



Parent News

September 11, 2025



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Table Talk

Dan Meester | Executive Director

I teach one of our middle school advisory classes every morning here at Rehoboth. My 7th and 8th grade boys are great, and I'm really enjoying getting to know them. Today, we started with the first lesson of our *Habitudes* curriculum, which is a way to proactively instill the social and emotional skills our students need to flourish as people and leaders.

Today's lesson was called "Elephants and Splashes." It dealt with the necessity of being able to recognize who we really are and what we may be feeling at any given moment—to be self aware. With that knowledge, we can better understand why we act certain ways and how we can take charge of our emotions and behaviors to use them for the good of ourselves and others.

It's good stuff—even for middle school boys who aren't the most comfortable with talking about their emotions.

But what I found really interesting today was the lesson's "hook," the reason it was called "Elephants and Splashes."

Years ago, in some remote villages in Thailand, people noticed that several young elephants had gotten left behind from their herd. The villagers and some scientists kept tabs on those elephants and caught up with them when they were adults with children of their own. They seemed to be like all the other elephant herds, with one unique difference.

These elephants who had grown up on their own would drink differently than "regular" elephants. When they came to a stream or a pond to drink from, they would splash the water with their feet and their trunks to stir it up. It wasn't a different kind of water than regular elephants would drink, and it wasn't some kind of purification ritual to filter out anything harmful for the water.

What the locals and the researchers finally realized was that these stray elephants had developed the habit shortly after being separated from their parents and their native herd. Without the nurturing of their mothers and fathers, these elephant calves did not want to bend down to the still water to drink . . . because that would mean looking at their own reflection.

It's a fascinating bit of research that reminds us of something true about humans too. We need love and nurturing from our mentors and family members in order to become comfortable with who we are and who God created us to be. Let's make sure that Rehoboth remains a strong partnership between home and school—one that makes sure our children never have to be afraid of who they might see in the mirror.

Together,

Dan Meester, Executive Director

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Upcoming All School Events

- Monday, September 15 - Friday, September 19 - Hispanic Heritage Week (see attached flier)
- Friday, September 19 - 4:00-7:00 pm Show & Shine Car Show (see attached flyer- we need food trucks)

All School Announcements

From the Business Office

Just a few beginning of the year housekeeping items:

- **Setting up your FACTS account:** Please go to <https://online.factsmgt.com/signin/46T5C> to update your payment schedule for this year.
- Have you filled out the Free and Reduced Food Form yet? A copy is attached at the back of this newsletter. **(All families need to fill one out)**. Please hand this in as soon as possible.
- Has your student gotten their sports physical if participating in Fall sports and handed it in at the High School? (Physical packets can be found on the website under athletics or picked up at the school.)

We pray that you will all have a blessed and great year.
Thank you.

Job Openings

We are taking applications for **substitute bus drivers** and **substitute teachers**.
Please go [HERE](#) for more information and an application.
Thank you.

School Pictures Are Coming

To give you plenty of advance notice, school picture day(s) for students in grades PreK-12 will be on **Wednesday, October 1 and Thursday, October 2**. We have an excellent company that flies in from California to take high quality, natural-looking photos of our students. Families, in turn, will receive a link to an online store in case they would like to buy any of the pictures. Each child will have different poses to choose from. There are no minimums or packages to have to purchase. A schedule of the exact time/day your child's class will be scheduled for pictures will come out soon. Part of Thursday's slots will serve as make-up times for anyone who missed their photo on Wednesday.

Elementary News

Transportation Changes

If transportation changes are necessary, please contact Val Peywa **before 2:15** (12:45 on Thu) so that she has time to communicate with classroom teachers and students.

Spelling Bee

This fall 3rd-8th grade students will have an opportunity to participate in classroom and school spelling bees. If your student would like to get a jump on studying, you can access this year's [word list here](#).

Afternoon Pick-up Routines

All K-8 student pick-up is designated at the Gravel Loop located behind the Elementary and Middle School. All students should be picked up here unless prior arrangements for bus transportation and/or Middle School sports practices have been made. While the loop can get busy, having one spot ensures that your students are safe and have adequate supervision.

The Gravel Loop is meant to be a single lane. Cars that need to park should pull forward as much as possible (close to the church) so other cars can maneuver and keep the line going behind (see diagram below). When it is your turn, please pull forward and wait for your student. There should not be two lanes. For the safety of your students, we do not want them to be moving in between cars. Upon exiting, please use turn signals, slowly pull out of the lane, and be mindful of other cars that may be exiting at the same time.

If you prefer to park in the SFC lot, please walk to the gravel loop to pick up your student. Only those who have a student in Pre-K may park by the Elementary School playground as those families have to physically sign out their child. If you have students in *both* schools, you may park there BUT you still need to pick up your other students at the gravel loop.

Pick-up time is 3:05 to 3:25. You will find students at the Gravel Loop.

- After 3:25, students are walked back inside to wait in the office where phone calls will be made.
- After 3:45, any students still waiting in the office will join the After School Program with Sarah Marlowe. After the second occurrence, the daily fee of \$15 per student will be applied.

Thank you for working with us in keeping students safe.



