

# EDUHSD E-News

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Photo by the Mountain Democrat

## Placerville Christmas Parade

We are proud of the collaborative and supportive spirit that has existed among the music students in the El Dorado Union High School District. The marching bands from El Dorado, Ponderosa, and Union Mine kept up holiday tradition by combining into one giant District band to play in the Placerville Christmas Parade on December 3rd. With more than 100 parade entries, the District band took 1st Place (band category) as well as the El Dorado High School Robotics Team (novelty category). Congratulations everyone!



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## Trojans with Texas

Many communities across several regions of our country have been devastated by natural disasters in the past few months. In an effort to lend a hand, Oak Ridge High School (ORHS) has joined the CIF who has connected many schools in California with a partner school from an area that has been deeply affected and in need of assistance. ORHS has been partnered with sister school, J. Frank Dobie High School in Houston, Texas and has already raised \$1,150 plus 200 shirts and approximately 30 soccer balls for the school. Thank you to all of the community members, families, and friends who have supported their fundraising efforts.

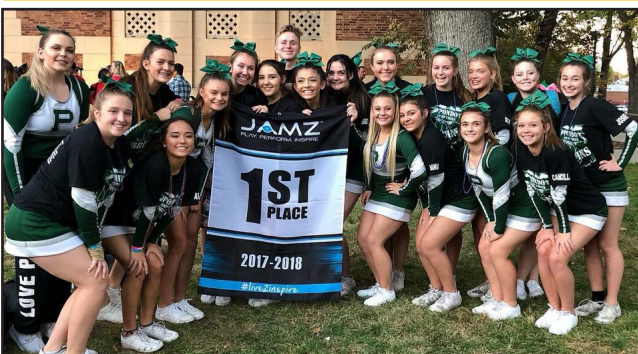
## CTE Shadow Day

The Career Technical Education (CTE) Department at Union Mine High School hosted an 8th grade CTE Shadow Day on Friday, December 1, 2017. Activities included milking a dairy cow, making butter, propagating succulents, creating boutonnières, and many other fun happenings. There were over 82 prospective 8th grade students visiting campus. Thank you to everyone who helped make the event a great success!



## 4th Annual Fashion Show & Auction

Virtual Academy held its 4th Annual Head to Toe Fashion Show & Live Auction on December 2nd. The event featured refreshments, door prizes, a live Fashion Show, and local businesses donated gift baskets for the auction. Students, parents and teachers participated as the models and ROP Cosmetology students volunteered to do their hair and makeup. Proceeds will go towards a mentors' luncheon and a portion of the funds will help a local nonprofit called "Hope House," a homeless women and children center in El Dorado County.



## Cheer Champions

Congratulations to Ponderosa High School's (PHS) Competition Cheer Team who recently won 1st Place in the JAMZ Battle at the State Capital. They scored so high on their routine that they earned an automatic bid to Nationals in Las Vegas in February 2018. In addition, they also won 1st Place, Level Champions, and the Sportsmanship Award on Saturday, December 2, 2017 at the Cow Palace Competition in San Francisco. Way to go, Bruins!



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