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**Riverside Community School
Mission**

Statement

The mission of the Riverside Community School District is to prepare students to meet the challenges of the future as responsible citizens in a global society.

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JH StuCo with presents for adopted family



2nd Grade

WELCOME BACK!

SCHOOL RESUMES JANUARY 4, 2018

BASKETBALL IKM VS. RIVERSIDE JANUARY 8, 2018

NO SCHOOL MONDAY, JANUARY 15, 2018

BASKETBALL AHSTW VS. RIVERSIDE JANUARY 25, 2018

Captain Jack's Care Closet

The Class of 2024 received a grant to help students in need so if you or someone you know needs any of the following:

- Toothbrushes
- Toothpaste
- Socks
- Underwear
- Deodorant
- Soap
- Shampoo and Conditioner
- Detergent
- Toilet Paper
- Feminine Products

Tell a teacher or contact either of the schools at:

712-482-6464 HS (Mrs. Hensley)

712-484-2291 IS (Mrs. Hensley or Ms. Houser)

712-482-6296 ES



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We are happy to announce that we've partnered with BSN Sports and built an online store front to support our community.

In the store, you'll find brands you know and designs you'll love. You can customize your gear with names, numbers, or relationships like Mom and Dad. There's no minimum order, quick shipping and best of all, the proceeds help us support essential programs at our school.



Visit SidelineStores.com to get your gear.

Parents of 6th and 11th Grade Students

Get ready for 2018-19. Students entering the 7th and 12th grades are required to have immunizations to start school. There is no grace period for these boosters; they must be completed before the 1st day of attendance for the '18-'19 school year.

1. Students entering 7th grade and above must have a 1 time dose of tetanus/diphtheria/acellular pertussis-containing vaccine (Tdap), if born after September 15, 2000; regardless of the interval since the last tetanus/diphtheria-containing vaccine.
2. Students entering 7th grade and above must have 1 dose of meningococcal if born after September 15, 2004; and 2 doses of meningococcal vaccines for the applicant in 12th grade, if born after September 15, 1999; or 1 dose if received when the applicant is 16 years of age or older.

Interpretation: Incoming 7th graders need a Tdap and a meningitis shot. Incoming 12th graders need a meningitis shot, if they had the meningitis vaccine before 16 years of age they need a booster!

We request these be completed and to Mrs. Palmer by May 22, 2018 for records to be updated and no interruption to a student's education. If you have any questions contact Vicki Palmer RN at one of the schools or by email vpalmer@riverside.k12.ia.us

PLEASE NOTE:

The Riverside Music Dept. has the Can Corral in Carson for the month of January. Money earned goes to their Chicago trip. Thanks for the support.



December Top Dawgs (Holly Garcia)

Jamie Hackett, Dustin Hering, and Frannee Maher were chosen Top Dawgs at Riverside Jr.-Sr. High School. Each month teachers choose three students who demonstrate positive contributions to the school through their leadership and respect.

Jamie Hackett is described as a bright light as she walks through the halls of Riverside. She does a great job in class participation and asking questions. Jamie is quick to look out for others.

Dustin Hering is a positive asset to the classroom. He is reliable, trustworthy, and goes out of his way to greet others.

Frannee Maher works hard in her classes. She, too, is eager to help others and is a very caring individual.

Congratulations, kids!

Top Dawgs receive preferred parking all month, first in the lunch line all month, 2% extra credit in a class, and a \$1.00 a la carte ticket.



With the arrival of winter weather season it is time to remind everyone about the procedures and guidelines regarding snow/weather closures or delays. Riverside Community School District will remain open, if at all possible, on all scheduled school days, even when weather conditions may be extreme in the belief that it is in the best interest of the students. The District is concerned about the safety of all students, staff and patrons. We encourage everyone to use caution traveling safely to and from our schools and buildings. Please know that parents can keep children home when weather is extreme. Schools understand and respect this decision and will work with families. Remember, no announcement means normal school operation. School closure or delayed start information will always be posted no later than 6:00 a.m. on the Riverside Community Schools website at riversideschools.org, through social media and local news outlets.

On occasion, weather may be so extreme the District will close schools or implement a late start or early dismissal. The following information outlines the communication procedures that will be followed if such school closures or delays become necessary.

1. Media Announcements

Parents and employees should listen to these designated radio or television stations for school closure information between the hours of 5:30-8:00 AM (If schools dismiss early, the media will air the announcement as soon as possible.)

Radio Stations

- KCSI --- 95.3 FM
- KJAN --- 1220 AM & 101.1 FM
- KMA --- 960 AM & 99.1 FM
- KNOD --- 105.3 FM
- KSOM --- 96.5 FM

TV Stations

- KMTV --- Channel 3
- KETV --- Channel 7
- WOWT --- Channel 6

2. Listen for One of These Messages

One of the following messages will be aired by the media:

- "Schools Will Be Closed" (day and date)
- "Schools Will Start Late" (day and date)
- "Schools Will Dismiss Early" (day and date)

3. Keep Phones Accessible

Phones will be used for emergencies; therefore, parents are asked not to call the schools or the District.

4. Closures Posted on the Web and Social Media

School closure information will be posted by 6 a.m. on Riverside Community School District website at riversideschools.org, District Facebook Page, District Twitter account, Superintendent Facebook Page and Superintendent Twitter account.

5. Phone, E-mail and Text Notification

Parents will also receive a text, e-mail, phone call from our automated Student Information System (JMC). It is important that parent contact information is updated on a regular basis to make sure you receive this notification.

6. Authorized Statements

The media will only announce school closures when authorized by the Superintendent or his designee after he has consulted with the Transportation Coordinator the National Weather Service, other area schools and other state, county and city agencies.

7. Closures for One Day Only

All announcements are for one day only.

8. Normal Operation

No announcement means normal operation.

9. Parents Need an Emergency Plan

Parents are encouraged to establish an emergency plan for their children in the event that schools are closed, start late or are dismissed early. Parents should instruct their children where to go or what to do if a parent is not at home.

10. Bus Stops

On severe weather days, understand that buses may be running late due to road conditions and/or traffic delays. Please watch for email, phone or text messages regarding delayed bus routes. Parents are asked to wait with and/or meet their students at bus stops when buses are running on delayed or emergency schedules.

11. Make-up Days

Whether or not the day will be made-up once canceled will be determined by the Superintendent.

12. Late Start

When the District has designated a school day as "Schools Will Start Late," the expectation is that employees will arrive at their schools/departments based upon the amount of time the delay has been announced, or as soon as they can arrive safely.

JH Art students working on tape mural





2017-2018 School Calendar January-February
January:

- 1-2: No School – Christmas Break
- 3: No School: Teacher Work Day
- 10,24,31: 2:30 dismissal – Staff Development
- 15: No School – WIC Professional Development Day

February:

- 7, 21, 28: 2:30 dismissal – Staff Development
- 14: 2:30 dismissal
- 15, 16: No School

You will find the complete 2017-2018 School Calendar at: <http://bit.ly/2e8XsXU>



School Dismissal on Monday December 18, 2017

Monday December 18, 2017 will be considered one of the three make-up days that are available in our calendar. There is no requirement for the day to be made-up by teachers or students. The district has two additional days remaining before the calendar will need to be amended and more days added.

