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MEYER MIDDLE SCHOOL

PARENT NEWSLETTER FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2018



Summer School Enrichment Registrations will be accepted beginning March 7th through April 13th. Please register online at the district website www.rfsd.k12.wi.us and choose "SUMMER SCHOOL."

We plan to have an early view of enrichment classes available on the website as of February 23rd. (The registration forms will not be

available until March 7th.)

We anticipate **confirmation of enrollment** notifications will be sent toward the end of April or in early May. Please include your e-mail address on your registration and we will notify you via e-mail.

For those who do not have internet access, paper brochures will be available in your school office as of March 7th. **Confirmation of enrollment** notifications for 'paper' registrations will be sent home with students.



- Registration Forms for the 18-19 school year for current 6th and 7th grade students have been sent home with students. Please keep an eye out for them coming home soon if your student has not done so already.
- Student Council Carnation Sales start this week! You can purchase a carnation for \$2.50 during lunch in the the cafeteria or before school in the School counseling office. Send one to a friend, a teacher, someone you admire, or that special someone you like. Don't miss the chance to show others that you care. Sales will be on **February 1, February 2 and February 5**, so buy early, buy often.

FREQUENTLY CALLED EXTENSIONS—715-425-1820

Attendance	3499	School Counseling	3366
Community Ed	3800	Health Aide	3303
Food Service	3724	Main Office	3300

Picking Your Battles

Here is a great article for parents of teenagers and how we can help ease the tensions of picking our battles with our children.

<https://health.usnews.com/wellness/for-parents/articles/2018-01-18/picking-your-battles>

MMS 8th Graders: REGISTRATION:

Mr. Campbell will be in the classrooms today and tomorrow (Jan. 31 and Feb. 1) to go over **9th Grade Registration**. Students will get all materials, start the registration process. The forms will go home to parents, they will review it and **you must get a parent signature**. All forms are due on Monday, February 5, so have them at school. Mr. Campbell will be back in classes on Tuesday and Wednesday (Feb. 6 & 7) of next week, that is when students will finalize registration by entering the information for the high school. If parents have any questions, please contact Mr. Campbell. It is an exciting time as we get 8th graders set for high school!

Jostens Yearbooks

Parents - If you want your child to receive a yearbook in the spring, please make sure you have ordered and paid for one. Until Jan. 26, they are selling for \$28. After that, they will cost \$30.

If you'd like to order one for your child, please call [866-282-1516](tel:866-282-1516) or go to jostensyearbooks.com and enter Meyer Middle School into the search bar and you will be able to order from there.

If you are not sure if you've paid for a yearbook, please email Mrs. Keller at debbie.keller@rfsd.k12.wi.us and she can check.

River Falls High School Cheerleading

April 16 – April 23

Students going into grades 9 - 12: Come and try out to be a member of the 2018-19 River Falls High School football or competition cheer teams!

Wear athletic clothing and shoes.

Try Out Practices

Monday April 16 6-8pm RFHS Aux Gym

Tuesday April 17 6-8pm RFHS Aux Gym

Try Outs

Wednesday April 18 6-8pm RFHS Aux Gym

Parent/Team Member Meeting and Uniform Fitting will take place on Monday, April 23 7-8pm RFHS library

“Once A Wildcat, Always A Wildcat”

Thursday evening, February 15th, the Wildcat Pep Club will be hosting its 9th Annual "Wildcat Night" at the home boys basketball game during Winter Carnival week.

We have roughly 300 T-shirts and Under Armour fleece options of various youth and adult sizes that will be for sale at one time and location only. Starting at 5:30pm the Pep Club will be selling these items at the door and anyone purchasing either of these will get into the game FREE! T-shirts are \$10 and come in a standard cut. The Under

Armour Fleece pieces come in men's and women's cut, quarter or full zip, vest or sleeves, and are \$40 each. There is a limited supply of everything and will be sold on a first come first serve basis that night. Thank you and see you on the 15th!

