



# Parent News

May 22, 2025



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## Table Talk

Dan Meester | Executive Director

Friends, as we depart into summer break, this is my prayer for all of us. These words are taken from *Every Moment Holy*, vol. 1, by Douglas McElvey. Thanks for a great year, and I'll look forward to seeing you all back in August!

O Christ Our Sabbath,  
You have fashioned us to function best  
in rhyming lines of work and rest;  
our relaxations and recreations  
like unspoken invitations  
to that still greater holiday to come—  
when all burdens will at last be shed  
and weariness be put to bed,  
and glad joy stretch endlessly before us.

Prepare our hearts to revel in new exploration  
of cities not our own,  
and landscapes less familiar.  
Along our way, in such places  
whose contours you deliberately created,  
may we pause to savor the evidences  
of your diverse imagination  
expressed in glories of scenery,  
and in artistry of peoples and cultures.

Waken our vision to perceive  
such subtle expressions of your nature.  
Rouse also our hearts  
that we might be quietly shaped  
by those whisperings of divine beauty.

In our days away, let us play together.  
Let us laugh together.  
Let us be moved to speak  
such meaningful words  
as ought to be spoken  
among family and friends.  
Let us linger long at tables and drink deeply  
of one another's company, enjoying each  
for who they are with the steady pressures  
of our ordinary days now lifted.

You are our rest, Jesus.  
May this vacation serve your holy purposes.  
May the deep enjoyment  
and the grand adventure of it  
stir within us eternal longings,  
whetting our anticipation  
of that best holiday celebration  
that will one day  
encompass all days,  
and all of heaven  
and all of earth.

Amen.

Together,

Dan Meester, Executive Director

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## Upcoming All School Events

- Thursday, May 22 - 8th Grade graduation 6pm - SFC main gym, cake reception following in SFC lobby
- Saturday, May 24 - HS graduation 10:00 am - SFC main gym
- Monday, May 26 - Memorial Day - Offices closed
- Monday, June 2 - Thursday, June 19 - June Camp 8:15 am-2:45 pm Monday - Thursday
- 25-26 Friday, August 8 - Student/Family Orientation
- 25-26 Tuesday, August 12 - First day of school for 1st -12th grades
- 25-26 Tuesday, August 19 - First day of school for Pre-K and K classes

## All School Announcements

### School Year 2025-2026 Checklist

For those families who are returning next year here is a checklist to ensure that you are ready.

1. Students re-enrolled go [HERE](#)
2. Tuition assistance google form completed- part of re-enrollment packet.
3. 2024 tax 1040 forms sent in
4. FACTS payment account set up for next year - if you would like the 11 month payment plan that would need to be set up by mid-June at the latest. (We will not finish setting up the account on our end until we have issued your tuition contract and you have returned a signed copy.)
5. Once you receive your tuition contract, please sign and return within 2 weeks. Will be going out soon.
6. 6-12th graders Athletic form and physical completed (Packet will be available next week on website.)

If you have any questions or need to check if you have completed everything, please call 505-726-9635.

Please let us know if your child is not returning next year. Thank you.

**Parent Volunteer Hours- Uncompleted hours have been billed to your FACTS account.**

**Last chance to submit your hours is tomorrow, May 23. Go [HERE](#) to enter them in and make sure you hit the submit button on the bottom of the thank you page. Any hours entered will be credited on your FACTS account.**

**Parents are you looking for summer activities to keep your children busy. Check out all the attached fliers.**

### **Administration Office Summer Hours**

Starting June 2 the office will be open to the public **Monday - Thursday from 9am -3pm**. No Friday hours.

We will return to normal office hours on July 28.

The office will be closed the week of June 30 - July 4.

## **Elementary News**

As we wrap up another school year, this past week was filled with lots of learning, laughter, and memorable moments. Let's take a look back at all the fun we had this past week!

We kicked off the week with our special end-of-year chapel, where students enjoyed a slideshow of pictures showcasing their learning adventures, family nights, and exciting programs throughout the year. It was a heartwarming trip down memory lane!

Our students also got a sneak peek into the future by visiting their next year's classrooms to meet their new teachers and imagine all the exciting things ahead.

