



EDMOND HIGH SCHOOL

WEEKLY STUDENT BULLETIN

February 19, 2021

2020-2021 ATHLETIC SCHEDULE

Sports Registration

Open Now: Registration for ALL SPORTS! (Fall, Winter, and Spring)

Season 1: March 1 - April 3 (Fall)

- SEASON 1: Football begins February 24 and all other Fall sports including Cross Country, Volleyball, Boys Tennis, Girls Swim & Dive, Girls Slowpitch, Boys Golf, Girls Soccer, and Cheer & Dance begin on March 1.
- Registration opens February 10 thru FinalForms.

Season 2: April 5 - May 8 (Winter)

- SEASON 2: Gymnastics begins on March 29. Boys Basketball, Girls Basketball, Wrestling, Boys Swim & Dive

Season 3: May 3 - June 12 (Spring)

- SEASON 3: Baseball, Fastpitch, Girls Golf, Boys Soccer, Girls Tennis, Track & Field, Badminton.

As these are unique season dates please know that:

- Seasons will be shortened to accommodate all sports

- Student/athletes will practice and compete during our scheduled school breaks.

Registration for ALL SPORTS now available through [FinalForms](#) beginning February 10.

COURSE CONFIRMATION

2021-2022

***Closing today:* 21-22 Course Confirmation Window**

Students, we will open a course confirmation window for your 21-22 course requests from **2/16 to 2/19 at 4pm**. During this time, you will be able to view your 21-22 schedule requests in Skyward and request edits. Be on the lookout for an email to your LWSD email account with more info and steps prior to 2/16.

REVISED BELL SCHEDULE



Revised Bell Schedule for March 8-11

This is a four day week due to no school on LEAP Day, Friday, March 12.

Bell schedules are also found on the RHS website under *Students/Families* in the drop down menu under *Daily Schedule*.

RHS TALENT SHOW



New: Redmond's Got Talent!

RHS is hosting our first ever **Redmond's Got Talent** assembly in video format on April 2nd! To audition, send in a video of you doing something you're proud of to get a chance to be featured in the assembly. Some examples are: playing an instrument, singing, dancing, doing tricks, or time-lapsed art! Reach out to Mr. DiNello with any questions.

- Video Submissions **DUE March 17th**
- Submission Link: [Talent Upload HERE!](#)

PADRES UNIDOS EVENT



New: Panel de Graduados: Demystifying College

Who: Parents and students of any age

What: Panel of 4 RHS graduates c/o 2020 who are successfully in college

Why: To provide motivation, inspiration, and representation

Where: Zoom. Presentation ID: 337 949 5424

When: Thursday, March 4th at 6:30 pm

See [flyer](#) for more information.

ASB EXECUTIVE BOARD ELECTIONS



New: Applications are now available for any student interested in serving on **next year's ASB Executive Board!** Open positions include ASB President, VP, Secretary, Treasurer, Public Relations, & Clubs Coordinator. Please email Mr. DiNello at jdinello@lwsd.org if you have any questions about these positions or if you would like an application. **APPLICATIONS ARE DUE ON WEDNESDAY, 2/24/21.**

RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS CLUB



New: National Random Acts of Kindness Day was on February 17th but our club is celebrating it throughout the week. This week's random act of kindness (RAK) is called "Throw Kindness Around Like Confetti!" Do your part in making someone else's day by dropping those compliment bombs like nobody's business. Not only will you make them happy, but science says that you'll feel happier too!

Interested in joining the club and promoting our mission? Contact s-akavikondala@lwsd.org if you are interested or have questions. And make sure to go follow our unofficial club Instagram – @rhs.rakclub
Well, the people are waiting...time to THROW KINDNESS AROUND LIKE CONFETTI!

SALES OPENING SOON

Yearbooks!

2020-2021

Yearbook sales open February 16 - March 14

To purchase, log onto the LWSO website, go to [Students and Families](#) and click on the blue square that says *Online Payments*. From there, log into your account and shop for the yearbook, add to the shopping cart, and purchase.

This is the second of three sales windows. The third yearbook sales window will open later in spring, dates TBD.

GRAPHIC DESIGN CLUB



New: Graphic Design Club Logo Competition

Design another version of a logo for our club! Fill out [this interest form](#) to participate, and [this submissions form](#) once you've finished your logo. There's even a chance of getting stickers of both the winning logo and our official club logo! Contact s-nvenkatesh@lwsd.org for more information.

