

RMS NEWSLETTER – October, 2020

What a great startup to a new school year! RMS staff and students are settling in nicely to our new routines. Thank you to the families for reviewing our Operational Plan with your child/ren before school started. It was evident that our students were well educated thanks to you. We will continue to teach, model, and reinforce these safety protocols to ensure everyone stays safe and healthy.

Kudos Corner!

- Huge shout out to our bus supervision team for working with transportation to ensure our busses arrive and depart in an orderly and timely fashion.
- To the families, thank you for keeping your child/ren home when they are ill and for picking up your child/ren in a timely manner from school when they are feeling ill.
- Recognition to our staff and students who did Random Acts of Kindness to support Becca Schofield's legacy #Beccatoldmeto
- Thanks to all the families, staff, and students who donated money to support our Terry Fox Fundraiser – "What's your 40?"
- Great job practicing our Emergency Drills – we are impressed with our improved timings.

RMS Merch

RMS clothing: Students and families are invited to visit our website for school clothing options. Wear your "Tiger Pride"!

<https://ridgeviewmiddleschool.entripyshops.com/>

We are in the process of ordering RMS merch. Stay tuned for what's up for grabs.

Sports News

In Tigers Sports news, ASD-W has decided that there will not be a middle school soccer season this fall. The good news is that there will still be a District Cross Country Championship held in October in Fredericton on Oct. 21. Lists are now posted at RMS for those students interested in participating and practices/try-outs will be on the announcements.

Terry Fox 2020

This year is the 40th Anniversary of Terry Fox's Marathon of Hope and Ridgeview Middle School is proud to be continuing the legacy of one of our greatest heroes. Please join us and support this wonderful cause by donating to: <http://www.terryfox.ca/RidgeviewMiddleSchool>. We are proudly committed to raising much-needed funds for cancer research. Please consider supporting our efforts for this very worthwhile cause. Our goal is \$40 per homeroom. Together, we can all make a difference! #terryfoxschoolruns @terryfoxfoundation

School Cash Online

We are encouraging all families to pay school related fees using School Cash Online. If you do not have it set up and require assistance, please reach out to Cindy Wasson at 357-4097 and she will be happy to assist.

Clubs Coming Soon

RMS Pride Family (GSA) will be up and running starting in October. GSA is open to all students. This year will look a little different as we will adhere to social distancing regulations, but we will be able to meet as a community. Listen to announcements for more information!

"Best Buddies" will be starting in October! Mrs. Hanscomb and Mrs. Muise are looking forward to going into classrooms to present about the club. We are excited to get going and have some fun! More information to come.

Toonies for Tigers

Our Wellness Grant has been greatly reduced this year. In an order to sustain our breakfast program, we need your help. Please consider donating Toonies for our Tigers online to keep our breakfast baskets replenished.

Cafeteria

Our cafeteria is scheduled to open on Oct. 5. Students can purchase their food daily. Masks are required in the cafeteria. There are also markers to identify social distancing while waiting in line. Small/correct change is appreciated. All students will continue to eat in their homeroom with their class bubble.

Recognition Assemblies 2020

RMS Recognition Assemblies will be virtual this year to adhere to the guidelines established by Public Health. Our Recognition Assemblies will be a platform to recognize students' successes, talents, and strengths. Student(s) of the Month will receive a letter or recognition via snail mail. Please continue to share and celebrate your child/ren's successes.

Amanda Piron
Principal

Angela Thomson
Vice-Principal



Up Coming Events:

PSSC Meeting

- Oct. 6

Happy Thanksgiving – No School

- Oct. 12

PLPs go home

- Oct. 19

Safe Schools Week

- Oct. 19-23

Grade 7 Immunization #1

- Oct. 27

Picture Day

- Oct. 28

November Newsletter goes home

- Oct. 26

Recognition Assembly

- Oct. 30

Happy Halloween!

- Oct. 31