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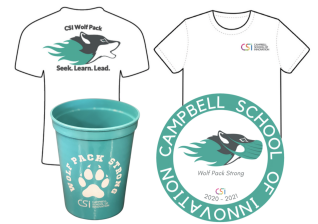
MAY 17, 2021

HERE COMES THE SUN!



SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Family Tech Talk - Wed. May 26th @ 7pm** - Technology is changing fast, and many of us are struggling to stay one step ahead of our kids. Please join for an expert presentation and Q&A about how to teach them to be smart, safe, and respectful digital citizens.
 - We'll also cover Social networking sites and how to help your child use them wisely; What to do if your child encounters online bullying; How to encourage responsible Internet use and habits and more.
 - Click [HERE](#) to join the event (Passcode: 559169)
- **CSI PTO Inventory Blowout Sale May 28th** - in front of the Think Tank (Library) during morning drop-off and afternoon pick-up
 - First come first serve on all remaining CSI Gear! (our current inventory CSI spirit wear, wolf pack strong 16 oz stadium cups and 6" round CSI magnets)
 - We will accept credit card or check only. Please make checks payable to "CSI PTO". Apologies in advance for any inconvenience, but we will NOT be able to accept cash for this sale.
- Thank you to everyone who joined us last week for the General PTO Mtg and Board Elections. **The 2021/'22 PTO Exec. Board Members' bios** can be found [HERE](#).
- **Yearbook - SUBMIT PHOTOS!!!!** Read on for more information on submissions below.
 - We will be using TreeRing - the link will be shared soon and yearbook orders will ship directly to your home likely over the summer.
- **Oasis Replenishment!** Our amazing staff has been working so hard to make the transition back to campus as smooth and as fun as possible. Let's continue to show how much we support them and help keep the Oasis full of healthy, energizing snacks and drinks.
 - Check out the [Sign Up Genius here](#) to see how you can help.



HELP NEEDED

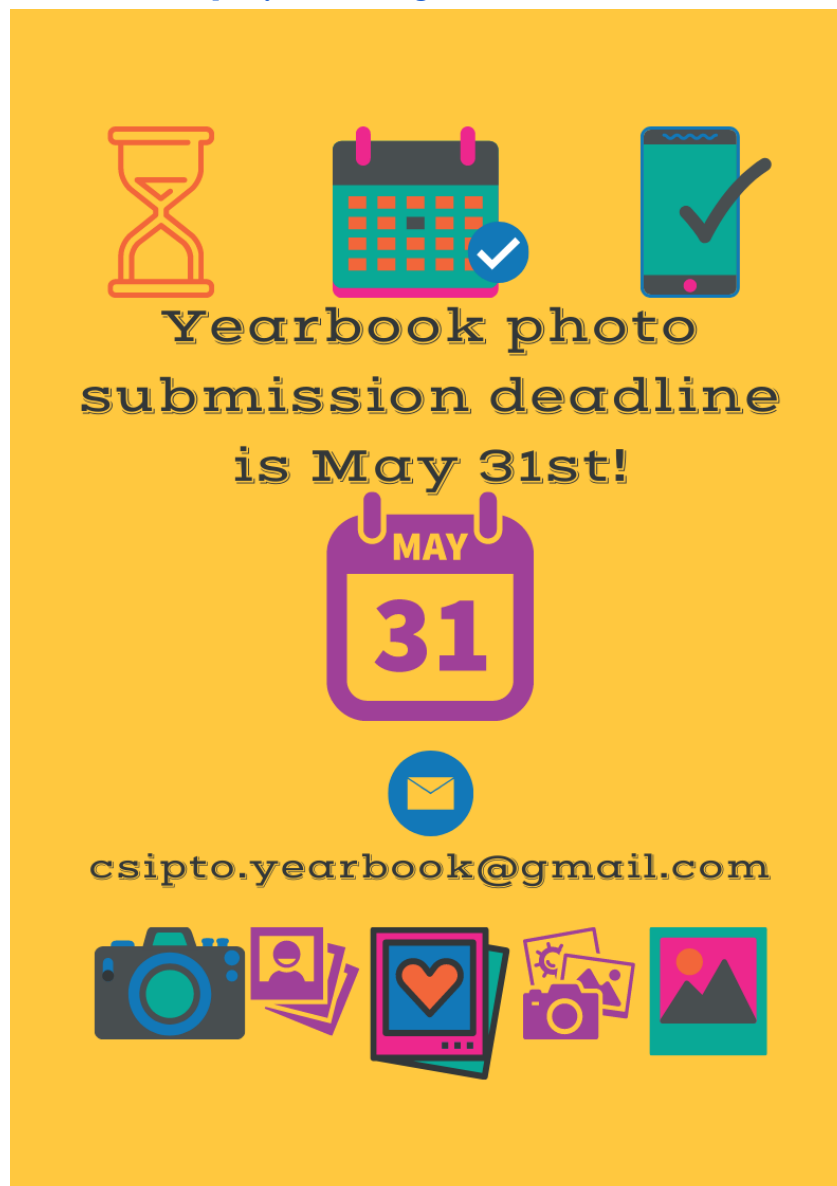
- The PTO Exec. Board is **seeking an Auditor**. We are looking for someone willing to perform our next audit on the financial records in July. No auditing experience necessary, just a strong eye for details.
 - Please contact our Treasurer, Sara Siegrist, at csipto.treasurer@gmail.com if you would like more information or to volunteer.

