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Table Talk

Bob Ippel, Executive Director

Dear Friends,

Rehoboth is blessed to have many staff that have served our students and families for so many years. This week we say goodbye to one of those faithful servants- Sue Eddy. Sue worked at Rehoboth for 18 years-7 years in the Advancement Office and 11 years as Food Service Director. We wish Sue the best in her next endeavor. We want to thank her for providing over one million lunches to our Pre K and K-12 students, welcoming hundreds of volunteers into her work space, showing amazing grace, love and appreciation for her staff and dealing with mountains of bureaucratic paperwork to ensure federal reimbursement and compliance. Sue will be passing the torch to Drucilla Anderson who has been involved in both the healthcare and food service industry. Dru has two daughters that graduated from Rehoboth and now is the proud grandmother of several Rehoboth students. Blessings Sue! Welcome Dru!



Always amazed!

Bob Ippel
Rehoboth Christian School Executive Director

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Upcoming Events

- **September 8- Half day School** - release at 1:05pm
- **September 8 - 1:00pm** David Charles Cross Country Invitational (HS/MS) (runners start at 3:00pm)Rehoboth
- **September 13-** Trailblazers! A community family event
- **September 14-16** - RCS Boys Soccer Tournament
- **September 18** - School Picture Day
- **September 21 - 5:30-8:30 pm** - THINQ meal 5:30pm, discussion 6:30-8:30pm -HS

All School Announcements

VERY IMPORTANT - Reminder for tomorrow

Friday, September 8, Early Release, 1:05pm Due to our Cross Country Invitational Meet
Friday, September 8, ADMINISTRATION OFFICE CLOSSES at 1:00pm

David Charles Cross Country Meet - September 8

On September 8, 2023 our school will be hosting our annual middle school and high school cross country meet. Listed below are our start times for each race. Come on out and support our lynx runners and local schools. Local businesses will also have an opportunity to sell at the meet. More information on vendors will follow next week.

Middle School Girls Race: 3:00 pm
Middle School Boys Race: 3:30 pm
HS Varsity Girls Race: 4:00 pm
HS Varsity Boys Race: 4:30 pm
HS Boys and Girls JV Race: 5:00 pm

Vendors Space Available!

\$60 Donation

Limited Spots Food Handlers Permit
must be up to date*

**September 8, 2023
2pm-6 pm**

David Charles Cross Country
Invitational
Rehoboth, New Mexico



Contact KRISTINA ACOTHLEY at kacothley@gmail.com
to reserve your spot!

Business Office

A reminder that your August tuition payment should have been made. Your September statement should be emailed to you by Monday, September 11th or before. Please check your email for one from Rcsrenweb that shows your statement. We are thankful for your support by paying your tuition promptly and for communicating with us concerning your situation. If you have any changing circumstances which would cause a delay of your monthly payment, please contact adminsec@rcsnm.org or call our office at 505-726-9635.

Trailblazers! - Sign up today!

Come and join us for a community family night on the trails. On **Wednesday, September 13th**, we will be hosting a family night that promotes physical well-being and an introduction to our trails.

We have many trails that students, parents, staff, and the community members have access to but we would like to highlight a couple of trails for attendees this evening. The trails introduced will be in total around 30 min to an hour depending which one you choose, the distance, and your timing to walk. Trails are loops but you can choose to go in and out the same way.

After the hike, **dinner will be served at the Sports & Fitness Center SFC.**

[Please sign up here](#) for us to know

how many in your family will be coming. We would like to have enough food prepared.



The trails are open for hikers beginning at 5:30pm. Dinner will be available from 6:00pm to 7:00pm.

Note: Dogs are welcomed on the trails but MUST BE on a leash at all times

Picture Day - September 18

Our visiting photographers will be at Rehoboth on Monday, September 18 to take pictures of our students. Parents will receive a link from these photo sessions, and they can order any number or size of prints that they would like. There will be lots more reminders about this day, but it never hurts to be prepared!

