugar Lucky Charms

14

- Main Entrees
- Whole Grain French Toast Sticks
 - Syrup
- Alternate Entrees
- Cinnamon Ultimate Breakfast Round
- On the Go
- Blueberry Chex Bowlpack
 - Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl
 - Cinnamon Chex Bowlpack
 - Cocoa Puffs
 - Cinnamon Toast Crunch
 - Reduced Sugar Trix
 - Reduced Sugar Lucky Charms

17

- Main Entrees
- Bacon Scramble Breakfast Pizza
- Alternate Entrees
- Oatmeal Chocolate Chip BeneFIT Bar
- On the Go
- Blueberry Chex Bowlpack
 - Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl
 - Cinnamon Chex Bowlpack
 - Cocoa Puffs
 - Cinnamon Toast Crunch
 - Reduced Sugar Trix
 - Reduced Sugar Lucky Charms

18

- Main Entrees
- Egg & Cheese Bagel Sandwich
- Alternate Entrees
- WG Chocolate Chocolate Chip Muffin
- On the Go
- Blueberry Chex Bowlpack
 - Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl
 - Cinnamon Chex Bowlpack
 - Cocoa Puffs
 - Cinnamon Toast Crunch
 - Reduced Sugar Trix
 - Reduced Sugar Lucky Charms

19

- Main Entrees
- Buttermilk Pancakes
 - Syrup
- Alternate Entrees
- Cocoa Puffs Cereal Bar
- On the Go
- Blueberry Chex Bowlpack
 - Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl
 - Cinnamon Chex Bowlpack
 - Cocoa Puffs
 - Cinnamon Toast Crunch
 - Reduced Sugar Trix
 - Reduced Sugar Lucky Charms

20

- Main Entrees
- Scrambled Eggs
 - Turkey Bacon
- Alternate Entrees
- Apple Frudel
- On the Go
- Blueberry Chex Bowlpack
 - Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl
 - Cinnamon Chex Bowlpack
 - Cocoa Puffs
 - Cinnamon Toast Crunch
 - Reduced Sugar Trix
 - Reduced Sugar Lucky Charms

21

- Main Entrees
- Baked Cinnamon Roll
- Alternate Entrees
- Cinnamon Ultimate Breakfast Round
- On the Go
- Blueberry Chex Bowlpack
 - Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl
 - Cinnamon Chex Bowlpack
 - Cocoa Puffs
 - Cinnamon Toast Crunch
 - Reduced Sugar Trix
 - Reduced Sugar Lucky Charms

24

- Main Entrees
- Bagel
 - Cinnamon Cream Cheese spread
- Alternate Entrees
- Oatmeal Chocolate Chip BeneFIT Bar
- On the Go
- Blueberry Chex Bowlpack
 - Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl
 - Cinnamon Chex Bowlpack
 - Cocoa Puffs
 - Cinnamon Toast Crunch
 - Reduced Sugar Trix
 - Reduced Sugar Lucky Charms

25

- Main Entrees
- Turkey Ham & Cheese Croissant
- Alternate Entrees
- WG Chocolate Chocolate Chip Muffin
- On the Go
- Blueberry Chex Bowlpack
 - Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl
 - Cinnamon Chex Bowlpack
 - Cocoa Puffs
 - Cinnamon Toast Crunch
 - Reduced Sugar Trix
 - Reduced Sugar Lucky Charms

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MONDAY

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- Main Entrees
- Whole Grain French Bites
 - Pork Sausage Patty
- Alternate Entrees
- Strawberry Parfait with Granola
 - WG Peanut Butter & Strawberry Jam Uncrustable
 - Cheddar Goldfish Crackers
 - Lite Mozzarella String Cheese
- Sides for All Meals
- Cinnamon Yogurt Dip

TUESDAY

4

- Main Entrees
- Cheese Quesadilla
 - Seasoned Corn
 - Sour Cream
 - Salsa
- Alternate Entrees
- Strawberry Parfait with Granola
 - WG Peanut Butter & Strawberry Jam Uncrustable
 - Cheddar Goldfish Crackers
 - Lite Mozzarella String Cheese

WEDNESDAY

5

- Main Entrees
- Jumbo Crispy Chicken Tenders
 - French Fries
- Alternate Entrees
- Strawberry Parfait with Granola
 - WG Peanut Butter & Strawberry Jam Uncrustable
 - Cheddar Goldfish Crackers
 - Lite Mozzarella String Cheese
- Sides for All Meals
- Greek Yogurt Ranch

THURSDAY

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- Main Entrees
- Mashed Potato & Chicken Bowl
- Alternate Entrees
- Strawberry Parfait with Granola
 - WG Peanut Butter & Strawberry Jam Uncrustable
 - Cheddar Goldfish Crackers
 - Lite Mozzarella String Cheese