Middle School Matters

This Coming Week:

Monday- A day

Tuesday- B day

Wednesday- A day

Thursday- B day

Friday- A day

Transportation Changes

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(See Elementary section for afternoon pick-up expectations)

Afterschool Detentions

Friday afterschool detentions for tardies will be starting next week, Friday, September 12.

Upcoming Events (MS only)

Sept 12 - MS Soccer v. Chief @ 7:00pm

MS Cross Country @ Laguna (bus leaves @ 12pm)

Sept 13 - MS Soccer v. Hozho

Sept 15 - MS Volleyball Away @ Newcomb @ 5pm and 6pm (bus leaves @2:45, returns 9:00)

Sept 17 - MS Volleyball Home -vs- Crownpoint @ 5pm & 6pm (students go to gym after school)

High School Highlights

Half Way Through the First Quarter

This is the fifth week of school. For some it feels like school has been going for much more than five weeks, for others it feels like school has barely begun. Whatever the case, taking a moment to ask your student to reflect on the past five weeks is important. Ask what they have learned or what they have struggled with or what they have enjoyed in their classes. Hopefully there will be much to talk about. Please also assure them that there is time to change things (work habits, grades, effort) in the remaining four weeks before the quarter ends.

Hispanic Heritage Week

Please take time to review the ways we will celebrate Hispanic Heritage Week next week. Participating will make the week feel festive and show the importance of our Hispanic community at Rehoboth.



**NATIONAL HISPANIC
HERITAGE MONTH**
SEPT. 15 - OCT. 15
NATIONAL THEME:
Collective Heritage: Honoring the Past, Inspiring the Future

**RCS will be celebrating Hispanic Heritage Week
Sept. 15-19**

Mon. 9/15 ▶ Dímelo Day
Wear a t-shirt with a Spanish word or phrase and
"Say it to me" en español

Tue. 9/16 ▶ Fútbol (Soccer) Jersey Day
Wear your favorite soccer jersey

Wed. 9/17 ▶ Inspirational Icon Day
Wear a t-shirt in honor of a Hispanic or Latino figure to
celebrate their contribution or achievement.

Thu. 9/18 ▶ Hispanic Heritage Day
Wear traditional Hispanic clothing

Fri. 9/19 ▶ Go Tejano! Day
Wear western/ranching gear and dress as a vaquero or vaquera

**COME ONE
COME ALL**

Hispanic Heritage evening event
Fri. Sept. 19 | 4-7pm
SFC/HS Parking Lot

- A family event!
- Show N Shine car show
- Special Guests & Entertainment
- Food Trucks & Vendors

Advanced Placement classes, exams, and fees

If your student is in 11th or 12th grade, they may be in an Advanced Placement (AP) class this year. Rehoboth offers AP Calculus, AP English, AP Precalculus, and AP US History. These classes are wonderful opportunities full of academic rigor. The classes work toward an exam that is given by the College Board in May. Early in the year AP students are asked to register for those AP exams; the deadline for ordering those exams is November 15, so if you or your student wishes to change their registration status please let Mr. Weidenaar or the AP teacher before November 15. The AP

exams are given by Rehoboth but are made by the College Board, so they come with an additional fee. That fee is \$99 or \$62. The lower price is based upon your free and reduced lunch status, so filling out that form and turning it in at the administration office is very important. (You can find it on pages 14-15 of this Parent News). The fees will be collected in the Spring.

Picture Day and Senior Pictures

Picture day is scheduled for October 1 and 2. Mark your calendars. These pictures will be used for student identification and yearbook photos. Even if you do not plan to order pictures, they are still important.

If your student is a senior, our yearbook advisor, Mr. Perkins, (or a member of the yearbook staff) will be requesting a suitable senior picture. Please provide that photo in a timely manner, and feel free to reach out to Mr. Perkins with any questions you may have regarding that photo.

Parent pick-up and drop-off

If you are dropping off or picking up students from the high school, please park in the main parking lot of the high school/sports and fitness center. Convenient spots for pick up are the parking spots on the east side of the lot. In the afternoon buses will be parked and loaded on the curb. Please ask your student to walk behind the buses to enter the parking lot.

Counseling Services

Rehoboth is in a great position to offer counseling services to high school students. Mr. Ensign is a Licensed Mental Health Counselor (LMHC), and he strives to give students tools and ideas to help them better navigate their lives. He patiently listens and asks necessary questions to help students glimpse and grasp a flourishing life. If your student is in need of counseling students please contact Mr. Ensign (he prefers that you email him at densign@rcsnm.org), or you can contact Mr. Weidenaar and he will speak to Mr. Ensign.

Grade reports

Grade reports are sent out on Monday afternoons. Please take a moment to look through the grade report, and please ask your student a few questions about that report. Ask what classes they enjoy, or what they are struggling with, or what is happening in specific classes. If your student is struggling in a class or failing a class do assure them that they can pass and that they can ask their teachers what will help them raise their grades. If your student is failing a class on the grade report they will not be able to travel or play games with their teams. However, those grades can and will be changed if students work to change them.

Seth Weidenaar
High School Principal

High School Counselor's Corner

Hello,

Our School testing day will take place on October 15, 2025. Students grades 9-12 will be testing. Please ensure that all students arrive at school on time. Testing will start at 8:05 AM.

We will have a career/college fair on October 15, 2025 from 12:30 PM to 3:05 PM. If you are interested in speaking/sharing about your career, please contact me to sign up.