THINQ with Us on September 21

In three weeks, we will be hosting a special parent night at Rehoboth as part of a global event called the THINQ Summit. THINQ brings people together to think about, learn, and discuss challenging topics through a Christian lens; and we believe that the format can bring a lot of value to our Rehoboth community. There will be a series of short (8-10 minutes each) talks with time to consider, discuss, and digest them in between. We plan to focus on topics like mental health, technology, and faith formation; and we hope that you will be able to join us! Please mark your calendars for Thursday, September 21. The event will start at 6pm in the LC of the high school.

PLANNING AHEAD

High School Band Fall Concert

The High School Band Fall Concert will be October 2 at 7pm in the LC of the high school.

FALL CARNIVAL

Fall Carnival will take place October 6 from 4 - 7:30pm.

Indigenous People's Day Horseback Ride

Monday, October 9. If students or families wish to ride please contact Elmer Yazzie at 520-975-9176.

Elementary News

[Elementary Handbook](#)

Toolbox Thursday

Hopefully, you have used The Emotion Check-In Charts to help your family **identify and talk** about feelings. If you have not seen the chart ask your child to check their folder or binder. Let me know if you need a new one.

This week we will continue to SPOT our feelings by noticing our facial expressions.

Examples: eyebrows up, questioning eyes = **nervous, shy or worried**; tight, pressed down eyebrows = **angry, upset**.

Noticing these expressions on others will also help us show love and empathy to others.

Leanne Gillson

Toolbox Teacher

Elementary PE (grades K-5)

P.E. is held on Mondays (3rd, 4th, and 5th) and Tuesdays (Kindergarten, 1st, and 2nd) each week. Please help students remember to wear appropriate attire and footwear that allows them to move comfortably when we are in the Auxiliary Gymnasium. Crocs, sandals, and boots are discouraged. Students are also encouraged to bring a water bottle to class.

Transportation Changes

If transportation changes are necessary, please contact Val Peywa before 2:15 so that she has time to communicate with classroom teachers and students.

Early Release

On early release days, students go to lunch from 11:00-11:30, recess from 11:30-12:00, and return to class for an hour of instruction. The bell for dismissal rings at 1:05pm.

After School Program

If you would still like to sign up for After School care, please use this [LINK](#) to register your child(ren). Students will not be allowed to participate unless they are registered. Also, please contact Mrs. Sarah Marlowe who is the After School Director. Email her at smarlowe@rcsnm.org.

Tara DeYoung, EL/MS Principal

Middle School Matters

Upcoming Dates

Sept 8: Rehoboth Cross Country Meet, **early dismissal at 1:05pm**

Sept 8: MS Soccer A (7:30pm)

Sept 9: MS Soccer B (8:00am and 12:30pm)

Sept 11: MS Volleyball away at St. Bonaventure

Sept. 14: MS Cross Country meet at Chooshgai

7th & 8th grade NWEA Schedule: NWEA is a nationally normed assessment that we use to map student growth.

Week of September 11: 6th Language, 7/8th grade science

Transportation Changes

If transportation changes are necessary, please contact Val Peywa before 2:15 so that she has time to communicate with classroom teachers and students.

Drop-off and Pick-up

K-8 families should drop off and pick up all of their students in the gravel loop behind the elementary building and church. The elementary playground parking lot is reserved for families of Pre-K students who need to park and walk their students to the building.

As you drop off and pick up your students please pull right up to the car in front of you to keep the traffic flowing. After school, if a car leaves and you are still waiting for your student, please pull forward to fill the space so that the line moves forward. For the safety of our students, please do not form two lines; we do not want our students darting between cars and traffic.

Early Release

On early release days, students go to lunch/break from 11:25-12:00, and return to class for an hour of instruction. The bell for dismissal rings at 1:05pm.

