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## **Principal's Letter**

November 12, 2021

### **Please Join Me in Supporting Two PTA Projects**

Hello, Rockwell Families,

Greetings from Rockwell, and happy Friday! I hope this message finds you safe and well, and that you had a restful and meaningful Veteran's day yesterday (thank you again to all of the veterans in our community – we appreciate you!). It was an exciting week here at the rock, complete with a power outage! I'd like to say a big thank you to our Beagle students and staff for their great work as we navigated that unexpected moment – we turned on the lanterns and enjoyed a Little House on the Prairie afternoon. 😊

Families: I'd like to give a shout out to our awesome PTA for all of their hard work and support this year, and I'd like to ask you to join me in supporting two current PTA projects. First, click [here](#) to complete the Fall School of Excellence community survey. While we were just renewed as a National PTA School of Excellence, our work in this process is ongoing, and your feedback will help us to focus the efforts of our School of Excellence team.

1. Banana tree, sand field and sand pit are closed for now.
2. Please stay off the grass (it is wet and muddy), use the paved paths instead.
3. Little Toy, Big Toy and blacktop will be open.
4. We will have some undercover activities during the last recess of the day.



## Purposeful People

November – Gratitude

### Week 3

#### **November Character Trait of the Month: Gratitude**

Find a place in your home to display a glass jar. Cut up small slips of paper and place them next to the jar. Use the jar to collect special people, places, events, and memories that your family is thankful for. Find a time each week to add slips of Gratitude to the jar. Having a gloomy day or a challenging time as a family? Pull out the slips of Gratitude and read them aloud as a family as a reminder of all of your grateful moments.



## **LWSD Updates**

### **Highly Capable Universal Screening Update for 1st Grade**

In order to decrease the number of assessments students are given, LWSD first grade students in LWSD will be universally screened using FastBridge for reading and math. Students that meet the screening criteria (85th percentile NPR in each area) will be invited to continue in the highly

We have immediate openings for all substitute teachers and classified substitute positions in LWSD!

Apply at LWSD Frontline Teacher Substitutes to become a Substitute Classroom Teacher.

Apply at LWSD Frontline Classified Substitutes to become a Substitute Instructional Assistant, Paraeducator, or Office Professional.

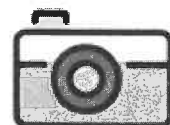
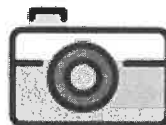
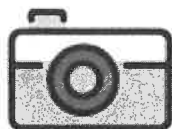
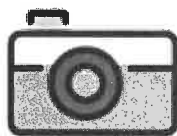
Hourly rates:

- Substitute Teacher: Starting at \$27.28/hour
- Substitute Paraeducator: \$19.51/hour
- Substitute Instructional Assistant: \$16.86 per hour
- Substitute Office Professional: \$22.44/hour

Any questions? Contact us at:

Substitute Coordinator [tayer@lwsd.org](mailto:tayer@lwsd.org)

Director of HR, Data and Operations [syuhan@lwsd.org](mailto:syuhan@lwsd.org)



## Snapshots of Rockwell Learning

At Rockwell, we have a tradition of hands-on science lessons for our Fifth graders on Fridays during a time we call “SciFri!” At a recent SciFri lesson, our Beagles engaged in an experiment around balance, setting and checking hypothesis using the scientific method.



Please join me in saying thank you to the Knapp family for building and donating our new “Beagle Book Box” lending library. Our new library is officially registered with the Little Free Library registry and can be found near our bike racks. Please swing by and take a look the next time you’re walking to or from school.



## PTSA Updates

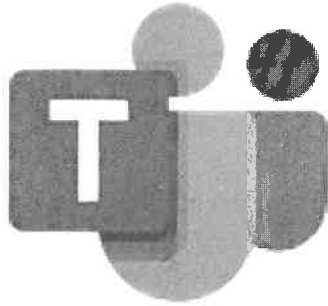
### 5th Grade Cover Contest

Interested in drawing, sketching or doodling the Norman Rockwell Spirit?

It’s a Rockwell tradition for the graduating classes to submit designs for the yearbook **front & back** cover.

Enter the yearbook cover contest and your design could be selected!

**Deadline: Friday, January 7th, 2022**



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## Rockwell



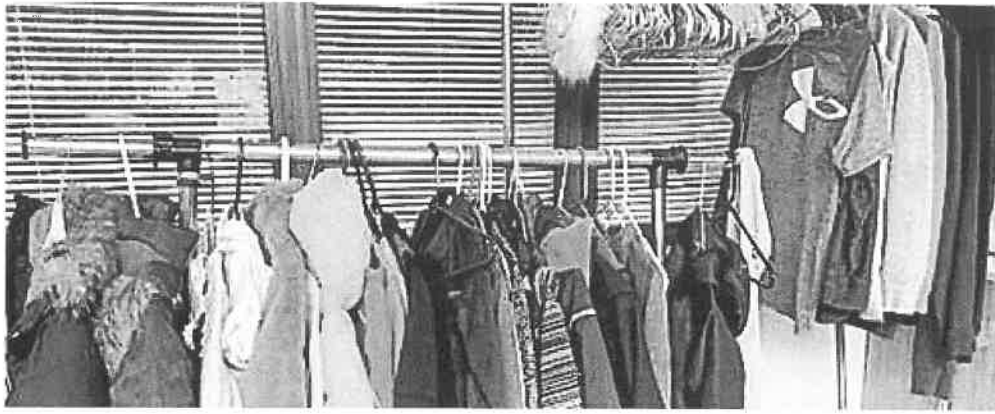
## Updates

### **Picking up your child(ren) from school:**

In the interest of one of our core values of safety we are asking families to partner with us about picking students up from school during the school day.

Picking students up during lunch and recess impacts the focus of the supervisors and by extension student safety.

**Please schedule your pickups of your child(ren) outside the following times:**



There are way too many coats in lost and found!

Rainy weather is here to stay – claim your coats ASAP!

Please put your child(ren)s name in all of their items: coat, lunch box, etc...

All unclaimed items will be donated to charity on December 17th.

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**ATTENDANCE HOTLINE 425-936-2671**

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Do you have a doctor appointment? Illness? Traveling?

It is my job and honor as attendance secretary to keep track of every student in the building, but I need your help to ensure every student is accounted for.

**Action required By 8:50am!!** Call the **ATTENDANCE HOTLINE 425-936-2671** or report the absence in Skyward. As a last resort, email [StHatch@lwsd.org](mailto:StHatch@lwsd.org) and CC the teacher.

Thank you for ensuring all students are accounted for every day!

[StHatch@lwsd.org](mailto:StHatch@lwsd.org)



## Upcoming events

### Calendar

- November 24 – Half-Day Early Release – 11:50 AM
- November 25-26 – No School: Thanksgiving Break
- December 1 – Lifetouch Picture Make-Up Day