



Parent News

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School Theme:

Grateful Hearts, Serving Hands

*In all our living may we show that we are thankful to
God for all He has done for us and may He be
praised through us.*

Heidelberg Catechism - Answer 86

UPCOMING EVENTS

2/26 7:00pm Code Talkers Enhancement at the
Navajo Code Talkers Communication Center

3/02 ASSOCIATION MEETING

3/05 7:00pm Personnel Committee Meeting in the
Board Room

3/06 End of 3rd Quarter

3/09 6:30pm Education Committee Meeting at the
Middle School

Association Meeting

Monday, March 02, 2009

6:30pm

At the Fellowship Hall

(dinner from 5:30pm-6:20pm)

District Championship Games

Girls – Friday

(doors open at 6pm)

Boys – Saturday

(doors open at 6pm)

*Everybody has to pay \$5.00
This includes RCS Students*

INS AND OUTS

Two Major Issues this Week:

1. We have a couple of **really** big ballgames this weekend—and we need to win them both. And lots of fans will help!! So let's round up the entire Rehoboth community to cheer on our girls and boys, and send them into regional play as the top seeded teams.

And when at the games, take a moment to thank the folks who have served us there all season—the folks in the concession stand, Esidro (our custodian), Lorretta at the gate, supervisors at the entrance to the gym.

And take some time to enjoy the new donor wall, and note the signage on the West exterior. We have had the privilege of having the donors on campus yesterday and today who covered the expense of those new features—the Wisner and Bottrall families.

2. Please pay attention to the agenda for the upcoming Association meeting on Monday evening. You all should have gotten a letter and agenda in the mail. We sure our hoping for a good turnout—lots of important issues to discuss, including the challenge of budgeting in these difficult times.

Additionally, we will talk about the Assisted Living facility and vote to give

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blessing to the progress we have made. We will look at a newly developed Campus Master Plan. And finally, we will talk about the formation of a Boosters/Volunteer organization, given the increased interest among our parents.

All this, and dinner too, running from 5:30 to 6:20. Meeting will start at 6:30. Please come, and take an active part in the governance and future of your school.

Ron Polinder, Executive Director

ELEMENTARY EVENTS

Parent / Teacher Conferences – We are looking forward to meeting with parents at conference time on **March 16 and 17**. A sign up form will be coming home on Friday which we ask you to fill out and have your child return to school by next week Thursday, March 5. Teachers will be scheduling conferences and returning confirmations back to you after that day.

Book Fair – The Scholastic Book Fair will again be at the elementary / middle school on March 16 and 17 during parent / teacher conferences. This fair will feature buy one book and get another free. We need parent helpers to assist during those nights and also to help set up and take down. Please call Kim Dykstra, our school librarian, (726-9694) to let her know if you can help!! Thank you!

Celebrate Reading – The elementary school will celebrate reading next week, March 2- 6. Dressing up like book characters, reading all day, and many more fun activities that celebrate and encourage reading will be part of the week. We encourage families to promote the love of reading at home as well. A flyer will be coming with more details!!

Jim Holwerda, Elementary Principal

HIGH SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

Important Games This Week We need you to bring you loudest voice to the SFC on Friday and Saturday nights at 7:00 PM to cheer our boys and girls teams on to District championships. Our girls will be playing on Friday and the boys on Saturday. You know that if it's RCS basketball it's going to be a couple of great games so you won't want to miss them. See you there. Go-o-o-o-o Lynx!!!!

IRA Conference The International Reading Association conference attended by the Rehoboth staff was a great experience. Listening to some of the top professionals in the nation and sharing ideas with teachers from all over was a great way to equip all of us to help our students reach their maximum potential in their classes.

Chapel at RCHS Thanks to the generosity of Calvin College, Colby Touchine, Michael Oliver, Mr. Kevin Ruthven, and Ms. Logterman were able to attend Calvin's Worship Symposium in Grand Rapids, Michigan during the last week of January. Thanks to the wonderful things we learned about how to make chapel a more meaningful experience, we now have a student-led committee planning our weekly worship time. Michael, Colby, and Mr. Ruthven meet regularly to decide on a theme, plan music and scripture readings, prepare skits or other activities that highlight the theme, organize student volunteers to participate, and to bathe the whole process in prayer. Thanks to their efforts and by the power of the Holy Spirit we have seen a more worshipful attitude amongst our student body as we gather for chapel on Friday mornings. Please pray with us that the Lord will continue to bless our time spent worshipping together as a student body.

Reminder It is very important that you send a note or call Mrs. Begaye at 726-9631 if your son/daughter has been absent or if they are late to first period.

