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SPARTAN UPDATE

STATE BOUND! The RMS Science Olympiad team qualified for state by placing third at the regional meet at William Jewell College.

Snow Day / Calendar Update

As of February 13, 2020 we have used a total of 9 days due to weather conditions (December 16, 17, January 13, 17, 21, 22, 23 24, February 13).

The first 6 days that were missed were built in to the school calendar. January 23 was the 7th snow day and it will be made up on February 14, 2020.

January 24 was the 8th snow day and per DESE, this day will NOT need to be made up.

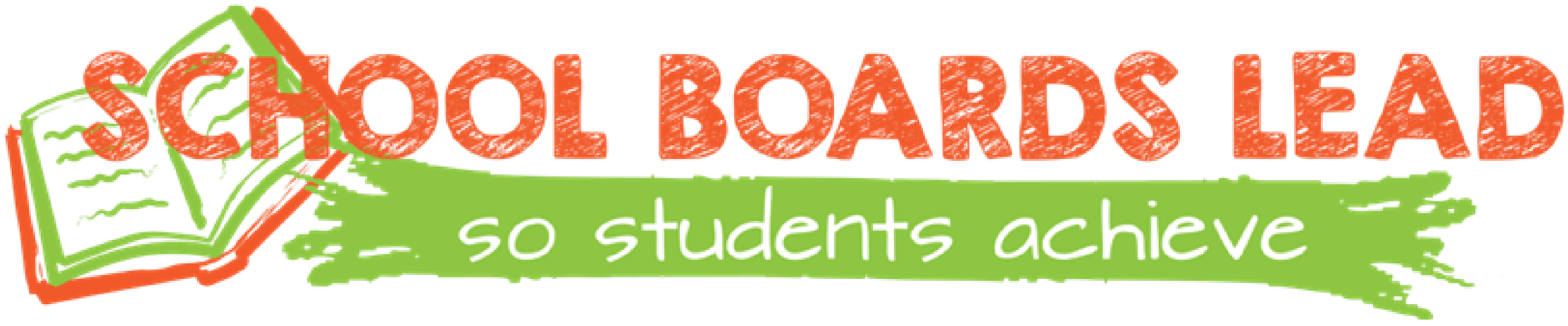
February 13 is the 9th snow day and it will be made up on March 24th.

Should any additional school days be cancelled due to weather conditions, the make-up days will be as follows:

10th day missed - No make-up required
11th day missed - April 13
12th day missed - No make-up required
13th day missed - April 10
14th day missed & beyond - No make-up required

RMS Winter Sports Awards

School Board Recognition Week



Missourians benefit every day from the dedicated energies and countless hours devoted by a group of more than 3,600 men and women in every community across the state. These public servants are elected by local constituents and do not receive compensation for their tireless efforts. These men and women are the local school board members of Missouri.

During the week of February 9th - 15th communities across the state will honor the dedicated service of local boards of education during School Board Recognition Week, as proclaimed by Governor Mike Parson. The goal is to build awareness and understanding of the important function an elected board of education plays in communities and schools. All Missouri citizens are asked to recognize the important contributions of these men and women and focus attention on the vital role these public officials play in the education of Missouri's children.

School Board Meeting

The Richmond R-XVI Board of Education will meet in regular session on Thursday, February 13th at 7:00 p.m.

RMS SCIENCE OLYMPIAD

The RMS Science Olympiad team is headed to STATE! The team took 3rd place at regionals on Saturday, February 8th at William Jewell College.

Density Lab - 5th Place Ribbon – Will Robinson & Isabelle Dooley

Disease Detectives – 4th Place Ribbon - Alayna Quick & Cobi Powell

Mission Possible - 4th Place Ribbon – Lane Forson

Crime Busters – Bronze Medal – Isabelle Dooley & Katie Pierson

Boomilever – Silver Medal – Noah & Kalvin Spratt

Fossils – Silver Medal – Grace Brozarth & Alayna Quick

Road Scholar – Silver Medal - Issac Ferguson

Water Quality - Silver Medal - Issac Ferguson

Machines – Gold Medal - Lilly Ahart & Logan Moyer : Lilly & Logan qualified for State & will go to State Competition on April 4th at Westminster College in Fulton.

The team will be headed to Fulton, MO on April 3 and April 4 for state.

Spartan Excellence & Achievement Award

CLICK HERE

Do you know a teacher who is dedicated, inspiring, and making a difference in student achievement?

The classroom teacher is the backbone of the American educational system. No one person has a greater impact on the education of a child than does the teacher who creates the instructional environment.

Nominate a Teacher

SPARTAN EXCELLENCE & ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

To nominate a teacher for Richmond R-XVI Teacher of the Year Award, please complete this form and return it to Central Office by **Friday, February 28, 2020 at 3:00 p.m.**. The nominee must be a Missouri certified teacher, Kindergarten through Twelfth Grade, who plans to continue an active teaching career.