On October 16, 2025 we will host a college showcase with the Daniels Foundation (also partners with the ACE scholarship). The event will start at 8:30 AM to 11:30 AM in the High School LC. All RCS students are welcome to attend, we have also invited all local schools in sharing this great opportunity. Please see the event flyer attached.

The Animal Rez-Q Inc. is now accepting applications for an opportunity to attend Mid-Western University and participate in a week-long camp in October, 2025. If you are interested please stop by my office to pick up an application.

College Preview Days

University of New Mexico-Albuquerque

Fall Preview Days at The University of New Mexico- Albuquerque. The Admissions Office will be hosting three Fall Previews this fall, so there are several opportunities available to students to participate. Fall Preview is a great opportunity for your students and their families to explore UNM together! Registration is now open for September 20, October 25th, and November 8th. Reserve your spot today at the link provided.

<https://admissions.unm.edu/fallpreview/index.html>

Eastern New Mexico University

There will be an Open House for any students interested in attending Eastern New Mexico University. This is a great way to experience ENMU. Check out campus, connect with faculty and students, discover Greyhound life, explore Financial Aid and scholarships, find your perfect major, and more! Register for the October 18, 2025 open house.

enmu.edu/OpenHouse

Camilla Lynch, Guidance Counselor

Inside Scoop

Community Life & Admissions

District code in Family Portal is: **RE-NM**
Family Portal: <https://re-nm.client.renweb.com/pwr/>

Welcome back for the 2025-2056 school year!

My name is *Kristen Rousseau* and I am the new Admissions Coordinator. I just want to say thank you to all of our parent volunteers who helped with the David Charles Cross Country Meet last week. We are grateful for your commitment to Rehoboth. I am looking forward to this Saturday's event with Rehoboth's June Camp/End DWI race at Red Rock State Park and meeting more parents/families. Next week, we will be celebrating Hispanic Heritage Week. Thank you and have a blessed day!

If you're having trouble creating a FACTS account, stop by my office (located in the Administration Building) and I can assist you. Thank you and have a blessed day!

Also, we have a [family resource page](#) on our school website where you can find information such as the back to school packet, handbooks, school calendar, and parent news.

Invitation to join the Multicultural Committee:

We are gearing up for this school year's events and we would like to invite any parents interested in joining the Multicultural Committee or if you would like to volunteer at any future events. We are always looking for parents, family members, and elders in sharing their gifts, talents, and knowledge.

We gather once a week on Thursday's in person or virtually if you are unable to meet on campus. The Multicultural Committee strives to celebrate the rich cultural diversity of our student body through inclusive events - creating opportunities for our community to explore, honor, and grow in appreciation of the many cultural heritages that reflect the Kingdom of God. The hours you dedicate can go towards your volunteer hours. For more information, you are welcome to contact any of the following members.

- Verlena Livingston - vlivingston@rcsnm.org
- Duane Yazzie [K-8th Librarian & EL PE Teacher] - dyazzie@rcsnm.org
- Brenda Mike [Middle School SALT assistant] - bmike@rcsnm.org

PARENT VOLUNTEER PROGRAM (PVP):

All families are required to complete 10 hours of volunteering for each school year. When completed with each volunteer opportunity, remember to log in those hours. Here is the [PARENT VOLUNTEER FORM](#). Click on the link, answer the questions (there are two sections), make sure to click submit on the second portion. Parent Volunteer flyers with QR code are posted at the soccer field, window of Mr.Pete's office, HS/MS/EL offices, concession stand and fellowship hall.

A quick reminder...**volunteer hours are 10 per family**. Mom, Dad, Aunts, Uncles, Grandparents can also volunteer. However, each person needs to fill out a volunteer form of their hours every time it is completed. Also, please put the name of the teacher, coach, or principal that you are donating to or RCS staff who is responsible for the event and if you're donating items to please list and give the amount of each item that was purchased. For every \$15 spent on donations is 1 hour. (For example, \$30 worth of candy bars and soda is 2 hours, \$75 worth of candy bars, chips, and soda would be 5 hours).

Thank you for completing your Parent Volunteer Hours:

Carol & Theo Breamer-Bennett

Jennifer & Jerry Brown

Tim & Michelle Becksvoort

Camilla & Charles Lynch

Anna & Kevin Zwiers

Regina Keedah

Colette & Jeremy Mazon

Upcoming Volunteer Opportunities:

- Lunch servers needed in the Fellowship Hall from 11:15am to 12:40 pm. Here is the [LINK](#) to sign up.
- Helping with the admission gate at any volleyball game, soccer game or upcoming home cross country meet in September. [LINK](#) to sign up.
- Bring in concession stand items for fundraising
- Purchasing an item off our [RCS Staff Amazon Wish List](#)
- 2nd Annual END DWI and support Rehoboth June Camp 10k, 5k & 1 mile walk on Saturday, Sep 13, 2025 (Here is the [LINK](#) to sign up for parent volunteer opportunities with this event) ***We are still needing volunteers!***
- For the RCS Music Program, Mr Zwiers and Mrs Christensen are asking for donations for this year's Fall Carnival. A donation of \$5, a 12 pack of soda, and a baked item for the cake walk/bake sale. The money can be given to Ms. Begay at the HS or Ms. Peywa at the MS. The money is used to purchase the supplies for the Navajo Taco supper and the carnival games. All of the donations can also count toward your volunteer hours. A donation of \$5 and a 12 pack of soda will count as 1 hour of time. If you have any questions, please contact Mr Zwiers or Mrs Christensen.