Kindergarteners celebrated their end-of-year learning with a fun-filled program last night – what a joyful way to highlight how far they've come this year!

Meanwhile, our 1st and 2nd graders explored the wonders of the Gallup Children's Museum, sparking curiosity and creativity. And our 4th and 5th graders had a blast playing kickball and hiking to First Canyon – a perfect mix of exercise and nature fun!

As I reflect on this school year, I'm reminded of all the hard work, growth, and joyful moments our teachers and staff have created for your children. Thank you for being such an important part of our school community! We are all so proud of each of our students and can't wait to see what next year brings. Keep shining bright, and enjoy every moment of this summer!

In Him,  
Tara DeYoung  
ES/MS Principal

### **Call for End of Year Teacher Supplies!**

We're running low on several items, please consider donating:

- Dish soap,
- Kleenex,
- Disinfecting Wipes,
- Coffee

\$15 = [1 PVP hour](#). donations can be given to Val Peywa at the ELEM/MS desk. Please put in your donation hour(s) for these items by Friday, May 23.

# Middle School Matters

After a whirlwind of finals and exams, our middle schoolers have earned a well-deserved break filled with exciting and enriching activities. This week was all about mixing fun with learning! After their hard work on finals, students enjoyed a variety of engaging activities including Golf, The Amazing Race, Musicals, and Mountain Biking! Others got creative with Knitting, Acoustic Guitar, Flowers, and Makeup. It was a fantastic way to celebrate their efforts and try new things!

As I reflect on this school year, I'm reminded of all the hard work, growth, and joyful moments our teachers and staff have created for your children. Thank you for being such an important part of our school community! We are all so proud of each of our students and can't wait to see what next year brings. And tonight, we celebrate a big milestone as we say goodbye to our 8th graders!

Keep shining bright, and enjoy every moment of this summer!

In Him,

Tara DeYoung  
ES/MS Principal

## **8th Grade Graduation is Tonight:**

The graduation ceremony starts at **6 PM tonight in the Sports and Fitness Center**. Graduates should **arrive by 5:15 PM** to check in and line up.

After the ceremony, please join us for a reception in the SFC Lobby—**don't forget to bring a dessert to share** to make this celebration even sweeter!

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# High School Highlights

Congratulations on making it to the end of the school year! Graduation is Saturday, May 24 at 10AM. On behalf of the staff in the high school, I would like to invite you to our graduation ceremony. I also want to take a moment here at the end of the year to thank you for a wonderful year. Your support made my transition to the job of principal a success-thank you so much.

Seth Weidenaar  
High School Principal

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# High School Counselor's Corner

## Schedules

If you would like to make an appointment to meet about class selection for the 2025-2026 school year please contact me (505) 726-9662 or email me at [camillalynch@rcsnm.org](mailto:camillalynch@rcsnm.org)

## Summer School

Letters for summer school have been sent to families. If there are any changes I will notify you within the next week about any changes. Summer school will start on Monday, June 2, 2025 at 8:30 AM.

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/>

## **New Students for the 25-26 school year:**

Enrollment for new students is open. If you are a current family and plan to add a new student for the 25-26 school year you will be able to do that through your family portal in renweb. Our pre-k for next year is waitlist only. Please go to [www.rcsnm.org](http://www.rcsnm.org) then to Pre-K admissions under the admissions tab to fill out the waitlist form. Once space becomes available we will inform you of the opening and then we can have you fill out the application.

## **Tuition Assistance application**

For those of you who would like to apply for tuition assistance but didn't fill out the application when you did your re-enrollment, here is the link <https://forms.gle/ads1qjsvjwp5dToZ6>

Also, please drop off or email your 2024 tax 1040 sheets as soon as you have them. Thanks.

## **Parent Volunteer Program (PVP)**

**Parent Volunteer Hours- Uncompleted hours have been billed to your FACTS account.**

**Last chance to submit your hours is tomorrow, May 23. Go [HERE](#) to enter them in and make sure you hit the submit button on the bottom of the thank you page. Any hours entered will be credited on your FACTS account.**

***Thank you for completing your parent volunteer hours:***

- Monique Baca
- Jason Elliott
- Melinda Nez
- Kristen Rousseau
- Lindsey Cheama
- Natasha Tom

# Food Service

Thank you for a great year!