Don't wait - please fill out the interest form as soon as possible!

RHS SCIENCE OLYMPIAD



New: Redmond Science Olympiad Invitational Results

Three teams competed virtually from **January 22nd-23rd** at the **Mililani Science Olympiad Invitational** in 15 different science-related events!

Congratulations to our top 5 placers:

Hannah John / Sanjali Vuriti - 3rd (Forensics)
Ronak Jaisalmeria / Krish Jain - 5th (Anatomy & Physiology)
Krish Jain / Ronak Jaisalmeria - 2nd (Chem Lab)
Krithi Iyer / Shruthi Badhrish - 2nd (Codebusters)
Sanjay Rajesh / Vihan Dalvi - 1st (Dynamic Planet)
Shruthi Badhrish / Krithi Iyer - 5th (Forensics)
Dhyana Magnesh / Pratyush Kore - 1st (Fossils)
Vihan Dalvi / Sanjay Rajesh - 4th (Water Quality)

The RHS Science Olympiad team also hosted their second ever B-Division tournament on February 6th, with over 550 middle school students competing from all over the nation! Courtesy of COVID-19, this is the first year we're holding an invitational remotely. We'd like to recognize some of our amazing volunteers in making this tournament possible, in spite of the additional challenges.

Thank you to our volunteers: *Kriti Sharma, Sanjali Vuriti, Neha Venkatesh, Nisha Shastry, Conan Lu, Krithi Iyer, Nanda Junu, Prithivi Srinivasan, Dhyana Magesh, Krish Jain, Shruti Badrish, Hannah John, Pratyush Kore, Vasudha Narayanan, Sanjay Rajesh, Nirupama Niranjan, Yunwei Li, Laavan Suresh, Rachel Kurapati, Edward Zhang*

And a special thank you to Dr. Merrill for sticking with us through all the challenges we faced throughout this whole process and thank you for the hours of dedication you put into this club.

EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE from Y.E.S.

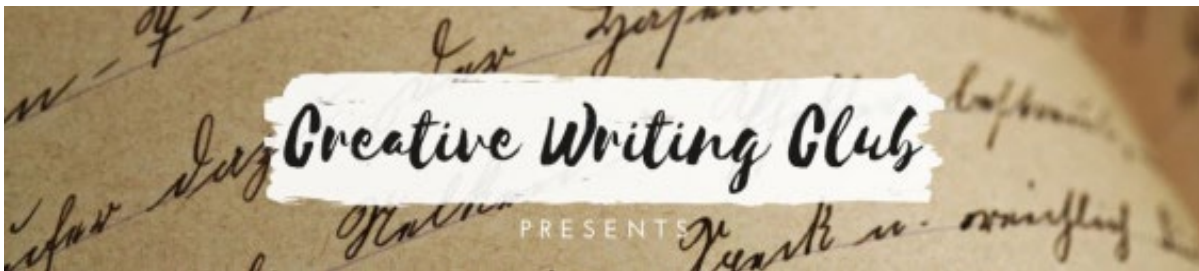


New: FREE Educational Resource from Youth Eastside Services

Join us the last Saturday of each month from 9:30am-12:30pm for our virtual Alcohol Drug Education Class. This is a great way for parents and students (12-19 y.o.) to gain information, education, skills & tools on dangers of substance abuse trends, effects of substances on the developing body and

brain (including the dangers of mixing substances), how to get help and where to turn for help with substance abuse & mental health issues. Thanks for spreading the word about this important resource! Go to youtheastideservices.org/aded to register for this FREE educational opportunity for parents and students to attend together. Questions? Contact Andrea Frost at 425-747-4937

CREATIVE WRITING CONTEST



RHS's first writing competition!

Submit a work of fiction or nonfiction of up to 2,500 words, three poems totaling no more than 4 pages, OR a work of flash fiction of up to 700 words. Illustrations drawn by the student author are acceptable; however, only literary content is judged. Again, a student is given only **ONE ENTRY**, and the entry must be the original work of that student. Group entries are not permitted. For more info, [check out this flyer!](#)

All entries should be emailed to s-nshastry@lwsd.org as a PDF by **11:59 pm on 03/12/21**. Contact s-nshastry@lwsd.org with any questions.

UPDATES FOR SENIORS

CLASS
of
2021

Last Call: Cap & Gown orders due

Here is the [link to the RHS order page](#).