If you have any questions, please contact Kristen at 505-726-9628, by email at krousseau@rcsnm.org or don't be shy and stop by my office at the administration building.

Verlena Livingston (Former Director of Community Life) is no longer associated with the admissions process, please send any questions or correspondence to Kristen Rousseau (Admissions Coordinator)

Food Service

Thank you to all the amazing volunteers that have come to help serve our students during lunch. We also made some adjustments in now serving hot food to our High School students. This coming week we will be celebrating Hispanic Heritage week, come celebrate with us by eating the different types of food we are serving for lunch. We will also be celebrating it by decorating our Fellowship Hall with Hispanic Decor. If you know of anyone or interested in serving please don't hesitate to contact us and earn your Volunteer Hours.

We are encouraging kids to drink their milk and eat the food on their plates. Please encourage your kids to eat what is on their plate, remember they can speak up and turn down a food item as long as they have 3 items on their tray, one being a fruit or vegetable.

Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He will make straight your paths. Proverbs 3: 5,6

ALL kids eat FREE! Take Advantage!



Hispanic Heritage Week

Menu Week of Sept. 15, 2025 to Sept. 19, 2025

Monday Sep 15, 2025	Tuesday Sep 16, 2025	Wednesday Sep 17, 2025	Thursday Sep 18, 2025	Friday Sep 19, 2025
B-fast pizza Empanada, Fresh fruit and Milk	Rice w/ Raisins w/ muffins, Fresh fruit and milk	Breakfast burritos , Fresh fruit and Milk	Boiled eggs, Toast and Fresh Fruit and Milk	Smoothie w/ Granola Bar and Fruit and Milk
Bean Burritos Tortilla Chips , Salsa, Chuck Wagon Corn , Fresh fruit and milk	Taco Tuesday w/ taco meat, lettuce, tomato, cheese, Spanish rice, Fresh fruit and Milk	Chicken Red chili Pesole, Sopapilla, Tri Bell Peppers, Fresh fruit and milk	Tostada w/ Refried Beans , lettuce, tomato , cheese, Fresh fruit and milk	Chili beans w/ Corn Bread, Veggie Dippers, Fresh Fruit and Milk

In Gear : Transportation

Deuteronomy 31:6

Be strong and of good courage, do not fear nor be afraid of them; for the Lord your God, he is the one who goes with you. He will not leave you nor forsake you.



The advertisement features a yellow school bus with "REHOBOTH CHRISTIAN SCHOOL" written on its side. A group of six staff members stands in front of the bus. A large black circular graphic with the text "JOIN OUR TEAM" is overlaid on the top left. The text "REHOBOTH CHRISTIAN SCHOOL" is also visible in the top right corner. Below the bus, the text "WE NEED SUBSTITUTE BUS DRIVERS" is displayed in large, bold, yellow letters. A list of benefits is provided: "Guaranteed Weekly Hours", "Sign-On Bonus", and "CDL Endorsement required". At the bottom, a blue banner contains a phone icon, the text "Download application online at www.rcsnm.org", and "For more information call: (505) 863-4412". A cursor icon points to the right.

JOIN OUR TEAM

REHOBOTH CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

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Bus Schedule Links

[2025-2026 Bus Schedule](#)

[2025-2026 Early Dismissal \(Thursday PM\) Bus Schedule](#)

For day of transportation changes, please contact the school before 2:15pm.

- Val Peywa at 505-726-9675 for Elementary/Middle school
- Shawna Begay 505-726-9632 for High School

For permanent transportation changes please contact Darius Yazzie at dariusyazzie@rcsnm.org or 505-726-9622

Darius Yazzie | Transportation Manager

Email: dariusyazzie@rcsnm.org

Phone: (505) 726-9622

I Believe: Athletics

Welcome back to a New School Year! HS and MS Fall Sports will start soon. If you have any questions please contact your child's coach. Contact Information is below. If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to me at adrianpete@rcsnm.org. Thank you and GOL LYNX!

Volleyball - Charlene Chapman, cchapman@rcsnm.org 505-879-8191

Boys Soccer - Phil Fredriksen, frederiksenphil@gmail.com 505-458-2705

Girls Soccer - Neil Weeda, nweeda@rrcsnm.org 616-723-4525

HS and MS Cross Country - Autumn Newell, ajnewell@rcsnm.org 505-862-3156

Middle School Volleyball - Patricia Chavira (will send her contact info to MS Parents)