As some of our students will be graduating or moving up in their class group, we just want to congratulate them in the future, wishing them success. Also, thank you to the Volunteers that came in daily to help us serve the students.

If you have any questions, praises, or suggestions, please feel free to reach me at [danderson@rcsnm.org](mailto:danderson@rcsnm.org) or 505-726-9616. Here's to a wonderful school year. See you in August.

**I can do everything through him who gives me strength Philippians 4:13**

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**ALL kids eat FREE! Take Advantage!**

## Menu Week of Aug 12, 2025 to Aug 15 , 2025

Monday Aug 11, 2025	Tuesday Aug 12, 2025	Wednesday Aug 13, 2025	Thursday Aug 14, 2025	Friday Aug 15, 2025
ENJOY	See back to school packet for menu for this week  YOUR	SUMMER	SCHOOL	BREAK



# 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.*

Greetings! School year 24-25' is a wrap and we are looking forward to the much needed rest during these next few weeks.. **If you have a SUGGESTED bus stop for school year 25-26', please let me know by email and we can do our best to accommodate transportation.** Enjoy this time off and we look forward to seeing you in August!.

## A Few Reminders:

- As always, please keep your phone numbers updated in RENWEB. Delays or cancellations are announced through our RENWEB system by a text message and by email.
- Reminder that there is no FOOD or DRINK allowed on the bus. Water bottles must have lids secure so no spill will occur while the bus is in enroute.
- Please continue to be 10-15 minutes EARLY to your AM and PM Bus Stop! There may be times when buses arrive earlier than usual.



See link below for 2024-2025 Bus Route Times:

[Current 2024-2025 Bus Routes](#)

[Current 2024-2025 Bus Routes \(Thursday Early Dismissal\)](#)

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](mailto:dariusyazzie@rcsnm.org) or 505-726-9622

**Darius Yazzie | Transportation Manager**

# I Believe: Athletics

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

**A Biblical Approach to Parenting your Athlete:** [CLICK HERE](#)

*"**Volleyball** off-season activities begin next week, May 26, 2025. Summer will be filled with weight training, open gyms, round robin tournaments, camps and fundraisers. If your high school or 8th grade daughter is interested in joining volleyball next year and for more information please contact coach Char Chapman via email at [cchapman@rcsnm.org](mailto:cchapman@rcsnm.org) or by text message or call at 505-879-8191."*

# 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](mailto:adminsec@rcsnm.org) by Wednesday so it can be added to the Thursday edition of the parent news.*

**Rehoboth and Church Rock Christian Reformed Churches** invite children ages 4 through those entering 6th grade to join us for this year's Vacation Bible School:

## True North: Trusting Jesus in a Wild World



**Dates:** June 23-26, 2025



**Time:** 8:30-11:30 AM daily



**Location:** Rehoboth Church



**Final Celebration:** Evening of June 26

Space is limited, so please register today! For more information or questions, call 505-638-8602.

### Fliers attached:

Yearbooks

RCS Merchandise Sale

Manuelito Children's Home Run May 26

Various Summer activities

Library Reading Program

Broken Arrow Bible Camp

Grace Bible VBS June 9-13

Rehoboth CRC VBS flyer and registration June 23-26

Elim Haven Mission VBS July 7-10

Summer Math Camp June 18- July 2

Boxtops for Education information - on collecting over the summer

# YEAR BOOK

## ***2025 Yearbooks NOW ON SALE!***

*Will be available May 30th for pickup  
Pay at front desk with Ms. Shawna*

***SPECIAL OFFER***

**\$40.00**



# END OF SCHOOL YEAR GIFT SHOP SALE!

EVERYTHING  
25% OFF





# Manuelito Children's Home



**2025**

**12TH ANNUAL**

MEMORIAL DAY \* 5k RUN/WALK

**ENTRY FEE \$25**

**FREE T-SHIRT FOR THE FIRST 100 REGISTERED**



ACTIVE.COM

**MEMORIAL DAY  
MONDAY, MAY 26, 2025  
GALLUP SPORTS COMPLEX**

**REGISTRATION @ 8:00 AM RUN/WALK STARTS @ 9:00 AM**



## Free/Low Cost Fun Summer Activities



### Gallup Aquatic Center

620 S. Boardman

Phone: (505) 726-5460

Hours: Monday: CLOSED

Tuesday- Friday: 6:00AM- 6:00PM

Saturday: 9:30am-5:30pm

Sunday: 1:00pm-4:00pm

### Children's Library - Free

200 West Aztec Ave.

Phone: (505) 726-6120

Hours:

