

# REPUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT NEWSLETTER 2019-20



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## Principal's Note

Hello Republic Families,

Welcome to the month of October and the new season of fall! We have had an amazing start to the school year, and are so excited for the upcoming events scheduled for students in grades K-12.

The elementary Book Fair started yesterday, September 30, and will run until October 4. Elementary teachers have created a wish list if you'd like to donate books for your child's classroom. The list is available from Katrina and Amy in the elementary front office.

Picture Day for all students is Wednesday, October 2, 2019. This photoshoot is for individual pictures and for all group fall sports pictures. Pictures will be taken in the elementary gym. Sports pictures will be taken after school with their teams.

In addition to picture day, we have Open House scheduled for Wednesday, Oct 2, 2019 from 5:30pm-6:30pm. Please stop by and visit your child's classroom, meet the teacher, and learn about the amazing academic and social skills which your child will be learning this year!

Fall sports have taken off with great success this year. Varsity and JV football have had numerous games and are working hard to continue to have our school be the best in the 1B league. Volleyball for Varsity and JV have had several successful games, and we continue to cheer our girls on! Cross Country has had several meets, and we are excited for them to continue to "run for the gold" this year. Junior High Football and Volleyball are competing and are gaining great experience! Congratulations to our cheerleaders who keep up school spirit, for all of the athletes who work so hard in their sport, our coaches who work tirelessly to champion our students, and Mr. Coffee, our Athletic Director, for scheduling and being proactive. We love and appreciate you all!

Students are beginning to dive into the curriculum in ELA, Math, SS, Science, Shop, PE, and Music. Some curriculums are being reviewed from last year, and students are getting excited about new projects in their classrooms. Please speak with your children daily about what they are working on in class, and what great new facts and knowledge they are learning.

Teachers have designed with their students' positive projects for the school year. Students are working on creating benches, tutoring students in younger grades, offering math help, making positive posters to post throughout the school. Elementary students can earn tiger tickets for being Responsible, Respectful and Safe! Students are cleaning up the school before games, and many, many more! I'm so proud of our teachers and students for taking the lead on creating a safe, positive and wonderful learning environment for all!

Finally, at the end of the month, we will celebrate Homecoming the week of Oct 21-25! The Associated Student Body (ASB) has decided to have "Decades" be the theme this year for spirit week.

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#### Activities include Dress Up Days:

- Ferry County Day-M
- Black Tie Day-T
- Wacky Wednesday-W
- Decade Day-Th
- Orange & Black Day-F

#### Additional Activities:

- Parade in Downtown Republic on Oct 25th @ 4:00pm
- Peach Fuzz Volley Ball game-Tues-6:00pm
- Powder Puff -Football- Wed-6:00pm

Please let me know if you have any questions or need additional information on any of the above items. Thank you for your continued support of our amazing school!

We are: Tiger Pride, Republic Strong and most importantly, Success for All!

Most Sincerely, Ms. G. Principal (509) 207-7376 office (509) 740-7489 cell Cgutierrez@republicsd.org

#### **Bus Safety**

Please remember to drive slowly, and to be cautious of the cones that are placed in the school parking lot. Students are in and out of the lot at all times of the day, and it is especially congested during arrival and departure times with buses.

#### **Upcoming Events**

We've made some changes

to our newsletters! Please check out our website at www.republic309.org for updated news and information.

On our website you will find many resources, including an up-to-date calendar of school activities and sports events, parent, student and district information (just to

name a few).

# Upcoming Board Meetings

## October 23<sup>rd</sup> November 20<sup>th</sup>

Board meetings are held in the School District Board Room.

Work Session starts at 6:00PM. Meeting starts at 6:30PM.

#### 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Update

We've had a blast joining Mrs. Ladiges on Thursdays for STEAM! It's just a short time, but it's a fun and they look forward to Mrs. Ladiges time in our classroom!

