

THE RAPID NEWS

RAPID RUN MIDDLE SCHOOL



WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

April 1, 2019

Schedule of Events Week of April 1, 2019

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

NJHS Meeting 2:15-3:00pm

Thursday

PTA Digital Media Night 6:30-7:30pm
Auditorium

Friday

Spring Pictures

Student announcements are shown every day in their first class. If you would like to see the announcements, you can access them online at:

[RRMS Daily Announcements](#)

7th Grade Team Website Links:

[Expedition](#)
[Pathfinders](#)

3rd QUARTER REPORT CARDS

Student Report Cards will be available online beginning on **Tuesday, April 2nd**

REMINDER: 2019-2020 Registration Cards for current 6th & 7th Graders are due back Friday, April 5th



Spring Picture Day is Friday, April 5th

All students will be photographed
Do not bring any money on picture day – you will be able to see the pictures before you make a decision on whether to purchase them.

Cafeteria Hot Line Specials Week of April 1, 2019

Monday

3-Way Chili Spaghetti \$2.25
Chili Cheese Fries \$2.50

Tuesday

Taco Salad \$2.50
Soft Taco \$1.50
Loaded Baked Potato \$2.25

Wednesday

Chicken Sandwich Deluxe \$2.50
Mashed Potato Bowl \$2.25

Thursday

Wrap Station \$2.50
(Create Your Own Wrap or Salad)

Friday

Fish & Chips \$2.50
BBQ Rib Sub \$1.50



The last Fling of the year, **Rapid Run PTA Spring Fling**, is coming up on **Friday, April 12th, from 2:15-4:30 pm**. This is a fun event designed just for students, with a huge inflatable obstacle course, gaga ball, dancing, pizza and candy for purchase, and so much more. Tickets go on sale beginning Apr. 10th at lunch and will be on sale through Apr. 12th at lunch. Tickets are \$5 each or \$4 with an activity card. **Remember EMA forms must be complete in order for a student to attend the Fling.** Students should be picked up from the Commons promptly at 4:30 pm. If a student needs to leave early, a note must be sent into the office in advance of the Fling.

We hope your students plan to stay after school and have a great time with their friends at the Spring Fling!

The Rapid News is a publication of Rapid Run Middle School. Please do not reply to this email. If you have any questions concerning any information in this newsletter, please call Rapid Run Middle School at 467-0300.



Rapid Run Heart Heroes!!

Your support and donations to the American Heart Association are very much appreciated.

We raised \$3,943!!!

Great Job Rapid Run!!!

A Special "Thanks" to the Top 3 Fundraisers:

1. Bobbie Kassow
2. 8th Grade Teachers
3. Mason Moerlein

And the 6th Grade Class for collecting the most donations!!

Way to go Rapid Run...

We raised **\$784.53** for cancer research and helping to improve the quality of life for patients and their families!!!



NJHS Important Upcoming Dates:

- **Friday, April 5** - Application packets are due in the front office
- **Wednesday, April 3** - NJHS meeting for current members, making blankets for local animal shelters
- **Friday, April 26** - Tapping for new members
- **Wednesday, May 1** - NJHS final meeting, permission slips due
- **Thursday, May 2** - Induction ceremony practice at 1:00pm in the auditorium
- **Thursday, May 2** - Induction ceremony at 7:00pm in the auditorium
- **Friday, May 3** - NJHS Fun Day / Walk-a-thon / Officer Elections
- **Monday, May 20** - 8th grade field trip to the University of Cincinnati



The PTA is currently seeking sponsors of the 2nd Annual RAM Color Run/Walk on April 26th.

We can accept monetary donations or prize donations. Any business owners interested should complete the sponsor form. If you have any questions, please contact Maggie Robertson at MaggieHRobertson@gmail.com

OH MIDDLE SCHOOL COLOR GUARD

Any 6-8th grade student who is interested in becoming a part of our brand new Middle School Color Guard is invited to attend open rehearsals next week! No previous experience is necessary!

We will be practicing from 6-8pm in the OHHS Commons on Monday, April 1st, Wednesday, April 3rd, and Friday, April 5th.



For only \$38.00, your kid will have a book that will be enjoyed now and 20, 30 or even 50 years from now. You also can make the yearbook extra special by purchasing namestamping and a protective plastic cover (online purchase only).

Buy online with credit card, debit card or PayPal at yearbookforever.com or at school with a check made out to Rapid Run Middle School in the main office. Order now, so your child won't miss out when the yearbook is distributed before the last day of school.