Mon – Tue – Thu – Fri – 10:00 AM-6:00 PM

Wednesday 11:00 AM-7:00 PM

Saturday 12:00-5:00 PM



### Kids Summer Art Camp - Various prices

123 W Coal Avenue Gallup, NM

9:00-10:00 Parent/Child Arts & Crafts

10:30-12:30 Adventure Arts & Crafts

1:00-3:00 Media Lab Arts Class

For more information:

<https://galluparts.org/summer/>

### Gallup Children's Museum

Located in the Rio West Mall at:

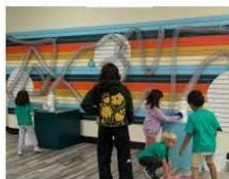
1300 West I-40 Frontage Road

Phone: (505) 488-2178

Hours:

Fridays: 11 AM-5 PM

Saturdays: 11 AM-5 PM



**SUMMER KIDS SERIES**  
**SESSION ONE**  
 FREE FOR ALL AGES! FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED!  
 SESSION TWO COMING SOON!

**THE LEAGUE OF SUPERPETS** MAY 28  
**STORKS** JUNE 4  
**THE BAD GUYS** JUNE 11  
**THE WILD ROBOT** JUNE 18  
**MIGRATION** JUNE 25  
**DESICABLE ME4** JULY 2

\*MAY 28 "MOVIE NOT AVAILABLE IN LAS CRUCES, MAY 28" & JUNE 4 "NOT AVAILABLE IN GALLUP DUE TO SCHOOL SCHEDULES"

**WEDNESDAYS 9AM, 11:20AM, & 1:40PM**

**PARTICIPATING LOCATIONS:**  
 ANIMAS 10 EAGLE 9 MORENCI SKI-HI 6  
 AVIATOR 10 FIESTA TWIN NORTH PLAINS 7 STARGAZER 5  
 CINEPORT 10 GALAXY 8 RED ROCK 10 SIERRA CINEMA  
 DURANGO 9 LA CUEVA 6

**Allen THEATRES**  
 ESTABLISHED 1912



# COLOR OUR WORLD™

June 2 - August 2



Join us at the library this summer for amazing **programs and events** for all ages, and track your reading and activities to earn **awesome prizes!**



**Eureka!**  
(STEM for kids)  
Mondays @ 4 PM

**Teen After Hours**  
(making & gaming  
for teens)  
Friday June 6  
Friday, June 11  
6-9 PM

**Summer Stitchers**  
(kids' crochet club)  
every other  
Tuesday @ 10 AM

**OctaKnights  
Chess Club**  
Tuesdays @ 4:30 PM

**Get Up & Game**  
(gaming for kids)  
Fridays  
3-5 PM

and  
much  
more!

**Family Storytimes**  
Mondays &  
Wednesdays  
@ 11 AM

**Open Makerspace**  
(making time for  
everyone)  
Wednesdays  
3-6 PM

**Crafty Kids**  
(crafting for kids)  
Thursdays  
@ 4 PM

to view our full summer  
calendar and register, visit  
[ofpl.online/summer-reading](https://ofpl.online/summer-reading)

Get ready for a vibrant summer! The library's annual reading program returns every June and July, packed with engaging events, special programs for all ages, and exciting reading challenges with fantastic prizes.

This year's theme, **Color Our World**, celebrates the ways that art enriches our lives. Join us all summer long as the library comes alive with inspiring programs and events showcasing diverse artistic expressions for readers of every age.

To learn more, view our full summer calendar, and register, please visit [ofpl.online/summer-reading](https://ofpl.online/summer-reading).