Western Iowa Conference (WIC) Professional Development Day-Monday January 15, 2018

There will be no school for students on Monday January 15, 2018. Riverside Community School District will be hosting other WIC schools to participate in professional learning activities. Several keynote presentations, breakout sessions and grade level and subject area planning sessions have been scheduled.

Riverside Community School District Winter Weather Procedures and Guidelines

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Building Progress-Safe Room Addition

Anderson Construction has been onsite completing the Punch List. Final inspections and Substantial Completion will be completed by the end of the year. By the printing of this newsletter we hope to have Substantial Completion documented and the ability to start utilizing the space.

Transition Planning for the 2018-2019 School year

We have been working on the initial parts of the Transition Plan for the 2018-2019 school year. This includes moving 6th Grade to the new Safe Room Addition at the JHSH and moving 3rd Grade to the Intermediate School in Carson. We will be working to get more information to the staff and the public as we move forward after the first of the year. Watch for the scheduling of a Public Meeting this spring.

Update on the Selection of a Iowa State Assessment

The selection of a new statewide assessment will most likely not be moving forward in the upcoming months. When the initial decision by the state was appealed and the appeal was granted, it also required a "stay" on the Department of Education which will not allow them to move forward until the final decision on the initial appeal is heard by the courts. After some discussion with the Department, the biggest realization is that there is no back up plan (unless the legislature changes the law). Things could get interesting before we move ahead with any new State Assessment.

Preparing for the Iowa State Assessment

Each year the district is held publicly accountable by taking the state assessment. That assessment will take place on March 19-March 23, 2018. The district will start planning classroom activities to help our students be successful by reducing student stress and integrating preparation into our daily instruction.

Student, Parent, Employee and Activities Handbooks

We have added a link to our website: <http://bit.ly/2wSvnoV>. Hard copies have been distributed to parents.

Riverside Community School App

The Riverside Community School District web site is available as an app for both iPhones and Android Phones. Go the Google Play or the Apple App Store and search for Riverside CSD to find the app. Or you can go to the following links:

Android: <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=net.socs.riversideschools>

iOS: <https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/riverside-csd/id1231151717>

Please feel free to follow me on social media at Tim Mitchell on Facebook, @tmitchell212 on Twitter or tmitchell6885 on Instagram. I would also love to come and talk to any group about things happening in our district. If you need to contact me about school issues please call at 712-484-2212 or e-mail at tmitchell@riverside.k12.ia.us.

Adopted Christmas Families

Jana Hensley

I would like to send a big THANK YOU to all who reached out to adopt a local family in need this holiday season. The generosity shown to the families is overwhelming and very much appreciated. Each of you truly made a difference!

Merry Christmas to all!

Thank you to the following for their generous donations:

Carson United Methodist Church

Carson Presbyterian/Sharon Church

Keast Chevrolet & The Buck Snort (Toy Drive)

Riverside Jr High Student Council

Riverside Wrestling Club

OSI Women's Leadership Group

TiNik, Inc.

Alegent Health Clinic - Oakland

Tammy Board & Steve Wollman, Jennifer Housman & Rick Osweiler,
Lisa & Steve Feigenbutz, Shayley Smith & Dakota Feigenbutz

Catherine Henry & Holden Hoffman, & Nick Reicks

Sara Haines & Family

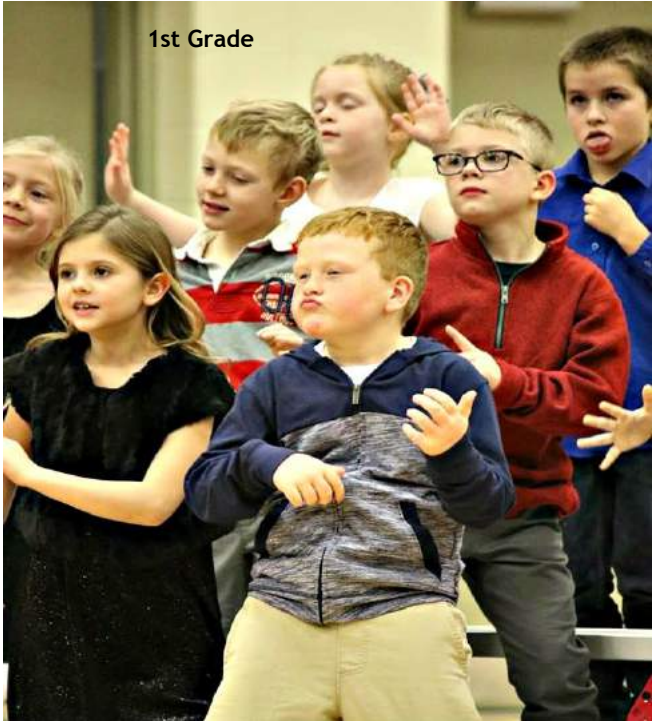
Kim & Casey Conover

Chris & Kesley Conover





Riverside Wrestling Club members with gifts for their adopted family. (Photo by Jana Hensley)



1st Grade

Elementary and Intermediate News (Jamie Meek, PK-6 Principal)

We have made it! We are half-way through the school year and are headed toward the finish line. Hopefully you are enjoying the last few days with your family before the craziness starts again.

You may have heard your student talking about Bulldog POWER at that elementary or intermediate school and wondered, well of course my child has Bulldog POWER, but what is it exactly that they have POWER about?

Well Bulldog POWER is our acronym for our new PBIS system. PBIS stands for Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports. It is a system that we use to help teach students behavioral, social, and social skills that are used primarily in our schools, but will transfer to everyday life. PBIS takes various elements and breaks them down into expected behaviors in different areas of school and breaks them down into simple things to help remember what a positive behavior looks like. It also has a consequence portion to it that has to do with re-teaching behaviors and expectations that may lead into other forms of discipline if the expectations are not met.

So most PBIS systems have some sort of short acronym or phrase to help students be reminded of the expected behaviors. We have chosen Bulldog POWER as ours. POWER stands for Pride, Ownership, We Take Action, Empathy, and Respect. PBIS systems ask that you break your school down into a variety of zones or areas to teach the expected behaviors in smaller setting. We identified the areas of Restrooms, Lunchrooms, Hallways, Buses, Playground, Classroom, and Special Events as places where we would need to teach expectations to students around the building.

Over the previous school year a team of staff members got together and put together our Bulldog POWER materials which included lesson plans, expectations, matrices, and other things to create the Bulldog POWER for the elementary and intermediate schools. Some of the things that we are currently working on are videos to share showing the expectations from POWER, school wide rewards for meeting expectations, and other little pieces to help make it an all-inclusive program.