Devotionals for athletes: <https://www.fca.org/resources/personal-growth>

DATE	HIGH SCHOOL	MIDDLE SCHOOL
Thursday, September 11	5:30 pm- HS Boys RCS Christian Jaquez Soccer Tournament RCS vs. Hot Springs	
Friday, September 12	3:00 pm - HS Laguna Cross Country Meet HS Boys RCS Christian Jaquez Soccer Tournament (see attached bracket) 5 / 6 pm - HS Volleyball AWAY @ Oak Grove (JV,V)	3:00 pm -MS Laguna Cross Country Meet
Saturday, September 13	HS Boys RCS Christian Jaquez Soccer Tournament (see attached bracket)	
Monday, September 15		5 /6pm - MS Volleyball AWAY vs. Newcomb
Tuesday, September 16	3:00 pm -HS Girls Soccer HOME vs. Miyamura 4/5/6 pm - HS Volleyball AWAY vs. Tohatchi(C,JV,V) 5:00 pm- HS Boys Soccer HOME vs. Miyamura	
Wednesday, September 17		5:00/6:00pm - MS Volleyball HOME vs. Crownpoint
Thursday, September 18	4/5/6 pm - HS Volleyball HOME vs. Zuni (C,JV,V)	

Community Events

We like to support our community, so if you have any events that you would like to add to Parent News please email the information to adminsec@rcsnm.org by Wednesday so it can be added to the Thursday edition of the parent news.

Fliers:

September 19 - CALL FOR FOOD TRUCKS FOR SHOW AND SHINE EVENT

September 19 - Show N Shine Event

Free and Reduced Meal Form pg 1 & 2 (please fill out both)

September 11-13 Christian Jaquez Boys Soccer Tournament Bracket

September 15-19 Hispanic Heritage Week

Rehoboth Drama Club Sign-Up

September Box Tops for Education Letter

New Mexico Suncats (U-14 Softball)

Awana Clubs at Grace Bible Church - Wednesdays

October 3 Fall Carnival

September 10-11 Gallup McKinley County Humane Society Fundraiser

September 13 END DWI Run/Walk (Please see INSIDE SCOOP for parent volunteer hours opportunities for this event).

October 16 - College & Financial Aid Showcase

October 17/November 1 - Library- Teen Book Club

Library - Teen Film Production

San Juan Symphony Orchestra Schedule



a Call for

**FOOD
TRUCKS**



HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH EVENING EVENT

RCS HIGH SCHOOL/
SPORTS AND FITNESS CENTER PARKING LOT

**Fri. 19th
SEPTEMBER
2025**

**SHOW N SHINE CAR
SHOW, MUSIC,
ENTERTAINMENT, &
SPECIAL GUEST**

**OPEN
4:00 pm -
7:00 pm**

EMAIL TO RESERVE YOUR SPACE!
VERLENA LIVINGSTON AT: VLIVINGSTON@RCSNM.ORG

\$40 vendor space



*Rehoboth Christian School
Multicultural Committee*



Hispanic Heritage Month

Show n Shine **CAR SHOW**

Friday, September 19, 2025

4 pm to 7 pm

High School Parking lot

We Welcome all Rides And Lowrider Bikes to display



Complete one application per household. Please use a pen (not a pencil).

APPLY ONLINE:
RETURN TO (School/District Name):
ADDRESS:

List ALL children, infants, and students up to and including grade 12. Attach another sheet of paper if you need space for more names.

List ALL children in the household. Do not forget to list infants, children attending other schools, children not in school, and children not applying for benefits. This includes children not related to you in your household.

Child's First Name

MI Child's Last Name

Grade

Eastwick Child Migrant Runaway Homeless

[illegible]

Do any household members (including you) participate in: SNAP, TANF, or FDIPI?

☐ NO → GO TO STEP 3.

YES → Write case number here and proceed to STEP 4.

CASE NUMBER (NOT EBT NUMBER):

Write only one case number in this space.

List ALL household members and income for each member (before taxes and deductions)

A. All Adult Household Members (Anyone who is living with you and shares income and expenses, even if not related, including you.)

List all Adult Household Members not listed in STEP 1 (including yourself), even if they do not receive income. For each Household Member listed, if they receive income, report total gross income (before taxes and deductions) for each source in whole dollars (no cents) only. If they do not receive income from any source, write "0." If you enter "0" or leave any field blank, you are certifying (promising) that there is no income to report.

Name of Adult Household Member (First and Last)	Earnings from Work	How often received?				Public Assistance, Child Support, Alimony	How often received?				Pensions, Retirement, Social Security, SSI, VA Benefits, All Other	How often received?			
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B. Child Income

Sometimes children in the household earn or receive income. Include the TOTAL income (before taxes and deductions) received by ALL children listed in STEP 1 here.

Unaid Income

How often received?			
Weekly	Every 2 weeks	Monthly	Annually
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

☐ Check if no Social Security Number

Please see application's back for list of income sources.

Contact information and adult signature.

RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL: insert school address here

I certify (promise) that all information on this application is true and that all income is reported. I understand that this information is given in connection with the receipt of Federal funds, and that school officials may verify (confirm) the information. I am aware that if I purposely give false information, my children may lose meal benefits, and I may be prosecuted under applicable State and Federal laws.

Print Name of Adult Signing the Form _____

Signature of Adult: _____

Today's Date _____

Mailing Address (if available)

City

5400

Zip

Pharmaceuticals (continued)

Email: root@root

Return completed form to your child's school.

SOURCES AND EXAMPLES OF INCOME

For additional information on income, please refer to the instructions that accompany this application.

