

# REPUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT NEWSLETTER 2019-20



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#### Principal's Note

Hello Republic Families,

We have had an exciting month of school here in Republic! The month of October started off with our Scholastic Book Fair, which brought in \$6,000 worth of funds and donated books to the school. Thank you to all of our wonderful volunteers who made this event such a great success. A special thank you to Amy Sharbono, Katrina Sage, Shannon Young, Liz Stinson, and the many parents who volunteered for the fair.

Our Title I Open House was a huge success with over 138 participants visiting classrooms, meeting the staff, and enjoying the Book Fair! Thank you, families, for coming out, we appreciate your visiting.

Students were entertained by Ray Li from North Wind Sounds at a school-wide assembly during the month. A HUGE shout out and thank you to Emily Burt, Republic Brewing Company, for sponsoring this wonderful musician for our students.

Homecoming events were fun and many students participated in the Peach Fuzz and Powder Puff volleyball and football games. Fifty-Three of our high school students attended the dance and enjoyed loud music and great dancing.

Athletes continue to be active in football, volleyball, and cross county. All students are hopeful about district playoffs and ending the fall season on a high note! Junior High basketball has started as students have begun early morning practices. High school basketball practice will start November 18, and the first Home game will be Tuesday, December 3 at 4:30 PM. Come on out and support all of our great players!

We ended October with Halloween carnivals, costumes, and trick or treating on Main Street. RYAC had a wonderful Fall Community Forum which was supported by numerous small businesses in town. Thank you for all of the support for our great organizations.

November will begin with parent and teacher conferences on November 7 and 8. Students will have early release on both days, 11:30 AM dismissal. If you have signed up to meet with your child's teacher, thank you! This is a great opportunity to discuss your child's strengths and progress after the first 9 weeks of school. If you want to schedule a conference, please contact your child's teacher directly or call the school and we will work with you. Our goal is to have 100% participation for our first conference, please help us make our goal!

November 8 is a very special day as we will have our **annual Veterans Day Breakfast and Assembly**. The breakfast will begin **at 8:00 AM** in the elementary cafeteria followed by the assembly in the high school gymnasium **at 9:00 AM**. Please invite family, friends, and folks who served our great country as we would like to honor them for their service. There will be no school **Monday, November 11, 2019, to celebrate Veterans Day.** (continued on next page...)

Our academic awards assembly for the first 9 weeks is currently being planned and we will post on Facebook and send notes home on the date and times. We invite you to join us to celebrate students' academic and social gains for the quarter.

Finally, our busy month will come to a close as we celebrate Thanksgiving, November 27-29. Students will be off for three full days of school. We will miss them and know that students and staff will enjoy a well-earned break after a busy fall season.

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!

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#### **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

# November 20<sup>th</sup> December 18<sup>th</sup>

Board meetings are held in the School District Board Room.

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

#### Maintenance Update

Please remember to take your vehicle home at the end of the day. Snow will be here soon. Keeping the parking lot clear overnight will allow our maintenance staff to plow and clear the lot for students and staff.

Maintenance



Homecoming Royalty (from left to right): Kayla Tonasket – Sophomore Princess, Ali Jenkins – Freshman Princess, Logan Braun – Freshman Prince, Alyssa Schultz – Homecoming Queen, Trace Fletcher – Homecoming King, Chet Fields – Junior Prince, Dillon Bonner – Senior Prince, Maryanne McDaniel Senior Princess.



The Republic Tigers won over Wellpinit by 58-16!



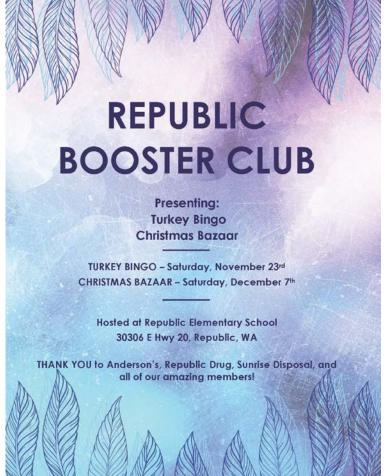
Students Taking Action for Community Change (STACC) decorated the wall in the high school for Red Ribbon Week to bring awareness to drug and alcohol abuse. We choose not to use for many reasons, check out our wall and don't forget to go to redribbon.org and vote for our photo!



Congratulations to our Employee of the Month for October: Kerri Clark!

Superintendent Young said, "October's employee of the month has been doing wonderful things both in and out of the classroom. I have heard many compliments from students, other staff members, parents, and even two board members. I have witnessed first-hand the many, many hours she volunteers with the booster club to help Republic students. All of this does not go unnoticed."





## November 2019

### **BREAKFAST & LUNCH**

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
				1 Breakfast Wrap Fruit
				Chili Cheese Wrap Fruit Veggies
4	5	6	7	8
Mini Pancakes	Cheese Omelet	Tiger Tail	Muffin & Yogurt	Cinnamon Roll
Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit
Burrito	Nachos	Cook's Choice	Chili Dog	Corndog
Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit
Veggies	Veggies	Veggies	Veggies	Veggies
11	12	13	14	15
NO SCHOOL	Bagel w/Cream Cheese	French Toast	Yogurt & Granola	Apple Stick
VETERAN'S	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit
	Hamburger	Pizza	Turkey	Chicken Nuggets
DAY	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit
	Veggies	Veggies	Veggies	Veggies
18	19	20	21	22
Pancakes	Pizza Bagel	Cheese Omelet	Oatmeal Bars	Maple Bar
Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit
Chicken & Rice	Chicken & Mashed	Sub or PB&J	Cook's Choice	Chicken Burger
Fruit	Potatoes	Sandwiches	Fruit	Fruit
Veggies	Fruit	Fruit	Veggies	Veggies
	Veggies	Veggies		
25	26	27	28	29
Breakfast Wrap	Cereal & Yogurt			
Fruit	Fruit	Thanksgiving Break – NO SCHOOL		
Beef Bites	Burrito			
Fruit	Fruit			
Veggies	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