Tara DeYoung, EL/MS Principal

High School Highlights

Sing to the Lord a New Song

This week’s chapel on Tuesday morning was our first Praise & Worship chapel of the year. At the beginning of each month, we set aside a chapel to use for singing, led by one or more RCHS Staff. This week, Mr. Meekhof, Ms. Wright, and Mr. Weidenaar all helped lead us through a selection of songs about God’s goodness and his trustworthiness in our lives. Why do we sing at school? The answer is that we are commanded to offer praise to the Lord by singing. Even if we can’t carry a tune, we can always make a joyful noise! Talk with your child about the worship chapel. How did it feel different than the others? Did they feel comfortable participating? What barriers, if any, prevent them from feeling free to sing? How can they help themselves and others to adopt a worshipful posture?

Eligibility Now Underway

This week, we begin tracking student eligibility for athletics and other extracurricular activities. You’ll receive a grade report for your child at the beginning of the week, and if he or she has any F’s in classes, there will be no participation in team games/matches until all grades are in the passing range. This can be during the same week. One other wrinkle this year is that students must be on time to school and classes in order to leave early for a game that day. If a student has been late, he or she will be required to stay for the whole day of school and find their own way to the game later. Thanks for your partnership with us in ensuring that our athletes are students first!

Shortened Day Friday (September 8)

Rehoboth will be hosting our annual David Charles Cross Country Meet on Friday, September 8, so classes will let out at 1:05 that day to allow us to begin the meet on time.

Parent Nights Underway

Each fall, the RCHS Counselor, Mrs. Camilla Lynch, hosts a series of parent nights to help families navigate some of the choices that students make during high school as they plan for their future after Rehoboth. Each evening is geared toward a particular grade, and we encourage students to come with their parents/guardians. Sophomore parent night is up next on the 11th, so we’ll look for students and parents there.

Monday, September 11, 2023	Sophomore Parent Night	6pm in the LC
Monday, September 18, 2023	Junior Parent Night	6pm in the LC
Monday, September 25, 20003	Senior Parent Night	6pm in the LC

School Pictures Coming Soon!

On Monday, September 18, we will be taking our school photos for student ID’s and the yearbook. Please make sure your child is here that day. Otherwise, they will have to have theirs done on our makeup picture day.

Dan Meester, RCHS Principal

High School Counselor's Corner

Hello Parents and Students,

Upcoming Parent Nights

I will provide information about classes, credits and how students can stay on track to meet their graduation requirements. The junior and senior class sponsors will also have some information about fundraising and other events as we start the school year. Please see the list below of the dates for each class. I look forward to seeing you and getting to know you.

- **Sophomore Parent Night September 11, 2023 at 6:00 PM in the High School LC.**
- **Junior Parent Night September 18, 2023 at 6:00 PM in the High School LC.**
- **Senior Parent Night September 25, 2023 at 6:00 PM in the High School LC.**

College Success Skills Parent Information Session

On Thursday, November 2, 2023 from 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM in the High School LC. We will have Karin Admiraal from The Well-Ordered Mind provide an information session on "Preparing your student for a successful transition to college". Snacks will be available from 5:30 PM to 6:00 PM. The presentation will begin at 6:00 PM. Mark your calendars to attend this great opportunity.

SAT Testing

There is a \$25.00 fee for all seniors that signed up to take the Fall SAT. The fee can be paid at the high school front office with cash or a check. If you will be paying over the phone or with a debit/credit card please pay at the RCS administration office by October 11, 2023.

Scholarship Update

- The Gates Scholarship application deadline is September 15, 2023 at 5:00 PM (PT). Many of our seniors have been working on completing their application. I will also remind students in class today (09/07/23).
- The 2024 Daniels Scholarship Program application will open on September 15, 2023. There will be a webinar on September 14, 2023 to provide updates and information about the application and selection process. Please see the attached zoom link to attend the webinar.

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_XEVoURLhSJmwDsVFAQLQCg

If you ever have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me or stop by my office.

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/>

SAVE THE DATE! Community Life Family Event- Hiking:

On Wednesday, September 13th, we will host a family night on campus. Dinner will be served. See All School Announcements for details.