Sources of Income		Examples of Income for Children
Earnings from Work <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Salary, wages, cash bonuses, tips, commissions Net income from self-employment (farm or business) If you are in the U.S. Military: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Basic pay and cash bonuses (do NOT include combat pay, FSSA, or privatized housing allowances) Allowances for off-base housing, food and clothing 	Public Assistance/Alimony/Child Support <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unemployment benefits Worker's compensation Supplemental Security Income (SSI) Cash assistance from State or local government Alimony payments Child support payments Veterans benefits Strike benefits 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A child has a regular full or part-time job where they earn a salary or wages
Pensions/Retirement/All other sources of income <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Social Security/Disability (including railroad retirement and black lung benefits) Private Pensions or disability benefits Income from trusts or estates Annuities Investment income Earned Interest Rental income Regular cash payments from outside household 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A child is blind or disabled and receives Social Security benefits A parent is disabled, retired, or deceased, and their child receives Social Security benefits A friend or extended family member regularly gives a child spending money A child receives regular income from a private pension fund, annuity, or trust 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A child is blind or disabled and receives Social Security benefits A parent is disabled, retired, or deceased, and their child receives Social Security benefits A friend or extended family member regularly gives a child spending money A child receives regular income from a private pension fund, annuity, or trust

OPTIONAL

Children's ethnic and racial identities. This information is kept confidential and may be protected by the Privacy Act of 1974.

We are required to ask for information about your children's race and ethnicity. This information is important and helps to make sure we are fully serving our community. Responding to this section is optional and does not affect your children's eligibility for free or reduced price meals.

Ethnicity (check one): ☐ Hispanic or Latino (A person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish Culture or origin, regardless of race) ☐ Not Hispanic or Latino

Race (check one or more): ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native ☐ Asian ☐ Black or African American ☐ Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander ☐ White

Return this completed form to your child's school. *Do not mail, fax, or email completed applications to the U.S. Department of Agriculture Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights.

DO NOT FILL OUT

For school use only.

Annual Income Conversion: Weekly x 52, Every 2 Weeks x 26, Twice a Month x 24, Monthly x 12. Do not annualize income to determine eligibility unless more than one income frequency is listed.

Total Income	How often?	Household size	Categorical Eligibility	Eligibility
<input type="text"/>	<input type="radio"/> Weekly <input type="radio"/> Every 2 Weeks <input type="radio"/> Twice a Month <input type="radio"/> Monthly <input type="radio"/> Annual	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="radio"/> Free <input type="radio"/> Reduced <input type="radio"/> Denied
Determining Official's Signature	Date	Confirming Official's Signature	Date	Verifying Official's Signature
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Use of Information Statement

The Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act requires that we use information from this application to see who qualifies for free or reduced price meals. We can only approve complete forms. We may share your eligibility information with education, health, and nutrition programs to help them deliver program benefits to your household. Inspectors and law enforcement may also use your information to make sure that program rules are met. Please be sure to provide the last four numbers of the Social Security number of the adult household member who signs the application. If the adult does not have one, check if no Social Security Number. Applications for a foster child do not need to list a Social Security number. Applications for children in households receiving Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) or Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) or Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) do not need to list a Social Security number. Some children qualify for free meals without an application. Please contact your school to get free meals for a foster child and children who are homeless, migrants, or runaway.

The contact information below is solely to file a complaint of discrimination

In accordance with federal civil rights law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights regulations and policies, this institution is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex (including gender identity and sexual orientation), disability, age, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity. Program information may be made available in languages other than English. Persons with disabilities who require alternative means of communication (e.g., Braille, large print, audiotape, American Sign Language), should contact the responsible state or local agency that administers the program or USDA's TARGET Center at (202) 720-2600 (voice and TTY) or contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339.

To file a program discrimination complaint, a complainant should complete a Form AD-3027, USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form which can be obtained online at: <https://www.usda.gov/files/default/files/documents/USDA-05A-SCRB-20P-Complaint-Form-0506-0002-508-11-28-172824.pdf>, from any USDA office, by calling (866) 632-9992, or by writing a letter addressed to USDA. The letter must contain the complainant's name, address, telephone number, and a written description of the alleged discriminatory action in sufficient detail to inform the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights (ASCR) about the nature and date of an alleged civil rights violation. The completed AD-3027 form or letter must be submitted to USDA by:

MAIL: U.S. Department of Agriculture
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights
1400 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20250-9410

