



November 17, 2022

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Reminder: No school November 24 & 25 - Thanksgiving break

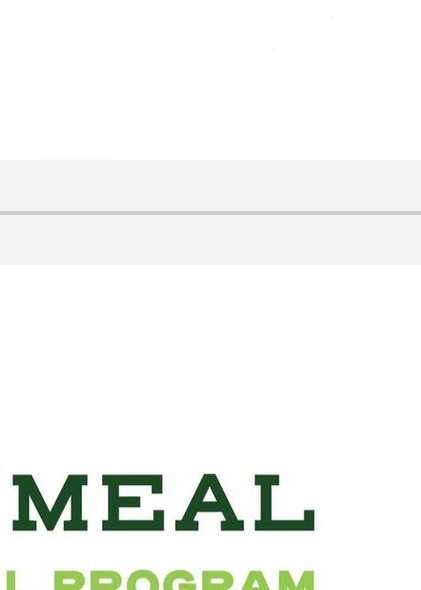
Did you know . . .

. . . that the Falcon Heights PTA has a Facebook page? Follow the page to stay up to date on different activities happening at school, volunteer opportunities, and to learn more about the PTA!

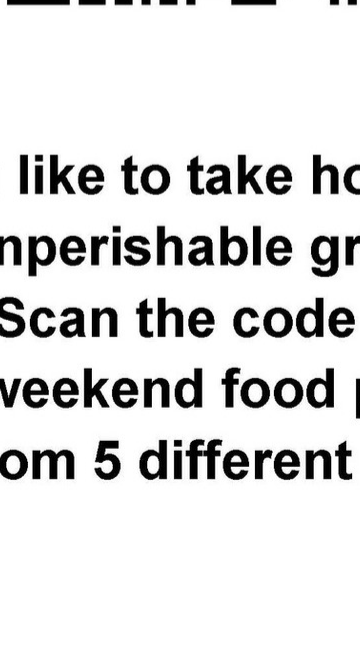
https://www.facebook.com/FHPTA

Lost & Found is bursting!

We have MANY sweaters, hats, jackets, water bottles, miscellaneous items that have been left behind and that was before the snow hit. Have your child check for lost items. Parents please stop in to check items before or after school.



EVERY MEAL WEEKEND MEAL PROGRAM



Would you like to take home a FREE bag of nonperishable groceries on Fridays? Scan the code to sign up for the weekend food program. Choose from 5 different bag types!

FFEJ
FALCON FAMILIES FOR EQUITY AND JUSTICE
FFEJ Updates
We would love to have you join our next meeting!

We will host our next meeting on Wednesday, November 30 at 7:00 pm. This will be in person at school.
We will meet bimonthly and the rest of our meeting dates are as follows:
February 1st, March 29th, and May 31.
At these meetings we hope to talk about how we can support the school in creating affinity groups, planning community events, and working with school and district leadership to learn how we can best support the work they are doing to advance the district equity goals.

For more information feel free to email us at falconfamiliesforequityjustice@gmail.com.
Family Service Night 2023:
Falcon Families for Equity and Justice and the Falcon Heights PTA are again co-hosting a Family Service Night on Wednesday, January 18th 6-7:30.
We hope to provide students, families, teachers and staff with the opportunity to come together to support organizations in our community, by working on volunteer projects at various stations.

More information soon to come! In the meantime, if you are interested in helping us plan please reach out to Carl Kokotovich (cmkokotovich@gmail.com) for more information or join our first planning meeting of the year, November 17th at 7:30pm.
Feel free to hop on the zoom meeting and learn more!
https://umn.zoom.us/j/93151478165?pwd=7ZVlY2RiMjU1UklnMmVeGzF7JkR0R6dz09

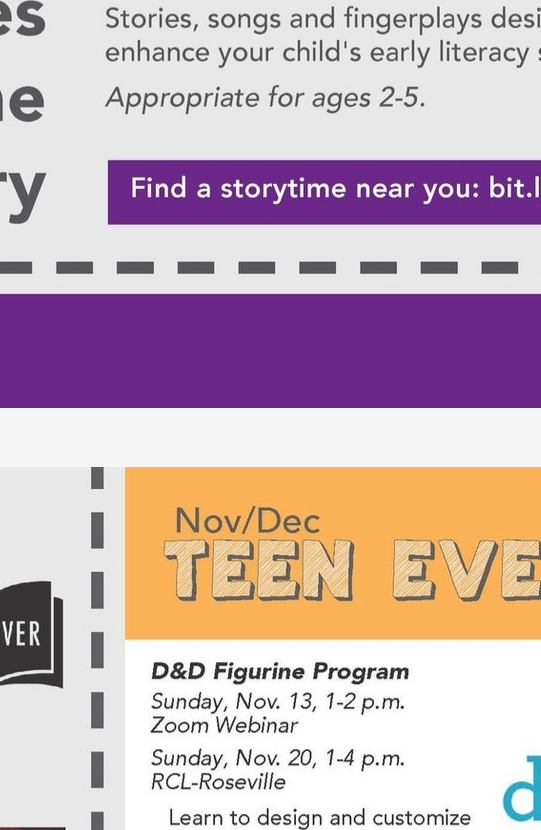
From the District

23-24 Enrollment Lottery

The Enrollment Lottery for the 23-24 school year is now open! Applications are being accepted through January 27, and will be processed the week of January 31. Families will be notified of lottery results and next steps the week of February 6.
Siblings of current students must still apply for the lottery. All schools will offer sibling preference in placement. This means based on space availability, siblings of current students will be placed into the school/program before the lottery drawing. If space is not available at the time of the lottery, siblings will receive preference on the waitlist.