Tuition payments & Scholarships: A reminder that every month, a tuition payment needs to be paid. You can make your payments by phone through credit (505-863-4412), at our administration building, mail in payment, or use our free service of [FACTS](#). Every credit card payment has a fee.

If there are circumstances that are making it difficult for you to pay your tuition, you can apply for the [LYNX SCHOLARSHIPS](#).

Verlena J. Livingston | Dir. of Community Life | vlivingston@rcsnm.org

Parent Volunteer Program (PVP) **[CLICK HERE TO RECORD YOUR VOLUNTEER HOURS](#)**

Here are a few opportunities below.

1. We need help with the upcoming volleyball and soccer games admission gate. Please consider signing up.
[+ Admission Fall 2023](#)
2. The Cross Country team will host their annual meet on Friday September 8. We have a few volunteer spots available that have not been filled. Please let me know where you would like to help.
[+ 2023 Volunteer Signups: David Charles Invitational Cross Country Meet](#)
3. Serve lunch in the Fellowship Hall from 11:00am-12:15pm each day. Any day Monday through Friday.
4. Provide individual packaged snacks for the afterschool program.

If you have volunteered please make sure you report it on the link above. Remember, if you donated snacks or food this year, they count as volunteer hours too. If hours are not reported through the link above, we cannot record the hours to your Family Portal for you to track. If you have any questions about volunteering please don't hesitate to contact me.

Deanna Benson | Volunteer Coordinator | dbenson@rcsnm.org | (505) 726-9603

Food Service Line

Seamless. Our goal is to make the transition seamless. Well we all know that our best intentions sometimes don't work perfectly. I am asking for grace in advance, for when our new Manager/ Director starts on Monday. Please pray for her and support her in this new endeavor. The lunch ladies are amazing, you may not even notice the change is happening. I will be starting my new adventure on September 11th, I ask for prayer as well.

As always, contact your new lunch lady, Drucilla 'Dru' Anderson with questions, concerns and suggestions as we lunch heroes want what is best for the kids.

Susan Eddy, the 'almost former', Lunch Lady

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Now down to business.

We need servers now, more than ever, please contact Deanna Benson at dbenson@rcsnm.org , if you can do your volunteer hours by serving lunch. It is the BEST job on campus, kids LOVE to be fed! We have some great graphics going up this week to help them remember. They are doing very well! Supervising this process is another volunteer opportunity that is fun and quite an eye opener!

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, remembering they can speak up & turn down a food item, as long as they have 3 items on their tray, one being a fruit or vegetable!

ALL kids eat FREE! Take advantage! 😊

Menu Week of September 11 to September 16, 2023

Monday, Sept 11	Tuesday, Sept 13	Wednesday, Sept 14	Thursday, Sept 15	Friday September 16
Waffles, Syrup, Melon mix, Orange Pineapple Juice, Milk Ass't	Donut, Orange, Apples, Milk Ass't	Chicken Biscuit, Fruit Punch, Pear, Milk Ass't	Fruit filled Churro, Apple, Banana, Juice, Milk Ass't	Stuffed Hash Brown, Fruit, Milk Ass't
Spaghetti & Meatsauce, Green Beans, Breadsticks, Salad, Fruit, Asst'd Milk	Baked Potato Bar, Chicken or ham, cheese, cour cream , butter, Texas Toast, Veggie Dippers Milk Ass't	Frito Pie w/ Cheese, Veggie Dippers, Corn, Grahams, Fruit, Milk Ass't	Chicken Chow Mein, Imperial Blend, Grapes, Milk Ass't	Pizza, Rehoboth Salad, Tri Color Bells, Watermelon, Milk Ass't

RCS is an equal opportunity provider. Menu subject to change due to product availability.

In Gear : Transportation

Deuteronomy 31:8

The LORD himself goes before you and will be with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged.”

