March 18, 2021



March 19 - End of 3rd Quarter March 22 - No School March 29 - April 2 - Easter Vacation

Summertime Custodian Position Openings - Rosendale-Brandon School District is currently accepting applications for both students and adults. For more information see attached memo.

RBSD Facilities Advisory Committee Update

This month, the RBSD Facilities Advisory Committee learned about Collaborative Learning Spaces, Flexible Furniture and Educational Space Adequacy/Capacity.

The next RBSD FAC meeting will be on Tuesday, April 13 at Laconia where the committee will get a lesson on School Finance. Meetings are open to the public and all meeting materials are shared on the district website. District residents are encouraged to attend meetings, review materials/resources and ask questions. Together, let's build a stronger tomorrow.

Learn more by <u>clicking here</u> and/or on the Facilities Advisory Committee button on our website.

Elementary & Intermediate School Administrators Designated

John Hokenson will be the principal at both Rosendale Primary School and Brandon Elementary School. Mr. Hokenson has many years of experience as an elementary principal and his teaching experience is in elementary education. He also has much experience as a "traveling" principal.

Leanne Greff will be the building principal at Rosendale Intermediate. While she has served as an elementary and middle school principal for a number of years, her teaching experience is at the middle and high school levels. A concern shared by a number of parents was the transitioning their child from Brandon to RI and the anxiety that may cause. Having a familiar face in charge of the building (as well as the Brandon Middle School teachers who are moving over) should help mitigate the concern over transition.

Both principals are meeting weekly to work through transition plans in order to best serve our student and district needs. More information will be communicated out by them as those plans are developed.

The Rosendale Brandon School District will be changing the way students access their PowerSchool account. Previously, students had a four letter username, as of March 23, 2021, all students will begin using their Chromebook username. This change will help students remember their PowerSchool account and improve PowerSchool integration with other applications.

Examples:

If their Chromebook login is doejane@rbsd.k12.wi.us, their PowerSchool username will be doejane.

or

If their Chromebook login is doejohn32@rbsd.k12.wi.us, their PowerSchool username will be doejohn32.

This will NOT affect their passwords, only their usernames. If students or parents forgot their PowerSchool passwords, they should contact their school's office.

RBSD Employment Opportunities - see attached

Open Enrollment Applications are accepted through April 30 -Attached is a flyer with more information.

Broadband Internet Access Survey - COVID-19 brought to light the lack of accessibility to internet by Fond du Lac County residents, which has led the County to be more proactive in addressing this important issue. Fond du Lac County partnered with Envision Greater Fond du Lac, the county-wide chamber of commerce and economic development organization, to conduct a survey of household internet access and use in the County. Attached is a letter with the link to access the Broadband Internet Access Survey.