



School Events & Happenings



MANITOU SPRINGS HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR GROUP NIGHT WITH THE DENVER NUGGETS

Come support the Manitou Springs Middle and High School Choir as they perform the National Anthem prior to the Nuggets vs. Blazers game!



VS



Denver Nuggets vs Portland Trail Blazers
Monday, April 9th, 2018 • 7:00pm • Pepsi Center

SPECIAL GROUP PRICING:

Lower Bowl Corners: \$55 (normally \$85 + fees)
Upper Bowl Centers: \$23 (normally \$29 + fees)

**No taxes or fees will be added to orders
**All tickets are sold on a first come, first served basis and are based on availability
**Pricing subject to change at any time

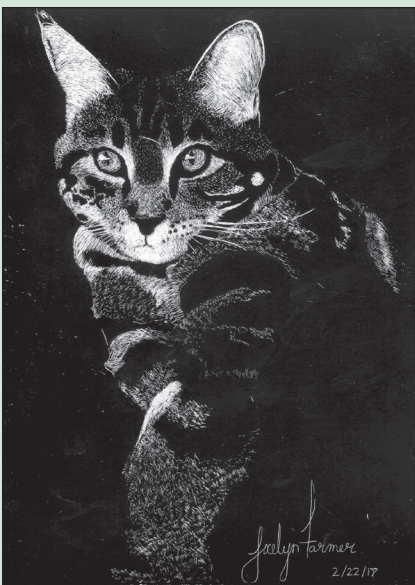
Purchase by April 2nd to guarantee seating with the group!

Order tickets online at:

www.nuggetstix.com/ManitouSpringsMSHS

For more information, please contact Alexa Carpenter at 303.405.1196 or alexa.carpenter@teamkse.com

Artists of the Week



Artist: Jocelyn Farmer, 11th Grade, Manitou Springs High School
Title: Hank **Medium:** scratchboard



Artist: Mackenna Yount, 10th Grade, Manitou Springs High School
Medium: scratchboard

Employment Opportunities

SPANISH LANGUAGE TEACHERS: Manitou Springs Elementary, Middle School and High School are all seeking Spanish Language Teachers for the 2018–2019 school year. Current valid Colorado teaching license with the appropriate endorsements required.

BUS DRIVERS NEEDED: Bus driving experience preferred. District will provide training if needed. CDL (Class B with P-2 & S endorsements). Must complete fingerprinting and background screening. Physical and drug/alcohol pre-test.

More information: www.mssd14.org.

Alumni Corner with Steve Peek

Steve Peek, a 2012 graduate of Manitou Springs High School, gives his perspective on personal growth, higher education and broadening one's horizons.

What are you currently doing?

Since graduating from the University of Colorado in 2016, I made the move to New York City where I am currently a consultant at Deloitte.

Specifically, I work to support the Digital Finance Technology practice where my primary focus has been helping clients implement and adopt cloud-based tools and technologies to better understand their business.

This work also helps clients improve communication within the finance organization and ultimately drives increased value and revenue.

What did you personally learn that has "stuck with you" while at MSSD14?

When I try to answer this question, names come to mind like O'Connor, Mack, Armour and Brown. I think that the people at Manitou really care about you. I know that the only reason I have been able to climb my own mountains is because of the unconditional mentorship I received from various teachers, coaches and peers. People didn't need a reason to care, they just did, which is powerful. I didn't understand the depth of this gift until

going to college and realizing I was one fish in a much bigger pond that had to seek out those mentors I had relied so heavily on. As a result, I know I am responsible to "pay it forward" and continue the good others have given to me.

What advice do you have for current students at MSSD14?

Wow, what a question! I think my answer comes in two parts.

First, don't underestimate how unique our hometown is, our school is and how valuable that makes you! For me, I had no idea until I moved away and started to realize that other people don't get the unique experiences and opportunities that Manitou creates for us.

Second, strive to lean into discomfort. The most growth will come at the times when you are spread thin, feel a bit overwhelmed and still get after it. Apathy is easy, but also hollow. Commit to what you are involved in, whether it is your job, sports, music, theater, etc. Doing this will not only help you elevate "your game" but will also push those around you to do the same!



Steve Peek

Please add anything you think is interesting.

Something I know has deeply impacted my perspective and approach to life has been studying as well as working abroad. This

is not something I ever thought to do while at Manitou, but life had a different plan. These experiences taught me the importance of travel, whether to another state or another country. Being intentional about learning of others' culture, values, struggles and triumphs enabled me to not only question and solidify my own values, but also understand the impact that we all can make.

POP QUIZ — PREVIOUS WEEK'S ANSWER: D. All of the above.
Manitou Springs High School offers language courses in Spanish, German and French.

SPRING BREAK IS MARCH 26-30 – NO SCHOOL

