

LYNX NEWS



West Campus

September 28, 2022



Monument Academy is hiring for various positions. If you or someone you know is interested in any of the following, please go to our website to apply: <https://www.monumentacademy.net/quick-links/employment/>



[Employment – Monument Academy](https://www.monumentacademy.net/quick-links/employment/)

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80132 Phone: (719) 481-1950 Fax: (719) 481-1948.
East Campus 4303 Pinehurst Circle Colorado Springs,
CO 80908

www.monumentacademy.net

- Morning only PK Teacher
- Morning only PK Paraprofessional
- 5th Grade Teacher
- Part Time Health Clerk Paraprofessional
- Part Time Classroom Paraprofessionals
- Part Time Lunchroom Paraprofessionals

Traffic at Knollwood and Hwy 105



Parents,

As you know the county has come out and completed some signal timing on the lights. They have installed a "No Right on Red" traffic sign for westbound 105 turning right onto northbound Knollwood. Thank you for adhering to the new traffic sign.

Let's do our part to assist in the traffic flow off of Highway 105 each day by following the traffic signs. Also, please remember that when you follow the flow of traffic from our school up the hill by the church, that we are a "Right Turn Only" out of the church parking lot. This is an agreement we have with the church for safety reasons and there is a sign there to remind you.

Thank you,

Kurt Walker
Principal

Upcoming **EVENTS**

October 4th – Picture Day

October 7th – Free Dress Day

**October 12th - 13th – Parent Teacher Conferences, NO
School for Students**

October 14th – 17th – Fall Break, NO School

NEW VOLUNTEER TRACKING PROGRAM

WHY VOLUNTEER?

Volunteer Hours help our school, staff, bonds for school buildings, and grants!

We have a new volunteer portal with all events in one place and an easy way to log/track your hours.

Whether you can help in person or from home, we have a wide range of ways to get involved.

Follow the code to register!

4 Steps to Get Started as a Volunteer

1 GET REGISTERED

Option A: Self Register

- 1 Visit the direct link for your organization on Track It Forward
- 2 Fill out the necessary fields and click Sign Up!

*Direct link is usually shared via email or posted online

Option B: Added by Organizer

- 1 When you receive your invitation email, click on the link provided
- 2 Click on "Login" and set your password!

*If the email hasn't arrived, check your spam folder

2 DOWNLOAD THE APP

- 1 Open the app store on your mobile device
- 2 Search for "Track It Forward" or "Volunteer Time Tracking"
- 3 Download the app with the green logo
- 4 Enter your username and password to login

*You must register as a new user on the website before installing the mobile app



3 SIGN UP FOR EVENTS

- 1 Login on the website or mobile app
- 2 Click on "Events"
- 3 Select an opportunity and click Sign Up

PLEASE NOTE:
Some sites may not use the calendar



4 LOG YOUR HOURS!

- 1 Login on the website or mobile app
- 2 Click on "Log Hours"
- 3 Fill out all the necessary fields
- 4 Click "Submit"

PLEASE NOTE:
Contact your organization with questions about logging hours



TRACK IT FORWARD

See all the ways you can help at www.monumentacademy.net/volunteering/.

For more information and any questions, please contact the Volunteer Committee at: mavolunteers@monumentacademy.net



Watch D.O.G.S has started back up for the year. This is a great way to volunteer. We have plenty of available openings, grab your spot now.

Watch Dogs:

<https://signup.com/go/sVvbhCq>

On behalf of Mr. Walker & Ms. Barrette, they are pleased to announce this week's...



Kim Cavanagh- Born and raised in the Central Valley of California, she graduated from California State University of Bakersfield with a degree in Liberal Arts. She then went on to the University of LaVerne for her teaching credential. She taught for 11 years in Southern California and then moved to Colorado in 2006. Her first teaching job in CO was for Douglas County Schools for 9 years and then she came to MA in 2017. In 2010, she received her master's degree in Reading from Grand Canyon University. She currently lives in Castle Rock with her husband of 29 years and their two Cavalier King Charles Spaniels (Kobe & Penny) which are forever her babies. Her two kids, both about to be 24, have recently graduated from college (CU Boulder & NAU) and have entered the working world. #adulting

Willa Pendleton - Bachelor's degree in Elementary Education from UNC Greeley with graduate work in reading. She homeschooled approximately seven years then enrolled the youngest three in the private Christian school she and her husband established. She is married and has four grown children and five grandchildren that light up her life! She has directed nursery, preschool, and elementary programs, VBS outreaches, and children's musicals. She was the women's ministry director for several years and enjoyed traveling overseas with her husband to numerous countries visiting and teaching in ministry training schools. Started at MA in 2003, she loves working with children, teaching them to read and love learning. Spending time with family, decorating, working in the yard, and being in the mountains brings her much joy!