To submit an application for the enrollment lottery, CLICK HERE
Espanol: If you live outside district boundaries you will also have to apply for Open Enrollment.
Please contact Central Enrollment (enrollment@isd623.org or 651-635-1626) if you have any questions about the lottery process.

Voices



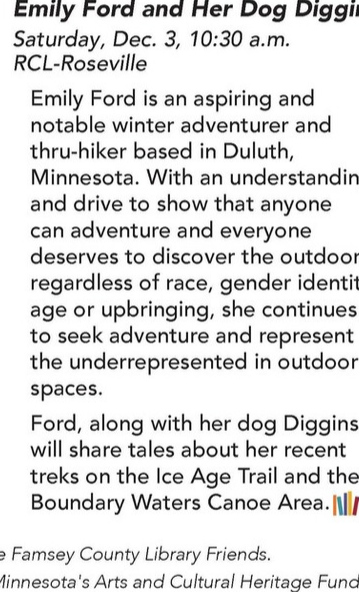
Seeking Content for Voices, a Roseville Area Schools Student Publication

This summer we will be publishing our district's annual student magazine, Voices, which will highlight the writing and artwork of our talented students from preschool through high school. We are looking for student artists and authors, from preschool through high school, to contribute to the magazine. PLEASE CLICK HERE to learn more about this opportunity!

Flyers

Nov/Dec KIDS EVENTS

- Rhythmically Speaking: Move and Groove Dance
Saturday, Nov. 19, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-Roseville
Appropriate for ages 6-12.
Jazz dance with Rhythmically Speaking. Come move and learn how groove, interaction and improvisation inspire jazz music and dance. Registration required on the Library's online calendar.
International Games Month: Game on!
Sunday, November 20, 1-4 p.m.
RCL-Shoreview
Appropriate for ages 9 and older.
Celebrate International Games Month with an afternoon of table top games, card games, Wii games and more. This celebration is open to grades 4-12. Presented by the Chess and Strategy Game Association. This program is funded with money from Ramsey County Library Friends.



The Wilds are for All! Featuring Emily Ford and Her Dog Diggins
Saturday, Dec. 3, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-Roseville

Emily Ford is an aspiring and notable winter adventurer and thru-hiker based in Duluth, Minnesota. With an understanding and drive to show that anyone can adventure and everyone deserves to discover the outdoors, regardless of race, gender identity, age or upbringing, she continues to seek adventure and represent the underrepresented in outdoor spaces.
Ford, along with her dog Diggins, will share tales about her recent treks on the Ice Age Trail and the Boundary Waters Canoe Area.

Find a storytime near you: bit.ly/RCL-Storytimes
RAMSEY COUNTY Library
rdreads.org/kids

Nov/Dec TEEN EVENTS
teen lit TAKEOVER
Meet the Author: Naomi Kritzer
Saturday, Nov. 19, 2-3 p.m.
Zoom Webinar
Join us on Zoom to hear from award-winning author Naomi Kritzer. She has written short stories and novels for teens and adults. Her young adult novel "Catching on CatNet" won an Edgar Award, a Minnesota Book Award and a Lodestar Award.
This program is part of Teen Lit Takeover: 60+ events of 41 days, 8 libraries supported by MELSA and funded with money from Minnesota's Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund.

Nov/Dec TEEN EVENTS
D&D Figurine Program
Sunday, Nov. 13, 1-2 p.m.
Zoom Webinar
Sunday, Nov. 20, 1-4 p.m.
RCL-Roseville
Learn to design and customize a character using the software program, HeroForge. We will 3D print it for you. Then, the following week, you will learn how to paint it to make your character come to life.
Registration required on the Library's online calendar.
Cosmic Thursday: Teen Gaming Party
Thursday, Nov. 17, 4-6 p.m.
RCL-Shoreview
Join us for some fun video gaming on some of the newest consoles. Snacks will be provided.
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November Breakfast/Lunch Menu

Table with 5 columns: Day (Monday 31, Tuesday 1, Wednesday 2, Thursday 3, Friday 4) and rows for Breakfast, Lunch, and Grab N Go. Items include Mega Cereal Bowl, Mini Maple Pancakes, Chicken Corn Dog, etc.

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Table with 5 columns: Day (Monday 14, Tuesday 15, Wednesday 16, Thursday 17, Friday 18) and rows for Breakfast, Lunch, and Grab N Go. Items include Breakfast Burrito, Mini Corns, Smoked Turkey Sub, etc.

Table with 5 columns: Day (Monday 21, Tuesday 22, Wednesday 23, Thursday 24, Friday 25) and rows for Breakfast, Lunch, and Grab N Go. Items include Mega Cereal Bowl, Mini Maple Pancakes, Mandarin Orange, etc.

Table with 5 columns: Day (Monday 28, Tuesday 29, Wednesday 30) and rows for Breakfast, Lunch, and Grab N Go. Items include Banana Bread, Turkey Sausage Breakfast Pizza, Chicken Corn Dog, etc.

\*Elementary Breakfast \$1.70, Elementary Lunch \$2.75. \*\*Menu subject to change based on availability. \*\*Lunch items in green are vegetarian.
MkN Thursday is an all-local Farm to School menu day featuring items from farmers and makers from within 300 miles.
MkN is available with every Falcon Heights PTA school menu day. All you-can-see-to-eat fruits and vegetables available at lunch daily.
Please visit https://ramseycountylibrary.org/2022/11/ for complete allergy information and the most up to date menus.