

Weekly Update

Families 10.6.23



Message from the PTA

We had a successful Farmer's Market today at school. The kids all got to taste kiwi berries and bok choy, and were sent with some recipes to share! Thank you to our Farmer's Market Chair Melina Roy for putting this together, as well as all the parents who came to help out today. We will have another Farmer's Market in a few months, so be on the lookout for sign ups to help out.

October Birthday Book Club is coming up Thursday, October 19 at 8:30. If you have a child with an October birthday, please sign up before Thursday the 12 in order to be included in our birthday

celebration. [You can sign up here](#)

Tent or Treat is coming up Saturday, October 28, and we currently have 27 classes signed up! We are currently seeking candy donations for this event. Please send in any candy donations to school now through the 27 to help us keep this event free for our families. A big thank you to Sam's Club for donating candy already! This is going to be a great event and we're looking forward to seeing everyone there in their costumes.

Lastly, we look forward to seeing many of you tonight at our Playground Open House! It looks like the sun will be ready to come out just in time for us tonight. We will be there from 4:30-6:30, so please stop by. You will also be able to pick up your Spiritwear orders at this time. See you then!



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Parents who are making monthly payments, please make sure you have made the payment for October. These payments were due on the 5th. Students who are not paid will be moved out of the full day program.

Thanks for your attention to this matter!



Title 1 meeting

Revere Local Schools

Dear Richfield Family,

For those parents who have children benefiting from our Reading Intervention programming, we would like to invite you to a parent meeting on October 16, 2023. The meeting will be held at the Revere High School Auditorium from 5:30-6:30 PM. The purpose of the meeting is to provide more information regarding the letter you previously received regarding your child's reading growth and instructional needs.

At Richfield, we are fortunate to receive Title I funds from the State of Ohio. These funds help us provide extra reading support with both staffing and materials. Title funds support the teaching and learning of our students here at Richfield Elementary. At this meeting we will be discussing the different resources available to your child. These resources include: Literacy supports, Reading Intervention; and Summer programming.

If you have questions or concerns please reach out to Ms. Micki Krantz, Assistant Superintendent for Revere Local Schools, at mkrantz@revereschools.org or 330.523.3102.

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Message from Miss Petridis (STEM)

Hello Richfield Elementary Families!

I'm excited to share the incredible progress our young engineers in Kindergarten, First and Second grade have made as they delve into the world of engineering design in STEM. Each grade level is honing their skills in asking insightful questions, sharing creative ideas, sketching concepts before bringing them to life, and evaluating ways to improve their creations.

Engineering Adventures for Every Grade

Our kindergarten engineers have been discovering the vital role engineers play as problem solvers. They're integrating this understanding into their literacy content, exploring fables and fairytales through engaging projects. This approach enhances critical thinking and creative problem-solving skills.

Our first graders, the focus has been on harnessing the sun's energy and understanding its potential. We're excited to announce a partnership with Solar Sisters, a nonprofit promoting solar

energy. Our young scientists will conduct experiments and channel their knowledge into creating solar-powered ovens, aligning their classroom learning with practical applications.

Our second graders have chosen a real-world problem—the well-being of animals in need. They will be designing tools and toys for animals at a local shelter, emphasizing material safety and functionality. This initiative instills empathy and creativity while nurturing their engineering skills.

Upcoming STEM Projects and Ongoing Endeavors

As we approach the festive season, each grade level will embark on special STEM projects, infusing the holiday spirit into their classrooms. These exciting projects will further develop their problem-solving abilities, critical thinking, and creativity.

In addition to holiday-themed projects, each grade will begin their first ongoing projects, enabling them to immerse themselves in meaningful, hands-on experiences that align with their curriculum and deepen their understanding of engineering design.

I will provide more information about these projects in the near future including more details and volunteer opportunities!

Donations:

Tape, Paper towel rolls/toilet paper rolls, paper clips



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