

RI Weekly Email from 5-23-19

See email for attachments.



REPORT CARDS: I just wanted to let you know that the Report Cards for grades 6-8 will be mailed out on Monday, June 10th. I will be going with the 8th graders on their field trip to DC the last week of school and will not be able to get them out that week. Grades 4 & 5 report cards will come home with your child as usual. Please let me know if you have any questions.

8th GRADE TRIP: We will be going to Mt. Olympus on Thursday, May 30th from 8:00 and arriving back at school around 5:30pm. Students may bring **ONE** bottle of water. Please have your child bring their own towel. All day lockers are available for \$10.00 and lunch will be provided. The bus will be stopping at McDolald's on the way to Mt. Olympus. If your child would like something to eat/drink, please send money with them. If you have any questions, please let me know.



8th GRADE GRADUATION: Our 8th graders will be graduating on Friday, May 31st. (HOW DID THIS HAPPEN?!?!?!?) The ceremony will take place in the new gym here at RI at 2:00. Everyone is welcome to come and enjoy and maybe shed a few tears.



BEGINNING BAND SUMMER LESSONS: With summer fast approaching it is time to schedule summer band lessons. Band lessons are during regular summer school hours. Students will come out of their class for approximately 20 minutes twice per week for some basic instruction preparing for the fall. Summer band lessons are open to any band student including those not enrolled in summer school. All summer band lessons are held in the band room at Laconia High School. **Filling out this attached form and returning it signs you up for summer band lessons! Please return to Mr. Blashe by Friday May 24.** You may give the sign-up to your classroom teacher or have the office put it in Mr. Blashe's mailbox. Lesson schedules will be shared before the end of the school year.

**Form attached



2020 GERMAN EXCHANGE PROGRAM: The German Exchange Program is still seeking applicants for our 2020 exchange! Please contact Morgan Mattheis if you are interested in signing up for this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity. All inquiries may be sent to mattmor@rbsd.k12.wi.us.

Exchange Website: <https://sites.google.com/rbsd.k12.wi.us/exchange/home>



2020 WASHINGTON DC TRIP: ONLY 4 SPOTS LEFT... Tour Dates: June 8-12, 2020. Please follow this link to register: Website: <https://portal.brightsparktravel.com/> and use **Tour Code: TQQ8CNL** We are able to take 36 students and 4 parent chaperones. The deadline to Register is June 3, 2019. Please see attached documents below for more information! If you have any questions, please contact Kyle Herring at herrkyl@rbsd.k12.wi.us



SUMMER READING PROGRAM: Join us this summer to explore a Universe of Stories! Your students will be coming home with the program information before the end of the year. See the attachments if you want to plan ahead!

RAISING CARING KIDS: Raising Caring Kids: Respecting Differences Makes Us Stronger: The ability to respect others is a skill that will help your child forever. It is important to teach children to respect and stand up for people who may seem different from themselves. Children can learn that people are more alike than different, and that everyone deserves to be treated with respect and kindness. They learn from the words they hear and what they see. [You can help them learn by the way you talk about or react to what you see in the world.](#)

OTHER IMPORTANT DATES:

Memorial Day: NO SCHOOL - Monday, May 27th
8th Grade Trip (Mt Olympus): Thursday, May 30th
8th Grade Graduation: Friday, May 31st - 2:00pm
2019 DC Trip: June 3-7, 2019

OTHER ATTACHMENTS: Rosendale/Brandon Employment Opportunities, Pre-Excused Forms

COMMUNITY NEWS:

LACONIA FOOTBALL CAMP: Please see the attached information sheet and registration. All camp registration forms and fees, need to be mailed to Mark Madigan.

TAILGATE PARTY FUNDRAISER: Please see the attached flyer for information.

BOAT SAFETY: The Fond du Lac County Sheriff's Office will be conducting a Boater Safety Course to be held at the Emergency Government Center – 160 S. Macy Street, Fond du Lac, Wisconsin. **Please see the attached information sheet

UW-Green Bay SUMMER CAMPS: As summer is quickly approaching, we are excited and planning for this year's summer camps here at UW-Green Bay! We have both overnight and day camper options available. Most of our camps are held right here on UW-Green Bay's campus and our overnight campers get to experience staying in the dorms and eating in our main campus cafeteria. Our website is www.uwgbsummercamps.com. Our contact information is 920-465-2775 or camps@uwgb.edu.

RMC KIDS AQUATHON: Please see the attached information.

UW LEAPS: LEAPS Summer Camp for students entering grades 2-4. Please see the attached information sheet and register by July 8, 2019.

TECH-KNOWLEDGE COLLEGE: Even though it has maybe felt like the longest winter, summer is coming!! That also means that TKC (Tech Knowledge College) is coming up fast too! For those unfamiliar with **TKC it is a 3 day summer activity for students going into 6th, 7th and 8th grade.** It is held at the Fond du Lac campus on August 6th – 8th. This exciting opportunity allows students to explore careers, experience hands-on learning and have a whole lot of fun! There are a variety of sessions to choose from, with many NEW options this year. The cost is \$115 for the 3 days which also includes bussing from our West Bend and Beaver Dam campuses, lunch, a morning snack and a t-shirt. **TKC registration begins on May 1st and fills up quick!!** Registration closes on June 28th. **Please see the attached information fliers. ****Fliers are also available in our school office.**

MPTC - GIRLS ROCK ROBOTICS: *Engineering for Girls* Explore the world of robotics using LEGO® Mindstorms. You will build robots with motors and sensors to perform tasks and react to their environment. You'll learn how to program the robots using software in which you place icons in sequence to create the instructions that you desire. It's

easy to learn and introduces the concept of programming with objects (icons) and structures such as loops and conditional statements. As a bonus, we will also spend time working in teams to build and program a robot to solve missions similar to those in First Lego League® (FLL) competitions. **Please see the attached registration form and information sheet.