A Friendly Reminder:

Remember to make sure your Contact information is current and updated in Renweb, this will help to keep you informed of updates through text, email or phone calls regarding transportation. Listed Below are some Bus Stop changes, if you have any questions or concerns, please contact me.

Crownpoint Bus #6:

We will be adding on a bus stop at the Wingate Store/Post Office in Wingate N.M. Arrival time will be 7:40 AM and Drop Off time will be 3:50 PM (1:50 Thursday Early Dismissal). Please see the updated times in the Link below under “Current 2023-2024 Bus Routes.”

Zuni Bus #5

Due to the road construction on Hwy 602. The bus stop at “Breadsprings Speedway Store,” will no longer be used. We will be relocating that bus stop to Skeets Road on the west side of Hwy 602. Bus arrival and pickup time will be the same.

Early Dismissal THIS Thursday and Friday.

Every Thursday will be an early release. Buses will leave the school at 1:20pm. ALL PM BUS STOPS WILL BE EXACTLY 2 HRS EARLIER ON THURSDAYS. See link below for 2023-2024 Bus Route Times.

[Current 2023-2024 Bus Routes](#)



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
(505)726-9622 | dariusyazzie@rcsnm.org

I Believe: Athletics

For the Athlete: I do not trust in myself. I do not boast in my abilities or believe in my own strength. I rely solely on the power of God. I compete for the pleasure of my heavenly father, the honor of Christ, and the reputation of the Holy Spirit.

Devotionals: Here is a link for your son or daughter that pertains to student-athletes and their journey that comes with challenges and joys. If Devotions are new to you and your child, please see Mr. Pete, to assist and start that process and some easy steps in studying God's Word to grow and build a solid foundation.

[RCS Student-Athletes Devotionals](#)

Prayer Request: Please see attached a Prayer Card to pray for our athletes and coaches every day. Reminder: "MORE PRAYER, MORE POWER, LESS PRAYER, LESS POWER." [fcaprayercard.pdf](#)

Fall Sports:

Our HS coaches have started official practices. Please contact our Head Coaches.

Boys Soccer: Phil Frederiksen - frederiksenphil@gmail.com

Girls Soccer: Neil Weeda - nweeda@rcsnm.org

Volleyball: Char Chapman - cchapman@rcsnm.org

Boys and Girls Cross Country: Autumn Newell - ajnewell@rcsnm.org

Middle School Sports: Practices for MS Volleyball and MS Cross Country will happen during 8th period exploratories. 6th graders are unable to join right now due to a mandatory typing class.

MS Volleyball: Abbi Mulder - amulder@rcsnm.org

MS Cross Country: Autumn Newell - ajnewell@rcsnm.org

Concession Donations: \$20 worth

HS Volleyball - Gatorade, HS Girls Soccer - Water, HS Boys Soccer - Hot Dogs, HS Cross Country - Chips
Due by Friday September 8, 2023

DATE	HS SPORTS	MS SPORTS
Thursday, September 7	3:00 pm - Girls Soccer HOME vs. Grants 5:00 pm - Boys Soccer HOME vs. Grants	
Friday, September 8	4:00 pm- HS Rehoboth David Charles Cross Country Invite (see attached flier)	3:00 pm - MS Rehoboth David Charles Cross Country Invite
Saturday, September 9	11:00 am -Boys Soccer AWAY vs. Socorro 1:00 pm - Girls Soccer AWAY vs. Socorro	
Monday, September 11	4:15 pm - JV Volleyball Tournament AWAY vs. Shiprock @ Navajo Prep	5:00pm - MS Volleyball HOME vs. St. Bonaventure
Tuesday, September 12	4:30 pm - Girls Soccer AWAY vs. Gallup 5:00 pm - Volleyball HOME vs. Ramah (JV/V) 6:30 pm - Boys Soccer AWAY vs. Gallup	
Thursday, September 14	4:00 pm - Volleyball HOME vs. Oak Grove (JV,V) 5:30 pm - RCS Boys Soccer Tournament RCS vs. Montezuma Cortez (see attached bracket)	4:00 pm - MS Cross Country Ch'ooshgai Meet
Friday, September 15	RCS Boys Soccer Tournament	

Community Action

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.