Dates to Remember:

February 24-28: District Basketball Tournaments

March 6: End of the Third Quarter
March 10-14: State Basketball Tournaments
March 16: Senior Class Taco Dinner Fundraiser
March 16-17: Parent-Teacher Conferences, 5:00-8:00 PM
March 30-April 3: SAC Week, our week of alternative curriculum classes

Dee Logterman, High School Principal

College Corner

American Indian Education Foundation Scholarship! Looks like a good one. The criteria look at academic performance and leadership and community service. The applications are in my office or on line so check it out. www.aiefprograms.org

Business Office News:

Parents of Seniors

This is a reminder that all tuition must be paid off before transcripts are sent off to colleges or scholarship offices. If you have any questions, please feel free to call your tuition advisor.

Thank you.

Jeff Banaszak, Director of Finance & Operations

All School Announcements:

Rehoboth T-shirts and Sweatshirts are Available in the Admin Building!

Was the kiosk in the gym sold out of your favorite size and color of sweatshirt? Well, more were ordered and are now available! Adult Rehoboth T-shirts and Sweatshirts are available in ALL colors (black, gray, maroon) and Sizes (S-3XL) in the administration building. Supplies are limited, so get one before the district game!



A Huge Thank You!

Please take a minute out of your day to say thank you to some of our dedicated and hard working volunteers. They will be leaving at the end of this week. We appreciate their service here and we will miss them dearly.

John Bosch who worked in Maintenance
Dorothy Bosch who worked in Food Service
Ken Kleinheksel who worked in Maintenance/Painting
Mickie Kleinheksel who worked as an Elementary Tutor
Wayne Helmholt who worked in Maintenance
Sharon Helmholt who worked in Food Service
Ev Nienhouse who worked with the Code Talkers Center
Erika Nienhouse who worked with the Code Talkers Center

Thank you,
Abbie Huizinga and Deanna Benson, Campus Hostess/Volunteer Coordinators

The Tse Yaaniichii Boys and Girls Club Community Learning Center

We partnered with Wellness Warriors from Rehoboth McKinley Hospital on February 14 to provide a Saturday of fun and education for the third through sixth graders who attended the program. The students learned about diabetes and engaged in physical activity and nutritious eating!

A great time was had by all. Another wellness day has been scheduled for Saturday, March 14.

Watch for more information coming home with your child!

Concession Stand

District Championship games are this Friday & Saturday, so we would appreciate a new supply of items.

- BarS brand Hot Dogs
- Hot Dog buns
- Cases of water – Aquafina
- Cases of Gatorade

You may drop off your donations at the Administration Building. Call Nicole at 726-9607 if you have any questions.

Menu for Breakfast and Lunch for 03/02 to 03/06

Date	Breakfast	Lunch
03/02/09 Monday	Assorted Muffin, juice, milk	Beef Fingers, tossed salad, corn bread, fruit, milk
03/03/09 Tuesday	Breakfast Pizza, juice, milk	Sloppy Joes, tater rounds, pickle spears, fruit, milk
03/04/09 Wednesday	Apple or Cherry turnovers, juice, milk	Mac & Cheese w/Ham, bread, fruit, milk
03/05/09 Thursday	No Breakfast	Make your own Burrito, sausage links, pancakes, hash browns, fruit, milk
03/06/09 Friday	Breakfast Burrito, juice, milk	Hot Dogs, tater rounds, fruit, milk

Sports Schedule

Sport Date /Time	Home/ Away	Opponent
2/24 – 2/28 Boys & Girls	TBA	District Playoffs
2/28 Tennis	AWAY	Gallup at Ford Canyon
3/06-3/07 Boys & Girls Basketball	TBA	First Round of State
3/10-3/14 Boys & Girls Basketball	TBA	State Playoffs
3/14 Track & Field	AWAY	Grants Invite
3/14 11:00am Tennis	AWAY	Waldorf

You are cordially invited to attend

Rehoboth Christian School



We will celebrate the progress being made in honoring
our World War II heroes.

Please plan to attend a ribbon-cutting ceremony at the
Rehoboth Christian Middle School
Navajo Code Talkers Communication Center
on

Thursday, February 26th at 7:00 PM.

Ev Nienhouse will present a brief "Introduction to the Navajo Code
Talkers" followed by a showing of the "Code Talkers Project" DVD on
our newly donated TV monitor.

At this event we will acknowledge and honor Code Talkers and
contributors to our exhibit and DVD project.

Refreshments provided.

If you have any questions or you know of someone who should be
invited,

please contact Mrs. Eddy
at 726-9696 or seddy@rcsnm.org .