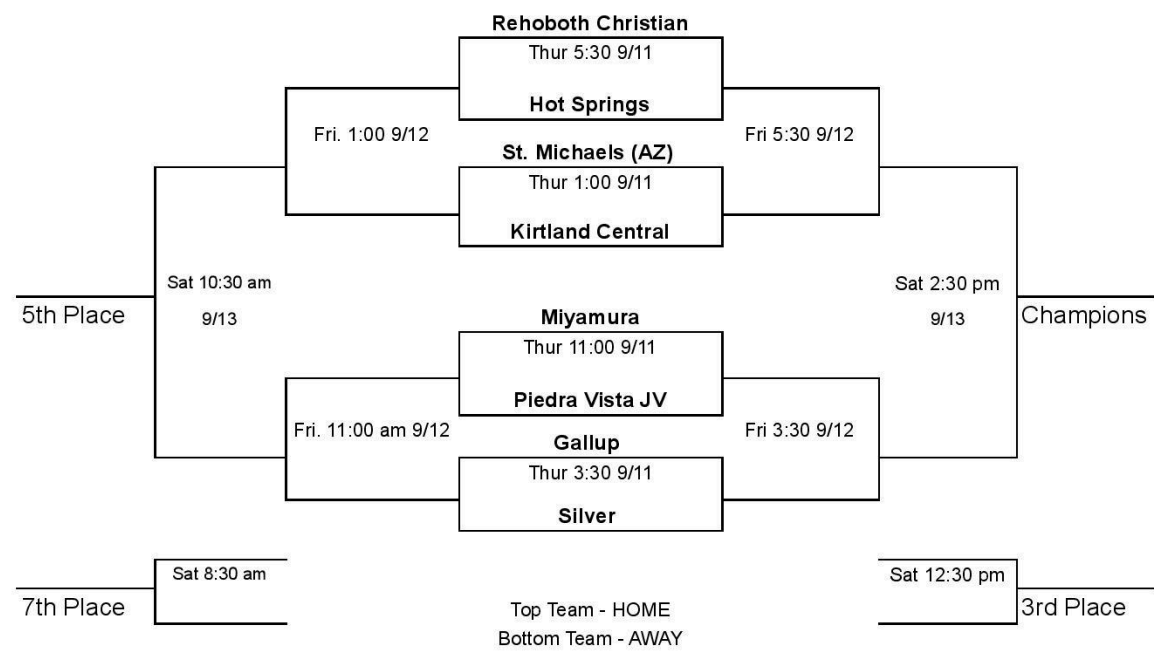
FAX: (833) 256-1665 or (202) 690-7442 or
EMAIL: program.intake@usda.gov

*Do not mail applications to this address, only complaints of discrimination.

Return completed form to your child's school.

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

Christian Jaquez Boys Soccer Tournament 2025





NATIONAL HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

SEPT.15 - OCT.15

NATIONAL THEME:

Collective Heritage: Honoring the Past, Inspiring the Future



RCS will be celebrating Hispanic Heritage Week
Sept. 15-19

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- Mon. 9/15** ► *Dímelo Day*
*Wear a t-shirt with a Spanish word or phrase and
"Say it to me" en español*
- Tue. 9/16** ► *Fútbol (Soccer) Jersey Day*
Wear your favorite soccer jersey
- Wed. 9/17** ► *Inspirational Icon Day*
*Wear a t-shirt in honor of a Hispanic or Latino figure to
celebrate their contribution or achievement.*
- Thu. 9/18** ► *Hispanic Heritage Day*
Wear traditional Hispanic clothing
- Fri. 9/19** ► *Go Tejano! Day*
Wear western/ranching gear and dress as a vaquero or vaquera



Hispanic Heritage
evening event

Fri. Sept. 19 | 4-7pm
SFC/HS Parking Lot

- A family event!
- Show N Shine car show
- Special Guests & Entertainment
- Food Trucks & Vendors



Join the Rehoboth High School Drama Club



Musicians

Dancers

**Sound/
Light
Engineers**

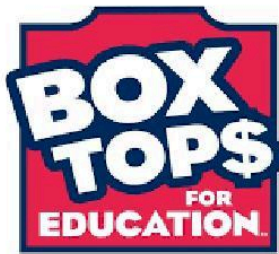
Actors

Set Designers

**Stage
Managers**

Crew Members

Scan the QR Code to sign up
or email jo.leggett@gmail.com
for more information



Hello Rehoboth Christian School families!

My name is Duane Yazzie and I am the **Box Tops for Education** Coordinator for our school. I encourage and invite you to support book purchases for our library through the **Box Tops for Education** program. Our focus this year is on adding books about climate education to our collection as we tie this to learning more about one of our *Throughlines: Creation Keepers* and as we learn to be environmental stewards of God's creation.

Currently, we have earned \$125.50 and we'd love your continued support as we try to reach our goal of \$500!

Here's how you can help us reach our goal:

- **Buy Box Tops products!** Then, scan your receipt with the Box Tops app **within 14 days** of purchase and earn for our library with every Box Tops product you buy.
- **Refer your friends, family and other parents in the school to download the app.** You'll even get Bonus Box Tops for our school with each referral that successfully scans their first receipt.
- **Turn on notifications in your Box Tops app!** You will get scan reminders and stay updated on special offers, new products and opportunities to earn for our school. Go to your Communications Settings by tapping on the person icon in the upper-right corner of the app.

Let's give our library the support it deserves so we can purchase more books for students to enjoy.

Sincerely,

Duane Yazzie, Teacher-Librarian
dyazzie@rcsnm.org



new Mexico **SUNCATS** 14u-Barton



SEEKING ALL POSITIONS

Based in the Gallup area

- **3.6 GPA Minimum Requirement**
- **2011/2012 YOB**
- **Player must be respectful, ready to learn and willing to give everything they've got.**
- **Families must be willing to travel.**

CONTACT COACH GABI: 505-870-2515



Wednesdays

6:30 - 8:15

Grades PreK - 8th



ALL AGES WELCOME!

