



## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Families,

We are looking forward to Conference Week! Please plan to have your child attend with you to discuss their learning goals for the school year.

Also, it is bittersweet that I announce the retirement of Cindy VanderHart. Cindy has been a valuable member of the Rose Hill community for 15 years in her role as Office Registrar. Her friendly face and attention to detail will be greatly missed and we wish her well in her future endeavors.



## 4th & 5th Grade Families

Look for communication from your classroom teacher regarding fall SBA testing scheduled for later this month.



## MEET OUR NEW RHE STAFF

Hello! Ms. Slaton here, the grateful new 5th grade teacher. This past summer I relocated from South Florida (where I taught 3rd and 4th grade for eight years) and made the cross-country journey to Washington! My dog, Dobby, and I love exploring the area and already feel at home in this beautiful community. There seems to be an endless amount of outdoor activities to participate in, as well museums and delicious restaurants to visit (recommendations welcome). I am so thankful for the amazingly warm welcome that the Rose Hill staff and families have shown me, and I am incredibly proud to be a Raccoon!



Several benefits come with filling out a **School Meal Application**; not just meals Even though meals are free this year, we strongly encourage all parents/guardians who might be eligible for benefits to submit an application. Completing an application takes less than 10 minutes, and parents only need to complete one application per family.

Filling out the School Meal Application may help provide:

- Healthy & Nutritious Meals
- Fee Waivers for ASB Cards
- Fee Waivers for Athletic Participation & Extracurricular Activities
- Health and Wellness Services

- Fee Waivers for College Applications & Admissions tests
- College Scholarships

School Counselors can help connect you with benefits that you may be eligible for if you qualify for free and reduced meals. Applications may be completed online at [www.myschoolapps.com/or](http://www.myschoolapps.com/or) downloaded from our website (English | Español). For more information, please visit our website: [www.lwsd.org/pathway-forward/grab-go-student-meals](http://www.lwsd.org/pathway-forward/grab-go-student-meals).



## **IMPORTANT INFORMATION TO NOTE**

### **HEALTH ROOM NEEDS DONATED CLOTHING**

The rainy season has started and we've had many students coming in with wet/muddy clothes from slips and falls during recess. If you have any clothing you may be donating would you consider giving them to RHE? We are looking for both boys and girls pants and shirts in sizes suitable for 4th/5th grade students.

Please remember, if your student comes home with borrowed clothing, please wash and return the items to the school for other students to borrow.

### **CONFERENCE DAY LUNCH AND DISMISSAL**

On **October 11, 12 & 14, school will dismiss at 11:50 am** to accommodate for parent/teacher conferences. (Classroom teachers will contact families to schedule a conference time.) There will be no regular lunch service. ***Pre-ordered*** sack lunches will be available for students if their order form was turned in by **October 6**.





## BUSINESS MATTERS

**ATTENDANCE** - Parents must alert the school office if their child is going to come in late or miss school for any reason. **Please email [RoseHillES@lwsd.org](mailto:RoseHillES@lwsd.org) or call 425-936-2681** to report any absences/late arrivals. Any questions you may contact our school registrar, Shawn Vasco at [svasco@lwsd.org](mailto:svasco@lwsd.org).

**INCLEMENT WEATHER RECESS** - Please remember we send students out to recess on rainy days unless it is raining very heavily. Be sure to dress your child appropriately with well fitted boots (if they have them) and jackets with hoods. Any clothing borrowed from the health room should be laundered and returned to the school office as quickly as possible.



## CALENDAR

**Oct 11 11:50 am DISMISSAL** - Elementary Conferences

**Oct 12 11:50 am DISMISSAL** - Elementary Conferences

Oct 13 1:50 pm Dismissal

**Oct 14 11:50 am DISMISSAL** - Elementary Conferences

**Oct 15 NO SCHOOL - TEACHER IN-SERVICE DAY**

**NOV 11 NO SCHOOL - VETERAN'S DAY**



### Quick Links:

Rose Hill Elementary: <http://rosehill.lwsd.org/>

LWSD: [www.lwsd.org](http://www.lwsd.org)

PTSA: <http://rheptsa.org>

Peachjar: [Community eflyers](#)



## Contact Information

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