One of the pieces that the students have really taken to is our Bulldog POWER tickets. Students can earn a POWER ticket for showing Pride, Ownership, We Take Action, Empathy, or Respect, from any staff member, anywhere on campus. Once a ticket is earned it goes to the office to be tracked and then once a week, names are drawn from each class and a short video is made thanking them for showing Bulldog POWER. We also have a drawing once a month for students to be the Pick of the Litter at the elementary school or the Power Pup at the intermediate school. Those students are brought up at an assembly and we celebrate them showing Bulldog POWER with a certificate and small gift. It would be something like a student of the month in each school. Next semester we will be working toward a school wide reward for accruing tickets as a school and have a small school wide reward.

Don't forget that the best way to stay up to date on your child's grades and progress in school is to talk to your child's teacher(s) directly, via email or phone calls. For 4th-6th grade students you can see grades as they are entered into our system via the JMC Parent Access portal at, <https://riversideschools.onlinejmc.com/>, click on the Parent icon, enter your username and password and you can see grades. The more staff and families that are on the same page, the more successful a student will be.

Above: Elementary Winter Concert (J. Perkins photo)



December Pick of the Litter for Riverside Elementary



Above: Mrs. Weathers' kindergarten got to watch The Polar Express recently. (Weathers photo)

More Kindergarten News (Rachel Pickle)

Kindergarten students have been working hard on recording the number of minutes they read outside of school. Each month their minutes are added and each student is presented with a certificate and a special gift courtesy of the East Pottawattamie County Iowa State Extension and Outreach office and the Plants & Pillars program. During this visit, the Plants & Pillars program also delivered books for each student to keep at home. To celebrate our hard work this semester Jill Kadel brought her friend, Cy, to meet the kindergartners. Kindergarten students and teachers thank Jill and Cy for making this program possible.



The Second Graders have been learning math games to become more proficient in their math facts. (Lisa Hummel)





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Common Sense Parenting®

Common Sense Parenting (CSP)® for Parents of School-agers is a six-week class that offers training for parents who want to build on their existing skills or learn new ways of dealing with their children's behaviors. Professional parent trainers teach the course.

Dates: Mondays, January 22nd - February 26th

Time: Family Meal provided at 5:30pm,
Class from 6:00 to 8:00pm

Cost: Classes, Childcare and Meal are
all **FREE**

Where: United Church of Christ
1607 Hazel St. Atlantic, IA 50022

Who Should Attend: Parents and Professionals
Call #712-302-7999 to register.

Topics Covered:

Parents as Teachers
Effective Praise
Preventive Teaching
Corrective Teaching
Teaching Self-Control
Putting It All Together

Preschool



Kindergarten



Third Grade



Owen and Sophia Fenner



Elementary Winter Concert (Bonnie Kramer, Jen Perkins Photos)

This year's PK-3 program was called Jingle Bell Jukebox. In the story, students visit a soda shop run by Trudy and Rudy, portrayed by Sophia and Owen Fenner in order to get some Christmas cheer by listening to songs on the Jingle Bell Jukebox. Each grade performed three songs from the Jukebox in addition to the opening and closing numbers. A special feature ending the program was a song called "One Small Voice" performed with sign language.

5 Ways to Make College a Success

by [Brandon Busteed](#)

The best source of advice about college may be those who have actually experienced it -- students and alumni. Gallup's comprehensive research on higher education over the years has focused on the outcomes for those who attended institutions of higher education -- their experiences with college and their success in work and life afterward. What follows is the best advice from our research -- some of it counterintuitive -- for making the most of college.

1. Get a postsecondary credential or degree. But don't feel like you need to do this until you have a clear -- or somewhat clear -- idea of your goals. People who graduated from college at a later age were less likely to [regret their education paths](#). In fact, think about career and life goals *first*. Then think about where you want to go and the majors and fields of study that align with those. *Then* decide how much you are willing to spend -- or take out in loans -- on your education. Many Americans [do all of this backward](#) today.
2. Don't pursue a bachelor's degree by default. There are many [paths to a great career](#) and fulfilling life, including earning technical and career certificates, associate degrees, etc. And you can always stack credentials and degrees over time. Associate degree holders, for example, are more likely than bachelor's degree holders to strongly agree that they have the ideal job for them and that they are [deeply interested in their work](#).
3. Don't take on more than \$25,000 in total student loan debt. Graduates with student loan debt over \$25,000 have [lower overall well-being](#) and are more likely to regret their education decisions.
4. Question the value of attending prestigious, highly selective and high-priced colleges and universities. They actually provide little (at best) to no (at worst) advantage in being engaged in your job and in your [life outcomes](#) (thriving in your well-being). Nor do they reduce the chances of feeling education regret. College is *much more* about what you make of it -- how you take advantage of your education -- than the type of institution you attend.
5. When you actually attend college, make sure you do the things listed below. Grads who hit the marks on these double their odds of [being engaged at work](#) and having thriving well-being later in life:

- As best you can, pick professors, not courses. Seek professors who have reputations for being amazing teachers and mentors.
- Invest in a mentor. This goes both ways -- someone who agrees to or offers to mentor you, as well as someone you feel is worth the investment of your time.
- Find a job or internship where you can apply what you're learning, or work to connect what you're learning to your current job.
- Take at least a couple of courses that involve long-term projects requiring a semester or more of work to complete.
- Don't try to "pad your resume" with a long list of extracurricular activities; get deeply, lastingly engaged in at least one.

Postsecondary education is a powerful pathway to a great job and a great life -- but only if you make the most of it. Spread this advice to everyone you know. After all, it comes from the wisdom of hundreds of thousands of students and alumni.

Brandon Busteed is Executive Director, Education and Workforce Development, at Gallup.



Above: Amanda Brandon (center) and Kelsey Burns (right) accepted a donation from the Riverside Optimist Club to help offset the cost of music department's trip to Chicago in March, 2018.

Riverside Speech (Ruth Hardy)



Veteran Improv performers Andy Casson and Riley MacWhorter have been preparing for their first competition at District Large Group Speech contest at Treynor High School on January 20, 2018. Sara Conway will also be submitting a short film documentary. Speech coaches are Ruth Hardy and Ronda Long-Birdsall. Good luck!

Riverside FCS News (photos by yearbook staff)

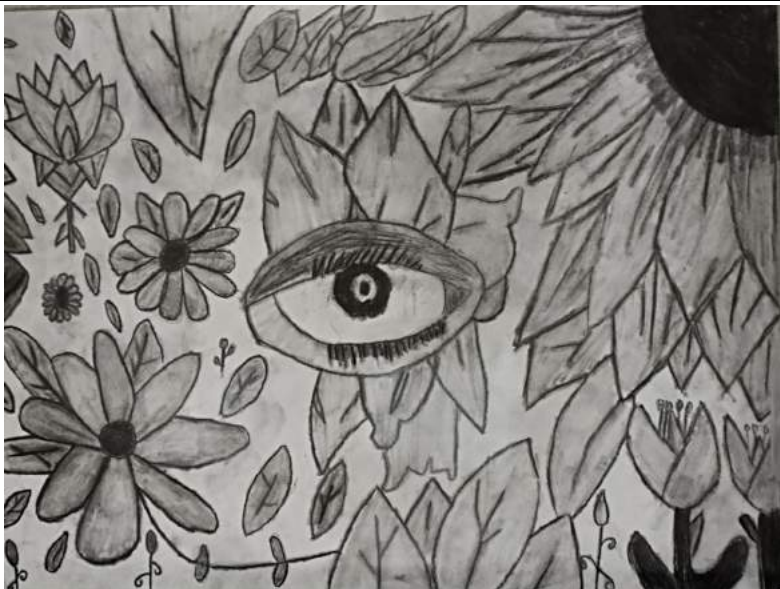
Students in the Family and Consumer Science department may enroll in a class that runs the "Taste of Riverside" food service. Students create menus and meals which staff may order during the days the service is available. The meals are reasonably priced and a welcome addition to Riverside High School. Sara Fenske is the instructor. We have provided photos of a recent meal prep: cinnamon rolls and chili.