Be sure and fill out the information on the contact card. Once you submit your contact card, you will be directed to the National Achiever/Herff Jones ordering website to order your cap and gown.

Cap & Gown Questions? Call National Achiever/Herff Jones at 425-357-1338. Or email support@nationalachiever.com

If students cannot afford their gowns please reach out to Mrs. Zambrowsky-Huls for assistance through *RHS Help*.

Graduation date

Redmond High School's graduation is scheduled for **Monday, June 14, 2021 at 5:00pm at the UW Alaska Airlines Arena**. Please note that this is still subject to change depending on safety/pandemic parameters this spring.

SLOW PITCH SOFTBALL



Girls Slow-Pitch Softball begins March 1st.

Slow-Pitch is a great chance for you to try out a sport and learn the basics of softball. If you've ever been interested in trying a new sport or trying out a sport for the first time, or even already have a love of softball, you would be a great addition to the team.

All students will need to sign up for Slow-Pitch Softball in [Final Forms](#). This includes an up-to-date physical as well as an indication you will follow all safety protocols.

Anyone interested should contact Coach Lawson (melawson@lwsd.org) for more information.

LOS TALLERES DE SALUD MENTAL EN ESPAÑOL



Estamos emocionados de compartir que YES, Sistema Escolar USA y Balance In Mind están colaborando para traerte la experiencia de los talleres de Salud Mental en Español.

Fechas del taller:

2 de marzo a las 7:30 pm; Estilo de crianza de Trini Oldja

Ver folleto [aquí](#)

INFORMATION SESSION

Running Start

Next week: Interested in learning more about Running Start for the 2021-22 school year?

Attend our upcoming information session on **Wednesday, February 24 from 12-1pm**. Representatives from Bellevue College, Lake Washington Institute of Technology, Cascadia College, and Central Washington University will be available to share information about their Running Start programs and answer questions.

This will be a live Teams event (link found [here](#)) open to all interested students and families.

WEATHER EVENTS & SERVICE OUTAGES



What to expect: Weather events & internet/service Outages

We know that our Pacific Northwest weather can be unpredictable. Please take a few minutes to review the information below so you know what to expect when there is a weather event or power outage during a school day.

Power and internet outages:

If a student/teacher experiences a power or internet outage:

- Contact your teacher or school to report the outage.
- If you lose power or connection during a Microsoft Teams class session and you are unable to connect, you should attempt to connect as soon as a connection is available.
- If your teacher is suddenly absent without notification from a Microsoft Teams class, you should leave the session and re-enter after 15 minutes. If the teacher is still absent from Microsoft Teams you may end class.
- The teacher will follow up with individual students or the class as soon as possible.
- You should take note of asynchronous activities you could do without an internet connection.
- You can also continue to work on previously assigned classwork.

Weather events (snow days)

Snow days during remote learning will work differently than a normal school year. If snow or inclement weather affects a school day, remote instruction will continue and in-person students receiving special services will shift to all remote learning for that day. There will not be late starts due to snow or weather events.

Announcements will be made to staff and families via our SchoolMessenger system (by phone, email, and by text messaging for those signed up), district website posting, and social media postings. We will also use FlashAlert.net, which reports directly to local media and provides text alerts to anyone who signs up.



Want to make an appointment? RHS counselors want to let you know that **our appointment book is now up and running**. Need to talk to your counselor? Book a virtual appointment with your counselor! The process is all online and very simple.

- Go to our website, [RHS Counseling Center](#)
- Click on the BOOK HERE link at the top of the page, right hand side
- Find your counselor, fill in the questions, make an appointment that is convenient for you.

All meetings will be conducted through Microsoft Teams. Once you make an appointment, you will get an email invite for the meeting with the appropriate link to the Teams meeting. Questions? Reach out to your counselor.

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RHS CALENDAR

Coming Up....

Feb 6 - Mar 14: Yearbook sales open

Feb 19: 4:00 pm deadline TODAY for Course Confirmation for 2021-22

Feb 24: ASB Executive Board applications due

Feb 24: Running Start Information Session, 12pm - 1pm on Teams

Feb 24: LWSO World Language Proficiency Test at Redmond High

Mar 4: Padres Unidos Demystifying College Zoom event

Mar 8 - 11: *Revised Bell Schedule due to LEAP Day on March 12*

Mar 12: No school; LEAP Day

Mar 12: Creative Writing Club entry deadline

Mar 17: Redmond's Got Talent video submissions due

TECH HELP AT RHS



For software issues, students should contact ftaccess@lwsd.org or phone 425-936-1322 for the Family Technology Access support line. This line includes automated call back and/or automated VM options as well as language interpretive services during our 7am - 7pm support 7 days a week.

