RAMS RECAP

Weekly Newsletter for Renaissance Public School Academy

UPCOMING DATES

School Board Meeting MAY 15TH, 2023

8th Grade Field Trip MAY 16TH, 2023

Trailblazer Field Trip

MAY 16TH, 2023

PTO Walk A Thon MAY 25TH, 2023

No School MAY 26TH AND 29TH, 2023

Renaissance Academy

Hello RPSA Families,

It has been a fun week celebrating our staff and National Charter School Week. We had lots of fun music, dress up days, and good food all week. Thank you to the PTO for the great lunch and gift on Friday.

There are lots of upcoming events including Odyssey of the Mind, Lion King, field trip to a Loons Game, Forest Hill, and a zoo. Be sure to watch your students Seesaw for all the information. Be sure to check out the information on our upcoming Walk A Thon on May 25th. You should have received a blue sheet this week that gives you details. If not there is information below.

With the weather changing our lost and found is getting pretty full. Please be sure to come check it out in the front lobby to see if you can find any missing items. We hope that you will get to enjoy this nice weather and we look forward to our last full 5 day week next week.

In partnership, Sarah Anderson



THINGS TO REMEMBER FOR NEXT WEEK:

- Remember to check lost and found. It is getting full with lots of water bottles, sweatshirts, and boots.
- Remember to watch your Seesaw for upcoming events for your students. There are lots of fun things happening in the last month of school.
- Remember to call before 9am if you student is going to be late and will need a school lunch.
- Remember there is no school on Friday May 26th and Monday May 29th, 2023.
- Remember your student must have paperwork on file and be paid in advance for after school care. If you have questions please reach out to Miss. Tara.

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

2023 ANNUAL WALK-A-THON FUNDRAISER



RPSA families are invited to collect flat rate pledges/donations in honor of our 3rd Annual Walk-A-Thon.

Students will be participating in a school-wide Walk-A-Thon with their classroom during the school day on May 25, 2023. Each pod will be walking outdoors during their scheduled special time. Obstacles will be made available on the turns for those students wishing to take on an extra challenge.

Every RPSA student will receive a complimentary Rams t-shirt at school the day of the Walk-A-Thon to wear for the event.

A series of student & classroom prizes will be awarded based on either/both amount of funds raised and participation.



This is a PTO fundraiser and the proceeds will support RPSA by investing in classroom enrichment & school community activities, as well as providing teachers and staff of RPSA with tokens of our appreciation.

THE RENAISSANCE RAMS PTO WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE FOLLOWING LOCAL BUSINESS SPONSORS FOR SUPPORTING THE 2023 WALK-A-THON





Central Michigan Orthodontics Doozies Isabella Bank & Trust The Jump Station Meijer Mercantile Bank Sally Rudy Photography

2023 ANNUAL WALK-A-THON FUNDRAISER Pledge Form

Student: ____

_____ Teacher: _____

Dear Sponsor,

My school is raising money to invest back into classroom activities, as well as to support school programs and the teacher/staff of Renaissance Public School Academy. I will be walking with my class for our 3rd Annual Walk-A-Thon Fundraiser on May 25, 2023. Donations must be returned to the school by May 25, 2023 and I would love it if you would consider a donation to sponsor me. Thanks so much for your support.

SPONSOR NAME		AMOUNT
	TOTAL	





Lunch and Bowling will be provided.

Mon., July 31st **Bay City** Monitor Lanes Bay, Midland and Soginow Counties

Tue., August 1st Gladwin Meadow Lanes Clare & Gladwin Counties

Coming Soon!

What: FREE Backpack giveaway with a sweet treat. Backpacks will be filled with school supplies that are needed for the upcoming 2023-2024 school year. Other fun prizes included.

"Who: Students up to age 18 who are currently being raised by grandparents or other family members ages 55 or older, without their parents residing in the home.

Wed., August 2nd **Bad Axe** Longshot Lanes Huron, Sanilac & **Tuscola Counties**

Fri., August 4th Mt. Pleasant Riverwood Resort Gratiot & Isabella Counties

*To see if you qualify for the Kinship Program and get on the list for a free backpack, please contact your local Commission on Aging below on or before May. 27th, 2023.

NOTE: We cannot accept late sign-ups as we need a firm count of Kinship participants to give us time to order supplies

Once you are signed up, your local Commission on Aging will get in contact with you with more detailed. information as the event gets closer.

Register for a **FREE** Backpack by Calling Your County Below! +++

Bay County: (989) 895-4100 Midland County; (989) 633-3700 Gladwin County: (989) 426-5450 Huron County; 1-800-843-6394 Gratist County: (989) 875-5246

Saqinavo County; (989) 797-6880 Clare County: (989) 539-8870 Sanilae County: 1-800-843-6394 Isabella County; (989) 772-0748 Tuseola County: 1–800–843–6394





Phone: (989) 893-4506 . Toll Free 1-800-858-1637 www.region7aaa.org

Bits & Bytes

Summer Computing Camp for Middle School Girls June 26-30, 2023 (on EMU's campus)





EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

Bits and Bytes is an all-day, week-long, summer computing camp for middle school girls. It introduces computing and technology from theoretical concepts to applied projects. Coding is introduced through educational software and robots with the support of student mentors. The camp concludes with a hackathon and a career discovery event. It is staffed by the Women in Computer Science (WICS) club members at Eastern Michigan University and led by a faculty member.

Register at https://forms.gle/io7R1Nz4jkPzWobE6 or scan QR code.

This camp is free of cost. Camp registration fee is \$25.





Sponsored by: NASA's Michigan Space Grant Consortium Award no 8oNSSC20M0124

MAY 17TH 4-5PM



Families will have the opportunity to learn the importance of bees with local bee keeper, Jim Wyman. During this session children will help the museum plant a pollinator garden, enjoy a story and make a beeswax item to take home. Please join us in the fun!





MT PLEASANT DISCOVERY MUSEUM ECO KIDS CLUB 4:00pm - 5:00pm April 19th - Pizza & Movie Night May 17th - Buzzing Bees June 21st - Beautiful Butterflies July 19th - Invasive Species August 16th - Clean Energy September 20th - Composting **October 18th - Towering Trees** November 15th - Nocturnal Animals





BREAKFAST

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday		
Assorted Cereal Fruit Fruit Juice Choice of Milk	Muffin Fresh Fruit Juice Choice of Milk	Yogurt Granola Bar Fresh Fruit Juice Choice of Milk	Assorted Cereal Fruit Fruit Juice Choice of Milk	Nutrigrain Bar Fruit Fruit Juice Choice of Milk		

LUNCH

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
French Toast & Syrup Sausage Hash brown Rounds Fruit Milk	Beef Taco Stick Salsa Baby Carrots Fruit Choice of Milk	Domino's Pizza Side salad Fruit Choice of Milk	Chicken Nuggets Baked Beans Fruit Milk	Ham and Cheese Wrap Side Salad Fruit Milk