REHOBOTH
CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

CARNIVAL FUN FAIR

**CAKE WALK, DUNK TANK, PRIZES
AND MORE!**

SUPPORT REHOBOTH BAND/CHOIR

FRIDAY, OCT 3: 4:00 – 7:30 PM

**REHOBOTH SPORTS AND
FITNESS CENTER**

**NAVAJO TACOS AND
BAKE SALE**

**SILENT
AUCTION**

**\$1 FOR 4
TICKETS**

GASOLINE

LOLLIPOPS

At the El Morro Theatre

**Raffle for
Exclusive
Prizes!!**

**Signed
band
merch!!**

**AND
MUCH
MORE!!**

**Help our furry
friends at the
Gallup McKinley
County Humane
Society!!**

**Free!!
Meet & Greet
with Gasoline
Lollipops after
the show!**

September 10th + 11th, 2025
El Morro Theatre

207 W Coal Ave, Gallup, NM 87301

More Info at [HoldMyTicket.com](https://www.holdmyticket.com)

GASOLINE

LOLLIPOPS

SILVER COUNTRY BAND

09.10.2025
or 09.11.2025

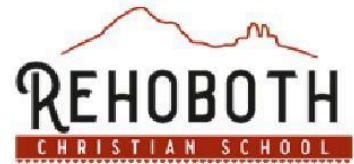


Doors: 5:00PM
Show: 6:00PM

EL MORRO THEATRE

207 W Coal Ave, Gallup, NM 87301

Opportunity to earn parent
volunteer hours !!!



SEP 13 **END DWI & SUPPORT** **SEP 13**
REHOBOTH JUNE
CAMP

Volunteers Needed:

- Volunteers to be on the course to encourage and guide runners
- Volunteers to help with parking before the race
- 4 Volunteers to man the water stations on the course (2 people for each water station)
- 2 Volunteers to man the food and drink table offered to runners after their race
- 3 Volunteers at the 1 mile walk registration table
- 2 Volunteers at the 5k registration table
- 1 Volunteer at the 10k registration table

We are also welcoming donations in the form of prize baskets put together for the winners. The value of the basket will determine the amount of parent volunteer hours you are able to earn.

Sign up to volunteer with this link: [Volunteer Sign UP](#)
Scan the QR Code to see the race website:



2ND ANNUAL END DWI AND SUPPORT REHOBOTH JUNE CAMP 10K, 5K, & 1-MILE WALK

SAT. SEPT 13, 2025

LAW ENFORCEMENT
AND EMS TEAM
COMPETITION!



MEDALS!

T-SHIRTS!

MUSIC!

*All money raised from this race will go to
support the DWI Memorial Wall project and
Rehoboth's June Camp program and will
STAY LOCAL*

***RED ROCK PARK
CHURCH ROCK, NM***

10K 8AM
5K 8:10 AM
1-MILE
WALK/RUN
8:20 AM



A HOPE AND A FUTURE, INC.

To Register and for more
information: scan the QR code or
call 505-409-1046



College & Financial Aid Showcase

Thursday, October 16 | Rehoboth, New Mexico

Join us for a half-day event designed to help high school juniors, seniors, counselors, and families simplify the college application process!

The showcase will bring together leading scholarship providers and universities at Rehoboth Christian High School on Thursday, October 16. This free event will provide attendees with tools and information to successfully navigate the complexities of the college application process.

Who should attend?

High school seniors graduating in 2026
High school juniors graduating in 2027
Counselors and families

Colleges & Scholarship Providers Include:

Colorado State University – Fort Collins
Daniels Fund
Fort Lewis College
New Mexico State University
University of Denver
University of New Mexico
West Texas A&M
& More!

2025 NM Showcase RSVP



Details:

Date: Thursday, October 16
Time: 8:30 – 11:30 am
Location: Rehoboth Christian High School
211 Tse Yaaniichi Street
Rehoboth, New Mexico 87322



Register to attend this free event using the QR code!

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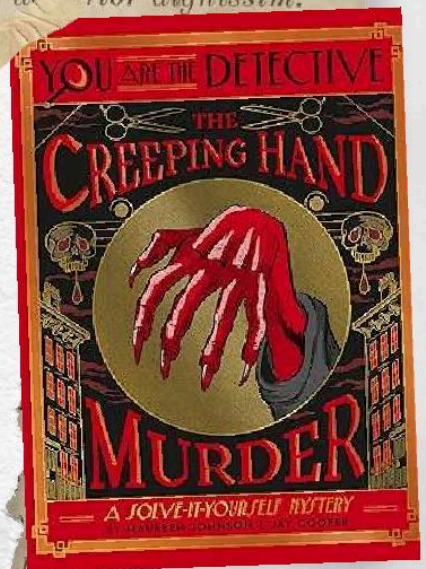
Register for a free
copy of the book.

Discussions
will take
place at the
Children &
Youth Library

OCT 17 | 6-7 PM
NOV 1 | 5-6PM

The
Creeping
Hand
Murder

by Maureen
Johnson
&
Jay Cooper



Register here
or for more
information email
pneilson@gallupnm.gov
(505) 863-1291

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TEEN FILM PRODUCTION CLUB



TEENS INTERESTED IN LEARNING FILM PRODUCTION:

You are invited to join our brand-new
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This year, participants will be
developing one or more original films
for submission to NM Film Prize Jr, a
statewide film festival and educational
film making program.

LEARN THESE SKILLS:

- Story and Script Development
 - Pre-Production Planning
 - Cinematography
 - Sound Design
 - Directing
 - Editing
- Visual Effects and Animation

INTERESTED?

We are a brand new club and are still working
to find a date and time that will work for our
participants. If you are interested, please visit
the form below to let us know.



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