For hardware issues, Redmond High offers in-person tech help. To access this service, use the driveway east of the main entrance labeled *Deliveries and Staff Only*. Park your car next to the sign for the library, and wearing a mask, walk up to the back door of the library. Note: this is an outdoor service, so *come dressed for the weather*. We are open from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m., Monday - Friday.

If students forget their computer password – go to the RHS Library Teams page or email the library at Library-RHS@lwsd.org

If students forget their Skyward password – go to Skyward and click on "Forgot Password"

For help with parent access to district tools – Email parentquestions@lwsd.org

COLLEGE & CAREER CENTER



Live Wednesdays

LWSD Career Panels - open to all students and parents!

Live links to each session can be found in the calendar section of the College & Career Center website:

<https://rhs.lwsd.org/counseling/career-center>

Questions? Contact Mrs. Cothran at acothran@lwsd.org.

- 2/24/21 Psychology/Counseling @ 1:30
- 3/3/21 Food Careers @ 1:30
- 3/10/21 Engineering @ 1:30
- 3/17/21 Business/Consulting @ 1:30
- 3/24/21 Law & Politics @ 1:30
- 3/31/21 First Responders @ 1:30

Seniors:

Local scholarships are starting to open! Check out your [SENIORS: RHS – TEAMS College and Career Center - co2021](#) Scholarship Channel! Opportunities can be found on the general postings as well as in the Weekly Scholarship Bulletin, updated every Friday. Please reach out if you have questions! We are here to help!!

Cascade Chapter DAR Scholarship -- \$2,000 - Applications on the TEAMS co2021 scholarship channel -- deadline February 26, 2021
[Doug Struthers Memorial Scholarship](#) -- Find on [The Washboard.org](#) -- 2--\$5,000 renewable up to 4 years -- deadline 3/1/2021
[Microsoft Disability Scholarship](#) -- \$5,000 renewable -- deadline March 1, 2021
[Washington State PTSA Scholarship Program](#) -- 3--\$3,000, 1--\$1,000 -- deadline 3/1/2021
[Washington State School Retirees' Association](#) 8--\$2,500(WSSRA), 16--\$900 renewable(Handy) -- deadline 3/1/2021
[Women at Microsoft Scholarship](#) -- 3 x \$5,000, renewable -- deadline March 1, 2021
[Ewing C. Kelly Scholarship](#) -- many \$2,500 -- deadline 3/10/2021
[LWPTSA Council Scholarships](#) -- many -- \$1,250 -- deadline noon 3/25/2021
[Blacks at Microsoft Scholarship](#) -- 4 x \$20,000 renewable + more -- deadline March 31, 2021
[Garrett J. Goodchild Achievement Award](#) -- \$2,500 renewable -- deadline 3/31/2021
Redmond Firefighter Union & Benevolent Fund -- Applications on the TEAMS co2021 scholarship channel -- 2 @ \$1,000+ -- deadline 4/1/2021

[WIAA Smart Choices College Scholarship](#) – 2—\$5,000, 8—\$1,000 – deadline 4/1/2021

Epeneter Memorial Scholarship – Applications on the TEAMS co2021 scholarship channel – \$2,000 – deadline 4/15/2021

Nokomis Club Scholarship – Applications on the TEAMS co2021 scholarship channel – \$1,000 – deadline 4/15/2021

AFSCME Redmond Parks & Rec – Applications on the TEAMS co2021 scholarship channel \$500 – deadline 4/23/2021

RHS QUICK LINKS

Did you miss something important?

Previous newsletters are on the [RHS website](#)

Useful links for RHS students and parents:

[RHS website](#)

[RHS Athletics Final Forms](#)

[RHS College & Career Center](#)

[RHS Library - Mr. Lawson's top books of 2020](#) (student access)

https://youtu.be/LMIBEm_RyvI (parents access)

[RHS Counseling appointments](#)

[RHS Student Instagram](#)

[RHS Clubs](#)

[LWSD website](#)

[LWSD Communications](#) (newsletter for families)

[PTSA website](#)



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