SCHOOL RESUMES JANUARY 4, 2018
NO SCHOOL MONDAY, JANUARY 15, 2018



In December, our school district suffered a tragedy. We lost a student, Megan Klindt, and a school employee, Donnie Hendricks, in a school bus accident. Our thoughts have been, and will continue to be, with their families and loved ones. We are truly grateful for the compassion and support shown by our school community and our neighboring communities during this difficult time. As we start the new year, we keep Megan and Donnie in our hearts.



Building Trades students under the direction of Nate Clausen, industrial tech instructor are in the process of building a shed behind the junior-senior high school building. We have included some photos thanks to Mrs. Reynolds. Stay tuned for updates.



Life Lessons (Elayna Eggers, photos submitted)

Mrs. Hardy's Elements of Writing Class had an entire lesson on Homeless Youth. The class had the options to do many different forms of research to learn as much about the topic as they could. After the entire lesson, they finally started a clothing drive to get ready for their field trip. Their field trip included going to two different homeless shelters. After getting generous donations from the community and students at school, the class took the field trip with ready minds. The students got a tour around both, Youth Emergency Services and The Stephen Center. The experience was humbling and enlightening, and the Elements of Writing class was very grateful for the opportunity to go see what it is like to live in a homeless shelter.



Top: Students pose at Stephen Center with Mrs. Hardy

Top right: Lucia, Marisol, and Elayna get ready to load the bus.

Above: Students stop at Youth Emergency Services (YES)

Riverside Intermediate School Keeps Active! Just look at the pictures we have shared.



Right and far right:

Intermediate students volunteer to get the luminaries ready for Carson Christmas. (photos submitted by Tami Skank)



SURPRISE! Hurricane Ktami blew in and those who did not have insurance had to talk to Flo. It pays to bundle!



4th grade students made their own Christmas trees. Then each child got to go shopping. Students got to wrap presents for each other and put them on the lockers.



Recently, Mrs. Berndt's 6th grade science students studied about how different cells attract. Above, we have the students beginning their studies. On page 13, we shall see their final projects. (photos by Susan Berndt)



The finished cell attraction projects which represent 11 organelles and 3 life processes. (Susan Berndt photos)



Mr. Chapin



Mr. Hoffman



Mr. Meek



Mr. Stewart



If the intermediate school students reached their goal for the food drive, they would get to decide what beard styles certain male staff would receive. As we can tell, the students met the goal. Our thanks to Mr. Chapin, Mr. Hoffman, Mr. Meek, and Mr. Stewart for allowing this. We also thank the stylists!!

Below: Intermediate Winter Concert
(photos submitted by Rachel Allensworth and Tami Skank)





RIVERSIDE COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Serving the communities of Carson, Macedonia and Oakland

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The mission of the Riverside Community School District is to prepare students to meet the challenges of the future as responsible citizens in a global society.

December 15, 2017

Dear Senior Parent:

I would like to invite you to participate in our Free Fill-Out the FAFSA Day at Riverside High School. The FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) is the form needed by every college/technical school, and some scholarships, before financial aid can be given. A representative from the College Planning Center in Des Moines will be at the high school Monday, January 8th from 10AM to about 7:00 PM. He is trained to be an expert in filling out the FAFSA and answering your financial aid questions. The representative will help students and parents file their FAFSA forms electronically over the Internet. The representative will be in the Counselor's office located on the 3rd floor of the high school.

Enclosed is a sheet listing appointment times. Each appointment will last about 40 minutes. If you would like to take part in FAFSA Day, please fill out the enclosed appointment time sheet and return it to me by January 4th. The guidance office will notify you on or before January 5th of your appointment time. Instructions for obtaining a FSA ID prior to your appointment are on the back of this letter. The materials and information you need to bring to your appointment are included with this letter. Bring your completed 2016 tax form.

I hope that having a Fill-Out Your FAFSA Day will be helpful to many of you.

Sincerely,


Chris Conover
Riverside Jr/Sr High Guidance Counselor

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Ready to File the FAFSA?
Here's What You'll Need

Filing for financial aid is less stressful when you are prepared. Use the checklists below to help you fill out the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).*



HELPFUL TIPS

**FSA ID

The FSA ID is a username and password that will confirm your identity when accessing your financial aid information.

If you and your parent(s) each want to electronically sign the FAFSA, you each need to have an FSA ID. The FAFSA requires the student and ONE parent to each sign the FAFSA with an FSA ID.

To learn about setting up an FSA ID, go to www.icansucceed.org/fsaid.

When should I file?

The 2018-19 FAFSA form will be available October 1, 2017. Each college has a priority deadline for the FAFSA. You should file the FAFSA before the priority deadline. If you are applying to multiple schools, file by the earliest deadline.

Student:

- ☐ Social Security number, driver's license number and date of birth.
- ☐ 2016 federal and state tax returns.
- ☐ W-2 forms and/or other records of income earned in 2016.
- ☐ As of today, what is the balance of checking, savings, and investment accounts?*
- ☐ Records of untaxed income received in 2016 (e.g., veterans benefits, etc.).
- ☐ 2016 business and farm records.
- ☐ Alien registration number, if not a U.S. citizen.
- ☐ As of today, are you married? If married, what is the date of marriage? If divorced or separated, what is the date of divorce or separation?
- ☐ Child support paid and/or received.
- ☐ A federal student aid identification (FSA ID) username and password.**
- ☐ A list of the colleges/universities you wish to apply to.

Parent(s):

- ☐ Social Security numbers and dates of birth.
- ☐ 2016 federal and state tax returns.
- ☐ W-2 forms and/or other records of income earned in 2016.
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- ☐ A federal student aid identification (FSA ID) username and password.**

IRS Data Retrieval

The IRS Data Retrieval Tool within the FAFSA application can be used to automatically pull your 2016 tax information into your FAFSA application. Have your W-2s on hand as a reference.

Questions? Call (877) 272-4692 or email ICAN@ICANSucceed.org. If you would like FAFSA Completion assistance from an ICAN Center, it is highly recommended that you setup your FSA ID prior to your appointment.

* See backside for applicable investment and asset accounts.

The FAFSA is a free form that may be completed without professional assistance via paper or online forms provided by the U.S. Department of Education.

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FAFSA Filing Tips & Helpful Hints?

Are You Independent?