"Ms. King"



#### 6th Grade News

The Republic 6th grade class attended Big World Flight for Education on Wednesday, September 25th. The weather was incredible and the knowledge of the visiting pilots was extensive! Students met two female pilots who shared how and when they became interested in flying. The weather allowed the students to have the opportunity to see the visiting planes take off and land. We learned about the importance of a flight plan, we inspected a Cessna up close, learned of the history of Merritt Field, and that our airport is also called "R49" by the FAA. A few of us used model airplanes to demonstrate the rules for taking off and landing here at R49.

Mrs. Bremner

The class of 2026 on September 10th, 2019 elected five officers: President Joclynn Everybodytalksabout, Vice President Jordan Ricard, Secretary Layla Carson, Representative Ali Koch, and Publicity Officer Aurora Miller. The class of 2026 is really excited for the school year of 2019-2020 and is advised by Mrs. Bremner.

President Joclynn Everybodytalksabout and Secretary Layla Carson

## COUNSELOR CORNER

**College Rep Visits:** Throughout the months of September and October, Republic students will have opportunities to learn about the various educational choices available after high school. In September, a representative from Washington State University visited the campus and spoke with juniors and seniors. In October, they will hear from Lincoln Technical Institute and Whitworth University.







On Tuesday September 24th, interested Republic students took the ASVAB test. The ASVAB is a timed multi-aptitude test, which is given at over 14,000 schools and Military Entrance Processing Stations (MEPS) nationwide and is developed and maintained by

the Department of Defense. The <u>ASVAB CEP</u> is a complete career planning program. Students are given the opportunity to take the ASVAB at no cost and no commitment to military service. The ASVAB CEP also provides an interest assessment and planning tools to help young adults explore career field entry requirements and various career paths, both military and civilian. The state has also allowed this assessment to take the place of the Math and ELA standard requirements to graduate. We will know the cut score benchmarks to pass this test in November.

#### **Family FAFSA Night**

On Monday October 7th @ 7pm, there will be an opportunity for seniors and their parents to learn about the basics of financial aid as well as complete their FAFSA online in our computer lab. If you are able to attend, please RSVP at bgrumbach@republicsd.org or call 775-3171.C



## October 2019

## **BREAKFAST & LUNCH**

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	1	2	3	4
	Dutch Waffle	Bagel & Cream Cheese	Pancakes	Egg & Biscuit
	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit
	Fish & Chips	Hot Dog	Chicken Nuggets	Grilled Cheese
	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit
	Veggies	Veggies	Veggies	Veggies
7	8	9	10	11
French Toast	Pancakes	Cook's Surprise	Oatmeal Bar	Tiger Tails
Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit
Chicken Fajitas	Taco Tuesday	Chicken & Mashed	Chili & Cornbread	Popcorn Chicken
Fruit	Fruit	Potatoes	Muffin	Fruit
Veggies	Veggies	Fruit	Fruit	Veggies
		Veggies	Veggies	1.0
14	15	16	17	18
Egg & Pancake	Muffins	Cheese Omelet	Pancakes	Maple Bar
Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit
Burrito	Cook's Surprise	Gyro	Cook's Surprise	Mini Cheeseburgers
Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit
Veggies	Veggies	Veggies	Veggies	Veggies
21	22	23	24	25
Egg & Biscuit	Pizza Bagel	Breakfast Wrap	Cook's Surprise	French Toast
Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit
Chicken Burger	Pizza	Cook's Surprise	Chicken Quesadilla	Corndog
Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit
Veggies	Veggies	Veggies	Veggies	Veggies
28	29	30	31	
Yogurt & Granola	Churros	Apple Stick	Pancakes	
Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	
Cook's Choice	Taco Tuesday	Fish & Chips	Sub Sandwich or	
Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	PB&J	
Veggies	Veggies	Veggies	Fruit	
			Veggies	

Milk is offered at every meal.

Cereal is offered as an option at breakfast.

This institution is an equal opportunity employer & provider.

Breakfast is served from 7:30-8:00AM

Grab & Go Breakfast is available from 8:00-8:30AM

All Breakfast & Lunch are FREE for all students

Adults: Breakfast - \$2.50, Lunch - \$4.00

Menu may change due to unavailability