



Ripley Central School

“Home of the Eagles”

Learn today. Lead tomorrow!

10/16/2020

Dear RCS Families,

The 5th graders went on a Rails to Trails 7.1 mile mountain biking adventure on 9/25/20. Adventure is any physical, intellectual, or artistic experience that involves risk, challenge, and discovery. These kinds of experiences help learners realize they can do more than they thought possible. Riding mountain bikes through unfamiliar terrain over a large distance was outside many of our students’ comfort zones initially, but then everyone persevered and had a great time.



Thank you for completing the COVID survey this past Tuesday. The survey will be sent out to families via text every Sunday from here on out. You only need to complete one survey per family.

The YWCA is accepting enrollment for Before School and After School Programming. The Before School Program is Monday – Friday from 7:00-8:00 AM. The After School Program is open Monday – Friday 3:00-6:00 PM. Check out the flyer on the back of this letter for more information.

The PTO met this past Monday and decided to purchase t-shirts for all RCS students. Please fill out one form for each of your children. The form is located at www.ripleycsd.org in the newsfeed. We will be sending out a text message to all of our families this coming Saturday with the link. A big thank you goes out to the PTO for this generous gift!

RCS will be hosting a Flu Shot Clinic this coming Thursday from 3:00-6:00 PM in room 125 (Art Room). Folks will enter the building in the same manner as when they vote. This is a great opportunity to get your flu shots taken care of for your family. Masks will be required.

One of the consequences of our new procedures and schedules due to COVID was a loss of time to provide professional development for teachers. Last Friday we were able to provide those opportunities. The administrative team discussed multiple scenarios and settled on having one early dismissal day the second Friday of every month. The next early dismissal day will be November 13 at noon.

Yours in education,

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Upcoming Events

Thursday 10/22/20
Flu Clinic – Room 125
3:00-6:00 PM

Friday 10/23/20
No School
In-Service Day

Friday 10/30/20
Halloween Parade
More information to follow

Monday 11/2/20
PTO Meeting

Wednesday 11/11/20
School Closed
Veterans Day

Friday 11/13/20
Early Dismissal 12 PM



“Autumn is a second spring when every leaf is a flower.” ~ Albert Camus