- ☐ Were you born before January 1, 1995?
- ☐ As of today, are you married? (Answer "Yes" if you are separated but not divorced)
- ☐ At the beginning of the 2018-19 school year, will you be working on a graduate program?
- ☐ Are you currently serving on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces for purposes other than training or are you a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces?
- ☐ Do you have children or dependents who will receive more than half of their support from you between July 1, 2018 and June 30, 2019?
- ☐ At any time since you turned 13, were both your parents deceased, were you in foster care or were you a dependent or ward of the court?
- ☐ As determined by a court in your state of legal residence, are you or were you an emancipated minor or in a legal guardianship?
- ☐ At any time on or after July 1, 2017, were you homeless or at risk of being homeless?

Who is Considered a Parent on the FAFSA?

- ☐ If your parent was never married and does not live with your other legal parent, or if your parent is widowed or not remarried, answer the questions about that parent.
- ☐ If your legal parents (biological, adoptive, or as determined by the state) are not married to each other and live together, select "Unmarried and both parents living together" and provide information about both of them regardless of their gender. Do not include any person who is not married to your parent and who is not a legal or biological parent.
- ☐ If your parents are divorced or separated, answer the questions about the parent you lived with more during the past 12 months. (If you did not live with one parent more than the other, give answers about the parent who provided more financial support during the past 12 months, or during the most recent year that you actually received support from a parent.) If this parent is remarried as of today, answer the questions about that parent and your stepparent.
- ☐ If your widowed parent is remarried as of today, answer the questions about that parent and your stepparent.

Businesses & Investment Farms

Includes:

- ☐ Market value of land, buildings, machinery, equipment, inventory, etc.
- ☐ Debt means only those debts for which the business or investment farm was used as collateral.

Business Value does NOT include:

- ☐ Value of business if family owns and controls more than 50% of the business and has fewer than 100 full-time employees
- ☐ Your family includes persons directly related to you such as a parent, sibling or cousin, or persons who are or were related to you by marriage such as a spouse, stepparent or sister-in-law.

Investment Farm Value does NOT include:

- ☐ Value of family farm that you (your spouse and/or your parents) live on and operate.

Investments Include:

- ☐ Real Estate (not the home you live in)
- ☐ Trust funds
- ☐ UGMA/UTMA accounts (student asset)
- ☐ Money Market Funds
- ☐ Mutual Funds
- ☐ Certificates of Deposit
- ☐ Stocks
- ☐ Stock Options
- ☐ Bonds
- ☐ Other Securities
- ☐ Installment & Land Sales
- ☐ Commodities
- ☐ Educational Savings Accounts including 529 plans, Coverdell Educational IRAs. (List as parent asset.)

Do Not Include:

- ☐ The home you live in
- ☐ Life Insurance Values
- ☐ Retirement Accounts
- ☐ Pension Funds
- ☐ Annuities
- ☐ ROTH IRAs
- ☐ Keogh Plans
- ☐ Cash, Savings or Checking Already Reported
- ☐ UTMA/UGMA accounts for which you are a custodian, but not the owner.

W-2 Box 12 a-d

- ☐ Question 94 - Untaxed Income
- ☐ Payments to tax-deferred pension & retirement savings plans include amounts reported on the W-2, Box 12. Don't include IRERS. Report codes D, E, F, G, H, & S

* Please refer to the 2018-19 FAFSA guide for a more detailed explanation. After Oct. 1, 2017, visit <https://fafsa.gov/options.htm> and click the link to 2018-2019 School Year.



Above: Jacob Brown (left) and Hayden Hensley (right) received a reward for having had perfect attendance for the first semester. Congratulations, gentlemen! (photo: Callie Kallsen)

The expectations are not significantly different than what we've expected all school year, but there is more detailed information with examples for students. We want to ensure that there is consistency for students throughout the day. We know that increased communication and consistency will lead to more success for teachers and students. An example of the classroom expectations for student behavior is below. If you have any questions regarding this, please feel free to contact me.



Bulldog Pride

Trustworthiness
Respect
Responsibility
Fairness
Caring
Citizenship

Classroom Behavior

Goal: Students will be able to learn in a safe and non-threatening environment.

Responsible Classroom Behavior:

- Enter the classroom quietly and follow teacher's procedures.
- No earbuds or cell phones.
- Use Chromebook only when instructed to do so.
- Follow teacher's instructions.
- Hold yourself accountable.

General Standards:

- ALWAYS keep hands, feet, etc, to yourself.
- Leave other people's property alone.
- Don't sit on desks or counters, and do not climb on furniture.
- When you are done using materials, return them to where you found them.
- When working in a group, be respectful of others' opinions and ideas, and contribute positively.
- Voice should be at conversational level.
(speaking voice that only those near can hear)

Consequences:

- Students will be given a verbal warning
- Detention and parent contact
- Office referral

Encouragement:

- Students will be frequently praised for showing responsible behaviors.



JH Choir at Winter Concert



High School Band at Winter Concert



Above: High School Choir at Winter Concert

Left: JH Band at Winter Concert

SCHOOL RESUMES JANUARY 4, 2018

NO SCHOOL MONDAY, JANUARY 15, 2018

RIVERSIDE FOOD DRIVE IS A SUCCESS (Callie Kallsen)

The Riverside High School Student Council held its annual Food Drive December 4th-8th. The elementary and high school donations went to the Oakland Food Pantry and the donations from the intermediate building were sent to the food pantry in Macedonia. The District Goal was 5,000 items and we surpassed that by 84 items! Great job Riverside!

The Food Drive is a district-wide event. Pictures have been submitted by Jill Weathers, Pastor MacWhorter, Callie Kallsen, and Tami Skank. Thanks to our communities for helping Riverside students have a successful food drive.

Riverside High School Student Council would like to thank the following Community Donors:

RIVERSIDE FOOD DRIVE: COMMUNITY DONATIONS									Items	Cash
PLATINUM		GOLD (\$200)		SILVER (\$100)		BRONZE (\$50)		RES	1225	\$726
Donor	Amount	Donor	Amount	Donor	Amount	Donor	Amount	RIS	1472	\$741
Macedonia Implement	\$500	Marlin & Darlene VonWeihe	\$200	Holly Garcia	\$100	Dairy Queen	\$50	RHS	2387	\$717
		The Bar N'& Grill	\$200	AgriVision	\$100	Mary Stempel	\$50	Comm		\$1,700
		Total Farm Solutions	\$200	Jerry Dietz-KCSI	\$100					
		TiNik	\$200							
								TOTAL	5084	\$3,884



Mrs. Weathers' kindergarten class worked together to collect 225 items for the food drive!



Left: Junior High and High School students sort through donations.



Above: The Intermediate students load up their donations which are taken to the food pantry at the Macedonia United Methodist Church. Once again, thanks to our communities for their support.



“On behalf of the RCA Food Pantry, thank you very much for a very successful food drive. Y'all did a GREAT JOB!” Pastor MacWhorter



Little . .



By little. . .



We can fill the door!



