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Attention Parents:

School starts at 8:05 a.m. We kindly ask parents to be out of the building by 8:00 a.m. so classes may start promptly.

The following is a reminder of the bus safety procedures. The buses will drop off at the District Office doors and parents are to drop their children off at the main entryway by the elementary office starting at 7:45 a.m. Also parents, when you are dropping your child off in the front of the school, please pull up by the sidewalk or park in the median and walk your child across the parking lot. This will prevent any students from trying to cross the street areas of the parking lot unattended.

Call-ins for parent pick-up: Please call the office no later than 2:00 p.m. Please do not send messages via social media/email to your child's teacher as they are often not seen in time.

End-of-day dismissal, for parent pick up, please pick your child up at the District Office doors by 3:10. For safety reasons, children must be accompanied as they leave the sidewalk area. Please park and meet your child on the grass or sidewalk.

Thank you for helping us with these procedures to keep our children safe.

Upcoming Events:

School Board Meeting @ 6:30nm

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| Oct. 3Homecoming/Fire Prevention Parade @ 1pm |
| Oct. 10School Forest Day (PreK-2 grades go |
| in the morning, 3rd-5th grades go in the afternoon) |
| Oct. 14 Picture Retake Day |
| Oct. 16Early Dismissal @ 12:15pm and |
| Parent/Teacher Conferences from 1-6pm |
| Oct. 17No school for students/ Teacher Inservice |
| Oct. 20-24Scholastic Book Fair Week |
| Oct. 21Family Reading Night 6-7:30pm |
| Oct. 27End of Qtr. 1, Early Dismissal @ 12:15pm |
| and Teacher Record Keeping |
| Nov 3-4Northlakes Dental Clinic |

MEALS

Attention Parents: Please send money to the office to credit your child's account as breakfast and lunch are no longer free. Students with a **-\$35.00** lunch account, will receive a peanut butter sandwich until the neg balance is made current. Thank you for your understanding.

Elementary Breakfast costs: full price \$ 1.35, reduced \$.30 **Elementary Lunch costs:** full price \$ 2.80, reduced \$0.40 **Carton of milk:** \$0.40

Absences:

If your child will be absent from school, please call the elementary office by or before 9:00 a.m. Without a note or call-in they will be marked unexcused. Thank you.



Title 1 Schoolwide Updates

School is back. Hip, hip hooray! Fun learning begins today!

Thank you to all families who made time to read and practice math facts this past summer by completing the summer challenge sheets. 91 students were awarded prizes that many local businesses so generously donated.

As the new school year is upon us, please remember that nightly routines are very helpful. Healthy dinners with family conversation about how the day went, a bit of exercise, brushing teeth, bedtime reading, and 8+ hours of sleep will promote success and harmony for everyone in the family.

Parent/teacher conferences will be October 16th. Any students falling below the 25th percentile on beginning of year tests in reading will be receiving a Personal Reading Plan (PRP) at conferences. This will ensure that every child receives the help they need.

Also, mark your calendars for Family Reading Night coming up on October 21st from 6:00 to 7:30pm. There will be a "celebrity" or two promoting literacy and math skills.

That's the only clue to be given right now...



That's all from the Title 1 Schoolwide world at this time.

Make this your BEST back to school start yet!

-Mary Hessefort (Reading Interventionist)

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Back-to-School Spectacular

We celebrated our Back-to-School Spectacular with many fun activities and ended the day with popsicles and the Summer Reading/Math Challenge Raffle! We would like to thank all the area businesses that generously donated prizes for the summer readers and mathematicians!



















Like us on Facebook! Search Rib Lake Elementary to find more photos and updates.

Four of our summer reading participants were able to ride to school in a police car or fire truck! A big thank the Taylor County Sheriff's Department, Rib Lake Police Department, Rib Lake Volunteer Fire Department and Westboro Volunteer Fire Department.













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Thank you to all of the businesses and groups that donated to help motivate our students to read over the summer! Thank you for making a difference in the lives of our students!

