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Happy Friday Riverside Families!

We hope that all of you enjoyed the long weekend and created special memories with your families! This week has been busy at Riverside. The Mobile Dentists have been in the building ensuring our students have proper oral care. They have even been filling cavities for our scholars! Thanks to Nurse Upperman for keeping our scholars health number 1. The book fair truck as dropped off a very special delivery earlier this week. Katie Davis and the Scholastic Family Volunteers began transforming the media center into an Enchanted Forest and we cannot wait for you to be mesmerized, not only by the forest but the amazing selection of books! A reminder that next Wednesday, September 12th is Early Dismissal as teachers prepare to receive you for Open House from 6 pm to 8 pm. Also, there is no school for Pre-School and Kindergarten on Friday, September 14th. We look forward to seeing all of you for Open House this Wednesday!

Mrs. Gamble ©

PTC Update and News Corner

PTC is still looking for classroom representatives whose primary role will be to help improve the communication between the PTC and our families. This person would need to have the ability to email and/or text the classroom parents/guardians and preferably attend our monthly PTC meetings.

Sign up at https://goo.gl/forms/qgFZl6jVZ6q12rJn2 or stop by our table at Open House.

Please make sure to stop by our table at Open House to cast your vote for the 2018-19 PTC Officers. All those casting a vote will be entered into a raffle for a Gift Card.

Email: RiversidePTC@yahoo.com

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Upcoming Dates

September

- 10- NWEA Window Opens
- **12** Early Release @ 12:30-12:50 pm
- 12- Open House (6pm to 8 pm)
- **13-** Soccer Match @ Lutheran West (7 pm)
- **14-** No School for Pre-k and Kindergarten ONLY
- **17-** Arabic/Nepali Family Information Night (5:30 to 6:30 pm)
- **18-** 8th Grade to Cleveland Zoo for True2U Kick-Off Event
- **19-** Gjinatori/Hardy to Western Reserve @ 10:30 am
- **20-** McCarthy/Trimble/Robbins/Lasley to Canal Way Field Trip AND Father's Walk

What's cooking in the Riverside Kitchen?

<u>Monday-</u> Mini Corn Dogs, Baked Beans, Glazed Carrots, Pineapple

<u>Tuesday</u>- Meatball sub, sweet potato tots, broccoli, salad

<u>Wednesdav</u>- French toast sticks, turkey sausage, cheesy potatoes, strawberries

<u>Thursdav</u>- Chicken drumsticks, waffle fries, green bean

<u>Friday</u>- Personal Pan Pizza, confetti tots, salad



8th Grade High School Update

Although the year has just started the Riverside Middle School Team is already planning for our 8th graders next steps. It is our goal to provide you as much information about CMSD high school options that are available for our scholars. Bard High School Early College has started their recruiting of students for the 2019-2020 school year. They will be holding Family Nights over the next three months for interested families. Bard High School Early College Cleveland is a partnership between Bard College and CMSD. Students who attend Bard High School are able to complete two years of college course and may graduate with a high school diploma and an Associate's degree from Bard College. Bard High School Early College will be hold family information nights on September 21st, October 10th, and November 13th. Each session begins at 5 pm and ends promptly at 6 pm. Bard is located at 13501 Terminal Avenue Cleveland 44135. We encourage you to attend the open house to find out what opportunities they provide.

Fall Scholastic Book Fair Is Here

The Fall Scholastic Book Fair is here! The Book Fair will be open Monday, September 10- 14 in the Library. This year's theme is Enchanted Forest and the book fair decorations are TOP NOTCH!!

The Book Fair will be open on Wednesday night during Open House from 6 pm to 8 pm.

Please come visit, view, and purchase and check out the amazing selection of books we have on display this year. All proceeds benefit the students at Riverside.





Family Fun in the CLE this weekend

Yankee Peddler Festival

September 8-9 10:30 am to 6 pm

@ Clay Park Resort in North Lawrence, OH

Farm City Days @ Stearne Homestead

September 8-9 12pm to 4 pm

@ Stearnes Homestead Farm in Parma, OH

Grandparents Day at the Cleveland Aquarium

September 7-9 10 am to 5 pm

@ Cleveland Aquarium

Brown's vs. Steelers @ First Energy Stadium

Sunday, September 9th at 1 pm KICKOFF!





Dismissal SAFETY Reminder

When picking up your child, please <u>DO NOT</u> direct them to walk in front of cars or in between cars in order to get in vehicles. Please ensure you are parked along the curb when picking up your child. This is for the safety of all of our students and families.

The goal of our dismissal is to get all students home safely in a timely fashion. When cars stop in the middle of the road waving students to get in the car this poses serious safety concerns. Please follow our dismissal guidelines and expectations.

School Hours Reminder

Riverside instructional hours are 9:30 am until 4:00 pm. We will do a staggered dismissal: **Pre K** at 3:35 pm. **Kindergarten** at 3:45 pm. **Car riders and Walkers** (1-5) at 3:55 pm to the main door.