

## FOR THE WEEKS OF SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2011- FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2011

Tuesday, Nov. 22, 8 – 11 a.m.

### **PRAIRIE HILLS ELEMENTARY STUDENTS PARTICIPATE IN GIVING/CHARITY PROJECT**

**Prairie Hills Elementary, 13801 Garfield Pl., Thornton**

Second-grade students in Ms. Caley-Oviatt's class at Prairie Hills will stitch Little Dresses for Africa and Drawstring Bags for Soldiers as a charity event. Parents and Above and Beyond Sewing and Vacuum will assist students.

**Photo Opportunities:** Tuesday, Nov. 22, 8 – 11 a.m. at the school.

**For more information contact Kim Caley-Oviatt at 720-972-8780.**

Thursday, Nov. 24, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m. EST

### **LEGACY HIGH SCHOOL BAND MARCHES IN 85<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL MACY'S THANKSGIVING DAY PARADE**

**Legacy High School, 2701 W. 136<sup>th</sup> Ave., Broomfield**

**Parade begins at 77th Street & Central Park West and ends at Macy's Herald Square, New York City, N.Y.**

Legacy High School Marching Band, under the direction of Clay Stansberry, will march in the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade in New York City on Thanksgiving morning. The band will perform "A Colorado Winter Wonderland". The Legacy band is only the second band from Colorado to be invited to march in the parade.

**Photo Opportunities:** Monday, Nov. 14 – Friday, Nov. 18, 3:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. and Saturday, Nov. 19, 8 a.m. – 12 p.m. at the school.

Thursday, Nov. 24 9 a.m. – 12 p.m. EST, parade route, New York, N.Y.

**For more information contact Clay Stansberry at 720-972-6700.**

Monday, Dec. 5, 6 – 8:30 p.m.

### **ADAMS COUNTY YOUTH COUNCIL HOSTS "TAKE ACTION FOR A POSITIVE CHANGE"**

**Adams 12 Five Star Schools, Conference Center, 1500 E. 128<sup>th</sup> Ave., Thornton**

Adams County Youth Council calls youth and parents to action. The evening will focus on preventing drug and alcohol use among Adams County youth. Guest speakers include Dr. Lisa Boeksy, TV guest expert and national speaker and author, "It's your choice!" and Don Quick, District Attorney for the 17<sup>th</sup> Judicial District. Dinner is included.

**For more information contact Becky Hoffman at [beckyhoffman@acyi.org](mailto:beckyhoffman@acyi.org).**

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## **OTHER NEWS AND FEATURE STORIES**

### **ROCKY TOP MIDDLE SCHOOL EARNS LOCAL BUSINESS AWARD**

The U.S. Commerce Association (USCA) recognized Rocky Top Middle School as the 2011 Best of Brighton Award in the schools category. The USCA "Best of Local Business" Award Program recognizes outstanding local businesses throughout the country. Each year, the USCA identifies companies that enhance the positive image of small business through service to their customers and community.

**For more information please contact Chelsea Behanna at 720-972-2200.**

### **COLORADO SCHOOL COUNSELORS HONOR NIVER CREEK PRINCIPAL**

Jacque Kerr, Niver Creek Middle School principal, has been recognized by Colorado school counselors as the 2011 Colorado School Counselor Association's Advocate of the Year. The purpose of the Advocate of the Year Award is to recognize persons who have demonstrated their belief in and support of school counseling programs that have had an impact on counselors and their students at the local, state, or national level.

**For more information please contact Greg McDonald at 720-972-5135.**

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