

Rick Cardey, Principal

November 2017



RIB LAKE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Rib Lake Middle School

Student Council: Earlier this school year, RLMS students elected peers to represent them as Student Council Members. Under the advis- orship of Mrs. Erika Burns & Mrs. Rebecca Hebda, Student Council Representatives are: Co-Presidents; Tia Bube and Lauren Pelnis, Grade 8; Trey Klemann & Mason Chmielowiec, Grade 7; Raelyn Waszkiewicz & Nadia Czahor, Grade 6; Acacia Gustafson & Jackson Blomberg.

Student Council Members are responsible to plan activities that will en- gage the RLMS student body in fun, cooperative, team-building events.

Community Service

On Thursday, October 26, 2017, RLMS students had the privilege of helping elderly community members prepare for winter by raking leaves and performing general clean-up. It was a beautiful fall day and the students en- joyed the time out of doors. The recip- ients of the students' efforts were very appreciative of the help.



EXPLORE CLASSES

Having the desire to produce "well- rounded" students, RLMS students are placed in classes, one period a day, that will help them with life skills and/or better prepare them for their academic studies.

Sixth grade EXPLORE classes are Band or Introduction to 6th grade during Semester I and 9 weeks each of Art & Keyboarding during Semester II. Seventh grade classes are 12 weeks each of Span- ish, FCE and Intro to Business. Eighth graders take 9 weeks each of Art, Indus- trial Arts, STEM and Spanish.

Fundraiser

Our fundraising project for 2017-18 is scheduled for November 17-December 4, 2017. Students will be selling candy bars in a variety of flavors. Cost will be \$1/bar.

Proceeds of the fundraiser will be used to partially fund field trips costs, classroom enhancements not covered by the annual school budget and student reward programs.

THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF THIS PROJECT !!

PICTURE RETAKES

If you are unhappy with your child's school pic- tures, or they were absent when pictures were taken in October, picture retakes are scheduled for Tuesday, November 14, 2017.



Please refer to the following **CALENDAR OF EVENTS** regarding information about recent/upcoming events that may be of interest to you:

Monday, November 6, 2017	MS Boys' Basketball (RL @ Athens/4:30 pm)
Tuesday, November 7, 2017	12:30 pm student dismissal Staff Development for staff in afternoon MS Boys' Basketball (RL @ Prentice/5 pm)
Thursday, November 9, 2017	School Board mtg (6:30 pm)
Friday, November 10, 2017	Veteran's Day Program @ RLHS (10:45 am)
Monday, November 13, 2017	Washington, D.C. parent mtg (6:45 pm/RLMS IMC)
Tuesday, November 14, 2017	Picture re-takes
Wednesday, November 15, 2017	Fundraiser kick-off
Thursday, November 16, 2017	MS Boys' Basketball (Phillips @ RL/4:30 pm)
Friday, November 17, 2017	Fundraiser candy check out begins
Monday, November 20, 2017	MS Boys' Basketball (RL @ Abbotsford/4:30 pm)
November 22-26, 2017	NO SCHOOL/Thanksgiving Vacation
Thursday, November 30, 2017	MS Boys' Basketball (RL @ Edgar/4:30 pm)
Monday, December 4, 2017	Gr. 7 EXPLORE classes rotate
Tuesday, December 5, 2017	MS Boys' Basketball (Athens @ RL/4:30 pm)
Monday, December 11, 2017	MS Holiday Concert (7 pm)



FAMILY TRIPS

With hunting season soon upon us we would like to remind you that we feel family outings can be valuable/educational opportunities. We would ask that if possible, school-work assigned for any planned period of absence be made up ahead of time. You may get a family trip form and pre-planned make-up slip for your child in the middle school office.