REHOBOTH DAVID CHARLES CROSS COUNTRY INVITATIONAL - SEPTEMBER 8

Race Schedule:

1:30 PM - Course Open for Walk/Jog through

2:00 PM - Packet pickup at RCHS

2:30 PM - Coaches Meeting in RCHS

3:00 PM - Mid School Girls Unlimited entries

3:30 PM - Mid School Boys Unlimited entries

4:00 PM - Girls Varsity

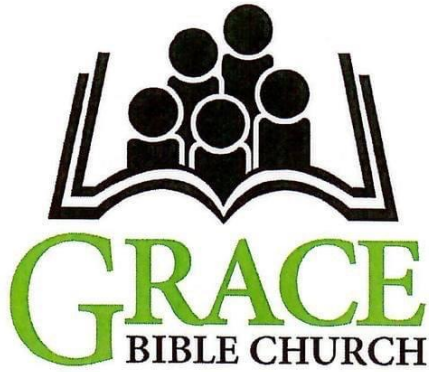
4:30 PM - Boys Varsity

5:00 PM - JV Girls and Boys *Double Chute finish if needed depending on the number of runners.



(if we decide to separate two JV races we will let you know.)

5:45 PM - Awards Presentation



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Gallup, NM

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Bible verses
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fun games
hear
good stories
make
new friends

EVERY WEDNESDAY

(during the school year—starting Sept. 6)

Open to all
Boys & Girls
Ages 3 thru
8th Grade

6:30 PM
to
8:15 PM

More info? Contact:
(505)
722-5114



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ULTIMATE FRISBEE

TUESDAYS 6:30 PM

**ST. MICHAELS
ARIZONA**

**NEAR BASEBALL
FIELD ACROSS FROM
CATHOLIC CHURCH**



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for directions

FOR MORE INFO CONTACT (928)245-0093

AMERICAN HOSPITALS

HEALING A BROKEN SYSTEM



From the makers of "Fix It: Healthcare at the Tipping Point"

Free Screening & Discussion

Sunday September 10 at 2:00 PM

El Morro Theatre - 207 West Coal, Gallup

This powerful sixty-minute documentary explores the growing trend of hospitals as profit-making business models. It reveals why health prices are soaring, the dangers of consolidations and the negative impact of these developments on patients and health professionals.

After the film, join the discussion featuring Valory Wangler, MD, Executive Director of Gallup Community Health, Warner Anderson, MD, FACP, and John Mezzoff, MD, retired ophthalmologist.

Come see this important film. Learn what is happening in Gallup and throughout New Mexico, and find out what we can do about it.

There are solutions!

English subtitles.

