



THE CREEK

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November 20, 2025

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UPCOMING EVENTS

11/24-28 Thanksgiving Break

12/1 Morning Flag

12/1 Girls BB vs RSTEM

12/3 Girls BB @ Black Butte

12/4 Girls BB vs Millville

12/5 Viking Stake Field Trip

12/5+12/6 Girls BB Tourney

12/8 Girls BB vs TOL

12/11 Winter Showcase

12/12 Ice Skating Field Trip

12/22-1/2 Winter Break

1/5-1/9 Independent Study

HOMESCHOOL DAYS

JAN. 5-9

Winter Break is December 22—January 2. Just a reminder that Monday, January 5th through Friday, January 9th will be independent study days for everyone. There will be no site classes or electives on January 5—9.. All students will receive Homework packets for these days by December 18. Site classes will resume on Monday, January 12. Spring electives will also begin on Monday, January 12.

SANTA AT THE FIREHOUSE

Come and join the Cottonwood Fire Department on Friday, December 12th from 5-8pm for Photos & Hot Chocolate with Santa. Cottonwood FD is located at 20875 4th St.



AMERICA 250 CELEBRATION

Our next Morning Flag celebration continues **Monday, December 1st at 8:20am**. Join us as we reflect on 250 years of American Freedom.

Show your patriotic pride and dress up in **Red, White and Blue!** Think stars,



8TH GRADE FUNDRAISER

Order forms went home last week and are due back to your kid's teacher by Tuesday, December 2nd.

The gift cards make great stocking stuffers and the class that sells the most wins an ICE CREAM PARTY!!

VIKING SKATE COUNTRY

Join us for some fun on wheels on Friday, December 5th, from 10 am to noon at Viking Skate Country in Redding. Skate rental is included in the cost of the field trip, which is \$5.00 per skater. You can rent a skate mate at the facility for an additional \$5 (cash only). This is a fun field trip for inviting friends and family, as we have rented the entire facility.

Besides upbeat music and lots of time on the rink, the Viking Skate staff will lead games like Red Light Green Light and The Limbo. Please see the attached flyer and turn in your permission slips and payment to the office by Thursday, December 4th.

CANNED FOOD DRIVE

Our annual Christmas Canned Food Drive starts this week and goes until December 15. Students that bring in a canned or boxed food item get to put a Christmas ornament on our Christmas tree in the library. All of our canned food items are donated to the local food bank. See attached flyer and thank you for helping others this Christmas season.

PARENT CLUB CORNER

The Parent Club Board would like to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving! We are so thankful for the incredible students and families here at Cottonwood Creek Charter School. You are the ones who are behind our drive and passion for the Parent Club. Our next Parent Club Meeting is December 2nd at 8:15 am in the cafeteria, everyone is welcome!

12 Baskets of Christmas

Hello Families:

It's that time again- The Christmas Baskets! Basket donations can be dropped off to your student's teacher or to the office.

The Class Themes are:

K- Everything Trader Joe's
1st- Taste of Italy
2nd- All Things Local
3rd- Family Game Night
4th- Sports Mania
5th- Coffee & Chocolate
6th- Cold Hard Cash
7th- Arts and Crafts
8th- Outdoor Adventure
Homeschool K-3rd- I'll Be Home For Christmas
Homeschool 4th-8th- Family Movie Night
TK- Gift Cards

**Baskets to be completed by
Wednesday, December 3rd**



CCC Library Food Drive

Our annual
Cottonwood Creek Charter Library Christmas
Canned Food Drive

starts Dec. 1st and goes until
December 15th.



K- 3rd: Bring in a canned or boxed food item and put a **Christmas ornament** on our Christmas tree in the library.

4th - 8th: A box will be in front of your homeroom. Will your class bring in the most and win the ice-cream?

Our food items are donated to the local food bank. Thank you for helping others this Christmas Season.

COTTONWOOD CREEK CHARTER SCHOOL

ROLLER SKATING FIELD TRIP



**Friday, December 5
10 a.m. - noon**

**Cost: \$5 per person
(includes skate rental)**

**Please
bring socks**

No discount coupons or passes may be used at this time.
No food or beverages may be brought into the skating rink.

**Please return your permission slip and payment to
the school by Thursday, December 4.**



735 Auditorium Drive
Redding, CA 96001

Try a skate mate !



**IDEAL FOR
BEGINNER SKATERS !**

**Suitable for Adults or
Children**

**Skate Mates Help
Gain Balance &
Confidence
While Learning to Skate
And Having Fun!**

\$5. Rental Fee

See Cashier for Rental

*Skate Mate is Only to Be Used by
Person Renting it*

*** Lightweight PVC Material**

*** Available in Multiple Sizes**

*** Please Keep Your Skate Mate With You At All Times**

**We Are Not Responsible for Lost or Damaged
Skate Mates**

*** Please Try to Stay Close to Railing With Skate Mate**

*** Skate Mate is Not a Toy**

*** Do Not Place Skates or Feet on Skate Mate**

*** Do Not Ride on Skate Mate**

*** We Reserve the Right to Cancel Rental if Skate
Mate is Used in An Unsafe or Unauthorized Manner**



**VIKING SKATE COUNTRY (530) 246-3901
Redding's Family Fun Center
www.vikingskatecountry.com**

COTTONWOOD CREEK CHARTER SCHOOL EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITY PERMISSION SLIP

Emergency Information / Agreement / Waiver and Release (For use by parent of a student participating in a school activity)