- Ziembo Plumbing
 - Forward Bank
- Mann's Southside Auto
 - C&G Mini Mart
- Lakewood Credit Union
 - Hanke Oil
 - Forest Springs
 - K&T Meats
 - True Value
- Rib Lake Police Dept.
- Taylor Co Sheriff's Dept.
 - Cenex

- Great Northern Cabinetry
 - Bartelt Bus Service
 - Rib Lake Roller Mill
- Rib Lake Fire Department
- Westboro Fire Department
 - Rib Lake Lions Club
 - Rib Lake Fish & Game
 - Java Journey
 - Hanke's Little Bohemia
- Westboro Fish & Wildlife
 - Mann Made Pizza
 - Personalized Treasures
 - J & P Auto



Nurses Notes

Welcome back to school!

We are excited to partner with the Northlakes Community Clinic again this year for the dental program. They will be seeing PK-12th grade students that complete the permission slip. If you need a copy of the permission slip, please contact the office or sign up online https://sealasmile.wisconsin.gov/Consent. Their first visit will be November 3rd & 4th.

Reminder to make sure your student is up to date on any immunizations they are due for. See below for how many of each vaccination are required at the age/grade level.

- -Pre-K (ages 2 through 4 yrs)
- 4: DTaP/DTP/DT 3: Polio 3: Hepatitis B 1: MMR 1: Varicella
- -Kindergarten through Grade 6
- 4: DTaP/DTP/DT 4: Polio 3: Hepatitis B 2: MMR 2: Varicella
- -Grades 7 through 11
- 4: DTaP/DTP/DT 4: Polio 3: Hepatitis B 2: MMR 2: Varicella 1: Tdap 1: Mening
- -Grade 12
- 4: DTaP/DTP/DT 4: Polio 3: Hepatitis B 2: MMR 2: Varicella 1: Tdap 2: Mening

Immunization Record Forms can be found on the school website under health and wellness Student Immunization Record. Long this is also where you may sign a waiver for religious or personal reasons if your student has not yet received vaccinations or will not receive vaccinations. (Form must be signed by a physician for medical reasons.)

Please keep your child home if they are sick, you can refer to this document that lists our guidelines that should be followed Rib Lake School District - New - When to Keep Your Child Home . If you have any questions or concerns for the health of your student as we start the school year please feel free to reach out via phone/email. My office hours are M-F 8:00-12:30. I look forward to a great school year and be well!

Maris Pernsteiner
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Counselor's Corner

Hello! I am Brittany Allen, the elementary school counselor. I am looking forward to working with the incredible staff here to provide your child with a well rounded educational experience! I will typically see each student once a week for a classroom lesson. These lessons will focus on various aspects of social emotional learning including, understanding and managing emotions, responsibility, teamwork, problem solving and goal setting. I am also here to help support you, the parents. Listed below you will find information on some of the services I can provide.

What does a school counselor do?

I work alongside teachers and parents to help students develop socially and emotionally, and to help remove any barriers they have to learning!



I provide:

- Classroom lessons teaching social skills and positive character traits, how to take care of strong feelings, study skills, etc.
- Small group counseling
- Short-term individual counseling
- Consultation with parents and teachers
- Community resource referrals (including longer term therapy services such as CARES)
- Schoolwide programming

How I support parents:

- Helping to handle social or emotional concerns you have about your child
- Improving parent-child communication
- Family difficulties or concerns that affect your child at school
- Referrals for community resources
- Helping your child to be on time to school every day
- Discussing concerns about your child's academic achievement



How does a student see a school counselor?

- Self-referral
- Parent referral
- Administrative, teacher, or other staff referral

If you have any concerns regarding your child's social and emotional well being, please do not hesitate to reach out at 715-513-7573 or ballen@riblake.k12.us.us

Rib Lake Culture of Champions

The ABC's of the Rib Lake Way

- A Attitude is Everything (Keep it Positive!)
- **B** Building Champions (Leadership, Healthy Choices, Respect)
- C Commitment to Excellence (Work Hard, Get Better!)

Here at RLES, our champions are working hard to make "Above the Line" choices every day. These choices are intentional and purposeful choices that help students achieve a positive outcome to whatever event they experience throughout the day. We can't control the events life throws at us, but we can control our response. Our champions are working to make "Above the Line" choices in their classrooms, the hallways, at recess, and everywhere! Next time your child needs a little reminder to make good choices at home, encourage them to make an "Above the Line" choice and see how they respond.

