# RAMS RECAP

Weekly Newsletter for Renaissance Public School Academy

## UPCOMING DATES

School Board Meeting MARCH 20TH AT 4:00PM

Spirit Week MARCH 20TH-24TH, 2023

Track and Field Informational Meeting MARCH 20TH @ 5:15PM

Bedtime Stories Event MARCH 23RD, 2023

Spring Break - No School MARCH 26TH-MARCH 31ST



Hello RPSA Families,

We only have one week to go till Spring Break! The upcoming week is filled with different spirit days as well as a family event to celebrate the end of March is Reading Month.

Student will also spend lots of time preparing for their Student Led Conferences that will happen on Thursday, April 6th. That will also be the beginning of the Scholastic Book Fair. Be on the look out for a sign up genius to come from your students teacher to schedule your time slot and more information from Mrs. Doyle regarding the book fair.

Sincerely, Sarah Anderson



THINGS TO REMEMBER FOR NEXT WEEK:

- Remember to remind your student to bring home all their snow gear and water bottles home over spring break to be washed.
- Remember to check out our lost and found by the front door. It is getting full again.
- Remember to watch for Student Led Conference Sign Up coming next week.
- Remember check out the spirit week days for next week.
- Remember you can always park and walk your student across at a cross walk. It helps move the parking lot lines faster.

School Doors Open at 7:45 am

> School Starts at 8:00 am

School Ends at 3:25 pm on M, T, TH, F

Early Dismissal on Wednesday at 2pm.

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## **UPCOMING EVENTS!**

Click HERE to register before March 17th



Families are invited to join us for an hour of bedtime stories with Mrs. Doyle.

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Whene March 23rd from 6:30 pm - 7:30pm

Where: RPSA presentation space

What to bring: Your favorite bedtime stories to read and a blanket to lay under the stars, cozy jammies encouraged!

Thank you to Insomnia Cookies for the donation! To celebrate March is Reading Month students are invited to participate in a Book Swap. Each student may bring up to 3 gently used books that they are ready to exchange for other books. This is a great way to get new reading material while passing on your books for others to enjoy. A book swap table will be set up at our Bedtime Stories event for any students wanting to participate.

# It is spirit week!

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| MONDAY   |  | WEDNESDAY   |  | FRIDAY                                    |
|  | Non-fiction day -<br>dress as your<br>favorite<br>non-fiction topic<br>(person, place,<br>thing) |   | Get in<br>character day -<br>dress as your<br>favorite book<br>character |   |
| Oh the Places<br>You'll Go Day -<br>come dressed<br>for success! | TUESDAY  | Go on a reading<br>adventure -<br>dress like an<br>explorer day | THURSDAY   | Get cozy with a<br>good book -<br>pj day! |
| IOI Success!   | 3/21   | SPIRIT WEEK   | 3/23   |   |

## **UPCOMING EVENTS!**

# TRAILBLAZER STUDENTS PRESENT

# #RPSAWORLDWATERDAY2023 AT RENAISSANCE PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY 10:30 TO 12:00 MARCH 22 2023 world water day



## DRIVE-THROUGH MOBILE FOOD DISTRIBUTION FOR ALL ISABELLA COUNTY RESIDENTS

# Saturday, March 18, 2023

**Registration:** 9:00 a.m. for vehicles to line up **Distribution:** 10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. (or until food is distributed)

## **Black Elk Building Parking Lot**

7500 Soaring Eagle Blvd., Mt. Pleasant MI, 48858

### FREE shelf stable, frozen and produce

#### **Details:**

- Proof of Residency: bring government-issued ID or mail with your address
- Stay in your vehicle for registration and food distribution
- Food will be placed in your trunk/hatchback, so please make room ahead of time
- Restrooms will NOT be available
- If you have any symptoms of COVID-19, please stay home, and arrange for someone to bring your identification and a note allowing them to pick up food for you

#### Who Can Participate:

Anyone in financial hardship or in need of food for any reason.

#### For more information, please call:

Greater Lansing Food Bank at (517) 449-0360

For the safety of our volunteers and staff, we ask that you wear a mask, if you are able. Masks will be available if you do not have one.

In accordance with Federal law and U.S. Department of Agriculture policy, this institution is prohibited from discriminating based on race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability.



#### Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe of Michigan

"Working Together for Our Future"

7500 Soaring Eagle Blvd. Mount Pleasant, MI 48858 989-775-4000 www.sagchip.org

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## Suicide Awareness and Prevention for Caregivers and Communities

Tuesday, March 21 4:00-5:15 p.m.

