

## Week at a Glance:

Monday - All levels of Boys Basketball play at West Ouachita at 5 & 6 pm.

<u>Tuesday</u> - All levels of Girls Basketball and Varsity Boys Basketball will play vs. Bossier at RHS at 4:30/5:30/7 pm. Boys and Girls Varsity Soccer play at North DeSoto at 5:30/7:15 pm

### Wednesday -

<u>Thursday</u> - Varsity Girls & Boys Basketball play in the Hamilton Christian Tournament.

<u>Friday</u> - Football Playoffs 4th Round vs. Zachary at RHS at 7 pm. Ticket information below. Varsity Girls & Boys Basketball play in the Hamilton Christian Tournament.

<u>Saturday</u> - Varsity Girls & Boys Basketball play in the Hamilton Christian Tournament. Cross Country race in Huntsville, AL.

Football Tickets Information: Prices are \$18 for Reserved tickets, \$15 for general admission. Current RHS Students at the gate are \$10. RHS students can buy tickets at school at lunch Thursday and Friday for \$5! You must present your current ID with your ticket at the gate. Reserved season ticket holders can purchase your tickets only on Monday from 8:00 - 1:00 at the home side ticket booth (across from

the cemetery). On Tuesday, all remaining reserved tickets and general admission tickets will be on sale from 8:00 - 1:00 at the home side ticket booth. Any remaining reserved tickets and general admission tickets will be on sale Wednesday - Friday from 8:00 - 1:00 in the RHS ticket office. Kickoff is at 7pm! Go Bearcats!

## Academic News & Announcements:

This week is the fifth week of the 2nd 9 weeks. Please ask your child what assignments and tests they have coming up this week! Each teacher has a google classroom that should have a weekly agenda. You can look through each class with your child to see what will be due and what quizzes or tests they may have this week.

Lorelei Freling and Maggie Ambrose were named to the Composite Academic All-State team for Volleyball last week. Coach Hunt said that these girls are incredible in the classroom and on the court. Not only do they have all A's for every high school course they have taken, they are also members of the "30's Club" meaning that they have earned a 30 or higher on the ACT. Congratulations, girls! We are proud of you!

Ruston High is competing with area schools to raise funds for the North Louisiana Food Bank in a competition called "The 2022 Christmas Cheer Jingle Drive. We will not be collecting food, since the Food Bank can buy food in bulk, we are donating money. If RHS comes in 1st, 2nd, or 3rd place, Mr. Gressett has agreed to let our students and staff have a free jeans week! For every \$10 collected, the Food Bank can produce 30 meals. Please consider donating to such a worthy cause. No one should be hungry, especially during the holiday season!

https://foodbanknela.salsalabs.org/christmascheer2022/t/rustonhigh/index.html

To donate hit login in the top right corner, then provide your email address and the <u>password: rustonhigh22</u>. Donations will be accepted and attributed to Ruston High using this link and password through Friday, December 16th. Thanks again for donating to such a special organization in our community!

RHS NHS members are sponsoring a canned food drive on December 1st and 2nd to help those in need through Christian Community Action. Students will donate cans instead of buying jeans passes this week. Bring two cans on Thursday or four cans on Friday.

#### **Attention Juniors & Seniors:**

Foundation of the Arts hosts a Scholarship Art & Songwriting Contest to celebrate the creativity of Louisiana's high school juniors and seniors. The Foundation awards a total of \$25,000 in college scholarships. No GPA is required to enter, and winners are not required to major in Art or Music in the future. Please see Mrs. White in Guidance for more information.

On Monday, RHS will begin a Fall ordering campaign for graduation cap & gowns. The deadline to order will be December 15th. As many students as possible are strongly encouraged to order by this date to avoid manufacturing and shipping delays. Any questions?? Contact Mrs. Ashlee Bell.

### Frequently Asked Questions:

- You **only** need the cap and gown unit for graduation. You may order other items if you want them.
- The cap and gown unit (list price \$70.00) **includes** the cap, gown, tassel, and diploma cover.
- All items in Cap and Gown unit will be delivered to RHS. They will be distributed after Spring Break.
- Need help ordering? Watch a video tutorial at https://tinyurl.com/ordermygradkit



### **Athletics:**

- Golf tryouts will be Saturday, December 3rd, from 10 11 at Trails End Golf course in Arcadia. Students must have their own clubs.
- RHS Boys Varsity Basketball competed in a tournament the weekend before thanksgiving and beat Lakeview 38-31 on Friday night and beat Winnfield 71-52 on Saturday. Go Cats!
- VOTE for the RHS Cheerleaders in the Johnny's Pizza House Cheerleading Challenge:
  - https://www.knoe.com/2022/11/19/vote-2022-johnnys-pizza-house-c heerleader-challenge/
  - Voting ends Monday (11/28) and you can vote more than once!! ; )
- On Friday night, our RHS Football team competed against Denham Springs in the 3rd round of playoffs. We won 49 31! Congratulations Bearcats!!! See above for details on ticket sales for round 4 that will take place at "the Hoss" against Zachary.

• RHS Soccer is selling warm Ruston "R" 50" by 60" blankets for \$40. If you order soon, they will be in before Christmas! Deadline to order is December 2nd! <a href="https://forms.gle/gxkuhylnrhwlqwbr7">https://forms.gle/gxkuhylnrhwlqwbr7</a>

# Clubs & Organizations:

 RHS Band Fundraiser for door hangers can be purchased at this link:

ttps://blessyourartstudio.square.site/s/shop?fbclid=lwAR3RkvmVVsu-W2hITNdQXCBMIMnEe7oBpEpHfShmJUOJ6YQpjoB6Dri93rw
You create your own and they are really cute!