

# THE RAPID NEWS

RAPID RUN MIDDLE SCHOOL



WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

September 3, 2018

## Schedule of Events Week of September 3, 2018

### Monday

NO SCHOOL – LABOR DAY

### Tuesday

### Wednesday

NJHS Mtg – 2:20-3:00pm Auditorium

### Thursday

Choir – Reds Game 6:40-9:40pm

### Friday

## Cafeteria Hot Line Specials Week of September 3, 2018

### Monday

NO SCHOOL – LABOR DAY

### Tuesday

3-Way Chili Spaghetti \$2.25

Loaded Baked Potato \$2.25

### Wednesday

Home Style Chicken Sandwich \$2.50

Chicken Nugget Meal \$2.25

### Thursday

Burrito Bar \$2.50

### Friday

Chicken Tender Basket \$3.00

Bacon Cheeseburger \$2.25

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**

**7<sup>th</sup> Grade Team Website Links:**

**Expedition**

**Pathfinders**

### **\*\*\*EMA Form\*\*\***

If you have not completed your child's online emergency medical form go to **please visit** [www.ohlsd.org/portal/parents](http://www.ohlsd.org/portal/parents) and click **EMA Form**. It is very important that we have this information on file. Students may not participate in field trips, outings or extracurricular activities if this form is not complete. **Please complete this form by September 1<sup>st</sup>.**

### PTA Student Handbook and Directory

Each year the RRMS PTA publishes an electronic Student Handbook and Directory. The directory is a listing of RRMS student contact information as provided in the google form found

at <https://goo.gl/forms/aqDKkzzvLJFVOSXs2>. A parent/guardian **MUST** grant permission for the information to be published. Your child's information will not be included in the directory if you do not complete the google form by September 1, 2018. If an email address is included the PTA will send out reminders of upcoming PTA events. You will be given the option to remove yourself from the email list with each email sent.

**Early Dismissals** – Occasionally, a student will need to be dismissed early for appointments. If your Student needs to leave school early, please have your child bring a note to the office in the morning. We can then give them a pass to be in the office waiting for you when you need them.

### **RRMS Wants Your Input**

Parent(s)/Guardian(s),

The 2018 school year is off to a great start! At Rapid Run Middle School, we care about the connection between the families and the school environment. To better understand the school culture and the relationships with our community, we are asking parents/guardians of our students to fill out a survey for us. The data from the survey will help us to uphold and improve the educational atmosphere with our students and families. In advance, we thank you for your time and willingness to complete the questionnaire.

**Family & School Relationship Survey**

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.

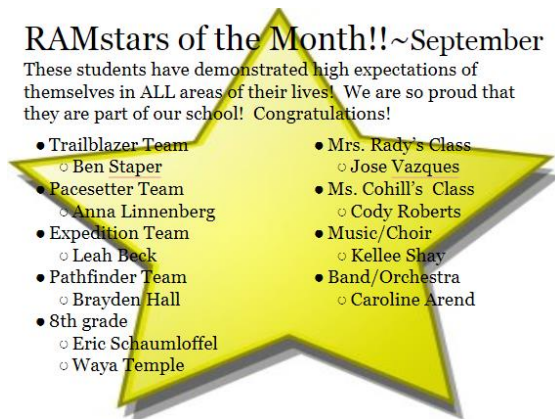
## Rapid Run National Junior Honor Society

NJHS meetings will be the first Wednesday of the month, unless changed by an advisor. The first official meeting will be Wednesday, September 5th in the auditorium at 2:20 pm - 3:00 pm. This meeting is mandatory.

## RAMstars of the Month!!~September

These students have demonstrated high expectations of themselves in ALL areas of their lives! We are so proud that they are part of our school! Congratulations!

- Trailblazer Team
  - Ben Staper
- Pacesetter Team
  - Anna Linnenberg
- Expedition Team
  - Leah Beck
- Pathfinder Team
  - Brayden Hall
- 8th grade
  - Eric Schaumlöffel
  - Waya Temple
- Mrs. Rady's Class
  - Jose Vazquez
- Ms. Cohill's Class
  - Cody Roberts
- Music/Choir
  - Kellee Shay
- Band/Orchestra
  - Caroline Arend



The RRMS Choir will be singing the national anthem at the Cincinnati Reds game Thursday, September 6<sup>th</sup>. See below for a ticket order form.



### From the Nurse:

We are starting to see cases of head lice.

We suggest you check your child's hair daily for lice or nits (eggs).



In checking for lice and nits, particular attention should be paid to the hair shaft near the scalp, the back of the neck and behind the ears. Head lice are gray-brown parasites about the size of a typewritten comma that deposit their eggs (nits) with a sticky substance to the hair shaft near the scalp. A louse nit can live up to 10 days off the human host.

People get head lice from direct contact with others who are infested, wearing infested clothing, using infested combs and brushes, lying on infested carpets and beds, and from resting the head against upholstered furniture formerly used by infected persons. Head lice DO NOT fly, but are highly transmittable.

Cooperation between the parents and school is most essential to keep this problem to a minimum. Please check your child's hair weekly for early detection.

Remember, head lice can happen to anyone. There is no shame in having lice.