YEARBOOK - WE'RE LOOKING AT YOU, WOLF PACK!

- Would you like your student featured in our yearbook? Even though we've been physically apart for most of the school year, we can still share our memories together! We need your help to make sure that ALL of our CSI community is represented in the yearbook.
 - Send in ANY favorite photos of your students taken during the school year or check out csipto.com/yearbook for more ideas (e.g. - First Day of School, Selfies with Flat Wolfey). You are welcome to include family in your photos, as well. :)
 - **The deadline for photo submissions is Mon., May 31st.**
- We have several ways for you to get your photos to us:
 - Email: csipto.yearbook@gmail.com
 - Google Photos: share to csipto.yearbook@gmail.com
 - Google Drive: share to csipto.yearbook@gmail.com
 - [Google Form](#)

NOTE: Please include a description with your student's name, grade, and teacher for all submissions.

- Questions? Contact us at csipto.yearbook@gmail.com.



The poster features a yellow background with several icons: an hourglass, a calendar with a checkmark, and a smartphone with a checkmark. The text reads: "Yearbook photo submission deadline is May 31st!". Below this is a calendar icon showing "MAY 31". Underneath is an email icon and the email address "csipto.yearbook@gmail.com". At the bottom are icons for a camera, photo gallery, photo with heart, photo with camera, and photo with mountain.

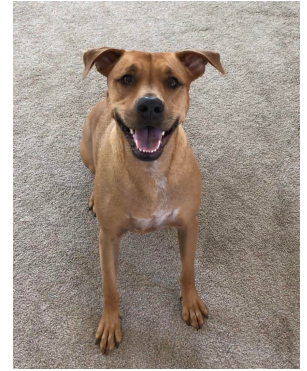
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STAFF SPOTLIGHT - DOUBLE EDITION - BECAUSE 2 IS BETTER THAN 1

MS. HAILEY HAMILTON DOMINGUEZ

1st Grade, 2nd Year at CSI



Hello Ms. Hamilton Dominguez! We would love to get to know more about you. What are some of your interests and hobbies?

My hobbies are reading, watching TV shows, and spending time outside. I enjoy going to the beach, hiking, and camping with my dog and husband. I also love spending time with my family!

Can you tell us a little bit about your path to becoming an educator and learning designer?