FRIDAY

7

- Main Entrees
- Classic Pepperoni Pizza
- Alternate Entrees
- Strawberry Parfait with Granola
 - WG Peanut Butter & Strawberry Jam Uncrustable
 - Cheddar Goldfish Crackers
 - Lite Mozzarella String Cheese
- Sides for All Meals
- Chocolate Chip Cookie

10

- Main Entrees
- Pumpkin Muffin
 - Scrambled Eggs
 - Pork Sausage Patty
- Alternate Entrees
- Little Italy Whole Grain Wrap
 - WG Peanut Butter & Grape Jelly Uncrustable
 - Whole Grain Cheez-It Crackers
 - Cheddar Cheese Cubes

11

- Main Entrees
- Beef Walking Tacos
 - Vegetarian Refried Beans
 - Sour Cream
 - Salsa
- Alternate Entrees
- Little Italy Whole Grain Wrap
 - WG Peanut Butter & Grape Jelly Uncrustable
 - Whole Grain Cheez-It Crackers
 - Cheddar Cheese Cubes

12

- Main Entrees
- Toasted Cheese Sandwich
 - Campbell's Tomato Soup
- Alternate Entrees
- Little Italy Whole Grain Wrap
 - WG Peanut Butter & Grape Jelly Uncrustable
 - Whole Grain Cheez-It Crackers
 - Cheddar Cheese Cubes

13

- Main Entrees
- Classic Cheeseburger in Bun
 - Baked Beans
 - Pickles
- Alternate Entrees
- Little Italy Whole Grain Wrap
 - WG Peanut Butter & Grape Jelly Uncrustable
 - Whole Grain Cheez-It Crackers
 - Cheddar Cheese Cubes

14

- Main Entrees
- Cheese Pizza Cruncher
 - Marinara Sauce
- Alternate Entrees
- Little Italy Whole Grain Wrap
 - WG Peanut Butter & Grape Jelly Uncrustable
 - Whole Grain Cheez-It Crackers
 - Cheddar Cheese Cubes
- Sides for All Meals
- Chocolate Chip Cookie

17

- Main Entrees
- Whole Grain Waffle
 - Pork Sausage Patty
 - Baked Apple Slices
- Alternate Entrees
- Flatbread
 - Marinara Sauce
 - Shredded Mozzarella Cheese
 - Pepperoni
 - WG Peanut Butter & Strawberry Jam Uncrustable
 - Cheddar Goldfish Crackers
 - Lite Mozzarella String Cheese

18

- Main Entrees
- Jumbo Crispy Chicken Tenders
 - Beet and Sweet Potato Fries
- Alternate Entrees
- Flatbread
 - Marinara Sauce
 - Shredded Mozzarella Cheese
 - Pepperoni
 - WG Peanut Butter & Strawberry Jam Uncrustable
 - Cheddar Goldfish Crackers
 - Lite Mozzarella String Cheese

19

- Main Entrees
- Macaroni and Cheese
 - Roasted Beet Fries
- Alternate Entrees
- Flatbread
 - Marinara Sauce
 - Shredded Mozzarella Cheese
 - Pepperoni
 - WG Peanut Butter & Strawberry Jam Uncrustable
 - Cheddar Goldfish Crackers
 - Lite Mozzarella String Cheese

20

- Main Entrees
- Roasted Turkey and Gravy
 - Mashed Potatoes
 - Seasoned Corn
 - Dinner Roll
- Alternate Entrees
- Flatbread
 - Marinara Sauce
 - Shredded Mozzarella Cheese
 - Pepperoni
 - WG Peanut Butter & Strawberry Jam Uncrustable
 - Cheddar Goldfish Crackers
 - Lite Mozzarella String Cheese
- Sides for All Meals
- Pumpkin Bar

21

- Main Entrees
- Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks
 - Marinara Sauce
- Alternate Entrees
- Flatbread
 - Marinara Sauce
 - Shredded Mozzarella Cheese
 - Pepperoni
 - WG Peanut Butter & Strawberry Jam Uncrustable
 - Cheddar Goldfish Crackers
 - Lite Mozzarella String Cheese
- Sides for All Meals
- Homemade Cranberry Muffins

24

- Main Entrees
- Buttermilk Pancakes
 - Pork Sausage Patty
 - Whipped Cream Topping
- Alternate Entrees
- Cereal, Goldfish & Yogurt Fun Lunch
 - WG Peanut Butter & Grape Jelly Uncrustable
 - Whole Grain Cheez-It Crackers
 - Cheddar Cheese Cubes

25

- Main Entrees
- Soft Beef Whole Grain Taco
 - Vegetarian Refried Beans
 - Sour Cream
 - Salsa
- Alternate Entrees
- Cereal, Goldfish & Yogurt Fun Lunch
 - WG Peanut Butter & Grape Jelly Uncrustable
 - Whole Grain Cheez-It Crackers
 - Cheddar Cheese Cubes