Congratulations to the following Rapid Run artists for having their artwork selected to be displayed at the OHLSD Art Show this Saturday March 30th from 1-4PM

All 6th grade art students
(collaborative city project)
David Ayers
Niki Bode
Mia Borcharding
Jordan Brogan
Anna Caito
Maddie Cain
Madison Coster
Chloe Doerger
Bella Emmerich
Aubrey Faigle
Gretchen Goettke

Gretchen Hansen
Aimee Hartlaub
Ashley Haarmeyer
Ayden Hingsbergen
Milaney Lomiller
Molly Lorenz
Jack Ludwig
Taylor Meier
Kirsten Meyer
Abigail Miley
Delaney Paff
Grace Scheckel
Eva Schellhas

Maddy Schmeh
Scarlett Shorten
Olivia Stamper
Maggie Tiernan
Ava Vassallo
William Weinheimer
Aubrianne Wolff
Lily Witt
Michael Yerian
Sarah Young
Sophia Zupp

An additional Congratulations to the following RRMS Artists for having their work selected for the OHLSD District Office Art Show. They will be celebrated at an awards ceremony March 30th at 3PM in the high school auditorium. Their work will be displayed at district office for a year.

David Ayers
Taylor Meier
William Weinheimer
Sarah Young

Ella Heheman
Grace Scheckel
Aubrianne Wolf

Lauren Huster
Scarlett Shorten
Monica Yang



OHLSD

Art and Design Exhibition

Elementary, Middle, and High School
Artworks on Display

March 30th, 2019
1:00-4:00 PM
Oak Hills High School



Dear Community Leader,

You have a big part in making our community thrive. Your commitment mirrors our own at Rapid Run Middle School, to offer only the best for our students. We bring out the best in each other!

This year we have an exciting new way to raise needed funds while promoting health and fitness for our families: The Ram Color Run/Fun Walk. The untimed event, where participants are showered with powdered color as they follow the course, is perfect for all students. The Ram Color Run/Fun Walk is Friday, April 26, 2019.

We are asking you, as a community leader, to partner with our school by becoming a Color Run Sponsor. As a Color Run Sponsor, you will be recognized on our unique race shirts. Depending on your sponsorship level, your business may also be highlighted by sponsor signs along the course, be announced as a race sponsor during and after the event, and listed on our website. In addition, your business will be included as a sponsor in our weekly email newsletter to 700 families as soon as we get your completed sponsorship packet.

The Ram Color Run/Fun Walk opportunity highlights local businesses and raises funds to keep our educators equipped with the tools they need to provide our children an excellent education. Our goal is to raise \$10,000 this year, and we can only accomplish this with your support. We have deliberately kept our Color Run registration fees low and included individual Color Run sponsorship opportunities to enable all our students and families to participate.

Information regarding sponsorship levels is attached for your review. Your commitment to our middle school will give local families and visitors an opportunity to see your support for education and our community. Please submit your TAX DEDUCTIBLE DONATION by March 26, 2019.

If you have questions, please contact me at MaggieHRobertson@gmail.com. If you would like to become a Ram Color Run/Fun Walk 2016 Sponsor, please complete and mail the attached form to: RRMS, ATTN: PTA, 6345 Rapid Run Road, Cincinnati, OH 45233. Make checks payable to "RRMS PTA."

Thank you for your support!

Maggie Robertson, PTA Vice President

Rapid Run Middle School

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[COLOR RUN SPONSOR FORM](#)



Greetings Highlanders,
Happy first day of spring! Just a quick note while you're enjoying your spring break to remind you about the Oak Hills Alumni & Educational Foundation's golf outing on June 21 at Aston Oaks. The event is open to alumni, staff, parents, teachers and community members age 21 and over! Registration opened March 1 and we're already 50% sold. **This event will sell out** so don't waste time if you're planning to play.

[Visit our website to register your foursome](#) now or, you can pony cash or checks payable to OHAEF to me at district office!

Early-bird registration is \$110/player and includes:

- 18 rounds of golf with cart in a scramble format
- lunch before the outing
- drinks on the course
- dinner and drinks after the event
- sleeve of golf balls
- swag bag

Price is \$125/player beginning May 1.

The event is our largest fundraiser and all monies raised are distributed back to the district through education grants for teachers and special projects. Will you join us on the course this June? Gather your team and sign up now!

Hello Oak Hills Families!

Right at School is your before and after school enrichment program RIGHT in your school! Each of our Early Adventures and Right Club programs are led by highly trained staff from our community! We love being a part of the Oak Hills District and invite you to visit our programs and see what we are all about!

