

The Ram Report

December 13, 2024

IMPORTANT DATES

11/1-12/20: Winco & Walmart Gift Card Drive

12/23-1/5: No School; Winter Break

1/13: PSO Meeting; 6:00pm

1/15: Chipotle Fundraiser; 5:00-9:00pm

1/17: No School; Teacher Planning Day

1/20: No School; MLK Jr. Holiday

1/30: End of QTR 2

1/31: No School; Teacher Work Day

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Message from Mr. Kingery

Dear Art Rutkin Families,

We have a lot to be thankful for again this week. Thank you to our PSO for supporting another amazing Book Fair last week. It was our best one yet, and students have some great books to read over the Winter Break starting after next week. The Family Movie Night was also another PSO supported success. There has been a lot of appreciation for the free snacks and for showing Smallfoot, a great movie choice. Thank you to all our PSO members who helped support so much fun last week.

With colder weather during winter months it is important to know how extreme weather may change the regular school day schedule. Here is a list of possible weather related decisions that could be made.

Information and Possible Decisions for Weather and Closure:

- **Snow Routes** – Neighborhood streets are not passable but main streets are safe.
- **2-Hour Delay** – Conditions are currently not safe, but they will likely improve in the next two hours.
- **2-Hour Delay with Snow Routes** – Conditions improving in most areas, but there are concerns in some areas. Snow routes may be school attendance area specific.
- **Cancel school** – Conditions are unsafe for travel to and from school and likely not to improve in time.
- **Closing school early due to weather events** – Release high school, then middle, then elementary. Get older students home first for supervision of younger siblings and get student drivers home and off the road.

Please contact our office with any questions. The goal is always to keep families informed in a timely manner when there are changes to the regular school day schedule. Please remember to sign up for Flash Alerts and stay connected through ParentSquare. Information on both are included in this newsletter under the School Closure Information section.

Enjoy a wonderful weekend,
Mr. Kingery

Message from PSO

♥ Holiday Treats to treat our Staff! ♥

Let's send our staff off to Winter Break with love! Please sign up to bring one of your favorite treats (cookies, brownies, cupcakes, etc) for the staff to share and take home over the break. Thank you. [Sign up HERE](#)



Mrs. Megowan's PE News

We are excited to announce that Mrs. Megowan, will be sharing monthly newsletters with all families! These newsletters will keep you informed about what your children are learning in PE, fitness tips, and fun ways to stay active at home. It's a great way to stay connected and support your child's physical health and well-being. [Click here for the latest edition.](#)

Winco & Walmart Gift Card Drive

We're starting a gift card drive to support Art Rutkin families, where you can donate gift cards from Winco Foods or Walmart to help those in need of support during our upcoming breaks (Thanksgiving and Winter). Every contribution, no matter how small, makes a big difference!" Please see attached flyer for details. Don't hesitate to contact our Family Partnership Advocate, Nelly Mandujano, with any questions.



School Closure Information

How We Will Communicate School Closures

The District will notify the community of inclement weather closures in the following ways:



Through FlashAlert.Net

- **Sign up or renew** your account for 2024-25 to receive alerts

Email and text messages

- Confirm that your contact information is up to date on you ParentVue account

Through the ParentSquare App

- IOS App - [Apple Store](#)
- Android App - [Google Play Store](#)

Alert postings will also be on all TTSD websites. Visit the [School Closure Guidelines Webpage](#) for more information.

24-25 SNOW ROUTES			
24-25 ART RUTKIN AM		24-25 ART RUTKIN PM	
ROUTE: 16		ROUTE: 16	
	TIME		TIME
SW BULL MOUNTAIN RD & SW 164TH AVE	7:19	School: ART RUTKIN ES	2:25
SW BULL MOUNTAIN RD & SW 161ST AVE	7:20	SW RIVER TERRACE BLVD & SW COLORADO LN	2:27
SW BULL MOUNTAIN RD & SW JULIET TERR	7:27	SW BULL MOUNTAIN RD & SW 164TH AVE	2:30
SW 153RD AVE & SW PARKPLACE LN	7:30	SW BULL MOUNTAIN RD & SW 161ST AVE	2:31
SW PARKPLACE LN & SW 150TH AVE	7:31	SW BULL MOUNTAIN RD & SW JULIET TERR	2:39
SW RIVER TERRACE BLVD & SW COLORADO LN	7:39	SW 153RD AVE & SW PARKPLACE LN	2:41
School: ART RUTKIN ES	7:45	SW PARKPLACE LN & SW 150TH AVE	2:43

Shop for Spirit Wear here

SRR Handbook

Click here for Volunteer Info

Activity & Community Flyers

Lunch menus found here

Information for Club K

IMPORTANT WEBSITES

[Art Rutkin Elementary website](#)

[Art Rutkin Elementary newsletters](#)

[Club K website](#)

[Elementary Schools Boundary Map](#)

[TTSD job postings](#)

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