# BROKEN ARROW Bible Ranch



Summer Camp  
2025



## When is Camp?

WEEK 1:	Junior Camp (Ages 8-12)	June 9-14
WEEK 2:	Junior Camp (Ages 8-12)	June 16-21
WEEK 3:	Teen Camp (Ages 13-19)	June 23-28
WEEK 4:	Junior Camp (Ages 8-12)	June 30 - July 4 (Pick-up Friday, this week ONLY \$75)
WEEK 5:	Junior Camp (Ages 8-12)	July 7-12
WEEK 6:	Junior Camp (Ages 8-12)	July 14-19
WEEK 7:	Teen Camp (Ages 13-19)	July 21-26
WEEK 8:	Teen Camp (Ages 13-19)	July 28- Aug. 2

Teens will be turned away from junior camps and juniors from teen camps. Classes and cabin space are limited. (Pre-register for a guaranteed place!) Registration is from 1:00pm- 4:00 pm on Monday. **CAMP ENDS ON SATURDAY AT 9 A.M.**



Camp is \$100 per week except for week 4. See above.

# KIDS

## FREE VBS

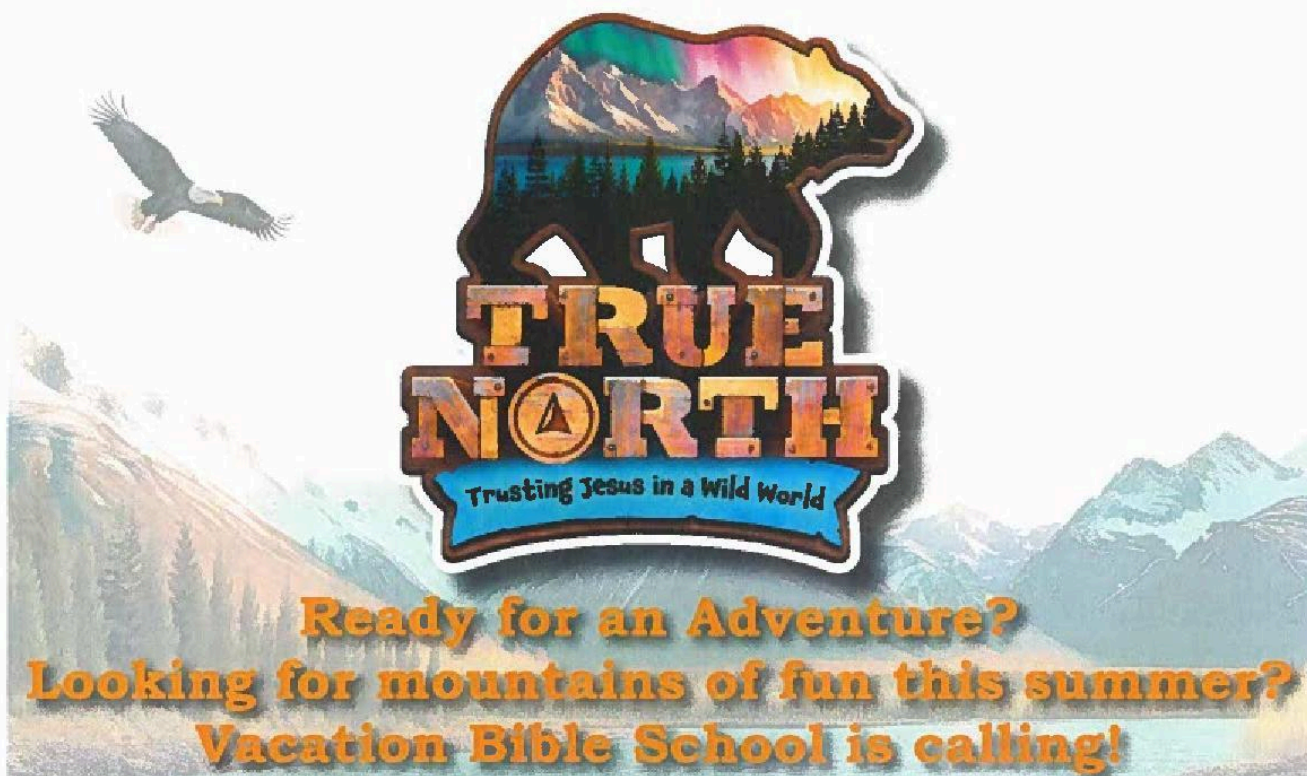
JUNE 9<sup>TH</sup> - 13<sup>TH</sup>

CLICK HERE  
TO REGISTER!



