

SEPTEMBER 15, 2023

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Renaissance Public School Academy Newsletter



Renaissance Academy

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UPCOMING EVENTS

4th Grade Field Trip
September 20, 2023

NWEA Testing Begins
September 18, 2023

Goal Setting
Student Led
Conferences
October 12, 2023

No School
October 13, 2023



Hello RPSA Families!

Our first 5 day school week was so much fun! Our Islanders went on their first field trip and our Voyagers learned about Wonder Days! All of our classrooms are buzzing with first projects of the year!

Next week begins NWEA testing for all grade levels. Please watch Seesaw for messages from your child's teacher about their classroom testing schedule. A good nights rest and encouraging your child to eat breakfast each morning will be so helpful. We know our students are all absolutely amazing in many ways, NWEA testing is just one more piece of information to help us provide them the best school experience possible.

The parking lot ran much smoother this week. Thank you for following the procedures and helping us keep all students safe. Be sure to see the information below regarding our Annual Title I meeting, Seesaw, and the opportunity to purchase eggs from our own chickens!

With RAMS Pride,
The RPSA Leadership Team

FRESH EGGS FINALLY FOR SALE



*Limited amount
in stock*

Laid by chickens from
Renaissance. Now available to
purchase by the coop.

\$3 for a carton of 4



To purchase eggs,
please park and walk
up to the chicken coop.
Eggs will be available
one day per week. Our
first sale will take place
on Monday, September
18th.

Title I Annual Parent Meeting

We invite parents to attend our annual Title I Meeting on Thursday, September 28, 2023 at 7:30 a.m. This will be an opportunity for you to learn about our academic intervention programs. We will share information about:

- Our Title I budget and staffing
- Our school improvement plan
- Our instructional resources
- Student assessment & growth
- Tiers of academic support
- Our Family-School Compact



All families should be connected to Seesaw for updates and communication from your child's classroom. If you have not received messages or updates from your child's teacher yet, please reach out to them. The Seesaw App often needs to be updated on your device after a summer without use.

It is our hope that all families check Seesaw at least once a day. This is our primary form of communication from your child's teacher and all classroom information, upcoming events, etc. will be shared with parents through Seesaw.

Did you know we offer a before school program?

Supervision is available from 7:00-7:40 for those who want to drop off early. See details below!

Before and After School

We are very excited to offer both before and after school care this school year. These programs do hold a child care license and must follow all licensing rules:

- Cost
 - \$5 per day Before School
 - 7:00am - 7:45am
 - \$20 per day After School OR \$50 weekly
 - end of school - 5:30pm
 - Kindergarten through 6th grade only
 - to meet staffing rules, families must register and pay the week prior (no drop ins)
 - stop into the front office for registration paperwork

Inclement Weather

In the instance of an indoor pickup due to inclement weather, please see the below procedures for getting students picked up in a timely manner and keeping them safe

- Parents may choose to park and walk up to the building where a staff member will meet you and call for your child OR you may use the pickup lane to drive along the sidewalk and wait for your child
- When you enter the parking lot, please expect to stop and tell the staff member at the entrance your child's name and the name of their teacher
 - We will provide all families with a laminated card to put in your front window to help with this
- Staff in the parking lot and at the front entrance will radio to the classroom to have your student come to the front of the building
- Staff will escort children to vehicles in the pickup lane and help them get in safely
- Families are asked to still use the crosswalks when parking and walking up for students - it can be very hard to see in a rainy parking lot and crossing at other areas is not safe
- Please expect to take a little more time for pickup on these days, as we will move students as quickly as possible but it does take time
- Again, we will have free supervision available until 4:00pm so families are encouraged to wait a little past dismissal time to arrive for your student.



2023 PTO ANNUAL FUNDRAISER RAMS CARDS SALE



WE NEED YOUR HELP!

We're selling Rams Discount Cards again this year as our PTO fall fundraiser. These **easy-to-sell** discount cards save you money at many local businesses for only \$10. The cards will be available beginning **Monday August 14th** and are valid for over a year (through October 2024). For every card you sell, the PTO will receive over 80% of the proceeds to go toward our school! Help the PTO support our school, students, and staff while also supporting local businesses!

HOW CAN I PURCHASE CARDS?

Families can purchase groups of 10 cards for \$90 or buy smaller amounts at \$10 per card as they collect orders from family and friends (see attached order form).
Look for a PTO table at the RPSA Open House and before and after school to buy cards.
In addition, requests can be emailed to the PTO (renaissanceramspto@gmail.com) for a specific amount of cards. Once a request is processed (allow 24-48 hours) a labeled envelope will be left at the office for collection of payment and card picked up.

GET INVOLVED!

Wonder what the PTO does exactly with the money earned?
Come to one of our meetings! Watch for meeting announcements on FB and Seesaw.
Can't come to meetings but want to be involved?

Scan the code in the corner to sign up to receive emails of PTO happenings & volunteer opportunities.



BREAKFAST TIME MENU

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
No School	Cereal Juice Fruit Milk	Poptarts Juice Milk	Yogurt Granola Bar Fruit Milk	Whole Grain Donuts Fruit Milk
Poptart Fruit Milk	Cinnamon toast crunch bar Fruit Milk	Yogurt Granola Bar Fruit Milk	Cereal Juice Fruit Milk	Whole Grain Donuts Fruit Milk
Cereal Bar Fruit Milk	Poptart Fruit Milk	Cereal Fruit Milk	Yogurt Granola Bar Fruit Milk	Whole Grain Donuts Fruit Milk
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LUNCH MENU · September

MONDAY 4	TUESDAY 5	WEDNESDAY 6	THURSDAY 7	FRIDAY 8
No School	Pop Corn Chicken Oven Fries Fruit Milk	Pepperoni Pizza Side Salad Fruit Milk	Cheeseburger Baby Carrots Fruit Milk	Taco Sticks Salsa Fruit Milk
MONDAY 11	TUESDAY 12	WEDNESDAY 13	THURSDAY 14	FRIDAY 15
Chicken Tenders Veggie Juice Oven Fries Fruit Milk	Sausage & Cheese Bagel Hashbrowns Fruit Milk	Cheese Pizza Side Salad Fruit Milk	Penne Alfredo Baby Carrots Fruit Milk	Chicken Quesadilla Bean & Cheese Dip Salsa Fruit Milk
MONDAY 18	TUESDAY 19	WEDNESDAY 20	THURSDAY 21	FRIDAY 22
Italian Beef Pepperoni Calzone Marinara Sauce Fruit Milk	Pop Corn Chicken Oven Fries Fruit Milk	Pepperoni Pizza Side Salad Fruit Milk	Cheeseburger Baby Carrots Fruit Milk	Taco Sticks Salsa Fruit Milk
MONDAY 25	TUESDAY 26	WEDNESDAY 27	THURSDAY 28	FRIDAY 29
Chicken Tenders Veggies Juice Oven Fries Juice Milk	Sausage & Cheese Bagel Hashbrowns Fruit Milk	Cheese Pizza Side Salad Fruit Milk	Penne Alfredo Baby Carrots Fruit Milk	Chicken Quesadilla Bean & Cheese Dip Salsa Fruit Milk

Cold Option:
Salad with crispy chicken
Milk



Renaissance PSA 2023-2024 Calendar

August '23						
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July '24						
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First & Last Day

PD Days: No School for Students

No School for Students and Staff

SLCs - No School for Students

Family Visits

M, Tu, Th, F Daily Schedule:
8:00 a.m. - 3:25 p.m.

Wednesday Early Release:
8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.