I wanted to be a teacher for as long as I can remember. My grandma has a photo of me when I was little with all my stuffed animals lined up on the floor while I read them a story. My aunt was a 2nd grade teacher and I spent a lot of time helping her in her classroom. I got my Bachelor's Degree in Liberal Studies Prep for Teaching, my Multiple Subject Teaching Credential, and Masters Degree in Curriculum and Instruction from San Jose State University. My greatest accomplishment has been becoming a part of CSI last year. I love CSI's sense of community, inclusivity, diversity, and teaching philosophy. I am so grateful and proud to be a part of the Wolfpack!

What are some things CSI families would find intriguing about you?

An interesting fact about me is I am the oldest of five children. My mom had two sets of fraternal twins, I am the only one of my siblings without a twin! I also have Type one Diabetes and so does my younger brother. I was diagnosed with Type one Diabetes when I was 12 years old. When I was diagnosed I had never even heard of diabetes before. I like to share about my diabetes with my students in case one day they meet someone else with diabetes.

MS. AMANDA HAUGHS

2nd Grade, 3rd Year at CSI

Hello Ms. Haughs! We would love to know more about you. What are some of your interests and hobbies?

I love making & creating things. I grew up in a very crafty household and that maker mentality has definitely stuck with me. I love cooking and baking-- my husband got me a small woodfire pizza oven for Christmas, and my mom got me a pasta maker, so right now we're experimenting quite a lot with pasta and pizza dough recipes. I also am super interested in coding and electronics. I like to tinker around at home with computers and most recently built a motion sensor-activated "scarecrow" for our garden, which is basically a motor with lots of shiny stuff on it meant to scare away any rodents that get too close to our vegetables. I also learned how to sew with my mom and grandmother when I was younger, so every once in a while I still do a little sewing on one of their machines. Most recently I am learning some woodworking skills from my dad-- I'm currently trying to master the scroll saw!



Can you share a bit about your professional path and what drew you to CSI?

I took a roundabout path toward teaching after college. I actually started off as a production assistant for a film producer, then moved into public relations. I was a publicist at a boutique food & wine focused firm for about 4 years before I finally found my calling as an educator. I'd been working in CampbellUSD for almost 7 years (first at Forest Hill and then as a district instructional coach) when I heard that we might be opening a new school. I've always been passionate about creativity and making in the classroom, and once I'd heard more about the vision for CSI, I knew immediately that this was a school that I'd want to be a part of. I applied to be a part of the original CSI design committee (along with Alicia Hamilton & Mackanie Frances Carney) and the rest is history.

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I love getting out and speaking with other educators about innovation in our field. I've even had the opportunity to present at numerous conferences and workshops across the country on topics including mathematics and computer science education. Unfortunately, the last year put a big halt on much of my travelling.

However, I did manage to have a pretty interesting pandemic year-- after several reschedules last year, my husband and I celebrated a pandemic-style mini-mony in August, with our parents on Zoom, and now we're expecting a quaranteeny baby boy this August.

REMINDERS

- **Music Enrichment** - Thank You to CSI Parent Justin Imamura for providing Music Appreciation classes for CSI students this past year!
 - If you and your students haven't already experienced these classes, the library of classes is available on demand on csipto.com/music.
- As always, be sure to check out csipto.com to find the latest information and content.

FUNDRAISING

Don't forget to select CSI PTO as your AmazonSmile non-profit of choice! They will support our students with every purchase! SHARE THE LOVE!

Check out our [ongoing fundraising campaigns!](#) You can learn more about our fundraising goals, and how the funds are allocated on csipto.com!



COMMUNITY

Private class level Facebook Groups links are directly available on:
<https://www.csipto.com/facebook-groups.html>

EVENTS CALENDAR

The current PTO Calendar can be located on the Calendar tab of the CSI PTO website:
(<https://www.csipto.com/calendar.html>) and on our Facebook PTO Events page [here](#).

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