



# Monthly Minute

A monthly "hello" from the Cloquet Educational Foundation with news, information, and small "seeds" for your in-box

[www.cloquetedfoundation.org](http://www.cloquetedfoundation.org)

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### Mission Statement:

The Cloquet Educational Foundation, a 501 (c)(3) non-profit organization, provides opportunities for academic, artistic, athletic, cultural, and social growth for children and youth in the Cloquet area by financially supporting programs and activities.

### About US

The Cloquet Educational Foundation believes an ideal community promotes educational excellence by supporting learning opportunities for children-in the classroom and beyond-so they can develop into healthy, productive adults.

Our purpose is to secure funding for educational opportunities for Cloquet students from birth through high school graduation. We work in partnership with the Cloquet Public Schools and the community to accomplish goals.

Our funding does not replace school district responsibilities. It works to enhance dollars by providing necessary support for prioritized educational initiatives and creative and innovative programs.

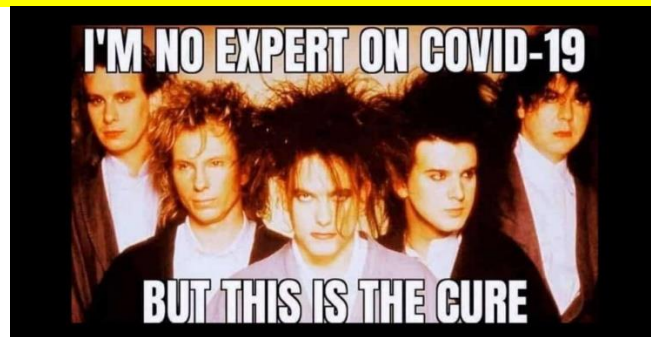
The district is well underway in the process to get the Covid shots out to the staff who want them! What good news. I have a personal perspective from receiving the immunization: The second shot could be a *little different* from the first. Now I don't want to psyche anyone into some imaginary symptoms, but the second shot could render you a little "under the weather" for a day or so. While some recipients carry on quite well, many need some rest, fluids, some TLC and a little laugh.

Because of this, I am going to "piggyback" on an email that Mary Marciniak, the Executive Assistant to the Superintendent sent out last week. She is looking for good, clean jokes that the district staff can share for "**Let's Laugh Day**" on **Friday, March 19, 2021**. (You can send your submissions to Mary at [mmarciniak@isd94.org](mailto:mmarciniak@isd94.org).)

I will get the ball rolling! Be happy and hopeful in your sore arm. This is for those of you out there who might need a day brightener today, it's pretty "pun-ey".



**AND FOR THOSE OF YOU WHO EMBRACED 80'S ALTERNATIVE ROCK....**



Do you know someone who would like to receive this in their in-box each month?

Contact us at [jacers@isd94.org](mailto:jacers@isd94.org)

Take Care Everyone!

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Spotlight on our supporters:



Minnesota Energy Resources delivers natural gas to 243,000 customers in 179 communities across Minnesota. For more than 80 years, we've grown and changed with the communities we serve. As a long-time supporter of the CEF, we know we appreciate their friendship in all weather!



The seniors of 2021 are going out with CLASS! Creative (and socially distanced) measures are being taken to give the CHS seniors a spring to remember. Shown here are a few friends enjoying a great day at Pine Valley with fellow classmates. It is hard to believe spring and summer are on the way!

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THIS...to this!

**Did you know....** that the CEF partially funds the CEC Nordic Program by providing ski equipment to 1<sup>st</sup> year skiers? With support from the local Sons of Norway (Heimsyn Lodge) each year, the CEF is able to grant funding for many kids to enjoy the activity of cross-country skiing. What a way to embrace winter!



**Good Luck at STATE CEC Boys Cross Country Team! GO Jacks!**



Cloquet Educational Foundation

In Case you missed it... thanks to these friends and community members for your service as CEF Board Members. These are the folks who volunteer their time to carefully read each grant, help fund raise for the CEF and support the programs, policies and initiatives that promote great education in Cloquet.

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Rob Nelson

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David Pritchett  
Tom Proulx  
Karin Sabyan  
Russ Smith  
Adrienne Strickland  
Shaun Williams



It's On!

Get YOUR team together. 😊

## The 17<sup>th</sup> Annual CEF GOLF TOURNAMENT

Monday, August 2, 2021  
Cloquet Country Club

**\*Registration forms available soon and coming your way via email and website \$375 per team**

**\*Sign up by July 1 to be in the "Early Bird" Drawing of \$250 in the CCC Pro Shop!**



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