T-Shirt



Under Armour Fleece



Career Brown Bag Lunch Series

Lunch anyone? How about helping students learn? As part of an ongoing effort to prepare Meyer Middle School students to become "College, Career and Life Ready" we are continuing the program we developed last year to bring career knowledge to our 7th grade students. We are reaching out to one of our greatest resources, parents! We are looking to schedule presentations during 7th grade lunch (12:00-12:30), calling it a Career Brown Bag Lunch Series. We are seeking presenters to come in to talk about their career, to build awareness and knowledge, and offer a variety of interest areas for students. We are looking at about a 15-20 minute presentation with time for a question and answer session. Our goal is to have speakers from all educational levels, all backgrounds, Career Clusters and employed in all different career fields; providing a variety for students in all areas. So, let us know if you would like to share about your career. If you can see yourself helping students become more career ready and guide their path to success contact the School Counseling office, either Gary Campbell gary.campbell@rfsd.k12.wi.us or Twyla Hedeem twyla.hedeem@rfsd.k12.wi.us. Please include your name, job title, place of employment, and phone number. Thanks in advance for helping our kids become career ready and build lifelong learners. We can even buy you school lunch for coming in!

The River Falls Sunshine Fund will be selling RF Wildcats Auto Stickers for \$5.00 with all proceeds assisting families in need with in out district. Stickers are available in the Main Office at Meyer Middle School

RF Wildcat Auto Stickers

\$5.00



All proceeds go to assisting families in need within our school district.



WOMEN IN S.T.E.M. +

6TH ANNUAL *Open House*

SHOWCASING WOMEN IN THE FIELDS OF SCIENCE.
TECHNOLOGY. ENGINEERING. MATH. APPLIED ARTS.

HUDSON SCHOOL DISTRICT
INVITES ALL AREA SCHOOLS!
Open to ALL students K-12

Tuesday, Feb. 20, 2018
5:00-8:00pm
Hudson Middle School

Be Inspired • Get Connected • Be Engaged

**New and
exciting
additions**

- Participate in nearly 100 fun, hands-on, engaging STEM+ activities
- 75 employers and post-secondary schools
- Meet and talk with STEM+ female professionals
- Food available for purchase
provided by H.O.S.A. student organization

Get the latest by following:

 **Hudson Area Women in STEM**

 **Hudson Area Women in STEM**
@HudsonWIS

**Win
Prizes!**



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MEYER MIDDLE SCHOOL COMMUNICATION

The River Falls School District strongly supports parent-school communication. We encourage parents and members of our community to become involved and to take advantage of various modes of communications we have developed with in our district.

RIVER FALLS SCHOOL DISTRICT



SCHOOLGY

Schoology is our learning management system that allows users to create, manage, and share content and resources with staff, students and parents. All students and parents should be logged onto Schoology. If not you may do so at www.schoology.com, click the "sign up" button to create your account. If you have not received your Schoology access code you may call our Main Office at MMS.



INFINITE CAMPUS PARENT PORTAL

Each parent/guardian is granted a **Parent Portal** account. For instructions, please contact your child's school office. This portal gives you access to lunch payments, attendance, grades, assignment due dates, and much more. Other private messages and information regarding your child are also available here.



CHARACTER EDUCATION WEBSITE

Please take a moment to check out the School District of River Falls Character Education website at: <http://riverfallscharactereducation.weebly.com>



INFINITE CAMPUS MESSENGER

Schools and teachers utilize **Messenger** to contact parents via email, or by phone using voice or text messages if you have the box checked on your portal. Messages include school closings, forms, grade reports, upcoming events, communicable disease notices, newsletters, and much more.



DISTRICT AND HIGH SCHOOL WEBSITE

This public website can be found at www.rfsd.k12.wi.us. School calendars, parent/student resources, newsletters, Board information, and other updates on new and exciting educational trends can be accessed. Websites for specific schools are accessible through the home page, along with other community information.



INFINITE CAMPUS MOBILE APP

The mobile app is for parents wanting the convenience of monitoring their child's progress away from home. Check real-time information from any mobile device. To access it, download the free Infinite Campus app on your phone. The District ID is **BRHMKB**. You must first set up your portal account on a computer before you can set up the mobile app.

District Website - Community Announcements

Just a reminder to check the RFSD website <http://www.rfsd.k12.wi.us/parents/community-announcements.cfm> Community Announcement page frequently for a variety of classes and events being offered through out this community for families.