

are you ready?

Ready to enter school through the **pod doors** and have to stay there until the new morning bells?

7:25 Head to first period,

Which stairs **go up** again?

Which ones **go down**?

7:35 Warning bell, phones away.

7:40 Start class.

Ready to be in your half-full classroom on your **cohort** day?

Hey, at least you get to see your teachers and friends **in person**, even if it means a **mask** for **eight hours**.

Ready to play school sports in a

slightly different way?

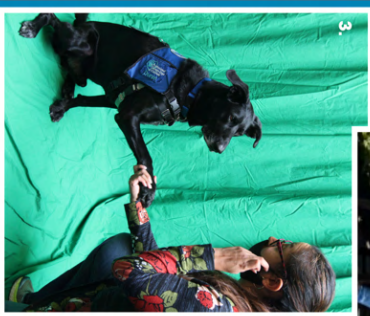
Mr. Shew records your **temp** before cross country practice. **No tackle football** this year? Don't worry, Pione and Sheets will still make you **work hard** in flag football.

Are you ready for **100% remote learning** just when you got used to **hybrid**?

You know, when you get kicked out of the **Google Meet** in the middle of Ms. Highsmith's virtual class.

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WE ARE.



1. BREAK FREE Over the summer, Greyson Walker (8) and his friends hung out in Bleeckeridge, July 31. She wants to go on more trips with her friends each summer and see new places. "There were four of us, including me. We did an escape room, we went to the pool a lot, we stopped downtown, we went out to lunch, it was just fun spending time with my friends." *Walter said. Photo courtesy of Catherine Hemberger.*

2. LEANS

AND BOUNDS Along with his cross country team, Carson Renker (8) jumps over a bump in the route on the way to the bridge with the soldier mural. Renker's best time is nine and a half minutes for a mile and a half. "My favorite route is going down to the soldier bridge, so taking the sidewalk by the

street at the way down to the soldier bridge and then looping back up to CV." *Renker said. Photo by Deidra Hooper.*

3. TEACHER'S BEST FRIEND

Before the photo shoot, Ms. Gina Claus bonds with Duran, Sept. 14. As the notebook adviser, Claus coaches her student through weekly photo shoots, this one for a specific story on Duran. "Since Duran is a therapy dog, he is very calm and relaxing which makes the photoshoot so much easier. He just wants to please you." *Claus said. Photo by Sarah Brend.*

4. MAKE A RUN FOR IT

football. Hunter Haggerty (7) focuses on the end zone, Nov. 9. Haggerty has played football for nine years and enjoyed the season, despite the schedule changes due to COVID. "The season was different because the schedule was always changing and some teams only had one team to play two games. So, my team would be playing the same team that the other team did." *Haggerty said. Photo by Madison Meigs.*