**Location: Grace Bible Church**  
**Time: 9:00 am - 12:00 pm**  
**Grade Levels: Kindergarten**  
**- Sixth Grade**





Join us for four unforgettable days filled with Incredible Music, Creative Games, Surprising Bible Adventure, Tasty Snacks, Awesome Experiments, and New Friends!



**Your adventure starts here!**

**Location:** Rehoboth Church, 110 Tse Yaaniitchit Ln.

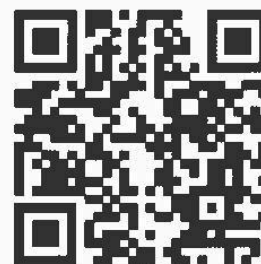
**Who can come:** Kids age 4 through those entering 6th grade

**Dates:** June 23, 24, 25, and 26

**Daily Start time:** 8:30 AM

**Daily End time:** 11:30 AM

**Scan the QR code to register.**



For more info, call (505)638-8602 or visit: [www.rehobothcrc.org](http://www.rehobothcrc.org)

Office hours: Tuesday-Friday, 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

# True North

## Registration Form

Fill out one form for EACH child. Space is limited. Please turn forms in as soon as possible Its Free!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_ Physical Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender (Circle one): Boy Girl

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B. \_\_\_\_\_ Last school grade completed: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\* Please Note: VBS is for children 4 years of age through children entering the 6th grade. \*\*

In case of emergency, contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Father: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies or other medical conditions: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Church: \_\_\_\_\_

Crew Leader (for church use only): \_\_\_\_\_ Crew color: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail To: P. O. Box 165, Rehoboth, NM 87322

Drop off at: Rehoboth Church, 110 Tse Yaantitchii Ln

Scan QR code to register online.



All forms need  
to be turned in  
by Sunday, June 15







**Elim Haven Mission/Church**

**2025 VBS - Day Camp**

**July 7 - 10, 2025**



**Monday-Thursday**

**8:00 am - 1:00 pm**

**Age: 5 years to 18 years**

**(4 years and younger have to be accompanied by adult)**

**Adults are Welcome!**



**Coolidge, NM. Exit-44**

**Contact: Pastor Ted**

**(928) 241-1854**

**Papa Tom & Mrs Irene**

**(505) 862-3286**



**Thank you, A'hee'hee**

**God Bless us All**

The 2025 Summer  
Math Camp will take  
place in the Navajo  
Nation Museum in  
Window Rock.

It is free for students  
in grades 6 – 12.

