

## Ramblewood September / October Newsletter



### Principal's Message

The first four weeks of the 2023-2024 school year have been a joy! Our students have settled into their routines and are familiar with school-wide expectations. Classrooms are bustling with learning, and I am thrilled to observe the high levels of academic engagement as our students progress through the year. I look forward to seeing their continued growth!

**Attendance Matters** Please remember that regular attendance is crucial for student success. It is important for students to attend school every day unless they are ill. If your child needs to stay home due to illness, kindly notify our school secretary, Shareen, who will ensure their absence is verified.



### Upcoming Events

- 9.15 - 10.15** Hispanic Heritage Month!
- 9.17** Zoom Student of the Month Award Assembly @ 8:10 am
- 9.18** Pizza My Heart Fundraiser
- 9.25** School Site Council via zoom
- 9.27** Folklorico Assembly
- 9.30 - 10.4** Parent Teacher Conferences
- 9.30 - 10.4** Attendance Matters Spirit Week
- 10.7 - 10.11** Fall Break - No School
- 10.16** Zoom Student of the Month
- 10.17** Great California Shake Out / State wide earthquake awareness.
- 10.18** PTG Bingo Night
- 10.23** Pumpkin Patch Field Trip Lower grades
- 10.18** PTG Bingo Night
- 10.31** Halloween Parade and Carnival

## Hispanic Heritage Month

At Ramblewood, we honor and celebrate cultural diversity by recognizing heritage months. Hispanic Heritage Month (HHM) began on Friday, September 15, and runs through October 15. This is a time to celebrate the contributions, vibrant cultures, and rich histories of the American Latino community.

Originally observed as "Hispanic Heritage Week" in 1968, the celebration was extended to a month in 1988. It coincides with the independence days of several Latin American countries, including Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua (September 15), Mexico (September 16), and Chile (September 18). The month also includes special holidays, such as Virgin Islands-Puerto Rico Friendship Day, celebrated in the U.S. Virgin Islands.



### Hispanic Heritage Month at Ramblewood Sept 15 - Oct 15

Throughout HHM, we encourage our Ramblewood community to join us in celebrating this significant part of our nation's heritage by means of classroom lessons, art, spirit days, assemblies and more.

## Around The Campus

### Cookie Dough Fundraiser

Our annual cookie dough fundraiser is underway! Proceeds will go towards grade-level student body funds, helping support school activities like field trips and other enriching experiences. It's not too late to participate! Register today at [www.ShopFund.com](http://www.ShopFund.com) to get started and help make a difference for our students.



### Parent-Teacher Conferences

A reminder that Parent-Teacher Conferences will take place the week of September 30 - October 4,









2024. Dismissal times will be adjusted as follows:

- 1st–6th grade: Dismissal at 1:00 pm.
- Kindergarten: Dismissal at 12:00 pm

We look forward to meeting with you to discuss your child’s progress.

**Positive Attendance Spirit Week** To encourage strong attendance, we’re hosting a "Positive Attendance Spirit Week" the week of Parent Teacher Conferences! Each day will feature a different themed spirit day. Students who participate will have free dress on those days. If not participating, students should wear their regular school uniforms. Let’s make attendance fun and celebrate school spirit together!

September 27 - October 4 Spirit Week!	What to wear?	Theme
	Hispanic Culture Attire!	Wear something from any Hispanic country. ( Dresses, skirts, hats, flags, etc.)
	Hat Day!	Head to success by arriving on time!
	Wear Bright Colors!	Dress for Success! Wear bright colors and shine! Good attendance makes you a success!
	Wear Mismatched outfits!	Wacky Tacky Wednesday! But there’s nothing tacky about being on time!
	Dress to impress!	Its Picture Day at Ramblewood. Dress to impress!
	Wear Pajamas	Roll out of bed in your pajamas and be on time for school!