Richmond PTO

SAVE THE DATE

NERF Mother & Son NERF Event — 2/21/2020

Father & Daughter Dance - 3/27/2020

More information will be sent home closer to the event dates!

Follow our PTO on Facebook — @RICHMONDMOPTO

FFA Valentine's Dinner

VALENTINE'S DINNER

Richmond FFA is hosting a Valentine's Spaghetti Dinner on
Friday, February 14th from 5:00-8:00pm, Richmond High School Commons
All proceeds benefit the Washington Leadership Conference trip this summer

SUGGESTED DONATION $7 / PERSON		KIDS PLATE ONLY $5
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH	VALENTINE'S DINNER	RHS COMMONS

Mr. Valentine Pageant

Mr. Valentine Pageant

All proceeds go to the Dana Baker Family

Admission: $5

Free for children 5 and under

Come watch 8 men try and win the judges over and compete for the title of Mr. Valentine 2020 in 4 categories

Sportswear

Talent

Formalwear

Question & Answer

February 23, 2020

3:00 P.M.

Farris Theater

Sponsored by the National Honor Society of Richmond High School

RHS Baseball Parent Meeting

There will be a parent / player information meeting about the upcoming baseball season on Wednesday, February 19, 2020 at 6:30 pm in the RHS commons.

Cheerleading 2020-2021 Tryout Meeting

There will be an information meeting about the upcoming cheerleader tryouts for the 2020-2021 school year on Thursday, February 20, 2020 at 3:15 pm in the RHS gym. Tryout packets will be given out at the meeting. Click the link below for more information.

CLICK HERE

Richmond High School

Cheerleading

Football & Basketball

Tryout Information for

2020-2021 season

Upcoming Events / Transportation

Thursday, February 13
Boys' C/JV Basketball @ Lexington 5:00 p.m. - 1 Bus - Leave @ 4:10 p.m.
Girls' JV Basketball @ Lexington 6:00 p.m. - School White Van
Sunrise Elementary - Clay Night (Miss Hardesty) 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Board of Education Meeting 7:00 p.m.

Friday, February 14
Snow Make-Up Day (school is in session)
Wrestling @ District Tournament @ Marceline - School Red/White Vans
Girls' Varsity Basketball vs. Lexington 5:30 p.m.
Boys' Varsity Basketball vs. Lexington 7:00 p.m.
FFA - Valentine's Spaghetti Dinner 5:00 p.m. -8:00 p.m.

Saturday, February 15
Speech & Debate @ MRVC Tournament (Odessa) - 1 Bus - Leave @ 7:00 a.m.
Wrestling @ District Tournament @ Marceline - School Red/White Vans

Monday, February 17
No School - President's Day

Tuesday, February 18
Girls' JV/V Basketball vs. Lafayette County 4:30 pm
Boys' JV/V Basketball vs. Lafayette County 5:00 pm
Sunrise Elementary - Clay Night (Mrs. Elderbaum) 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday, February 19
New Teacher Meeting @ Central Office 6:30 am
MRVC Choir @ Warrensburg HS - 1 Bus - Leave @ 7:30 am
Dear Elementary - Clay Night (Miss Sullivan) 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Sunrise Elementary - Clay Night (Ms. Hudson) 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
RHS Baseball Parent Meeting 6:30 pm in the RHS Commons

Thursday, February 20
RMS Spring Pictures
Wrestling State - School Red / White Vans
Cheerleading Tryout Informational Meeting 3:15 pm @ RHS Gym
Dear Elementary - Clay Night (Mrs. Hamilton) 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Sunrise Elementary - Clay Night (Mrs. Weekley) 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Boys' JV/V Basketball @ Carrollton 5:00 pm - 1 Bus - Leave @ 3:30 pm
Girls' Varsity Basketball @ Carrollton 5:30 pm - 1 Bus - Leave @ 3:45 pm

Friday, February 21
Wrestling State - School Red / White Vans
FFA - Western Farm Show @ American Royal Center - 1 Bus - Leave @ 8:00 am
RHS - Mr. Valentine Pageant Rehearsal @ Farris Theatre - 2 Shuttle Buses - 8:00 am - 2:00 pm
Sunrise Elementary - Mother / Son Challenge

Saturday, February 22
Wrestling State - School Red / White Vans

Sunday, February 23
RHS - Mr. Valentine Pageant @ Farris Theatre 3:00 pm

Shoutout

Miss Thomas's 5th grade class hosted a coffee house event in which they celebrated the opinion writing the students wrote. Parents and family were invited to attend to share in the celebration. Miss Thomas said that "We were honored to have some very important district staff attend our coffee house event!"