Next week is our *Ooey, Gooley, Awesome Ooze Spring Break Camp*! The full day camp runs Monday-Friday from 6:30am-6:00pm at Oakdale Elementary. For more info click here: <https://rightatschool-oakdale-elementary.jumbula.com/view#/before-after-school>

It's also time to think about SUMMER! Our *Summer Camp* is hosted at Oak Hills High School and includes 10 weeks of fun, field trips and friends. Early Bird Pricing is available until April 12th. For more info on camp click here:

<https://rightatschool-oak-hill-high-school.jumbula.com/#/summer-camp>

And, for the 36th year, Oak Hills is offering *Safety Village* for our friends entering Kindergarten through first grade. This two week camp teaches safety through games, crafts, videos and special visitors. We will learn about all kinds of way to stay safe...pedestrian, bus, outdoor play, animals and even germs! We also take a field trip to the Green Township Fire Department. Safety Village is hosted at J.F. Dulles Elementary. To register for a session please click here:

<https://rightatschool-safety-village.jumbula.com/#/summer-camp>

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[See Our Welcome Video Here!](#)



SAFESITTER

Designed to prepare students in grades 6-8 to be safe when they're home alone, watching younger siblings, or babysitting.

The Instructor-led class is filled with fun games and role-playing exercises. Students even get to use manikins to practice rescue skills like choking rescue and CPR!



SAFE SITTER® CLASS INFORMATION



June 10-11 9:30-3:00

June 17-18 9:30-3:00

July 8-9 9:30-3:00

July 15-16 9:30-3:00

August 5-6 9:30-3:00

August 12-13 9:30-3:00

Delhi Township Fire Department
697 Neeb Road Cincinnati, OH 45233

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Class fee is \$90.00

Student should bring a sack lunch.

Pre-registration is required one week before class date.

<https://delhi.oh.us/fire-department/programs-and-services/>



(513) 922-2011

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Rapid Run Middle School

RAMS

Buy your
yearbook now!
YEARBOOKFOREVER.COM

This school year will live forever in the pages of the 2019 yearbook. Help your student remember friends, classes, fun and more by purchasing a 2019 yearbook for them today!

Cost:

- \$36 October 1, 2018 - December 31, 2018
- \$38 January 1, 2019 - April 30, 2019

Don't wait to purchase your yearbook! Extra options available with online purchases only.



To purchase:

- To use a credit card, debit card or PayPal, go to yearbookforever.com and enter our school name.
- For cash or check, bring payment made out to Rapid Run Middle School to the front **office**.

Student name _____ Grade _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Number of yearbooks _____ x \$ _____ = _____ Total cost

Walsworth yearbooks

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The Sustainability Committee of Mount St. Joseph University and the Oak Hills School District are proud to sponsor a **COMMUNITY ELECTRONICS RECYCLING DAY** on Saturday, April 6th, 2019 from 10 AM - 2 PM in the student parking lot (north lot) of Oak Hills High School. There are no residency requirements to drop off items and ANY item with an electrical cord will be accepted. This includes all TVs (any size), refrigerators and all other household appliances (microwaves, washers, vacuum cleaners, etc.), cell phones, game systems, iPods, Blackberries, MP3 players, digital cameras, GPS units, e-readers, all computers and related accessories (such as keyboards, printers, portable hard drives, and scanners), VCR/DVD/CD players, fax machines, copiers, surge protectors, power cables and charging cords, electronic wiring, and satellite components.

A \$15 donation is requested for each small cathode ray tube (CRT) TV/monitor dropped off and a \$25 donation is requested for each large TV (consoles, large flat screens, and rear projection TVs). For those without TVs to drop off, a \$10 donation is requested per vehicle. These donations help to defray both disposal fees for the hazardous waste components of the items to be recycled and transportation costs.

RecycleForce, a non-profit from Indianapolis, will de-manufacture these items and shred all hard drives to address any privacy concerns. The plastics and metals are then collected, packaged, and sold to build new components, while all toxic elements, such as lead and mercury, will be disposed of properly to avoid environmental contamination. RecycleForce provides transitional jobs to formerly incarcerated people, helping them to rebuild their lives and increase their chances of sustained future employment.

If you have questions, please call event coordinator Colleen McSwiggin at 513-244-4864.

Sayler Park Recreation Center – 6720 Home City Ave, 45233 – 513.941.0101

YOU'RE INVITED

To a FREE Easter Egg Hunt at Sayler Park!



April 13th, 2019
at 11 am

Call 513.941.0102 for more information!

- The Easter Egg Hunt is for ages 1 to 10!
- Rain? No worries!
We'll take the hunt inside the center.
- Children must be accompanied by an adult

Cincinnati Recreation Commission



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Choose from occupations like cooking,
automotive, digital art, health care,
construction, cosmetology, welding
and much more!

June 3–7

**Laurel Oaks in Wilmington
Diamond Oaks in Western Hills**

June 10–14

**Live Oaks in Milford
Scarlet Oaks in Sharonville**

Details and registration greatoaks.com/camp