Gratiot-Isabella RESD

Presentation will take place via Zoom

#### Myth: Talking about suicide will encourage suicide

Fact: Talking about suicide not only reduces the stigma, but it also allows individuals to see help, rethink their options, and share their story with others. Asking in a caring way often reduces the student's anxiety and offers opportunities to deter suicidal behavior.

We each play a vital role in suicide prevention. Learn more at an upcoming zoom presentation held at Gratiot-Isabella RESD for caregivers and communities. Discussion will include:

- Dispelling myths
- Risk factors and warning signs
- Safety in our homes
- Starting the conversation
- Additional resources for support.

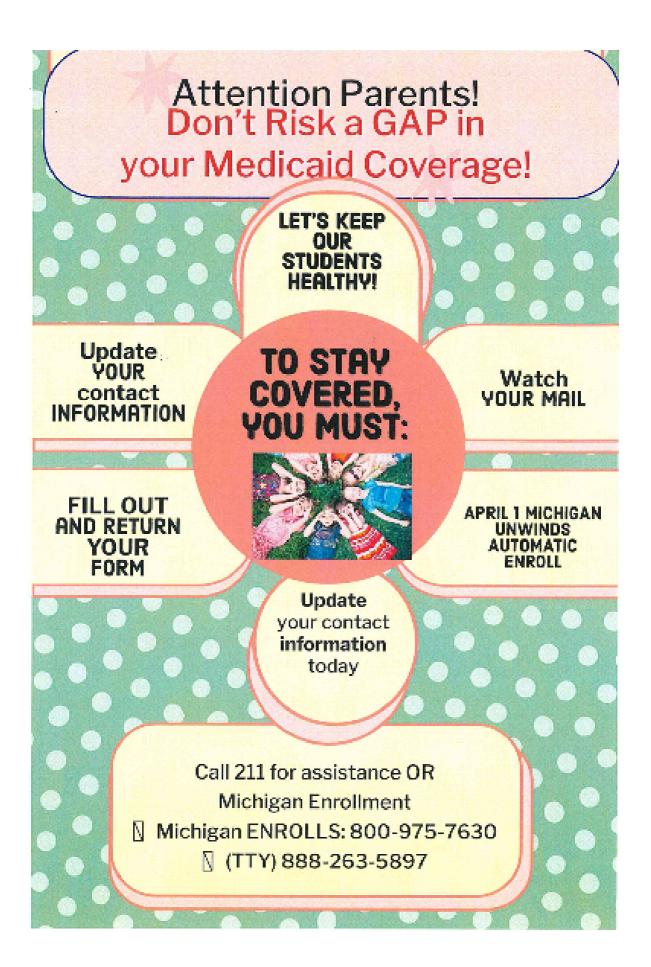


Facilitated by Natalie Burns, LMSW, MA

Natalie has expertise in the assessment and treatment of suicidal youth, psychosocial interventions with children and families, and suicide prevention in K-12 schools. She leads the crisis intervention work at TRAILS, a youth mental health program working to make effective mental health services accessible in all schools.

Click Here to Register It's Easy - 3 ways to register! Click button or scan QR code or Go to: www.giresd.net Select: Professional Learning Opportunities Link Select: Workshop





#### BREAKFAST

| Monday      | Tuesday   | Wednesday   | Thursday    | Friday      |
|-------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Assorted    | Muffin    | Granola Bar | Assorted    | NutriGrain  |
| Cereal      | Fresh     | and Yoguart | Cereal      | Bar         |
| Fruit       | Fruit     | Fresh Fruit | Fresh Fruit | Fresh Fruit |
| Fruit Juice | Juice     | Juice       | Juice       | Juice       |
| Choice of   | Choice of | Choice of   | Choice of   | Choice of   |
| Milk        | Milk      | Milk        | Milk        | Milk        |

## LUNCH

| Monday   | Tuesday  | Wednesday   | Thursday   | Friday  |
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| Cheeseburger<br>Baked Beans<br>Fruit<br>Choice of Milk | Beef Taco<br>Sticks<br>Baby<br>Carrots<br>Fruit<br>Choice of<br>Milk | Pizza<br>Iceberg<br>Salad Blend<br>Fruit<br>Choice of<br>Milk | Pancakes<br>with syrup<br>Turkey<br>Sausage<br>Hashbrown<br>Round<br>Applesauce<br>Choice of<br>Milk | Ham and<br>Cheese<br>Wrap<br>Iceberg<br>Salad blend<br>Fruit<br>Choice of<br>Milk |