Delivering the Goods



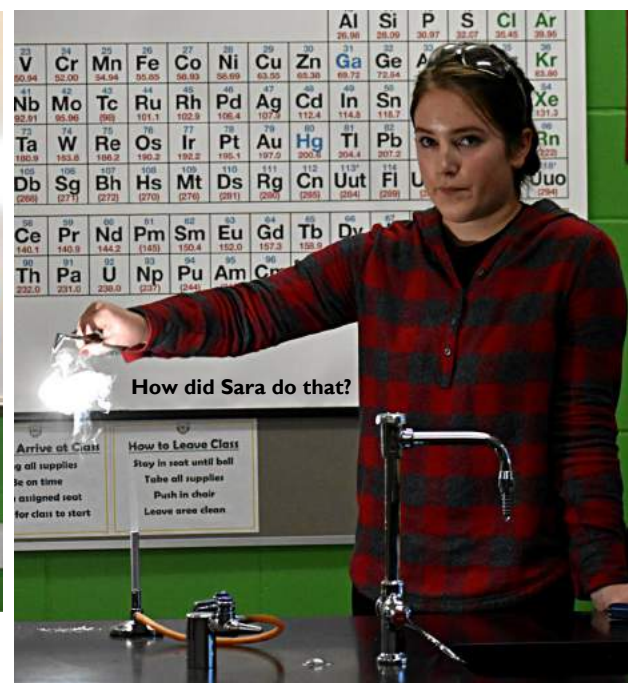
Delivery Crew is ready to go!



Mrs. Garcia introduced "The Magic Show" which is held at the end of the first semester. Members of her Advanced Chemistry class demonstrate the "magic" of science to 4th grade students. The tradition continues and we share some photos with you.



Left to right: Marisol Dillon, Sydney Murphy, Seth Loring, Sara Conway, and Jaycee Mansfield



Right: Seth warns that there might be a little noise.



**Santa visits the
Intermediate
concert!**

Below: Frosty the Snowman visits Mrs. Smith's class. (Amy Smith photo)



Pajama Day @ Jr.-Sr. High!

BULLDOG

FOR SALE:

2018 YEARBOOKS

FEBRUARY 5 THRU MARCH 5

COST: \$ 45 OR 2 FOR \$80

STAY TUNED FOR MORE DETAILS IN OUR NEXT ISSUE!

REMINDER TO GRADUATIONG SENIORS:

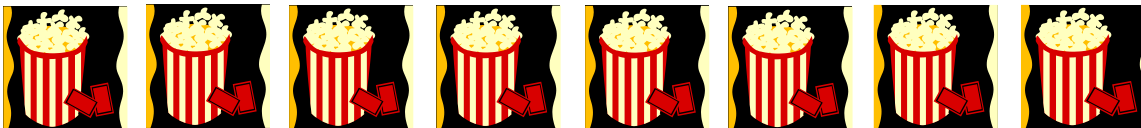
THE YEARBOOK STAFF NEEDS YOUR SENIOR PICTURES BY FEBRUARY 15, 2018

QUESTIONS? CONTACT YEARBOOK STAFF!

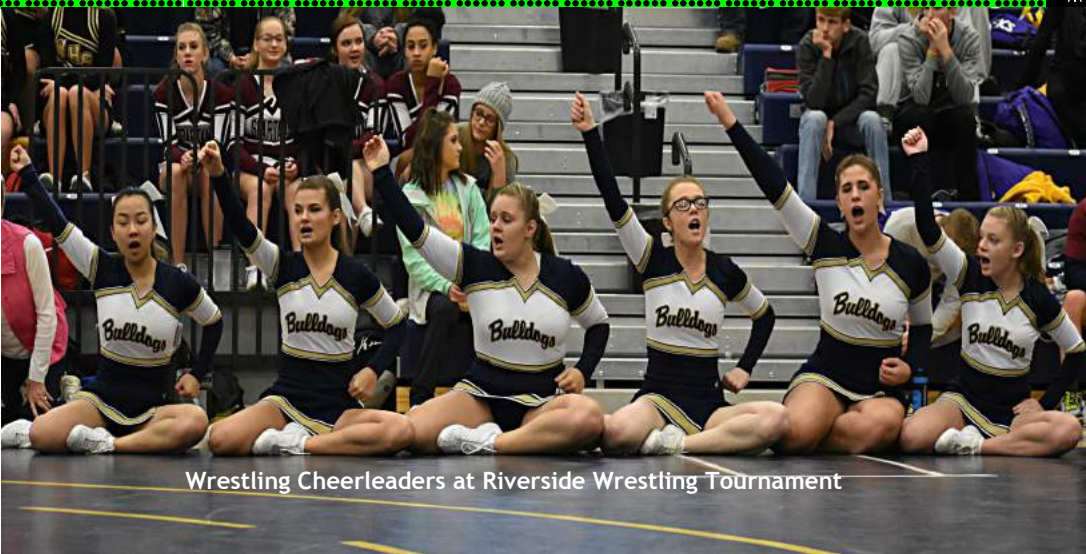


Let's Go To The Movies
Dreamland Theater Carson, Iowa

Jan. 5, 6, 7	Wonder	PG	1 hr. 53 mins.
Jan. 12, 13, 14	Coco 2D	PG	2 hours
Jan. 19, 20, 21	Jumanji	PG-13	1 hr. 59 mins.
Jan. 29, 30, 31	Ferdinand	PG	1 hr. 48 mins.



Basketball Cheerleaders



Wrestling Cheerleaders at Riverside Wrestling Tournament

PLEASE NOTE:

BASKETBALL GAMES MAKE UP DATES:

MONDAY, JANUARY 8, 2018

IKM VS. RIVERSIDE @ RIVERSIDE

THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 2018

AHSTW VS. RIVERSIDE @ RIVERSIDE



SWIBA HONOR BAND

Congratulations to junior Lydia Wede for being selected by audition into the SWIBA High School Honor Band! She will perform at Atlantic High School on Monday, January 15th at 7:00pm.



Riverside Community School District

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Mission:

"To prepare students to meet the challenges of the future as responsible citizens in a global society"

Board Brief

Regular School Board Meeting Monday December 18, 2017

5:30 PM

Agenda can be found at: <http://bit.ly/2kurpuY>

Moment of Silence-In memory of Donnie Hendricks and Megan Klindt

Legislative Discussion and Tour of Facility-The Board of Education had a discussion on legislative issues with Senator Tom Shipley, Representative Tom Moore and Representative Jon Jacobsen. The issues discussed were SAVE Extension, Transportation Equity, Per Pupil Equity, Operational Sharing Extension, and State Supplemental Aid. David Gute and Mandie Reynolds then gave the legislators a tour of the Junior/Senior High School and FEMA Safe room Addition.

Policy Review-The Board of Education and Administration Reviewed School Board Policies Section 500 and 501. Revisions for several of polices were noted and will be brought forward for approval of the Board at the next meeting.

Adjournment

Regular School Board Meeting Monday December 18, 2017

8:00 PM

Agenda can be found at: <http://bit.ly/2BmQjr1>

Information Items

- ✓ **Superintendent Report** – Dr. Mitchell provided a report to the Board-More information can be found attached to the agenda
- ✓ **Facility Update** – Dr. Mitchell provided an update on facility issues for the Board-More information can be found attached to the agenda.