Dear Parents and Families:

Get ready! The Scholastic Book Fair is coming our way (YAY!). Book selection includes Pre-6th grade, plus adult best sellers.

Choosing their own books empowers kids and inspires them to become Bolder, Prouder, and Stronger Readers. AND—as always—every book they buy earns rewards for our school. Our goal is to sell 2,000 books while the fair is here.

The Fair will be in the Library from **October 5th - 12th** during school hours. Teachers will bring their classes to visit, and it will be open with limited hours during P/T conferences.

This year, say hello to **eWallet**—your child’s digital payment account. Before the Fair, set up eWallet for worry-free, cash-free purchases. Anyone can contribute! Share each child’s eWallet so friends and family can add funds and give your kids more books to enjoy.

If you can’t make it to the Fair, then **shop at our school’s Online Book Fair**. *All orders ship directly to your home*, and shipping is free for book orders over \$25. Your online orders will also benefit our school.

Visit our Book Fair homepage to learn more and get started with **eWallet** and **online shopping**:

<https://www.scholastic.com/bf/monumentacademy2>



[It's Book Fair Time!](#)

Visit our school's homepage to get the latest Book Fair news, shop our Online Fair, and more!
www.scholastic.com

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**SPIRIT WEAR
ORDERS WILL
BE DELIVERED
BY THE END
OF
SEPTEMBER!**

***EXCLUDING BACKORDERS**

SPIRIT WEAR

ORDERS WILL BE DELIVERED TO YOUR CHILD'S CLASSROOM, AS SOON AS ALL ORDERS ARE SORTED!

ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE EMAIL:
SPIRITWEAR@MONUMENTACADEMY.NET

YOU CAN FIND US ON FACEBOOK

(West Campus) <https://www.facebook.com/MonumentAcademyPTO/>

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FINAL RESULTS

MONUMENT ACADEMY WEST PENNY WARS

RANK	NAME	SCORE
01	4TH GRADE	69,950 POINTS
02	3RD GRADE	68,266 POINTS
03	1ST GRADE	64,848 POINTS
04	2ND GRADE	63,300 POINTS
05	5TH GRADE	47,647 POINTS
06	KINDERGARTEN	17,337 POINTS
07	PRE-SCHOOL/PRE-K	14,997 POINTS

AND THE WINNER IS 4TH GRADE!



We would like to THANK everyone who participated in the 2022 Penny Wars!! This was a very fun and successful Fundraiser!

We raised over \$6,000!!!!

The fourth-grade pizza party will be held on Friday, October 7th.



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16196 Jackson Creek Pkwy
Monument, CO

FUNDRAISING

DINE-IN OR TO-GO

»» *Support* ««

Monument Academy PTO

September 28th

4pm – 9pm



10%

DONATION NIGHT

Support the PTO by presenting this
flyer to the Monument
Location and Texas Roadhouse will
donate **10%** of your total food
purchases to Monument Academy
PTO!

Monument Academy PTO West
presents



TRUNK

or

TREAT



OCTOBER 28TH

5-7PM



Come dressed in your best costume and join us for a fun evening of Trunk or Treating, Candy, Food trucks, Glo Dance and FUN. Please keep costumes family friendly. No weapons.



Decorated Pumpkin Contest

Funny, Creepy, Silly or Cute

We want to judge your carved or decorated

Pumpkin.

FAMILIES CAN SUBMIT A PUMPKIN AT AFTERNOON CARLINE ON OCT 28
PUMPKINS NEED TO HAVE NAME WRITTEN ON BOTTOM OF PUMPKIN NOT VISIBLE TO THE EYE
STUDENTS WILL BE JUDGING YOUR PUMPKIN DURING TRUNK OR TREAT
WINNER WILL BE ANNOUNCED AT 7PM
PICKUP YOUR DECORATED PUMPKIN AT END OF EVENT

Glo Dance

Family Dance in the GYM

Food Trucks

3 Food Trucks will be available



Would you like to decorate your car?

Candy & trinkets will be provided to pass out.

You must arrive by 4:15 and car must be ready/decorated by 4:45pm.

Signup at

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E45A4A72CA6FF2-monument1>

**BEST TRUNK
CONTEST**