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SCOTS STORE Holiday Sale

Shop New Products

Store closes Monday, November 24 at 11:55 PM



Store Link:

[https://teamgazelle.chipply.com/store.aspx?
eid=450460&action=viewall](https://teamgazelle.chipply.com/store.aspx?eid=450460&action=viewall)



**All items will arrive in time for
the December Holiday Break!**

Caledonia Community Schools FOOD SERVICE NEWSLETTER

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NOVEMBER UPDATE



UPCOMING EVENTS:

WINTER FORECAST

WEATHER REPORT

Chili Days
WARM BELLIES

 CHILI	 DAYS	 AHEAD
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The days are getting colder, but we're warming things up in the cafeteria! Our new Chili Days: Warm Bellies campaign is launching soon! Look out for hearty chili, bold spices, and comfort-food favorites that bring the heat and flavor this winter. Who's hungry?

Check out
our pumpkin
bar recipe!

MOOD BOOST

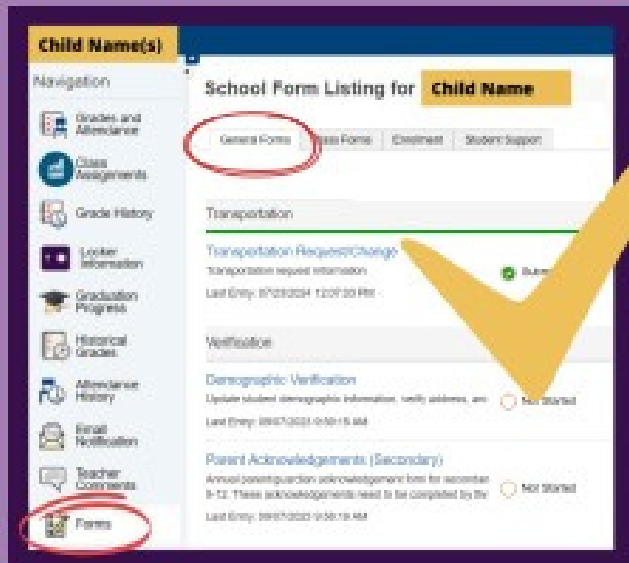
FEED YOUR MOOD.

Mood Boost continues this November! Elementary students will explore nutrient-rich fruits and vegetables and learn how food can impact their mood!

CONTACT DETAILS:

- 616-891-0227
- foodservice@calschools.org
- <https://www.calschools.org/departments/food-service/>
- [Lunch Menus](#)

PowerSchool Forms



Be sure to complete your forms online today.

As we begin the new school year, we ask all families to go into PowerSchool to update their forms. These include parent acknowledgements, student demographic information, photo releases, and more. Keeping this information current helps us serve your student and stay connected throughout the year.

Buildings can help reset passwords if needed.

District Code: GHDL
Deadline: September 30

Need Help?



www.calschools.org/resources/powerschool-support/

Chromebook Coverage

Caledonia Community Schools is offering the optional but highly recommended ChromeCare Plan for all district-issued Chromebooks for the 2025–26 school year. **The purchase window is open now through September 20.**

Families who do not opt in will be responsible for all repair or replacement costs. For payment directions, repair cost details, and information about the Student Chromebook Initiative, go to our [website](#) for more information.



ChromeCare Insurance for district provided devices is **\$20***

*Discounted pricing is available for families who qualify for free or reduced meals, as well as a family maximum rate for larger families.

Questions? Contact the Tech Office at helpdesk@calschools.org

www.calschools.org/departments/technology/student-chromebook-initiative/

Apps to Keep You Connected

MyRide App!

- Download the My Ride App
- Create an Account, Select CCS, and add your student(s)
- View bus stop locations, routes, and pickup times
- Receive real-time updates on bus arrivals

🔗 www.calschools.org/resources/my-ride-support/



Download the
APP today!

CCS App!

- Access school news, calendars, and extracurricular updates
- Receive notifications from district or school(s) you follow
- Works on iPhone, iPad, Android, Chromebook, or web
- Subscribe for text/email updates if you don't have a smartphone

🔗 www.calschools.org/resources/app-support/



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Community Events & Flyers

Visit the [Community Events & Flyers page](#) to stay connected with happenings in Caledonia and view community flyers!

- **Community Flyers** are submitted by local non-profits and youth organizations, and are published by CCS after review
- **Submit a flyer** via the district's Google Form (allow at least 5 business days)
- **Subscribe to notifications** via the CCS app (follow "Community") or the website RSS feed

Our amazing community provides opportunities that extend beyond the classroom. Stay connected through our apps and website to ensure your family never misses an update.