Consent Agenda

The Board approved the Minutes from the Prior Meeting, Bills, Claims, and Financial Reports. The Board accepted and approved the following personnel actions:

- Accepted the Resignation of Mitch Rice-High School Varsity Football Coach
- Accepted the Resignation of Brad Wax-Assistant High School Basketball Coach
- Approved Tyler Johannsen-Junior High Wrestling Coach for the 2017-2018 School Year
- Approved Collin Applegate-Wrestling Volunteer for the 2017-2018 School Year
- Approved Tanner Ford-Assistant Boys Soccer Coach for the 2017-2018 school year
- Approved Terry Bertacini-Head Girls Soccer Coach for the 2017-2018 School year
- Approved Jill Pendgraft-Assistant Girls Soccer Coach for the 2017-2018 School Year
- Approved Deven Moore-Assistant High School Football Coach for the 2018-2019 School Year
- Approved Tyler Johannsen-Assistant High School Football Coach for the 2018-2019 School Year
- Approved Michaela Schwartzkopf-Head High School Volleyball Coach for the 2018-2019 School Year
- Approved Shawn Bluml-Assistant High School Volleyball Coach for the 2018-2019 School Year
- Approved Alex Oliver-High School Cross Country Coach for the 2018-2019 School Year
- Approved Jared Hoffman-Assistant High School Cross Country Coach for the 2018-2019 School year
- Accepted the Resignation of Cole Wilson-High School Assistant Wrestling Coach
- Accepted the Resignation of Oran Perkins-Junior High Wrestling Coach
- Approved Deven Moore-Assistant Boys High School Basketball Coach for the 2017-2018 school year

This information can be found attached to the agenda.

Major Purchases

No Items were considered

Action Items

- ✓ Approved the Airborne Athletic Purchase from the Basketball Account-More information can be found attached to the agenda.
- ✓ Approved a contract for 4+ Transitional Services-Northwest Community College-More information can be found attached to the agenda.
- ✓ Set the Public hearing for the 2018-2019 School Calendar for Monday January 15, 2018
- ✓ Approved the Modified Allowable Growth for Dropout Prevention in an amount not to exceed \$215,964 with 75% (\$161,973) generated additional property tax and 25% (\$53,991) taken from the General Fund-More information can be found attached to the agenda
- ✓ Approved the Resolution for the Budget Guarantee- Resolved, that the Board of Directors of the Riverside Community School District, consistent with Iowa Code section 257.14 will levy property tax for the fiscal year in order that the district's 2018-2019 regular program district cost will be 101% of the 2017-2018 regular program district cost or the district's 2018-2019 regular program district cost will be increased by the maximum percent difference cost plus any moneys received under section 257.14 as a budget adjustment for 2017-2018 minus 2018-2019 regular program cost, whichever is greater-More information can be found attached to the agenda.

Discussion Items

No Items were considered

The Board held an Exempt/Closed Session--Iowa Code 21.5(c) to confer with legal counsel. Closed session as provided by Iowa Code Section 21.5(1)(c) to discuss strategy with counsel in matters that are presently in litigation or where litigation is imminent where its disclosure would be likely to prejudice or disadvantage the position of the governmental body in that litigation. No action was taken.

Adjournment

The Next Meeting of the Board will be held on Monday January 15, 2017

Location-330 Pleasant Street

Intermediate School

Media Center

7:00 PM



Legislators visit Riverside. See Board minutes at the left of this page. (Photo by Dr. Mitchell)



Junior High Tape Mural (photo by Kim Piro)

Riverside High School - January 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
	1 No School	2 No School	3 No School-Teacher Work Day	4 6:00 PM B V WR @ Quad (Trey, East Mills)	5 6:00 PM G V BKB Trey, High School 6:00PM B JV BKB Trey, High School 7:30 PM G JV BKB Trey, High School 7:30PM B V BKB Trey, High School	6 10:00 AM B V WR @ Coon Rapids-Bayard Wrestling Tournament 1:00 PM G V BKB @ Heartland Christian 2:30 PM B V BKB @ Heartland Christian
7	8 3:45 PM G MS BKB East Mills 6:00 PM B JV BKB IKM-M 6:00 PM G V BKB IKM-M 7:30 PM B V BKB IKM-M 7:30 PM G JV BKB IKM-M	9 6:00 PM G V BKB @ Tri-Center High School 6:00PM B JV BKB @ Tri-Center High School 7:30 PM G JV BKB @ Tri-Center High School 7:30PM B V BKB @ Tri-Center High School	10 Staff Professional Development 2:30 Dismissal	11 5:30 PM B V WR @ Quad (T-C, GC, Woodbine, Riv)	12 4:00 PM G V BKB Underwood High School 4:30 PM B V WR @ Ron Scott Memorial Dual Wrestling Tournament 5:30 PM B V BKB Underwood High School	13 9:15 AM B JV WR @ TJ JV Wrestling Tournament 10:00 AM B V WR @ Ron Scott Memorial Dual Wrestling Tournament
14	15 No School-Teacher Inservice	16 4:00 PM G MS BKB @ CAM 6:00 PM G V BKB Griswold High School 6:00PM B JV BKB Griswold High School 7:30 PM G JV BKB Griswold High School 7:30PM B V BKB Griswold High School	17 9:00 AM WIC Jazz Band/Choir Competition	18 4:00 PM B MS WR @ JH Wrestling 4:15 PM G MS BKB @ Trey, MS	19 4:00PM B V WR @ John Harris Invitational 6:00 PM G V BKB Audubon High School 6:00PM B JV BKB Audubon High School 7:30 PM G JV BKB Audubon High School 7:30PM B V BKB Audubon High School	20 10:00AM B V WR @ John Harris Invitational 3:00 PM B V BKB OPEN DATE 5:30 PM G V BKB South Page Community High School
21	22 4:15 PM G MS BKB Missouri Valley High School 6:00 PM G JV BKB @ Iowa School for the Deaf 7:30 PM B JV BKB @ Iowa School for the Deaf	23 5:30 PM B V WR @ Triangular (MVAO, Mo Valley) 6:00 PM G V BKB @ IKM-M 7:30PM B V BKB @ IKM-M	24 Staff Professional Development 2:30 Dismissal	25 4:00 PM G MS BKB @ Logan-Magnolia Community High 4:15 PM B MS WR JH Wrestling 6:00 PM B V WR @ Logan/Audubon/W.Monona Quad	26 6:00 PM G V BKB Logan-Magnolia Community High 6:00PM B JV BKB Logan-Magnolia Community High 7:30 PM G JV BKB Logan-Magnolia Community High 7:30PM B V BKB Logan-Magnolia Community High	27 10:00AM B V WR @ Guthrie Center Tournament
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We R Riverside

POWER Bulldog PRIDE



- Pride
- Ownership
- We Take Action
- Empathy
- Respect
- Trustworthiness
- Respect
- Responsibility
- Fairness
- Caring
- Citizenship

Be attentive
Be positive
Show good sportsmanship
Cheer appropriately
Find a seat and stay seated
Be supportive
Enjoy the game!