If you find that your child does have lice and /or nits, please keep your child home and notify the school immediately. Please call the School Nurse for any questions or go to our school website @

[Lice Link to OHLSD Website](#)

### DELSHIRE DANCE PROGRAM:

Delshire PTA is sponsoring the Delshire Dance program this school year. Open to ALL. There is a middle school class and boys hip hop class among the many classes. Check out all the classes offered on the forms attached here. In person signups are Friday, Aug 31 6-8pm at Delshire or you can complete the form & payment and return it to Rapid Run Middle School. Classes start the week of Sept 10th.

[Delshire Dance Registration Form](#)

**Attention current 6th and 7th grade students and parents!** The following is the criteria to apply for the Rapid Run NJHS chapter for the 2018-2019 school year.

Students will receive an invitation packet at the end of March if they have a cumulative 3.75 GPA or higher for the 1st-3rd quarters. The application process will include the following requirements:

| Requirements           | Max Points | Description   |
|------------------------|------------|---|
| GPA                    | 50         | Based on cumulative GPA 1st - 3rd quarter                                 |
| Service Form           | 20         | List of past 2 years of community service involvement                     |
| Student Essay          | 10         | Based on rubric students will be given in invitation packet               |
| Faculty Recommendation | 48         | Students will pick 3 current teachers to fill out form (2 Core, 1 Encore) |

Based on the final application scores, the top applicants will be selected. The induction ceremony will be held in May. If you have any additional questions, please contact Ms. Argo ([argo\\_m@ohlsd.org](mailto:argo_m@ohlsd.org)) or Ms. Stoller ([stoller\\_m@ohlsd.org](mailto:stoller_m@ohlsd.org)).

# TICKET ORDER FORM



The RRMS Choirs will be singing the National Anthem prior to the Cincinnati Reds game on Thursday, September 6. We will be selling tickets through the choir as a fundraiser for the department. Please invite friends and extended family!

Please share with friends and family! Tickets orders are due no later than Tuesday, September 4!

| DATE | STUDENT NAME | # OF TICKETS | LOCATION<br>Circle One  | PRICE                             | TOTAL |
|------|--------------|--------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------|
|      |              |              | FIELD BOX    VIEW LEVEL | \$30 Field Box<br>\$15 View Level |       |

***EVERY STUDENT PERFORMING NEEDS TO PURCHASE A TICKET!!***

*Please send in payment at the time of ordering. Please make checks payable to RRMS. Tickets will be given to the student to bring home in a sealed envelope.*

If your child is singing, but you are unable to attend with them, please write the name of the adult attending that will be responsible for them after we sing, including taking them home.

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*FOR OFFICE USE ONLY*

Date Received \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Form \_\_\_\_\_

Seats Assigned \_\_\_\_\_

As many of you know, Oak Hills Bands has been a great pillar of our community for decades. Its traditions combined with the immense hard work of our wonderful students, former and current, has spurred great growth in our program over the past few years, and we will be working diligently to see that growth continue in the coming years. Many exciting things are on the horizon!

With a growing band program comes the need for a variety of equipment and instrument purchases, some small, some major. In the past, many of these items have been made possible by our band boosters, school and district, combined with several fantastic individuals who have gone above and beyond to help our program reach new heights. For that we are grateful!

***We now need the support of our band family, alumni, community, and performing arts enthusiasts more than ever.***

The Oak Hills Band Association and the OHHS Band Staff have set forth a goal to raise **\$60,000** to replace our marching bands' sousaphones (marching tubas), several of which date back to 1974. Please join OHBA and the fantastic students of Oak Hills Bands in helping us make this dream a reality!

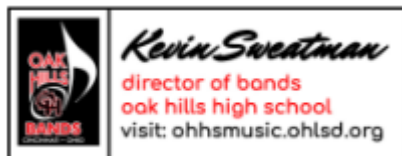
At tomorrow night's OHHS home football game, OHBA will be kicking off our sousaphone fundraising campaign. There will be tables setup near the home concession stands with several games, prizes to be won, spiritwear items for sale, donation buckets, and info available on how you can help. All proceeds will go towards the future purchase of these instruments. Please spread the word to your family, friends, and fellow Oak Hills supporters, so we can continue to see this band program reach new levels in the coming years!

***WANT TO HELP RIGHT NOW??***

Make a tax-deductible donation via PayPal on OHBA's website!

<http://www.oakhillsbandassociation.org/donate> ANY amount helps!

Thank you, and we look forward to seeing many of you tomorrow evening!  
GO HIGHLANDERS!



A simple way to keep the kids in our community safe.



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Over 800 kids spend a fun, but safe night after the prom every spring. We want this event to continue for years to come to keep future OH students safe as well. If you are currently linked to After Prom you no longer need to re-enroll. Thank you for helping this cause. If you have not linked your card, please consider doing so.

Go to [www.krogercommunityrewards.com](http://www.krogercommunityrewards.com)

Click on "Enroll" your Plus Card.

Once enrolled, click MY ACCOUNT, and choose the bottom bar - COMMUNITY REWARDS.

Enter the number 80549.

That's it!

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Your support is so needed, effects so many, and is greatly appreciated,

Please spread the word!

*Thank you.*

Questions? Contact: Kelli Wagner, [wagner\\_k@ohlsd.org](mailto:wagner_k@ohlsd.org)

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### Community Program: Caring Neighbor

It pays to shop at a local business in your community.

With our Caring Neighbor program, sign-up and we will donate up to 2% to your favorite community non-profit for every purchase made when you use your Remke Rewards card.

#### Here's How!

- Sign in to your account
- Go to My Account in the top right corner of the page
- Choose **OAK HILLS HIGH SCHOOL PTA - AFTER PROM**

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