



READFIELD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



February 14, 2020



February 17th-21st - February Vacation

February 23rd - Readfield Rec Department Winter Fun Day - See Attachment FMI

February 24th - Northern Stars Planetarium Visit - PK-5th Grade

March 5th - 5th Grade District Wide Band Festival

March 8th - Daylight Saving Time Begins - Spring Forward



Principal's Notes by Jeff Boston

Parent/Teacher Conferences are just around the corner! Conferences will be taking place on the following dates, March 10th and March 19th. Our time spans will be from 3:00 – 7:00 pm. The faculty

will be prepared to review your child's academic progress. In the event that you cannot attend conferences, please contact your child's teacher to arrange for another date and time that is mutually agreeable. I challenge our teachers and parents to improve on our previous parent/teacher conferences in November of 2019 of 89% attendance rate, which will be difficult but I know we can do it. We are looking forward to meeting with you soon!

February 28th marks the end of the second trimester. Report cards will be sent home with students on Monday, March 9th.

Thank you to REPA in sponsoring the Northern Star Planetarium for our students, which will occur on February 24th. As always, we appreciate REPA's support and involvement in assisting us with providing enrichment activities for our students.

Enjoy your February break and see everyone back on February 24th!

Parent Teacher Conferences are right around the corner. Tuesday March 10th 3-6:40pm and Thursday March 19th 3-6:40pm. Use this link to sign up today. <https://pickatime.com/readfield>

Attention 5Th Grade Parents

We are collecting photos for the yearbook and end of the year 5th grade slideshow. We need your photos. Please send in .jpeg format via email to linda_gatti@maranacook.com. No hard copies will be accepted. We need 1 baby picture and 3-4 of your child with their classmates during the past years in activities or sports.



We need all photos by Mach 6th.

RES After School Thursday Winter Class Update

FITNESS FUN - grade 3, 4 and 5 will meet on February 27. The class will also meet on two make up days to be announced after a conference with the instructor.

WINTER ARTS AND CRAFTS - grade 1-3, the two make up days will be February 27 and March 5, 3-4:30pm.

Questions or concerns please contact nancy_moorman@maranacook.com

YEARBOOKS

ON SALE NOW

Orders and
payment due by
April 3rd

\$20 Softcover
\$25 for Hardcover



We are in the process of updating our incoming list of kindergarten students for the 2020-21 school year. If you are a parent of an incoming Kindergartner for next school year who will be 5

years old on or before October 15, 2020, and they are **not currently** enrolled in our pre-k program, please call Amanda Hreben at (685-4406) to schedule an appointment for a screening appointment. Screening dates are scheduled for March 31st and April 1st. If you know of any parents who may have a child eligible to begin school in the fall, please pass this information along.

Keep up to date with happenings at RES with the Maranacook app or on our website maranacook.org/o/readfield

Illness rates are climbing. Please make sure you are being diligent about following the school rules about when your child can return during or after an illness, which is attached. If you have questions feel free to send an email to Mrs. Jada Clark, RN at jada_clark@maranacook.com

RSU NO. 38 is hiring a full-time Bus Driver to provide safe transportation for district students so that they may enjoy the fullest possible advantage from the district's curricular and co-curricular program.

Qualifications:

- Valid State of Maine School Bus Operators License
- Certified by the district physician as being in physical condition necessary to carry out bus driving duties
- Satisfactory driving record
- Criminal Record History Check (CHRC) by the Maine Department of Education

Excellent benefits package includes 100% employer paid MEA Choice Plan BC/BX single group insurance coverage, 100% dental insurance, paid holidays, sick, personal and vacation time. Looking for a team player who is willing to collaborate with others in order to benefit students.

Interested individuals, please send an application to: Superintendent of School Office, c/o HR Dept., 45 Millard Harrison Dr., Readfield, Me 04355
or kate_taylor@maranacook.org.

[https://core-docs.s3.amazonaws.com/documents/asset/uploaded_file/368207/
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**RSU #38 – FY21 Budget Workshops
Maranacook Community High School Student Center (unless
otherwise noted) 6:30 – 8:30pm
BUDGET WORKSHOP SCHEDULE**

February 26 Budget Workshop – Operations & Maintenance

March 4* Regular Business Meeting
Budget Workshop – Co-and Extra-Curricular, Transportation,
Miscellaneous Cost Centers/Accounts (Adult Education, Food Service,
Health Center, Professional Development/Assessment/ Curriculum,
Systems administration, Debt Service)