Date of School Activity: Friday, December 5, 2025 from 10am-12pm

School Activity: Viking Skate Country

Permission Slip must be returned by: Thursday, December 4

This event is for our Students, their Families and Friends

Payment must accompany Permission Slip

\$5 per person/non skating adults free

Parent / Guardian to complete the following information

Student Name: _____

Student Name: _____

Student Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent: Home Phone #: _____ Cell #: _____

Work Phone #: _____

Parent Mailing Address: _____

TOTAL NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS IN THIS SCHOOL ACTIVITY

Cottonwood Creek Students # _____

Other Children # _____

Adults # _____

TOTAL AMOUNT PAID \$ _____

Please initial A or B below to indicate transportation choice. If choosing B, enter driver's name.

_____ A. I will be transporting my own student(s) in my vehicle to the approved school activity.

_____ B. I give my permission for my student(s) to be transported by _____

I have confirmed with the school office that this driver has completed the form Volunteer/Employee Vehicle Usage – Transporting Students, and it is on file with Cottonwood Creek Charter School.

Please initial #1 or #2 below to indicate required action in the event of accident or emergency.

_____ 1. In the event of accident or emergency, when a parent/guardian is unavailable, I hereby authorize a representative of the school to make such arrangements as he/she considers necessary for my child to receive medical/hospital care, including necessary transportation. Under such circumstances, I further authorize the Physician named below to undertake such care and treatment of my child as he/she considers necessary. In the event that said Physician is not available at any time, I authorize such care and treatment to be performed by a licensed Physician or surgeon. Any limitations to the authorized care is noted below. THE UNDERSIGNED PARENT/GUARDIAN FULLY UNDERSTANDS HE/SHE IS RESPONSIBLE TO PAY ALL COSTS INCURRED AS A RESULT OF THE FOREGOING.

Physician's Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Medical Insurance: _____ Policy #: _____

TREATMENT LIMITATIONS: _____

_____ 2. I do not choose the above statement and desire the following action to be taken: _____

INFORMATION: Education code Section 35330 authorizes the governing board of any school district to conduct field trips or excursions for students in connection with courses of instruction or school related social, educational, cultural, athletic or school band activities to and from places in the state, any other state, the District of Columbia, or a foreign country. Field trips or excursions may be connected with such courses of instruction or such school activities that further the student's education and participation is voluntary.

WAIVER: California law provides as follows: "All persons making the field trip or excursion shall be deemed to have waived all claims against the school, district, or the State of California for injury, accident, illness, or death occurring or by reason of the field trip or excursion. All adults taking out-of-state field trips or excursions and all parents or guardians of pupils taking out-of-state field trips or excursions shall sign a statement waiving such claims". (Ed. Code Sec. 35330)

I acknowledge that my participation in this Activity is not required by "the School", or any teacher or employee of "the School" and is voluntary. I understand that in determining that participation in this Activity has educational value, "the School" has not investigated or approved its safety, the qualifications or financial responsibility of any person or firm involved in the Activity, or the facilities or equipment to be used. In addition, "the School" has not provided or approved transportation to or from this Activity. All participants are expected to secure their own transportation to and from the Activity. I hereby waive, release and discharge "the School" from any and all claims for damages or personal injury, death, or property damage which I may have, or which may hereafter occur as a result of my participation in the Activity. It is understood that the Activity may involve an element of risk and danger of accidents and knowing those risks, I hereby assume those risks. It is further agreed that this waiver, release and assumption of risk is to be binding on my heirs and assigns.

My signature on this form shall constitute an informed and knowing waiver as required by law. I acknowledge that I have carefully read this agreement, waiver, and release and fully understand its contents, and have provided emergency information. I am aware that this release of liability is a contract between myself and "the School". My signature below also authorizes my student(s) to participate in this voluntary group educational activity.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Cottonwood Creek Charter School

VOLUNTARY EXCURSION/FIELD TRIP NOTICE AND MEDICAL AUTHORIZATION - ADULT

Cottonwood Creek Charter School and the Cottonwood Union School District

Destination: Viking Skate Country, 737 Auditorium Dr., Redding, CA 96001

Date & Time: Friday, December 5th, 2025; 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

As stated in California Education Code Section 35330, I understand that I waive all claims against Cottonwood Creek Charter School or the Cottonwood Union School District, its officers, agents and employees for any injury, accident, illness, or death occurring during or by reason of this field trip or excursion, including acts of negligence by Cottonwood Creek Charter School or the Cottonwood Union School District, its officers, agents or employees.

In the event of illness or injury, I hereby consent to whatever x-ray, examination, anesthetic, medical, surgical or dental diagnosis or treatment and hospital care from a licensed physician and/or surgeon as deemed necessary for my safety and welfare. It is understood that the resulting expenses will be the responsibility of the participant.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

Medical Insurance Carrier	Policy No.	Address
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In the event of illness or accident, please notify:

Name	Address	Phone
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If there are any special medical problems, kindly attach a description of the problem to this sheet.

Thank you.