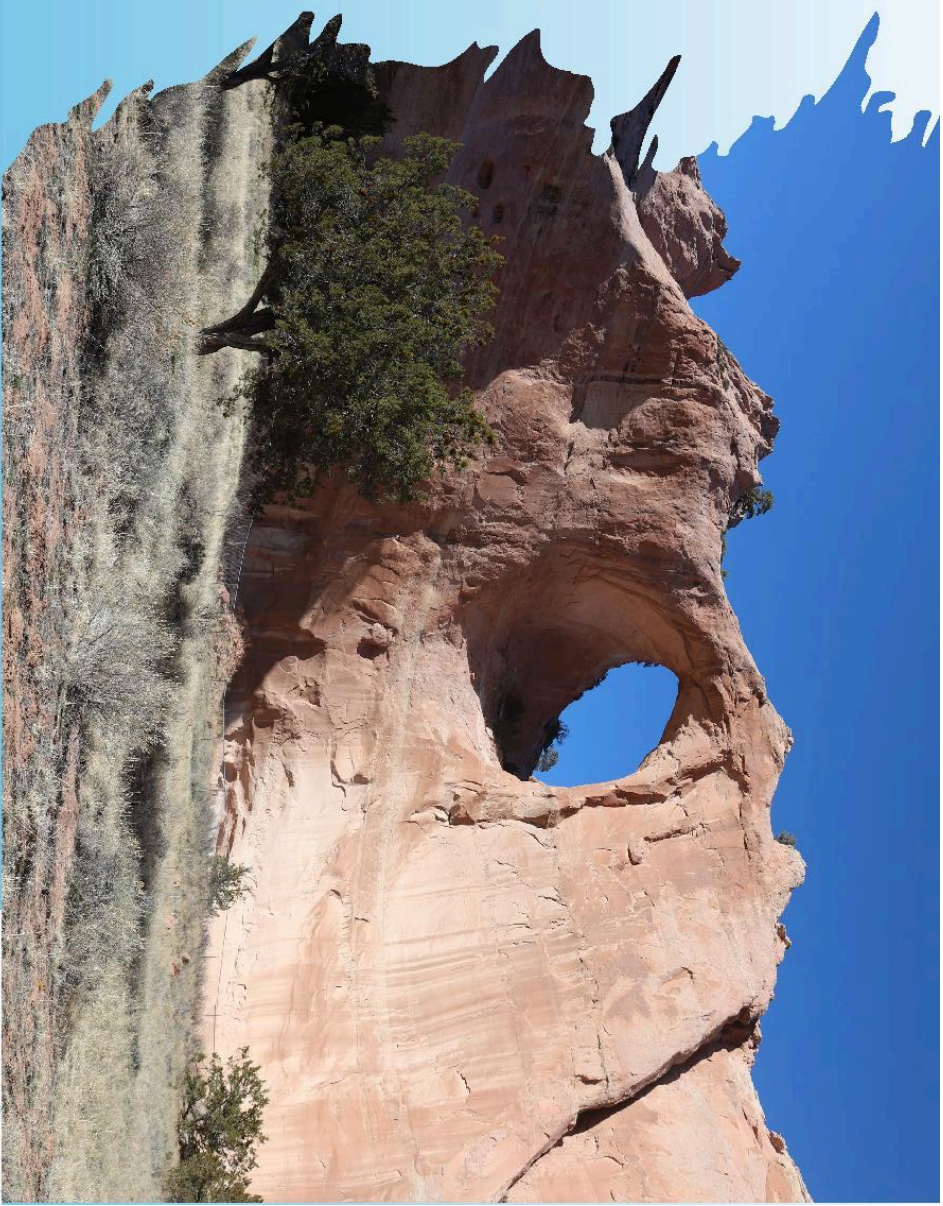
The unique  
*Mathemalchemy*  
Exhibit will be at the  
camp during the  
camp.

June 18 – July 2



# Baa Hózhó Summer Math Camp

Find more info and an application <https://tinyurl.com/NavajoMathCamp2025>

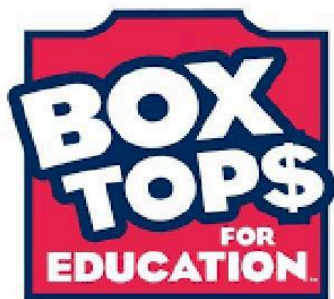


KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY  
FOUNDATION



Duke University  
American Math Society  
Math Association of America





Dear Families and Friends of Rehoboth Christian School,

The **Box Tops for Education** program is a fast and easy way for you to support RCS, specifically book purchases for the library. To date, we have earned **\$220.70** and we'd love your continued support through the end of this school year and throughout the summer months!

Here's how you can help:

1. **Buy Box Tops products!** Then, scan your receipt with the Box Tops app **within 14 days of purchase** and earn for "Rehoboth Christian School" with every Box Tops product you buy.
2. **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.

**Right now, you can earn a \$5 bonus for RCS when you scan your first receipt on the Box Tops app! Use code TEACHER to get \$5 for your school. Offer ends May 31, 2025.**

3. **Connect your Box Tops and Walmart accounts!** When you buy Box Tops products at Walmart using the saved payment method in your Walmart wallet you'll earn for our school with no scanning required.

Let's work together to give our library the support it deserves. If you have any questions about how to support RCS through the **Box Tops for Education** program, please come see me in the Navajo Code Talker Communication Center & Library.

Sincerely,

Duane Yazzie, Teacher-Librarian and Box Tops for Education Coordinator  
dyazzie@rcsnm.org