Ashlynn takes the ball down the court.



Lady Dawgs keeps the opponent boxed



Devyn Moore goes up for the save! Alyssa Brink has her back.

JUNIOR HIGH GIRLS BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>		<u>Place</u>	<u>Time</u>
Monday	Jan. 08	East Mills		Riverside High School	3:45PM
Tuesday	Jan. 16	@ CAM		CAM	4:00PM
Thursday	Jan. 18	@ Treynor MS		Treynor MS	4:15PM
Monday	Jan. 22	Missouri Valley High School		Riverside High School	4:15PM
Thursday	Jan. 25	@ Logan-Magnolia Community High		Logan-Magnolia Community High	4:00PM
Monday	Jan. 29	IKM-M		Riverside High School	4:15PM
Thursday	Feb. 01	Tri-Center MS		Riverside High School	4:15PM
Monday	Feb. 05	@ Griswold MS		Griswold MS	4:15PM
Thursday	Feb. 08	@ Underwood MS		Underwood MS	4:15PM
Monday	Feb. 12	AHST High School		Riverside High School	4:15PM
Monday	Feb. 19	@ Audubon MS		Audubon MS	4:15PM

JUNIOR HIGH WRESTLING SCHEDULE

<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>		<u>Place</u>	<u>Time</u>
Thursday	Jan. 18	@ JH Wrestling		Shenandoah Middle School	4:00PM
Thursday	Jan. 25	JH Wrestling		RHS Gym (Oakland)	4:15PM
Monday	Jan. 29	@ JH Wrestling		Griswold High School	4:15PM
Thursday	Feb. 01	@ JH Wrestling		Tri-Center High School	4:15PM
Monday	Feb. 05	JH Wrestling		RHS Gym (Oakland)	4:15PM
Thursday	Feb. 08	@ JH Wrestling		Treynor High School	4:15PM
Monday	Feb. 19	@ JH Wrestling		Tri-Center High School	4:15PM
Thursday	Feb. 22	@ JH Wrestling		St. Albert High School	4:00PM
Tuesday	Feb. 27	@ JH Wrestling Tournament		Tarkio R-1	4:30PM



Andy Casson



Eli Petersen



JANUARY 2018

Riverside Elementary & Intermediate Schools

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
NO SCHOOL 1	NO SCHOOL 2	NO SCHOOL 3	Long John Hash Browns 4 Chicken Nuggets Mashed Potatoes/Gravy Relish Tray Fruit & B&B IS Chicken Fried Steak	Biscuit w/ Sausage Gravy 5 Hot Dog/Bun Green Beans Relish Tray Fruit & Cookie
Cheese Omelet Hash Browns 8 Tenderloin/Bun Cheese/Pickles Baked Beans Chips & Fruit	French Toast Stick Pancakes 9 Soft Shell Taco Lettuce/Chz/Salsa Refried Beans Fruit & Elf Grahams IS Crispito	Breakfast Sandwich 10 Hamburger/ Bun Cheese/Pickles French Fries Fruit	Long John Hash Browns 11 Mandarin Orange Chicken Seasoned Rice Broccoli/Fruit IS Mini Corn Dogs	Biscuit w/ Sausage Gravy 12 Cheese Breadstick Marinara Sauce Corn Fruit
NO SCHOOL 15 Martin Luther King Birthday	French Toast Stick Pancakes 16 Cheese Omelet Hash Brown Fruit Cinnamon Roll IS SausageGravy/Biscuit	Breakfast Sandwich 17 Sloppy Joes/Bun Chips Corn Fruit	Long John Hash Browns 18 Chicken & Noodles Broccoli Dinner Roll Strawberry Jello IS Tator Tot Casserole	Biscuit w/ Sausage Gravy 19 French Bread Pizza Green Beans Fruit
Cheese Omelet Hash Browns 22 Chili w/ Crackers Cinnamon Roll Relish Tray Fruit	French Toast Stick Pancakes 23 Chicken Patty/Bun Cheese /Pickles Ranch Fries Fruit IS Hamburger/Bun	Breakfast Sandwich 24 Pizza Crunchers Corn Fruit	Long John Hash Browns 25 Chicken Fajita Cheese/Salsa Refried Beans Fruit IS Walking Taco	Biscuit w/ Sausage Gravy 26 Beef Nuggets Mashed/Potatoes/Gravy Fruit Dinner Roll HS BBQ Meatballs
Cheese Omelet Hash Browns 29 Mini Corn Dogs Baked Beans Fruit	French Toast Stick Pancakes 30 McRibb/Bun French Fries Fruit Cookies IS Egg Salad Sandwich	Breakfast Sandwich 31 Meatloaf Mashed Potatoes/Gravy Fruit Dinner Roll	DID YOU KNOW... JANUARY IS NAMED AFTER THE ROMAN GOD JANUS, WHO WAS ALWAYS SHOWN AS HAVING TWO HEADS. HE LOOKED BACK TO THE LAST YEAR AND FORWARD TO THE NEW ONE.	

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Daily in all buildings

Milk is available
every meal.

For Breakfast:
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There will be **CHOICES**
for Intermediate Students
on Tuesdays & Thursday
for lunch

School News

**January 4, 2018
School Resumes

**January 15, 2018
NO SCHOOL

JANUARY 2018

Riverside Jr.-Sr. High School

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NO SCHOOL 1	NO SCHOOL 2	NO SCHOOL 3	Long John Hash Browns 4 Chicken Nuggets Mashed Potatoes/Gravy Relish Tray Fruit & B&B HS Chicken Fried Steak	Biscuit w/ Sausage Gravy 5 Hot Dog/Bun Green Beans Relish Tray Fruit & Cookie HS Mc Ribb/Bun
Cheese Omelet Hash Browns 8 Tenderloin/Bun Cheese/Pickles Baked Beans Chips & Fruit HS Ham/Cheese Melt	French Toast Stick Pancakes 9 Soft Shell Taco Lettuce/Chz/Salsa Refried Beans Fruit & Elf Grahams HS IS Crispito	Breakfast Sandwich 10 Hamburger/ Bun Cheese/Pickles French Fries Fruit HS Spicy Chicken/Bun	Long John Hash Browns 11 Mandarin Orange Chicken Seasoned Rice Broccoli/Fruit HS Mini Corn Dogs	Biscuit w/ Sausage Gravy 12 Cheese Breadstick Marinara Sauce Corn Fruit HS Meatball Sub
NO SCHOOL 15 Martin Luther King Birthday	French Toast Stick Pancakes 16 Cheese Omelet Hash Brown Fruit Cinnamon Roll HS SausageGravy/Biscuit	Breakfast Sandwich 17 Sloppy Joes/Bun Chips Corn Fruit HS Sub Sandwich	Long John Hash Browns 18 Chicken & Noodles Broccoli Dinner Roll Strawberry Jello HS Tater Tot Casserole	Biscuit w/ Sausage Gravy 19 French Bread Pizza Green Beans Fruit HS Parmesan Chicken w/ B&B
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