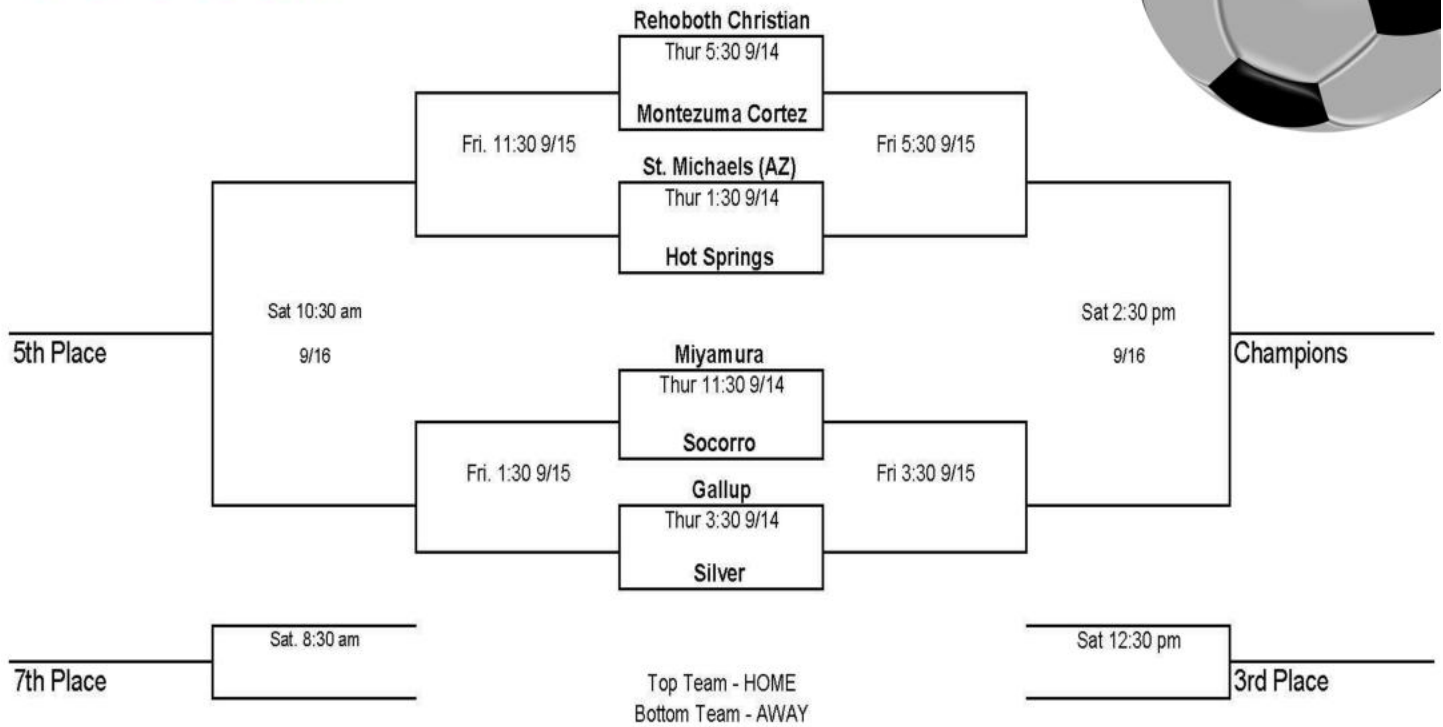
Seating is on a first come, first serve basis

Free admission - donations very much appreciated

*Sponsored by Health Security for New Mexicans Campaign, El Morro Theatre,
and the Community Health Action Group (CHAG)*



REHOBOTH CHRISTIAN BOYS SOCCER TOURNAMENT 2023



SEPT 14, SEPT 15, & SEPT 16 2023
REHOBOTH HS SOCCER FIELD

Weaving Colors:

AUTISM & THE NATIVE COMMUNITY

A presentation series for families dedicated to discussing important topics on autism and how they are viewed and addressed in the native culture.

**Join us Wednesday, August 16th, and
Wednesday, September 20th at 1:00-2:30 pm (MT)
as we welcome back**



Dr. Joshua Allison-Burbank

***Honoring Indigenous Knowledge
of Neurodevelopment and
Childrearing***

This two-part presentation will explore neurodevelopment and child development from an Indigenous lens. Cultural attitudes towards Disability will be discussed and methods for improving Indigenous connectedness during interventions will be highlighted.

As a reminder, you will need to register for both presentations

[Click here](#) or scan the QR Code:



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DEVELOPMENT
& DISABILITY**

For more information, please contact
HSC-AutismPrograms@salud.unm.edu Attn: Weaving Colors



College Success Skills Parent Information Session

Help prepare your student for a successful
transition to college



5:30-7:30 p.m.
Thursday, November 2
RCS High School LC

Snacks provided!

Q&A time following
the presentation

If you have a question or a topic you want to make sure is addressed, please submit it by Wednesday, Nov. 1, to admiraalkarin@gmail.com. I will do my best to provide an answer!



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